## **Emergency Assistance under PL 84-99**

## Based on ER 11-1-320, 01 Nov 09

CATEGORY	FEATURE	CLASS	TYPE OF ASSISTANCE	CRITERIA AND COMMENTS
DISASTER PREPAREDNESS CLASS 100	All Hazard Planning Activities	110	<ul> <li>Preparation of plans and Standard Operating Procedures for quick and effective response to emergencies.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Division and district disaster preparedness programs are funded annually according to organizational requirements and funding parameters.</li> </ul>
	All Hazard Training and Exercise	120	• Development of and participation in, exercises and training in the inter- and intra-agency arena.	<ul> <li>Training and exercises for emergency operations for which division and/or district personnel are participating.</li> </ul>
	Equipment, Facilities, Supplies	130	• Acquisition, rent, utilities and purchases necessary for a fully functional Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and alternate EOC.	<ul> <li>The costs associated with this expense are shared with Operation and Maintenance Gen, Class 530.</li> <li>Facilities are to be to USACE standards.</li> </ul>
	National or Regional Centers of Expertise	140	Support by the Readiness/Emergency Management National or Regional Centers of Expertise.	<ul> <li>Support must be determined by USACE Headquarters.</li> <li>Funds Readiness Support Center.</li> </ul>
EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CLASS 200	Response Operations	210	<ul> <li>EOC Operations, to include field representatives and liaisons in support of emergency activities (All hazard)</li> <li>Technical assistance (All hazard)</li> <li>Rescue operations (All hazard)</li> <li>Floodfight Operations:         <ul> <li>Loan of flood fight materials and equipment</li> <li>Emergency contracting</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Commander must declare emergency.</li> <li>USACE assistance is supplemental to state and local efforts.</li> <li>No assistance to individuals or individual businesses.</li> <li>No reimbursement to local interests.</li> <li>Reimbursement required for supplies and equipment (e.g., sandbags and pumps) loaned to states and local sponsors. If a FEMA disaster declaration has been made, USACE District Engineer may waive reimbursement requirement for loaned sandbags.</li> </ul>
	After Action Report	220	<ul> <li>Provides for the preparation and publication of After Action Reports at all levels.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Class 210 funds must have been used. Summarizes disaster operations</li> <li>Evaluates strengths and weaknesses, recommends corrective action</li> </ul>
	Post Flood Response	230	Response to a Governor's request for assistance following a flood.	<ul> <li>Limited to 10 days following receipt of Governor's request.</li> <li>Governor's request must be concurrent with or subsequent to State request for Stafford Act emergency or disaster declaration</li> </ul>
	Operational Supplies and Equipment	240	Maintenance of equipment and replenishment of supplies used during emergency operations.	<ul> <li>USACE of Engineers use only. Cannot be used to replace supplies or equipment for State and Local governments</li> </ul>
	Support from Others	250	<ul> <li>Support received from other Federal agencies in response to a flood or coastal storm emergency.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can only be used during a flood related emergency for reimbursable under PL 84-99</li> </ul>
	Operational Support	260	<ul> <li>Support provided by USACE Labs, and non-USACE organizations.</li> </ul>	• Applicable for use by HQUSACE <b>ONLY</b> .

REHABILITATION AND INSPECTION PROGRAM CLASS 300	Rehabilitation Project	310	Rehabilitation of active Federal flood control works (FCW)	<ul> <li>Written request from public sponsor responsible for operation and maintenance of project.</li> <li>Must be damaged by flood or coastal storm.</li> <li>Restoration to pre-disaster level of protection (physical height)</li> <li>Rehab must be economically justified. Repair of maintenance deficiencies is local responsibility/cost.</li> <li>Cost share: 100% Federal (Current)</li> </ul>
	Rehabilitation Project – Non-Federal FCW	320	Rehabilitation of active non-Federal flood control works	<ul> <li>See criteria and comments for Federal rehab, Class 310.</li> <li>80% Federal / 20% non-Federal cost share (Current)</li> </ul>
	Rehabilitation Project – Hurricane/Shore Protection Project	330	Rehabilitation of eligible federally-authorized and constructed Hurricane/Shore Protection Projects.	<ul> <li>Restoration to lesser of (1) pre-storm condition, or (2) level needed for adequate functioning of the project</li> <li>Normally requires Construction General/public sponsor cost share per Project Cooperation Agreement.</li> </ul>
	Field Investigation	340	<ul> <li>This is to conduct the investigation and the preparation of the Project Information Report (PIR) for flood control works</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Flood control works must be active in the Rehabilitation and Inspection Program (RIP), and have been damaged by a flood or coastal storm.</li> </ul>

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REHABILITATION AND INSPECTION PROGRAM CLASS 300 (Cont.)	Initial Eligibility Inspections (IEI)	350	<ul> <li>Initial Eligibility Inspection is conducted on an inactive flood control project based on established criteria. Inspection determines if:</li> <li>Public sponsor is qualified.</li> <li>Project meets engineering and maintenance criteria.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Project was constructed using non-Federal funds</li> <li>Sponsor must be a public entity with financial authority</li> <li>Minimum level of protection required:         <ul> <li>Agricultural levee: 5- year with 1 foot of freeboard</li> <li>Urban, Ag with infrastructure: 10-year with 2 feet of freeboard</li> </ul> </li> <li>Active maintenance program that ensures levee viability</li> <li>Adequate maintenance of structures and fixtures</li> </ul>
	Continuing Eligibility Inspections (CEI)	360	<ul> <li>Periodic inspection of active non-Federal FCWs to ensure the project is being maintained in accordance with USACE criteria.</li> </ul>	• Refer to ER 500-1-1 for inspection criteria.
	Interagency Levee Task Force (ILTF)	370	<ul> <li>Funding, beyond what FEMA provides via a mission assignment, to manage operations of an ILTF</li> </ul>	HQUSACE-approved, Division-led task force formed following a major event where numerous levees need rehab.
WATER ASSISTANCE CLASS 400	Emergency Water Supplies (Contaminated Source of Water)	410	Provide emergency water to a locality.	<ul> <li>Contaminated source of water causing threat to public health and welfare. Human consumption only. 100% Federal cost.</li> <li>Supplemental to state and local resources</li> <li>Governor's written request</li> <li>30 day limitation (extendable under certain conditions)</li> </ul>
	Drought Assistance	420	<ul> <li>Transportation of water at Federal expense.</li> <li>Well drilling on a reimbursable basis.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Designation by Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works) of drought distressed area.</li> <li>Water for human consumption only. 100% Federal cost.</li> <li>Applicants may be farmers, ranchers, or political subdivisions.</li> <li>All requests must come through the State.</li> </ul>
	Field Investigations	430	PIR preparation.	Preparation of report for either emergency water or drought

			Technical assistance.	assistance	
ADVANCE MEASURES CLASS 500	Advance Measures Assistance	510	<ul> <li>Preventive work performed due to <i>imminent threat</i> of unusual flooding.</li> <li>District may provide technical assistance upon receipt of funds from HQUSACE.</li> <li>Advance Measures projects or direct assistance requires HQUSACE approval.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Prediction of unusual flooding by National Weather Service or USACE (imminent threat)</li> <li>Threat to life or improved property.</li> <li>Complements maximum state and local efforts.</li> <li>Work completable in time to prevent damages.</li> <li>Work must be technically feasible and economically justified.</li> <li>Removal or upgrades performed by sponsor at no cost to USACE.</li> </ul>	
	Field Investigations	520	Investigate eligibility and prepare Project     Information Report.	Request from Governor for assistance.	
HAZARD MITIGATION CLASS 600	Hazard Mitigation	600	<ul> <li>USACE participation in FEMA-led hazard mitigation effort intended to identify post-disaster mitigation opportunities, and establish framework for recovery.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Presidentially declared major disaster</li> <li>Activation of Hazard Mitigation Team by FEMA</li> </ul>	
OTHER EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE AUTHORITIES					
INSPECTION OF COMPLETED WORKS (ICW)	Inspection of Federal flood control works and certain other USACE- constructed projects	O&M Gen	<ul> <li>Periodic inspection of active Federal FCW's to determine if the project is being maintained in accordance with USACE criteria.</li> <li>Permitting of alterations to Federal FCW's.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Correlates to Class 360 for non-Federal FCW's.</li> <li>Refer to ER 1130-2-530 for specifics.</li> </ul>	
ARMY REGULATION 500-60	Emergency Response to Any Disaster	NA	<ul> <li>Limited emergency relief efforts (e.g., route clearance for emergency vehicles, etc.)</li> <li>Search and Rescue (for life saving purposes).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Life saving activities and/or protection of significant infrastructure using USACE equipment and personnel.</li> <li>Funded from overhead account. No contracting allowed using USACE funds.</li> <li>No reimbursement, unless Department of the Army makes funds available.</li> </ul>	
STAFFORD ACT	Emergency Response and Recovery per the Federal Response Plan	NA	<ul> <li>ESF #3 Public Works and Engineering (Requires FEMA mission assignment and FEMA funding.)</li> <li>DOD/DOMS directed mission (non-ESF-3)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Presidentially declared major disaster or emergency declaration, or activation by FEMA Regional Director.</li> <li>Division Responsibility to staff Regional Operations Center and Disaster Field Office.</li> <li>Mission Assignments through ESF#3 Team.</li> </ul>	

NOTE 1: Class 110, 120, 130, 140, and 360 funds are requested through annual budget funding process. All other funds are requested "out of cycle" on an as needed basis. NOTE 2: This document is neither completely comprehensive nor authoritative. NOTE 3. Federally recognized Indian tribes and Alaska Native Corporations may submit requests direct to USACE, through BIA, or through the State