

MEMORANDUM

To:

James Reardon, Commissioner of Finance & Management

From:

Nathan Lavery, Fiscal Analyst

Date:

October 15, 2008

Subject:

JFO #2337

No Joint Fiscal Committee member has requested that the following item be held for review:

JFO #2337 — \$557,769.73 grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to the Agency of Transportation – Operations Division. These grant funds will be used to repair public facilities (state, local, and non-profit) in Grand Isle and Lamoille Counties damaged by the storms of June 18, 2008.

[JFO received 09/15/08]

In accordance with 32 V.S.A. §5, the requisite 30 days having elapsed since this item was submitted to the Joint Fiscal Committee, the Governor's approval may now be considered final. We ask that you inform the Secretary of Administration and your staff of this action.

cc: Linda Morse, Administrative Assistant

David Dill, Secretary

PHONE: (802) 828-2295

FAX: (802) 828-2483



STATE OF VERMONT JOINT FISCAL OFFICE

MEMORANDUM

To:

Joint Fiscal Committee Members

From:

Nathan Lavery, Fiscal Analyst

Date:

September 16, 2008

Subject:

Grant Requests

Enclosed please find two (2) requests which the Joint Fiscal Office recently received from Finance & Management:

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[JFO received 09/15/08]

JFO #2338 — \$85,736.00 grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services to the Department of Housing and Community Affairs - Division for Historic Preservation. These grant monies will fund inventorying and cataloguing activities at the Calvin Coolidge State Historic Site.

[JFO received 09/15/08]

The Joint Fiscal Office has reviewed these submissions and determined that all appropriate forms bearing the necessary approvals are in order.

In accordance with the procedures for processing such requests, we ask you to review the enclosed and notify the Joint Fiscal Office (Nathan Lavery at 802/828-1488; nlavery@leg.state.vt.us or Stephen Klein at 802/828-5769; sklein@leg.state.vt.us) if you have questions or would like this item held for legislative review. Unless we hear from you to the contrary by September 30 we will assume that you agree to consider as final the Governor's acceptance of this request.

cc: James Reardon, Commissioner
Linda Morse, Administrative Assistant
David Dill, Secretary
Molly Dugan, Acting Commissioner

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FAX: (802) 828-2483

STATE OF VERMONT GRANT ACCEPTANCE FORM

JFO # 2337

DATE: September 8, 2008

DEPARTMENT:

AOT - Operations

GRANT/DONATION (brief description and purpose):

FEMA Disaster Assistance Grant FEMA-1784-VT Caledonia, Grand Isle, Lamoille. Statewide for Hazard Mitigation only.

GRANTOR/DONOR:

FEMA

GRANT PERIOD:

N/A

AMOUNT/VALUE:

\$557,769.73

POSITIONS REQUESTED (LIMITED SERVICE):

0

ANY ON-GOING, LONG-TERM COSTS TO THE STATE:

None

COMMENTS:

State match of \$96,118.11 will be needed. (ERAF).

Total Federal funds is \$\$533,989.50 (75% of current damage estimate plus \$23,780.33 administrative.

DEPT. FINANCE AND MANAGEMENT:

SECRETARY OF ADMINISTRATION:

SENT TO JOINT FISCAL OFFICE:

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Agency of Transportation **Maintenance Programs**

[phone] 802-828-2709 [fax] 802-828-2848 [ttd] 800-253-0191

To:

Neale Lunderville, Secretary of Administration

(Governor's Authorized Representative, FEMA PA Program)

via David Dill, Secretary of Transportation

From:

Alec Portalupi, State Public Assistance Officer, FEMA PA Program

Date:

August 29, 2008

Subject: FEMA 1784-DR-VT, July 18, 2008 Storm

We are requesting your approval and signature on the attached documents for the State to apply for and receive federal assistance under the subject federal disaster declaration.

If you have any questions about these documents or need additional information, please contact Alec Portalupi at 828-3889. Thank you.

Attachments

Standard Form 424 State of Vermont Form AA-1 Various Correspondence between State and FEMA Region 1



FORM AA-1

\$735,766.33

Date: 8/29/2008	
Agency: Transportation	5. Type of Grant:
Department: Operations	[X] New [] Supplemental
Program: Public Assistance Program	[] Renewal [] Modification
Legal Title of Grant: Disaster Assistance Grant	7. Federal Catalog No.: 97-036
FEMA-1784-DR-VT	
Grantor and Office/Address:	9. State Grant Administrator:
Federal Emergency Management Agency	Agency of Transportation
99 High Street	Operations Division
Boston, MA 02109-4595	
O. Grant Period: From: July 18, 2008	To: Completion
Purpose of Grant: (attach additional sheets if needed)	
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Grant will be allocated to these appropriation expenditure accounts: (excludes local share)

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Additional Information:

FEMA-1784-DR-VT July 18, 2008

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Caledonia	\$	*	\$	-	\$ -	
Grand Isle	\$	366,201.00	\$	274,650.75	\$ 12,231.11	
Lamoille	\$	345,785.00	\$	259,338.75	\$ 11,549.22	
•	\$	711,986.00	\$	533,989.50	\$ 23,780.33	
	•		\$	533,989.50	= Total FEMA	support to a

\$ 23,780.33 = Total Administrative support to State \$ 557,769.83 = Total anticipated FEMA Support for PA

State Funds (ERAF): Est. Avg (13.5%) - Towns receive either 12.5% or 15% from ERAF

ERAF: \$ 96,118.11

Applicant Share:

\$ 81,878.39

Total (federal, state, & local): \$ 735,766.33

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Performance Start Date:

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saster Number:		:1784

Applicant Name:

VERMONT AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION /

Information

15-AUG-08

Grant Program:

Application Number:

PA-01-VT-1784

Performance End Date:

Total Federal Share Awarded: 1.TYPE OF SUBMISSION Pre-Application 2.DATE SUBMITTED Applicant Identifier Application 08-27-2008 000-U7DZQ-00 N/A 3. DATE RECEIVED BY STATE State Application Identifier N/A N/A N/A 4 DATE RECEIVED BY FEDERAL Federal Identifier AGENCY N/A 5. APPLICANT INFORMATION Legal Name Organizational Unit

VERMONT AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION /

Organizational DUNS 809376296-	Division: Operations
Address	Name and telephone number of the person to be contacted on matters involving this application

Montpelier City: County: Washington

03-6000274

Start Date:

End Date:

State: Zip Code: 05633 - 5001

Country: United States of America

Suffix: Email: alec.portalupi@state.vt.us

Department: Vermont Agency of Transportation

Phone Number: 802-828-3889

Last Name: Portalupi

Prefix: Mr

Middle Initial:

Fax Number: 802-828-2848

First Name: Norman

7. TYPE OF APPLICANT State Government

8. TYPE OF APPLICATION 9 NAME OF FEDERAL AGENCY Grant Application (SF-424) Federal Emergency Management Agency 10. CATALOG OF FEDERAL DOMESTIC ASSISTANCE

NUMBER 97.036 CFDA TITLE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

11. DESCRIPTIVE TITLE OF APPLICANT'S PROJECT N/A

12. AREAS AFFECTED BY PROJECT (cities, counties, states, etc.)

6. FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (EIN)

Caledonia, Grand Isle, Lamoille, Statewide

13. PROPOSED PROJECT:

14. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF

a. Applicant

b. Project

15 ESTIMATED FUNDING

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c. State	\$96118	1 7,711 7
d. Local	\$ 81878	
e. Other		17/1S THE APPLICANT DELINQUENT ON ANY FEDERAL DEBT?
f. Program Income	\$ 0	N/A
g. Total	\$ 735766	

18, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, ALL DATA IN THIS APPLICATION ARE TRUE AND CORRECT, THE DOCUMENT HAS BEEN DULY AUTHORIZED BY GOVERNING BODY OF THE APPLICANT AND THE APPLICANT WILL COMPLY WITH THE ATTACHED ASSURANCES IF THE ASSISTANCE IS REQUIRED.

a. Name of Authorized Representative b.Title c.Telephone Number Norman Portalupi State Public Assistance Officer 8028283889 Authorized Representativ d.Signature e.Date Signed X-27-08

DECLARED AUGUST 15, 2008

SUMMARY

In the event of a declaration, the following information applies:

STATE:

Vermont

NUMBER:

FEMA-1784-DR

INCIDENT:

Severe Storms, a Tornado, and Flooding

INCIDENT PERIOD:

July 18, 2008

DATE REQUESTED BY GOVERNOR:

August 4, 2008

FEDERAL COORDINATING OFFICER:

Philip E. Parr

National FCO Program

DESIGNATIONS AND TYPES OF ASSISTANCE:

<u>INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE</u> (Assistance to individuals and households):

None.

<u>PUBLIC ASSISTANCE</u> (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities):

Caledonia, Grand Isle, and Lamoille Counties.

<u>HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM</u> (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations for actions taken to prevent or reduce long term risk to life and property from natural hazards):

All counties in the State of Vermont are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

OTHER:

Additional designations may be made at a later date after further evaluation.

JAMES H. DOUGLAS
Governor



State of Vermont OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

August 4, 2008

The Honorable George W. Bush President of the United States The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Through:

Arthur W. Cleaves

Regional Administrator

FEMA Region I

Boston, Massachusetts 02110

Dear Mr. President:

Under the provisions of Section 401 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 5121-5206 (Stafford Act), and implemented by 44 CFR § 206.36, I request that you declare a major disaster for the State of Vermont as a result of a National Weather Service confirmed EF-1 tornado, severe thunderstorms and persistent heavy rains during the period of July 18, 2008 and ongoing resulting in wind damage and serious flooding impacting communities in all Vermont counties and that have saturated the ground over much of the central and north central portions of the State. This unusual series of weather events was caused by a stalled area of low pressure aloft and at the surface as frequent storm systems developed over the same area during a three week period of time. This repeated rainfall resulted in the wettest July on record in many areas of the State. The impacted area had only one day without rainfall since July 18, 2008 and the forecast indicates a continuation of similar storms. The Vermont counties impacted to the highest degree of qualifying damage are Caledonia, Grand Isle and Lamoille.

In response to the situation, I have taken appropriate action under State law and directed, through the Commissioner of the Vermont Department of Public Safety, the execution of the State Emergency Operations Plan on July 18, 2008 in accordance with Section 401 of the Stafford Act. In accordance with the State Emergency Operations Plan, the following agency support functions were activated: Department of Public Safety, Emergency Management Division and Vermont State Police, Agency of Transportation. Agency of Natural Resources, Agency of Human Services, Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets, Department of Health and the American Red Cross. The local jurisdiction of Isle La Motte requested an emergency declaration due to excessive tree blow-down and damage to their public road system restricting emergency vehicle access and causing wide spread power outages.

Honorable George W. Bush August 4, 2008 Page 2 of 3

The State of Vermont has a State Hazard Mitigation plan that was approved by FEMA in November of 2007. Approximately 85% of Vermont local jurisdictions have FEMA approved local mitigation plans. The remainder of the plans are in various stages of the approval process.

On July 30, 2008, I requested a joint Federal, State, and local survey of the damaged areas. Preliminary assessments by State and Local officials indicated the most severe impacts were to town and state roads that were covered with debris and water from the tornado, high winds, heavy rain and the resulting flash flooding.

I have determined that this incident is of such severity and magnitude that effective response is beyond the capabilities of the State and the affected local governments and that supplementary Federal assistance is necessary. I am specifically requesting Federal assistance utilizing the following federal programs: Public Assistance for the counties of Caledonia, Grand Isle and Lamoille, Vermont. The State of Vermont also requests that the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (Section 404), be available Statewide.

Preliminary estimates of the types and amount of assistance needed under the Stafford Act as a result of a Joint Preliminary Damage Assessment are tabulated in Enclosure A.

The following information is furnished on the nature and amount of State and local resources that have been or will be used to alleviate the conditions of this disaster. The following state agencies were directed to provide immediate assistance as a result of severe flooding: Vermont Emergency Management Division, State Agency of Transportation, Vermont State Police, Vermont Department of Health, Agency of Human Services, Agency of Natural Resources, Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets, State and Local Community Emergency Response Teams and the American Red Cross. Town and State road crews worked for several days to repair the damage and clear debris to allow residents who had been cut off to access their homes once again and to clear routes for emergency vehicles. The Vermont Electric Cooperative, a publicly-owned utility, worked equally hard in cooperation with debris clearing crews to restore power to more than 20,000 homes. A Red Cross shelter was established at the Eden Middle School to accommodate 150 Boy Scouts and staff due to an emergency evacuation of their camp. Most notably, due to the length of the storm period, public safety, public works and utility personnel worked shifts that in some cases stretched over several hours with few opportunities for rest. I am proud to report that due largely to their efforts, not a single life was lost or serious injury sustained during or after the storm.

In addition to the 20,000 households that were without power for a period of time ranging from hours to days, over 100 homes were affected by these storms in other ways.

Honorable George W. Bush August 4, 2008 Page 3 of 3

I certify that for this major disaster, the State and local governments will assume all applicable non-Federal share of costs required by the Stafford Act. Total expenditures are expected to exceed \$285,896.00.

I have designated Barbara Farr, Director of Vermont Emergency Management as the State Coordinating Officer for this request. Ms. Farr will work with the Federal Emergency Management Agency in damage assessments and may provide further information or justification on my behalf.

Sincerely,

James H. Douglas

Governor

JHD/msy

County Rollup without Federal Aid Highway

7/18/2008 - 7/25/2008 Strong Winds & Heavy Rain (PDA)

County	Debris Removal	Protective Measures	Roads and Bridges	Water Control Facilities	Buildings and Equipment	Utilities	Parks, Recreation	Total	Total Per Capita
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FRANKLIN									
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LAMOILLE	\$78,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$188,700,00			\$217,785.00		\$489,485.00	\$21.07
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County Rollup without Federal Aid Highway

7/18/2008 - 7/25/2008 Strong Winds & Heavy Rain (PDA

County	Debris Removal	Protective Measures	Roads and Bridges	Water Control Facilities	Buildings and Equipment	Utilities	Parks, Recreation	Total	Total Per Capita
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BENNINGTON	-							<u> </u>	
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CHITTENDEN						:		-	, , , ,
ESSEX				- :					
FRANKLIN									
GRAND ISLE	\$138,541.00		\$10,660.00			\$217,000.00		\$366,201.00	\$53.06
LAMOILLE	\$118,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$138,700.00			\$217,785.00		\$489,485.00	\$21.07
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STATEWIDE TOTAL	\$256,541.00	\$15,000.00	\$437,260.00			\$434,785.00		\$1,143,586.00	\$1.88

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STATE OF VERMONT GRANT ACCEPTANCE FORM

DATE: September 8, 2008

DEPARTMENT:

AOT - Operations

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FEMA

GRANT PERIOD:

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AMOUNT/VALUE:

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DEPT. FINANCE AND MANAGEMENT:

SECRETARY OF ADMINISTRATION:

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Agency of Transportation **Maintenance Programs**

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To:

Neale Lunderville, Secretary of Administration

(Governor's Authorized Representative, FEMA PA Program)

via David Dill, Secretary of Transportation

From:

Alec Portalupi, State Public Assistance Officer, FEMA PA Program

Date:

August 29, 2008

Subject: FEMA 1784-DR-VT, July 18, 2008 Storm

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1. Date: 8/29/2008	· ·	
. Agency: Transportation	5. Type of Grant:	
. Department: Operations	[X] New [] Supplemental	
. Program: Public Assistance Program	[] Renewal [] Modification	
Legal Title of Grant: Disaster Assistance Grant	7. Federal Catalog No.: 97-036	,
FEMA-1784-DR-VT		
Grantor and Office/Address:	9. State Grant Administrator:	
Federal Emergency Management Agency	Agency of Transportation	
99 High Street	Operations Division	
Boston, MA 02109-4595		•
0. Grant Period: From: July 18, 2008	To: Completion	
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TOTAL

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Additional Information:

FEMA-1784-DR-VT July 18, 2008

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Caledonia	\$	- *	\$ -	\$	· -
Grand Isle	\$	366,201.00	\$ 274,650.75	\$ 1	2,231.11
Lamoille	\$	345,785.00	\$ 259,338.75	\$ 1	1,549.22
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533,989.50 = Total FEMA support to applicants 23,780.33 = Total Administrative support to State 557,769.83 = Total anticipated FEMA Support for PA

State Funds (ERAF): Est. Avg (13.5%) - Towns receive either 12.5% or 15% from ERAF

ERAF: \$ 96,118.11

Applicant Share:

81,878.39

Total (federal, state, & local): \$ 735,766.33

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Standard Form 424

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c. State		\$96118				
d. Local		\$ 81878				
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a. Name of Authorized Representative Norman Portalupi			b Title State Public Assistance Officer	c.Telephone Number 8028283889		

e Date Signed

8-27-08

d.Signature of Authorized Representative

DECLARED AUGUST 15, 2008

SUMMARY

In the event of a declaration, the following information applies:

STATE:

Vermont

NUMBER:

FEMA-1784-DR

INCIDENT:

Severe Storms, a Tornado, and Flooding

INCIDENT PERIOD:

July 18, 2008

DATE REQUESTED BY GOVERNOR:

August 4, 2008

FEDERAL COORDINATING OFFICER:

Philip E. Parr

National FCO Program

DESIGNATIONS AND TYPES OF ASSISTANCE:

<u>INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE</u> (Assistance to individuals and households):

None.

<u>PUBLIC ASSISTANCE</u> (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities):

Caledonia, Grand Isle, and Lamoille Counties.

<u>HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM</u> (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations for actions taken to prevent or reduce long term risk to life and property from natural hazards):

All counties in the State of Vermont are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

OTHER:

Additional designations may be made at a later date after further evaluation.

JAMES H. DOUGLAS Governor



State of Vermont OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

August 4, 2008

The Honorable George W. Bush President of the United States The White House Washington. D.C. 20500

Through:

Arthur W. Cleaves

Regional Administrator

FEMA Region I

Boston, Massachusetts 02110

Dear Mr. President:

Under the provisions of Section 401 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 5121-5206 (Stafford Act), and implemented by 44 CFR § 206.36, I request that you declare a major disaster for the State of Vermont as a result of a National Weather Service confirmed EF-1 tornado, severe thunderstorms and persistent heavy rains during the period of July 18, 2008 and ongoing resulting in wind damage and serious flooding impacting communities in all Vermont counties and that have saturated the ground over much of the central and north central portions of the State. This unusual series of weather events was caused by a stalled area of low pressure aloft and at the surface as frequent storm systems developed over the same area during a three week period of time. This repeated rainfall resulted in the wettest July on record in many areas of the State. The impacted area had only one day without rainfall since July 18, 2008 and the forecast indicates a continuation of similar storms. The Vermont counties impacted to the highest degree of qualifying damage are Caledonia, Grand Isle and Lamoille.

In response to the situation. I have taken appropriate action under State law and directed, through the Commissioner of the Vermont Department of Public Safety, the execution of the State Emergency Operations Plan on July 18, 2008 in accordance with Section 401 of the Stafford Act. In accordance with the State Emergency Operations Plan, the following agency support functions were activated: Department of Public Safety, Emergency Management Division and Vermont State Police, Agency of Transportation, Agency of Natural Resources, Agency of Human Services, Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets, Department of Health and the American Red Cross. The local jurisdiction of Isle La Motte requested an emergency declaration due to excessive tree blow-down and damage to their public road system restricting emergency vehicle access and causing wide spread power outages.

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The State of Vermont has a State Hazard Mitigation plan that was approved by FEMA in November of 2007. Approximately 85% of Vermont local jurisdictions have FEMA approved local mitigation plans. The remainder of the plans are in various stages of the approval process.

On July 30, 2008, I requested a joint Federal, State, and local survey of the damaged areas. Preliminary assessments by State and Local officials indicated the most severe impacts were to town and state roads that were covered with debris and water from the tornado, high winds, heavy rain and the resulting flash flooding.

I have determined that this incident is of such severity and magnitude that effective response is beyond the capabilities of the State and the affected local governments and that supplementary Federal assistance is necessary. I am specifically requesting Federal assistance utilizing the following federal programs: Public Assistance for the counties of Caledonia, Grand Isle and Lamoille, Vermont. The State of Vermont also requests that the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (Section 404), be available Statewide.

Preliminary estimates of the types and amount of assistance needed under the Stafford Act as a result of a Joint Preliminary Damage Assessment are tabulated in Enclosure A.

The following information is furnished on the nature and amount of State and local resources that have been or will be used to alleviate the conditions of this disaster. The following state agencies were directed to provide immediate assistance as a result of severe flooding: Vermont Emergency Management Division, State Agency of Transportation, Vermont State Police, Vermont Department of Health, Agency of Human Services, Agency of Natural Resources, Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets, State and Local Community Emergency Response Teams and the American Red Cross. Town and State road crews worked for several days to repair the damage and clear debris to allow residents who had been cut off to access their homes once again and to clear routes for emergency vehicles. The Vermont Electric Cooperative, a publicly-owned utility, worked equally hard in cooperation with debris clearing crews to restore power to more than 20,000 homes. A Red Cross shelter was established at the Eden Middle School to accommodate 150 Boy Scouts and staff due to an emergency evacuation of their camp. Most notably, due to the length of the storm period, public safety, public works and utility personnel worked shifts that in some cases stretched over several hours with few opportunities for rest. I am proud to report that due largely to their efforts, not a single life was lost or serious injury sustained during or after the storm.

In addition to the 20,000 households that were without power for a period of time ranging from hours to days, over 100 homes were affected by these storms in other ways.

Honorable George W. Bush August 4, 2008 Page 3 of 3

I certify that for this major disaster, the State and local governments will assume all applicable non-Federal share of costs required by the Stafford Act. Total expenditures are expected to exceed \$285,896.00.

I have designated Barbara Farr, Director of Vermont Emergency Management as the State Coordinating Officer for this request. Ms. Farr will work with the Federal Emergency Management Agency in damage assessments and may provide further information or justification on my behalf.

Sincerely,

James H. Douglas

Governor

JHD/msy

County Rollup without Federal Aid Highway

7/18/2008 - 7/25/2008 Strong Winds & Heavy Rain (PDA)

County	Debris Removal	Protective Measures	Roads and Bridges	Water Control Fucilities	Buildings and Equipment	Utilities	Parks, Recreation	Total	Total Per Capita
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GRAND ISLE	\$138,541.00		\$10,660.00			\$217,000.00		\$366,201.00	\$53.06
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STATE OF VERMONT GRANT ACCEPTANCE FORM

TFO # 2337

DATE: September 8, 2008

DEPARTMENT:

AOT - Operations

GRANT/DONATION (brief description and purpose):

FEMA Disaster Assistance Grant FEMA-1784-VT Caledonia, Grand Isle, Lamoille. Statewide for Hazard Mitigation only.

GRANTOR/DONOR:

FEMA

GRANT PERIOD:

N/A

AMOUNT/VALUE:

\$557,769.73

POSITIONS REQUESTED (LIMITED SERVICE):

ANY ON-GOING, LONG-TERM COSTS TO THE STATE:

None

COMMENTS:

State match of \$96,118.11 will be needed. (ERAF).

Total Federal funds is \$\$533,989.50 (75% of current damage estimate plus \$23,780.33 administrative.

DEPT. FINANCE AND MANAGEMENT: SECRETARY OF ADMINISTRATION: SENT TO JOINT FISCAL OFFICE:

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JOINT FISCAL OFFICE



State of Vermont **Operations Division** One National Life Drive Montpelier, VT 05633-5001 sam.lewis@state.vt.us

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Agency of Transportation **Maintenance Programs**

[phone] 802-828-2709 [fax] 802-828-2848 [ttd] 800-253-0191

To:

Neale Lunderville, Secretary of Administration

(Governor's Authorized Representative, FEMA PA Program)

via David Dill, Secretary of Transportation

From:

Alec Portalupi, State Public Assistance Officer, FEMA PA Program

Date:

August 29, 2008

Subject: FEMA 1784-DR-VT, July 18, 2008 Storm

We are requesting your approval and signature on the attached documents for the State to apply for and receive federal assistance under the subject federal disaster declaration.

If you have any questions about these documents or need additional information, please contact Alec Portalupi at 828-3889. Thank you.

Attachments

Standard Form 424 State of Vermont Form AA-1 Various Correspondence between State and FEMA Region 1



FORM AA-1

1.	Date: 8/29/2008		and the second second
2.,	Agency: Transportation	5. Type of Grant:	
3.	Department: Operations	[X] New [] Supplemental	
4.	Program: Public Assistance Program	[] Renewal [] Modification	
6.	Legal Title of Grant: Disaster Assistance Grant	7. Federal Catalog No.: 97-036	,
	FEMA-1784-DR-VT	•	
8.	Grantor and Office/Address:	9. State Grant Administrator:	
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	Boston, MA 02109-4595		
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FORM AA-1

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Additional Information:

FEMA-1784-DR-VT July 18, 2008

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Caledonia	\$		\$	-	\$	-
Grand Isle	\$	366,201.00	\$	274,650.75	\$ 12,2	231.11
Lamoille	\$	345,785.00	\$	259,338.75	\$ 11,5	49.22
	\$	711,986.00	\$	533,989.50	\$ 23,7	780.33

\$ 533,989.50 = Total FEMA support to applicants \$ 23,780.33 = Total Administrative support to State \$ 557,769.83 = Total anticipated FEMA Support for PA

State Funds (ERAF): Est. Avg (13.5%) - Towns receive either 12.5% or 15% from ERAF

ERAF: \$ 96,118.11

Applicant Share:

\$ 81,878.39

Total (federal, state, & local): \$ 735,766.33

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Standard Form 424

Disaster Number: 1784		Grant Progra	am: PA			
Applicant Name: VERMONT	AGENCY OF TRANSPOR	RTATION / Application)	Number: <u>PA-01-VT-1784</u>			
Performance Start Date: 15-AUG-08	3	Performance End Date:				
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1.TYPE OF SUBMISSION Application	Pre-Application	2.DATE SUBMITTED 08-27-2008	Applicant Identifier 000-U7DZQ-00			
N/A	N/A		State Application Identifier N/A			
		4. DATE RECEIVED BY FEDERAL AGENCY N/A	Federal Identifier			
5. APPLICANT INFORMATION						
Legal Name VERMONT AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION /		Organizational Unit Department: Vermont Agency of Transpo	ortation			
Organizational DUNS 809376296-		Division: Operations				
Address Street: One National Life Drive			on to be contacted on matters involving Name: Norman			
City: Montpelier County: Washington State: VT Zip Code: 05633 - 5001 Country: United States of America			lumber: 128-2848			
6. FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBE 03-6000274	R (EIN)	7. TYPE OF APPLICANT State Government				
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12. AREAS AFFECTED BY PROJECT (cities, countie Caledonia, Grand Isle, Lamoille, Statewide	s, states, etc.)					
13. PROPOSED PROJECT: Start Date: End Date:	·	14. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF: a. Applicant b. Project				
15. ESTIMATED FUNDING						
a. Federal	\$557770	16. IS APPLICATION SUBJECT TO REV	IEW BY STATE EXECUTIVE ORDER			
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c. State	\$96118					
d. Local	\$ 81878					
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f. Program Income	\$ 0	N/A	•			
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18. TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIE DULY AUTHORIZED BY GOVERNING BODY OF TH	F, ALL DATA IN THE	IIS APPLICATION ARE TRUE AND COR THE APPLICANT WILL COMPLY WITH	RECT, THE DOCUMENT HAS BEEN THE ATTACHED ASSURANCES IF THE			

b.Title

e.Date Signed

State Public Assistance Officer

ASSISTANCE IS REQUIRED.

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a. Name of Authorized Representative

c.Telephone Number

8028283889

DECLARED AUGUST 15, 2008

SUMMARY

In the event of a declaration, the following information applies:

STATE:

Vermont

NUMBER:

FEMA-1784-DR

INCIDENT:

Severe Storms, a Tornado, and Flooding

INCIDENT PERIOD:

July 18, 2008

DATE REQUESTED BY GOVERNOR:

August 4, 2008

FEDERAL COORDINATING OFFICER:

Philip E. Parr

National FCO Program

DESIGNATIONS AND TYPES OF ASSISTANCE:

<u>INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE</u> (Assistance to individuals and households):

None.

<u>PUBLIC ASSISTANCE</u> (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities):

Caledonia, Grand Isle, and Lamoille Counties.

<u>HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM</u> (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations for actions taken to prevent or reduce long term risk to life and property from natural hazards):

All counties in the State of Vermont are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

OTHER:

Additional designations may be made at a later date after further evaluation.

JAMES H. DOUGLAS Governor



State of Vermont OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

August 4, 2008

The Honorable George W. Bush President of the United States The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Through:

Arthur W. Cleaves

Regional Administrator

FEMA Region I

Boston, Massachusetts 02110

Dear Mr. President:

Under the provisions of Section 401 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 5121-5206 (Stafford Act), and implemented by 44 CFR § 206.36, I request that you declare a major disaster for the State of Vermont as a result of a National Weather Service confirmed EF-1 tornado, severe thunderstorms and persistent heavy rains during the period of July 18, 2008 and ongoing resulting in wind damage and serious flooding impacting communities in all Vermont counties and that have saturated the ground over much of the central and north central portions of the State. This unusual series of weather events was caused by a stalled area of low pressure aloft and at the surface as frequent storm systems developed over the same area during a three week period of time. This repeated rainfall resulted in the wettest July on record in many areas of the State. The impacted area had only one day without rainfall since July 18, 2008 and the forecast indicates a continuation of similar storms. The Vermont counties impacted to the highest degree of qualifying damage are Caledonia, Grand Isle and Lamoille.

In response to the situation, I have taken appropriate action under State law and directed, through the Commissioner of the Vermont Department of Public Safety, the execution of the State Emergency Operations Plan on July 18, 2008 in accordance with Section 401 of the Stafford Act. In accordance with the State Emergency Operations Plan, the following agency support functions were activated: Department of Public Safety, Emergency Management Division and Vermont State Police, Agency of Transportation. Agency of Natural Resources, Agency of Human Services, Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets, Department of Health and the American Red Cross. The local jurisdiction of Isle La Motte requested an emergency declaration due to excessive tree blow-down and damage to their public road system restricting emergency vehicle access and causing wide spread power outages.

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The State of Vermont has a State Hazard Mitigation plan that was approved by FEMA in November of 2007. Approximately 85% of Vermont local jurisdictions have FEMA approved local mitigation plans. The remainder of the plans are in various stages of the approval process.

On July 30, 2008, I requested a joint Federal, State, and local survey of the damaged areas. Preliminary assessments by State and Local officials indicated the most severe impacts were to town and state roads that were covered with debris and water from the tornado, high winds, heavy rain and the resulting flash flooding.

I have determined that this incident is of such severity and magnitude that effective response is beyond the capabilities of the State and the affected local governments and that supplementary Federal assistance is necessary. I am specifically requesting Federal assistance utilizing the following federal programs: Public Assistance for the counties of Caledonia, Grand Isle and Lamoille, Vermont. The State of Vermont also requests that the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (Section 404), be available Statewide.

Preliminary estimates of the types and amount of assistance needed under the Stafford Act as a result of a Joint Preliminary Damage Assessment are tabulated in Enclosure A.

The following information is furnished on the nature and amount of State and local resources that have been or will be used to alleviate the conditions of this disaster. The following state agencies were directed to provide immediate assistance as a result of severe flooding: Vermont Emergency Management Division, State Agency of Transportation, Vermont State Police, Vermont Department of Health, Agency of Human Services, Agency of Natural Resources, Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets, State and Local Community Emergency Response Teams and the American Red Cross. Town and State road crews worked for several days to repair the damage and clear debris to allow residents who had been cut off to access their homes once again and to clear routes for emergency vehicles. The Vermont Electric Cooperative, a publicly-owned utility, worked equally hard in cooperation with debris clearing crews to restore power to more than 20,000 homes. A Red Cross shelter was established at the Eden Middle School to accommodate 150 Boy Scouts and staff due to an emergency evacuation of their camp. Most notably, due to the length of the storm period, public safety, public works and utility personnel worked shifts that in some cases stretched over several hours with few opportunities for rest. I am proud to report that due largely to their efforts, not a single life was lost or serious injury sustained during or after the storm.

In addition to the 20,000 households that were without power for a period of time ranging from hours to days, over 100 homes were affected by these storms in other ways.

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I certify that for this major disaster, the State and local governments will assume all applicable non-Federal share of costs required by the Stafford Act. Total expenditures are expected to exceed \$285,896.00.

I have designated Barbara Farr, Director of Vermont Emergency Management as the State Coordinating Officer for this request. Ms. Farr will work with the Federal Emergency Management Agency in damage assessments and may provide further information or justification on my behalf.

Sincerely,

James H. Douglas

Governor

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County Rollup without Federal Aid Highway

7/18/2008 - 7/25/2008 Strong Winds & Heavy Rain (PDA)

County	Debris Removal	Protective Measures	Roads and Bridges	Water Control Facilities	Buildings and Equipment	Utilities	Parks, Recreation	Total	Total Per Capita
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