



Federal Emergency Management Agency Designates Multiple Counties in Kentucky as Natural Disaster Areas Due to Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Flooding, Landslides and Mudslides

Emergency Designation | Kentucky | February 06, 2026

This Presidential disaster declaration allows the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) to extend much-needed emergency credit to producers recovering from natural disasters through [emergency loans](#). Emergency loans can be used to meet various recovery needs including the replacement of essential items such as equipment or livestock, reorganization of a farming operation, or to refinance certain debts. FSA will review the loans based on the extent of losses, security available, and repayment ability.

1. Triggering Presidential Designation M4864 Amendment 3:

Impacted Area: Kentucky

Triggering Disaster: Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Flooding, Landslides and Mudslides that occurred on April 02, 2025 and May 16, 2025

Application Deadline: March 23, 2026

Primary Counties Eligible:

- **Kentucky:** Allen, Barren, Breathitt, Caldwell, Campbell, Carter, Casey, Edmonson, Elliott, Estill, Floyd, Gallatin, Graves, Green, Greenup, Hickman, Jackson, Johnson, Kenton, Lawrence, Lee, Logan, Lyon, Magoffin, Marion, Martin, Metcalfe, Morgan, Nicholas, Owsley, Perry, Rockcastle, Spencer, Taylor, Trigg, Union, Washington, Wolfe

Contiguous Counties Also Eligible:

- **Illinois:** Gallatin, Hardin
- **Indiana:** Posey, Switzerland
- **Kentucky:** Adair, Anderson, Bath, Boone, Bourbon, Boyd, Boyle, Bullitt, Butler, Calloway, Carlisle, Carroll, Christian, Clark, Clay, Crittenden, Cumberland, Fleming, Fulton, Garrard, Grant, Grayson, Harlan, Harrison, Hart, Henderson, Hopkins, Jefferson, Knott, Larue, Laurel, Leslie, Letcher, Lewis, Lincoln, Livingston, McCracken, Madison, Marshall, Menifee, Mercer, Monroe, Montgomery, Muhlenberg, Nelson, Owen, Pendleton, Pike, Powell, Pulaski, Robertson, Rowan, Russell, Shelby, Simpson, Todd, Warren, Webster
- **Missouri:** Mississippi
- **Ohio:** Clermont, Hamilton, Lawrence, Scioto

- **Tennessee:** Henry, Macon, Obion, Robertson, Stewart, Sumner, Weakley
- **West Virginia:** Mingo, Wayne

2. Triggering Presidential Designation M4864 Amendment 4:

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Primary Counties Eligible:

- **Kentucky:** Ballard, Bracken, Carlisle, Clay, Crittenden, Fulton, Harrison, Leslie, Livingston, Madison, Marshall, Monroe, Robertson, Simpson, Todd

Contiguous Counties Also Eligible:

- **Illinois:** Alexander, Hardin, Massac, Pope, Pulaski
- **Kentucky:** Allen, Barren, Bell, Bourbon, Caldwell, Calloway, Christian, Clark, Cumberland, Estill, Fayette, Fleming, Garrard, Grant, Graves, Harlan, Hickman, Jackson, Jessamine, Knox, Laurel, Logan, Lyon, McCracken, Mason, Metcalfe, Muhlenberg, Nicholas, Owsley, Pendleton, Perry, Rockcastle, Scott, Trigg, Union, Warren, Webster
- **Missouri:** Mississippi, New Madrid
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More Resources

On farmers.gov, the [Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool](#), [Disaster Assistance-at-a-Glance fact sheet](#), and [Loan Assistance Tool](#) can help you determine program or loan options. To file a Notice of Loss or to ask questions about available programs, contact your local [USDA Service Center](#).

FEMA offers different assistance programs for individual citizens, public groups including government agencies and private nonprofit organizations. To find the FEMA help you need following a disaster event, visit [fema.gov/assistance](https://www.fema.gov/assistance).

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