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State of Mississippi

Federal Disaster Declaration Fact Sheet

August 3, 2026

On August 3, 2026, President Donald J. Trump granted a Major Disaster Declaration for the State of Mississippi triggering the release of federal funds to help people and communities recover from Tropical Storm Arthur that occurred June 18-20, 2026. Details of the disaster declaration and assistance programs are as follows:

Declaration Number:	FEMA-4930-DR
Incident:	Tropical Storm Arthur
Incident Period:	June 18-20, 2026
Federal Coordinating Officer:	E. Craig Levy, Sr. National FCO Program
Individual Assistance (IA):	(Assistance to individuals and households):
IA-Designated Counties:	Hancock, Harrison, Pearl River, and Stone Counties.
Public Assistance (PA):	(Assistance for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities):
PA-Designated Counties:	Covington, George, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Pearl River, Stone, and Wayne Counties.
Hazard Mitigation (HM):	(Assistance for actions taken to prevent or reduce long term

risk to life and property from natural hazards):

HM-Designated Counties:

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.

Individuals in Hancock, Harrison, Pearl River, and Stone Counties can apply with FEMA the following ways:

- Apply online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov.
- Constituents may call the application phone number at 1-800-621-3362 (TTY: 800-462-7585).

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