

Michigan Disaster Recovery

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STATEWIDE INDIVIDUAL RECOVERY

Reported as of July 31, 2026

- **\$11.3M** in **FEMA Individual Assistance** for nearly **1,600** households.
- More than **\$5.3M** has been paid out to **National Flood Insurance Program** policyholders.
- Nearly **\$1.5M** in **U.S. Small Business Administration low-interest disaster loans** to individuals and businesses.



KEY REMINDERS

- **Less than 30 days to apply.** If you are insured, file an insurance claim first then apply for FEMA assistance for unmet needs. Remember: FEMA needs a copy of your insurance settlement or denial before your application can be considered. The application deadline is **August 31, 2026**.
- **After applying, a FEMA inspector will typically contact you.** They will reach out by phone or text to schedule an appointment. Sharing an inspector's contact information with neighbors and friends won't speed up their process and may cause a delay. If you have questions about an inspection's status, call the FEMA Helpline at **800-621-3362**.
- **Private roads or bridges damaged by the disaster?** If you have a privately-owned road or bridge damaged or destroyed by the April severe storms, tornadoes and flooding, and it's the only access to your home, report that damage when you apply for assistance. An inspector will assess whether repairs are necessary, and FEMA staff will work with you to determine your eligibility for this assistance.
- **Funds to make your home stronger against future disasters.** FEMA may provide money for specific measures to help eligible homeowners repair or rebuild stronger, more durable homes. If you apply for FEMA assistance and meet the eligibility requirements, you'll receive additional grant funds for these efforts. Learn more on FEMA's fact sheet [Hazard Mitigation Under the Individuals and Households Program](#).
- **If you have already made repairs, FEMA may still be able to assist you.** If you need financial help to recover, but your home repairs are complete or underway, you may still apply for FEMA assistance. Photographs, receipts and other documentation can demonstrate disaster-related costs or essential needs to move your application forward.

HOW TO APPLY AND RECEIVE IN-PERSON SUPPORT

Apply in one of three ways:

1. Online at DisasterAssistance.gov.
2. Call 800-621-3362. If you use video relay service, captioned telephone service or others, give FEMA your number for that service.
3. Visit a Michigan Disaster Recovery Center (MI DRC).

Even if you were visited by a FEMA assessment team in May, you must still apply for federal assistance.

APPLICATION DEADLINE
AUGUST 31, 2026

Michigan Disaster Recovery Centers (MI DRCs) are open in the affected communities to provide in-person support. Find a center near you:

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