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## **USDA Announces Availability of Low-Interest Physical Loss Loans for Producers Affected by Excessive Rain and High Winds**

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Physical loss loans through the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) can help producers repair or replace damaged or destroyed physical property essential to the success of the agricultural operation, including livestock losses. Examples of property commonly affected include essential farm buildings, fixtures to real estate, equipment, livestock, perennial crops, fruit and nut bearing trees, and harvested or stored crops and hay.

**Impacted Area:** New Jersey

**Triggering Disaster:** Excessive Rain and High Winds that occurred July 16, 2024, through July 17, 2024.

**Application Deadline:** 5/27/2025

**Primary Counties Eligible:** Hunterdon, Somerset.

**Contiguous Counties Also Eligible:**

**New Jersey:** Mercer, Middlesex, Morris, Union, Warren.

**Pennsylvania:** Bucks.

### **More Resources**

On farmers.gov, the [Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool](#), [Disaster Assistance-at-a-Glance fact sheet](#), and [Loan Assistance Tool](#) can help you determine program or loan options. To file a Notice of Loss or to ask questions about available programs, contact your local [USDA Service Center](#).

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