

GEORGIA HURRICANE HELENE BLOCK GRANT

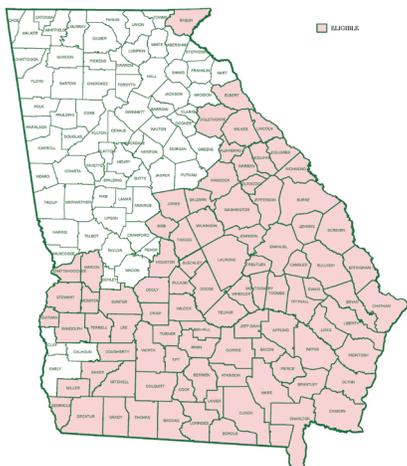
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BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM
ELIGIBLE COUNTIES



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Applications open
March 16, 2026 for a
period of six weeks.

Applications close
April 27, 2026 at midnight.

COMPENSATION

Applications that are
approved will receive
payments after signup ends.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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summary of application
questions and required
documentation.

SUMMARY OF APPLICATION QUESTIONS & REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION TIMBER



- Did you suffer at least a 15% production loss on at least 10 contiguous private forested acres?
- Are you applying as an:
 - Individual
 - General Partnership
 - Joint Venture
 - Sole Proprietorship
 - Corporation
 - Limited Partnership
 - Limited Liability Company
 - Revocable/Living Trust
 - Irrevocable Trust
 - Estate
 - Charitable/Tax Exempt Organization

Note: entities are required to list the member names and shares

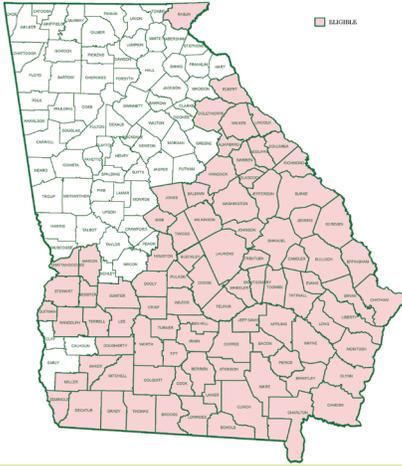
- What is your name or the name of your operation?
- What is your Tax Identification Number?
- What is your Gate Card Number?
- What is the physical location of the farm? (both)
 - Address
 - Latitude and Longitude
- What is your USDA Farm Number?
- How do you have possession of this farm?
 - Ownership
 - Lease Contract
- How do I prove my interest in the farm suffering a loss?
 - 2024 Tax Assessment
 - Deed
 - Lease Contract

How do I find the Latitude and Longitude of the parcels suffering a loss?

1. Go to google.com/maps
2. On the "Search Google Maps" line, type the address of the disaster affected property OR select the property on the map.
3. Right click on the location of the property
4. An information box will display the latitude and longitude.



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PROOF OF LOSS DOCUMENTATION EXAMPLES TIMBER

- What must I report in order to assess my loss?
 - Total acres in each parcel
 - Total damaged acres in each parcel
 - Value of salvaged timber (If applicable)
 - Age of stand or product class (pre-merchantable, pulpwood, sawtimber, etc...)

Comprehensive Report

- Pre-Hurricane Value (As of 09/24/2024)
- Post Hurricane Value (As of 09/29/2024)

3rd Party Report

- Forest Type (pine, hardwood, mixed pine/hardwood)
- Total acres of each Forest Type
- Damage percent to each Forest Type

- What documentation do I need to prove loss of timber?
 - IRS 4684 Casualty Loss Form (Comprehensive)
 - HBG-01 Third Party Certification of Timber Damage Form (3rd Party)
 - Timber/stump cruise documentation with volume and loss estimation (Comprehensive)
 - Timber harvest notification number required for salvage operations.
 - Block grant timber stand worksheet (3rd Party)
 - Aerial Imagery or clear Photographs of the damaged timber
 - Other Documents you believe would assist in assessing your loss

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