



FEMA

APR 23 2026

The Honorable Tina Kotek
Governor of Oregon
254 State Capitol
Salem, Oregon 97301-4047

Dear Governor Kotek:

This is in response to your February 19, 2026, request for a major disaster declaration for the State of Oregon as a result of severe storms, straight-line winds, flooding, landslides, and mudslides during the period of December 15-21, 2025. You specifically requested Public Assistance for nine counties and Hazard Mitigation statewide.

The April 7, 2026, major disaster declaration FEMA-4907-DR authorized Public Assistance for Clackamas, Hood River, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Polk, Tillamook, Union, and Yamhill Counties. The damage to the infrastructure was significant in the counties designated for Public Assistance; however, it has been determined that the designation of the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program is not warranted. Therefore, your request for Hazard Mitigation statewide under FEMA-4907-DR is denied.

This denial may be appealed within 30 days after the date of this letter. The appeal, along with additional information justifying the appeal, should be submitted to the President through Vincent J. Maykovich, Acting Regional Administrator, FEMA Region X, located at 130 228th Street, Bothell, Washington 98021-8627.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gregg Phillips".

Gregg Phillips
Associate Administrator
Office of Response and Recovery