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State of California Federal Disaster Declaration Fact Sheet

March 8, 2010

On March 8, 2010, President Obama issued a major disaster declaration for the State of California, triggering the release of Federal funds to help communities recover from the Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, and Debris and Mud Flows which occurred January 17, to February 6, 2010. Details of the disaster declaration and assistance programs are as follows:

Declaration Number: FEMA-1884-DR

Incident: Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, and Debris and Mud Flows

Incident Period: January 17, to February 6, 2010

Federal Coordinating Officer: Michael H. Smith
National FCO Program

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

Designated Counties: Calaveras, Imperial, Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Siskiyou Counties.

Hazard Mitigation: HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM: (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private non-profit organizations for actions taken to prevent or reduce long-term risk to life and property from natural hazards):

Designated Counties: All counties in the State of California 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.

If you have any questions or need additional information on this Federal disaster declaration, please contact Fritzmarie Rivette at (202) 646-4500, FAX number (202) 646-3600. ###