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State of Mississippi

Federal Disaster Declaration Fact Sheet

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On February 6, 2026, President Donald J. Trump granted a Major Disaster Declaration for the State of Mississippi triggering the release of federal funds to help communities recover from the Severe Winter Storm that occurred January 23-27, 2026. Details of the disaster declaration and assistance programs are as follows:

Declaration Number:	FEMA-4899-DR
Incident:	Severe Winter Storm
Incident Period:	January 23-27, 2026
Federal Coordinating Officer:	Brett H. Howard National FCO Program
Individual Assistance (IA):	(Assistance to individuals and households): Under Review.
Public Assistance (PA):	(Assistance for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities):
PA-Designated Areas:	Alcorn, Bolivar, Calhoun, Carroll, Grenada, Holmes, Humphreys, Issaquena, Leflore, Montgomery, Sharkey, Sunflower, Warren, Washington, Webster, and Yazoo Counties and the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians for all categories of Public

Assistance, including direct federal assistance.

Adams, Attala, Benton, Claiborne, Coahoma, DeSoto, Hinds, Jefferson, Lafayette, Lee, Marshall, Panola, Pontotoc, Prentiss, Quitman, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tippah, Tishomingo, Tunica, Union, and Yalobusha Counties for emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct federal assistance.

Hazard Mitigation (HM):

(Assistance for actions taken to prevent or reduce long term risk to life and property from natural hazards):

HM-Designated Areas:

Under Review.

OTHER:

Additional designations may be made at a later date if requested by the State and warranted by the results of further damage assessments.

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