



February 22, 2017

Mr. Jim Whiteaker, Chairperson  
Sutter County Board of Supervisors  
1160 Civic Center Boulevard, Suite A  
Yuba City, California 95993

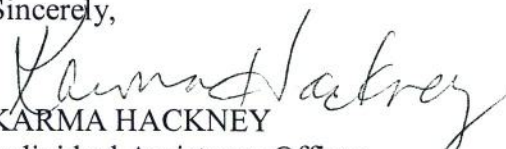
Subject: U.S. Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency Emergency Loan Program

Dear Chairperson Whiteaker:

On February 14, 2017, President Donald J. Trump declared a major disaster declaration (FEMA-4301-DR) due to Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, and Mudslides that occurred January 3-12, 2017. As a result, the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency Emergency Loan Program has been made available for the primary counties of **Alameda, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Humboldt, Inyo, Lake, Lassen, Marin, Mendocino, Merced, Mono, Monterey, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Benito, San Luis Obispo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tuolumne, Yolo, and Yuba** and the contiguous counties of **Alpine, Colusa, Del Norte, Fresno, Glenn, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Modoc, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Barbara, Stanislaus, Tehama, and Tulare** for both physical and crop production losses.

The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) is providing the enclosed information regarding this designation. Please inform potential applicants throughout your county of this designation and information.

Sincerely,

  
KARMA HACKNEY  
Individual Assistance Officer

Enclosure

c: Sutter County Office of Emergency Services  
Sutter County Agricultural Commissioner  
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**U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)  
USDA #M4301 – Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, and Mudslides**

**Declaration  
Information**

The following table illustrates the declaration information.

<b>Eligible Primary County/Counties or Land(s):</b>	Alameda, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Humboldt, Inyo, Lake, Lassen, Marin, Mendocino, Merced, Mono, Monterey, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Benito, San Luis Obispo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tuolumne, Yolo, Yuba
<b>Eligible Contiguous County/Counties:</b>	Alpine, Colusa, Del Norte, Fresno, Glenn, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Modoc, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Barbara, Stanislaus, Tehama, Tulare
<b>Event:</b>	February 14, 2017, major disaster declaration (FEMA-4301-DR) as a result of Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, and Mudslides that occurred January 3-12, 2017.
<b>Assistance made available by designation:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency farm loans for both physical and crop production losses as a direct result of the disaster</li> <li>• Up to a maximum of \$500,000</li> </ul>
<b>Application deadline:</b>	<b>October 16, 2017</b>
<b>Who may apply:</b>	Farmers and ranchers who conduct family-sized farming operations
<b>How to apply:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contact local Farm Service Agency (FSA) office listed in the local telephone directory under U.S. Government, Agriculture</li> <li>• Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) should contact USDA's TARGET Center at 202-720-2600 (voice and TDD)</li> </ul>
<b>USDA website for additional information:</b>	<a href="https://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/webapp?area=home&amp;subject=fmlp&amp;topic=efl">https://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/webapp?area=home&amp;subject=fmlp&amp;topic=efl</a>