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STATE OF VERMONT

FEDERAL DISASTER DECLARATION FACT SHEET

SEPTEMBER 15, 2011

On September 1, 2011, President Obama issued a major disaster declaration for the State of Vermont, triggering the release of Federal funds to help individuals and communities recover from the effects of Tropical Storm Irene, occurring August 27, 2011, to September 2, 2011. **This disaster declaration has been amended as indicated below in bold.** Details of the disaster declaration and assistance programs are as follows:

Declaration Number: FEMA-4022-DR

Incident: Tropical Storm Irene

Incident Period: August 27, 2011, to September 2, 2011

Federal Coordinating Officer: Craig A. Gilbert
National FCO Program

Individual Assistance (IA): (Assistance to individuals and households):

IA - Designated Counties: Addison, Bennington, Caledonia, Chittenden, **Franklin, Lamoille, Orange, Orleans, Rutland, Washington, Windham,** and Windsor Counties.

Public Assistance (PA): (Assistance for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities):

PA - Designated Counties: Addison, Bennington, Caledonia, Chittenden, Essex, Franklin, Grand Isle, Lamoille, Orange, Orleans, Rutland, Washington, Windham, and Windsor Counties. Direct federal assistance is authorized.

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

HM - Designated Counties: All counties in the State of Vermont are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

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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