PUBLIC ASSISTANCE DR-4708 DECLARATION INFORMATION BULLETIN #1 - 5/4/23

On April 27th, 2023, the President approved Nevada's Major Disaster Declaration for areas affected by the severe winter storms, flooding, landslides, and mudslides March 8-19th. Public Assistance federal funding is available to state, tribal, and eligible local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations on a cost-sharing (75/25) basis for emergency work and repair/replacement of damaged facilities.

This funding is limited to Douglas, Eureka, Lincoln, Lyon, Mineral, and Storey counties.

What do I need to do?

- Document, document, and document. Ensure you are involving the fiscal section of your organization. Provide them with the appropriate forms and documents to ensure the correct information is collected. Use the Public Assistance forms <u>here</u> to track force account (FA) equipment, FA labor, materials, and contract costs.
- Ensure you are following the proper procurement rules for your agency, the state, and 2CFR.
 Additional training regarding procurement during a disaster will be provided as soon as possible.
 A bulletin will be sent out with the information.
- Review and reference the <u>FEMA Public Assistance Program and Policy Guide</u> (PAPPG). This document outlines the PA program including eligibility.
- Attend an Applicant Brief. High-level information regarding the program and deadlines will be provided during these calls. These will be provided virtually in four sessions. Additional information on when these will take place will be sent out via a bulletin as soon as possible.

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