

## WEATHER-IMPACTED SMALL PRODUCER RELIEF

Ventura County Resource Conservation District (VCRCD) has **funding to support agricultural operations impacted by extreme weather events!** Extreme weather events include but are not limited to heat waves, freezes, flooding, heavy downpours, wildfires, and severe windstorms.

Eligible small and medium scale California agricultural producers can apply for up to \$20,000 in relief funds for extreme weather events from 2017 onwards. Learn more about this grant's eligibility and application on VCRCD's website.

Application assistance is FREE!



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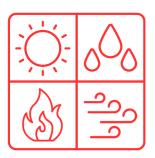
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### Allowable Expenses/Losses under CUSP Extreme Weather Relief Direct Producer Grant Program

- Infrastructure Damage/Loss,
- Equipment Damage/Loss,
- Soil erosion/mud or water damage and/or clean up/debris removal.
- Purchase or rental of flood control equipment,
- Replacement of livestock feed, fertilizer, or other farm inputs or soil inputs (including compost and cover crop),
- Livestock mortality/beehive loss/livestock veterinary expenses or transportation/moving costs,
- Water/soil testing to ensure food safety compliance after flood events,
- Crop Loss/Replacement: Annual vegetable production, perennial crops, nursery stock and cover crops,
- Land Tenure: Additional costs incurred or land lease payments unable to be paid after extreme weather event, or if farmer/rancher needed to move operation to new location,
- and more.

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