



FEMA

AUG 20 2018

The Honorable Roy Cooper  
Governor of North Carolina  
State Capitol  
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-0301

Dear Governor Cooper:

This is in response to your July 30, 2018, request for a major disaster declaration for the State of North Carolina as a result of severe storms, flooding, landslides, and mudslides during the period of May 15-31, 2018. You specifically requested Individual Assistance for 10 counties, Public Assistance for 13 counties, and Hazard Mitigation statewide.

Based on our review of all of the information available, it has been determined that the damage identified in your request resulted from separate and distinct events, none of which were of the severity and magnitude as to be beyond the capabilities of the State and affected local governments. Accordingly, we have determined that supplemental federal assistance is not necessary. Therefore, I must inform you that your request for a major disaster declaration is denied.

This denial may be appealed within 30 days after the date of this letter. Any appeal pursuant to 44 CFR § 206.46, along with additional information justifying the appeal, should be submitted to the President through Gracia B. Szczech, Regional Administrator, FEMA Region IV, located at 3003 Chamblee-Tucker Road, Atlanta, Georgia 30341.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "B. Long", written over a horizontal line.

Brock Long  
Administrator