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October 20, 2016

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Dear Governor Haley:

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On October 18, 2016, a Presidential Disaster Declaration for South Carolina was amended to include two additional primary counties due to losses caused by Hurricane Matthew, which occurred from October 4, 2016, and continuing. As a result of this declaration, eligible family farmers may qualify for Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency (EM) loan assistance. The counties affected are:

Berkeley Horry

In accordance with Section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, eight (8) other South Carolina counties were named as contiguous counties where eligible family farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance. Those counties are:

Charleston	Dorchester	Orangeburg
Clarendon	Georgetown	Williamsburg
Dillon	Marion	

EM loan assistance is available to any applicant with a qualifying loss in the above counties through June 19, 2017.

If I can provide further information or be of assistance to you in any way, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Dear Governor Haley:

On October 19, 2016, a Presidential Disaster Declaration for South Carolina was amended to include three additional primary counties due to losses caused by Hurricane Matthew, which occurred from October 4, 2016, and continuing. As a result of this declaration, eligible family farmers may qualify for Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency (EM) loan assistance. The counties affected are:

Calhoun

Clarendon

Marlboro

In accordance with Section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, ten (10) other South Carolina counties were named as contiguous counties where eligible family farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance. Those counties are:

Berkeley

Dillon

Orangeburg

Chesterfield

Florence

Richland

Darlington

Lexington

Sumter

Williamsburg

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Dear Governor Haley:

On October 17, 2016, a Presidential Major Disaster Declaration for the State of Georgia was amended to include additional primary counties. This disaster declaration was due to losses caused by Hurricane Matthew, which occurred from October 4-15, 2016. As a result of this declaration, eligible family farmers may qualify for Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency (EM) loan assistance.

In accordance with Section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, counties in adjacent states that are contiguous to one or more of the designated Georgia counties are named as contiguous counties where eligible family farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance. As a result of this amendment, the following two South Carolina counties are affected:

Hampton

Jasper

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Dear Governor Haley:

On October 10, 2016, President Obama declared 10 North Carolina counties as primary natural disaster areas due to losses caused by Hurricane Matthew that occurred from October 4, 2016, and continuing. As a result of this declaration, eligible family farmers may qualify for Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency (EM) loan assistance.

In accordance with Section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, counties in adjacent states that are contiguous to one or more of the designated North Carolina counties are named as contiguous counties where eligible family farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance. The following counties in South Carolina are eligible:

Dillon Horry Marlboro

EM loan assistance is available to any applicant with a qualifying loss in the above counties through June 10, 2017.

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Dear Governor Haley:

On October 14, 2016, a Presidential Disaster Declaration for South Carolina was amended to designate two primary counties as disaster areas due to losses caused by Hurricane Matthew, which occurred from October 4, 2016, and continuing. As a result of this declaration, eligible family farmers may qualify for Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency (EM) loan assistance. The counties affected are:

Marion Orangeburg

In accordance with Section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, fourteen (14) other South Carolina counties were named as contiguous counties where eligible family farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance. Those counties are:

Aiken	Clarendon	Georgetown
Bamberg	Colleton	Horry
Barnwell	Dillon	Lexington
Berkeley	Dorchester	Williamsburg
Calhoun	Florence	

EM loan assistance is available to any applicant with a qualifying loss in the above counties through June 14, 2017.

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Dear Governor Haley:

On October 17, 2016, a Presidential Disaster Declaration for South Carolina was amended to include 15 additional primary counties due to losses caused by Hurricane Matthew, which occurred from October 4, 2016, and continuing. As a result of this declaration, eligible family farmers may qualify for Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency (EM) loan assistance. The counties affected are:

Allendale	Darlington	Hampton
Bamberg	Dillon	Jasper
Barnwell	Dorchester	Lee
Beaufort	Florence	Sumter
Colleton	Georgetown	Williamsburg

In accordance with Section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, twelve (12) other South Carolina counties were named as contiguous counties where eligible family farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance. Those counties are:

Aiken	Chesterfield	Marion
Berkeley	Clarendon	Marlboro
Calhoun	Horry	Orangeburg
Charleston	Kershaw	Richland

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