



Rural
Assistance
Authority

DISASTER RELIEF RECOVERY GRANTS

December 2010 Flood Event

Purpose

To provide grants to primary producers and small businesses who have suffered direct damage as a result of the **November/December 2010 and January 2011 floods in the following areas:**

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| • Armidale-Dumaresq | • Glen Innes-Severn | • Orange |
| • Ballina | • Goulburn-Mulwaree | • Palerang |
| • Balranald | • Greater Hume | • Parkes |
| • Bathurst | • Griffith | • Queanbeyan |
| • Bellingen | • Gundagai | • Richmond Valley |
| • Berrigan | • Gunnedah | • Snowy River |
| • Blayney | • Guyra | • Tamworth |
| • Bogan | • Gwydir | • Tenterfield |
| • Boorowa | • Harden | • Tumbarumba |
| • Bourke | • Hay | • Tumut |
| • Brewarrina | • Inverell | • Tweed |
| • Byron | • Jerilderie | • Unincorporated Area |
| • Cabonne | • Junee | • Upper Hunter |
| • Carrathool | • Kyogle | • Upper Lachlan |
| • Central Darling | • Lachlan | • Urana |
| • Clarence Valley | • Leeton | • Wagga Wagga |
| • Cobar | • Lismore | • Walgett |
| • Conargo | • Lithgow | • Wakool |
| • Coolamon | • Liverpool Plains | • Warren |
| • Cooma-Monaro | • Mid Western Region | • Warrumbungle |
| • Coonamble | • Moree Plains | • Weddin |
| • Cootamundra | • Murray | • Wellington |
| • Corowa | • Murrumbidgee | • Wentworth |
| • Cowra | • Muswellbrook | • Yass |
| • Dubbo | • Narrabri | • Young |
| • Forbes | • Narrandera | |
| • Gilgandra | • Narromine | |

for clean-up, removal of debris, disposal of dead livestock, assist with repairs and resumption of trading, and further restoration.

Assistance

- Grants of up to \$15,000 per enterprise are available to eligible applicants.
- Eligibility requirement that majority of total gross income must be derived from the farming, or small business, enterprise.
- Provide tax invoices or quote dated after **26 November 2010** for damages incurred.
- Grants are subject to other eligibility criteria and applications must be lodged with the NSW Rural Assistance Authority by **30 June 2011**.

What is NOT covered

- Damage to dwellings
- Loss of income from destroyed crops
- Damages covered by insurance
- Your own labour costs

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Should you have any further queries about obtaining assistance through the Natural Disaster Relief Scheme please do not hesitate to contact the NSW Rural Assistance Authority on 02 6391 3000 or toll free on 1800 678 593.

Information on schemes of assistance should be read in conjunction with the information brochures and application forms, which provide the complete eligibility criteria.

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