



FEMA UPDATE

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FEMA40
FORTY YEARS OF NATIONAL SERVICE



+3,000 emergency, fire and major disaster declarations throughout our nation.

+\$69 billion

in flood insurance payments

+\$100 billion

in infrastructure repairs,
debris removal and protective
measures



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\$50 billion

to disaster survivors for immediate
needs after disasters

+\$13.6 billion

Hazard Mitigation Grants to reduce
the loss of life and property due to
natural disasters

Transformational changes for all levels of emergency management.

- 50+ provisions
- More \$\$ for management costs
- More \$\$ for mitigation measures
- Greater flexibility

Disaster Recovery Reform Act



I. BUILD A CULTURE OF PREPAREDNESS



1.1 Incentivize investments that reduce risk, including pre-disaster mitigation, and reduce disaster costs at all levels



1.2 Close the insurance gap



1.3 Help people prepare for disasters



1.4 Better learn from past disasters, improve continuously, and innovate

II. READY THE NATION FOR CATASTROPHIC DISASTERS



2.1 Organize the “BEST” (Build, Empower, Sustain, and Train) scalable and capable incident workforce



2.2 Enhance intergovernmental coordination through FEMA Integration Teams



2.3 Posture FEMA and the whole community to provide life-saving and life-sustaining commodities, equipment, and personnel from all available sources



2.4 Improve continuity and resilient communications capabilities

III. REDUCE THE COMPLEXITY OF FEMA



3.1 Streamline the disaster survivor and grantee experience



3.2 Mature the National Disaster Recovery Framework



3.3 Develop innovative systems and business processes that enable FEMA’s employees to rapidly and effectively deliver the agency’s mission



3.4 Strengthen grants management, increase transparency, and improve data analytics

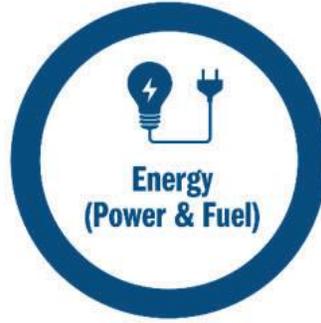
FEMA Vision:
A prepared and resilient Nation.



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Community Lifelines

Essential Connections Within the Emergency Support Functions



Lifelines function as vital cross-sector coordination nodes that effectively stabilize a community after a disaster.



Building Resilient Communities

Since 9/11, FEMA Preparedness Grant Programs have provided:



\$50 billion

in non-disaster preparedness
grant funding



\$1.8 billion

in training grants and programs
administered via partners



Future grants

- Regional catastrophic preparedness grant
- Building resilient infrastructure & communities



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