

ATTENTION TO Those Impacted by the December 8-12, 2014 Major Flooding

Those impacted by the recent flooding event may be eligible for financial support under British Columbia's Disaster Financial Assistance Program.

Assistance is available to qualifying homeowners, residential tenants (renters), small business owners, farm owners, charitable organizations and local government bodies that incurred more than \$1,000 of uninsurable damage during the period December 8-12, 2014, and that are situated within the geographic boundaries of:

Lower Mainland:

Delta, City of
Douglas First Nation
Fraser Valley Regional District
Gibsons, Town of
Lions Bay, Village of
Mount Currie Nation
North Vancouver, City of
North Vancouver, District of
Pemberton, Village of
Richmond, City of
Samahquam First Nation
Sechelt, District of
Skatin First Nation
Squamish Lillooet Regional District
Squamish, District of
Sunshine Coast Regional District
West Vancouver, District of
Whistler, Resort Community of

Vancouver Island:

Alberni Clayoquot Regional District
Campbell River, City of
Comox Valley Regional District (Areas A,B,C)
Comox, Town of
Courtenay, City of
Cumberland, Village of
Hupacasath First Nation
Ladysmith, Town of
Nanaimo Regional District (All Areas)
Nanaimo, City of
Parksville, City of
Port Alberni, City of
Powell River Regional District (Areas A,B,C)
Powell River, City of
Qualicum Beach, Town of
Snuneymuxw First Nation
Strathcona Regional District (Areas A,D)
Tsehaht First Nation

Insurable damages, such as sewer or sump pit back-up, water entry from above ground including roofs, windows or other areas of the building that are not at ground level, are not eligible for DFA.

Assistance is limited to providing 80 percent of allowable items that are considered essential to a home, livelihood or charitable service, for the portion of the claim that exceeds \$1,000.

To apply for financial assistance, individuals must complete and return an Application for Disaster Financial Assistance. Application forms are available from the Emergency Management BC web site at: http://www.embc.gov.bc.ca/em/dfa_claims/dfa.html, Government Agent offices, most local government offices, Emergency Management BC regional offices, or by e-mailing the EMBC Recovery Office in Victoria at DFA@gov.bc.ca or calling toll-free at 1-888-257-4777.

**Applications should be submitted as soon as possible but no later than
March 12, 2015 by fax (250-952-5542), by e-mail (DFA@gov.bc.ca), or by mail:
Ministry of Justice, Emergency Management BC, PO Box 9201
Stn Prov Govt, Victoria, B.C. V8W 9J1.**



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