

# South Carolina Resource Guide

Links to Grants, Information, Training - A Starting Point  
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**SCEMD** The South Carolina Emergency Management Division leads the state emergency management program by supporting local authorities to minimize the loss of life and property from all-hazard events.

<http://www.scemd.org/> SC Emergency Management website is good starting point for preparedness and recovery programs.

<https://screcoverygrants.org/> This site is for the online application and management of the Public Assistance (PA), Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) and Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM) grants.

**SCDNR Flood Mitigation:** The South Carolina Department of Natural Resources (SCDNR), Flood Mitigation Program (FMP) administers the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). The mission of the SCDNR Flood Mitigation Program is to work with South Carolina citizens and communities to minimize losses due to flood conditions. <http://www.dnr.sc.gov/water/flood/>

<http://www.dnr.sc.gov/water/flood/mitgrants.html> FEMA's Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) is an annual grant program that provides funding to states and communities to assist in their efforts to reduce or eliminate the risk of repetitive flood damage to buildings and structures insurable under NFIP.

<http://www.dnr.sc.gov/water/flood/mgrsinfo.html> Floodplain Managers Information: Requirements and Construction Practices

<https://www.disasterassistance.gov/>

**SCDHEC** - To improve the quality of life for all South Carolinians by protecting and promoting the health of the public and the environment

DHEC: 319 Nonpoint Source Pollution Grants

<http://www.scdhec.gov/HomeandEnvironment/BusinessesandCommunities-GoGreen/EnvironmentalGrantsandLoans/319NonpointSourcePollutionGrants/>

Solid Waste Grant Program, Solid Waste Reduction and Recycling Grant Program, Used Motor Oil Grant Program, Waster Tire Grant Program,  
<http://www.scdhec.gov/HomeAndEnvironment/Recycling/LocalGovernmentRecycling/GrantFundingforLocalGovernments/>

Drinking Water Grants and Loans in South Carolina.

<http://www.scdhec.gov/HomeAndEnvironment/YourHomeEnvironmentalandSafetyConcerns/DrinkingWaterConcerns/GrantsLoans/>

Clean up Assistance (Brownsfield, Superfund, UST, Waste Disposal, EM Response to chemical ...)

<http://www.scdhec.gov/HomeandEnvironment/BusinessesandCommunities-GoGreen/EnvironmentalGrantsandLoans/EnvironmentalCleanUpAssistance/>

SC Statewide Emergency Registry of Volunteers <https://www.scserv.gov/>

Emergency Preparedness – Health Care Providers <http://www.scdhec.gov/Health/FHPF/EPHF/>

## Federal Agency Links

### FEMA:

FEMA Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA):

<https://www.fema.gov/flood-mitigation-assistance-grant-program>

FEMA National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)

<https://www.fema.gov/national-flood-insurance-program>

FEMA Community Rating System (CRS)

<https://www.fema.gov/national-flood-insurance-program-community-rating-system>

FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)

<https://www.fema.gov/hazard-mitigation-grant-program>

FEMA Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program (PDMP)

<https://www.fema.gov/pre-disaster-mitigation-grant-program>

FEMA Public Assistance (PA) Grant Program

<http://www.fema.gov/public-assistance-local-state-tribal-and-non-profit>

FEMA Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program (RCPGP)

<https://www.fema.gov/media-library/assets/documents/20668>

FEMA GRANTS

<http://www.fema.gov/grants>

FEMA Risk MAP (Mapping, Assessment, and Planning)

<https://www.fema.gov/risk-mapping-assessment-and-planning-risk-map>

FEMA Dam Safety Program

<https://www.fema.gov/dam-safety>

FEMA Community Disaster Loan Program

<https://www.fema.gov/media-library/assets/documents/33726>

FEMA Individuals and Households Program (IHP)

<https://www.fema.gov/ihp-unified-guidance>

FEMA Historic Preservation and Cultural Resources Program

<https://www.fema.gov/office-environmental-planning-and-historic-preservation>

FEMA Emergency Management Performance Grants

<https://www.fema.gov/emergency-management-performance-grant-program>

Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP)

<https://www.fema.gov/homeland-security-grant-program>

Citizen Corps Program (CCP) <http://www.fema.gov/are-you-ready/citizen-corps>

**NRCS:** NRCS's natural resources conservation programs help people reduce soil erosion, enhance water supplies, improve water quality, increase wildlife habitat, and reduce damages caused by floods and other natural disasters.

<https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/national/programs/>

USDA/NRCS Emergency Watershed Protection Program <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/ewp/>

USDA/NRCS Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Program

<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/watershed/index.html>

USDA/NRCS Watershed Surveys and Planning Program

[http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/watershed/Surveys\\_Plnng.html](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/watershed/Surveys_Plnng.html)

USDA/NRCS Dam Rehabilitation Assistance <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/WSRehab/>

## USACE

<http://www.sac.usace.army.mil/Missions/Emergency-Management/>

<https://www.usace.army.mil/Missions/Civil-Works/> ( in SC contact [CESAC-PM@sac.usace.army.mil](mailto:CESAC-PM@sac.usace.army.mil), - 866.329.8187

# Information Sources:

## NWS

Columbia Office <https://www.weather.gov/cae/>

Charleston Office <https://www.weather.gov/chs/>

Wilmington Office <https://www.weather.gov/ilm/>

Greenville-Spartanburg Office <https://www.weather.gov/gsp/>

Weather-Ready Nation <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/com/weatherreadynation/>

NWS StormReady® Program <http://www.stormready.noaa.gov/>

National Weather Service River Forecast Center, Southeast RFC  
<http://www.crh.noaa.gov/serfc/?n=river>

Advanced Hydrologic Prediction Service <http://water.weather.gov/ahps/>

Wireless Emergency Alerts

[http://www.nws.noaa.gov/com/weatherreadynation/wea.html#.UnPfq\\_mkpgg](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/com/weatherreadynation/wea.html#.UnPfq_mkpgg)

[http://www.ctia.org/consumer\\_info/safety/index.cfm/AID/12082](http://www.ctia.org/consumer_info/safety/index.cfm/AID/12082)

Cooperative Observer Program <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/coop/>

CoCoRaHS <https://www.cocorahs.org/state.aspx?state=sc>

## NOAA Office for Coastal Management

<https://oceanservice.noaa.gov/>

Digital Coast <https://coast.noaa.gov/>

## USGS

South Atlantic Water Science Center (SAWSC) <https://www.usgs.gov/centers/sa-water/>

USGS Natural Hazards Program [http://www.usgs.gov/natural\\_hazards/](http://www.usgs.gov/natural_hazards/)

USGS Water Programs <http://www.usgs.gov/water/>

USGS Flood Information <http://water.usgs.gov/osw/floods/>

USGS WaterWatch: Floods, Droughts, and Current Conditions <https://waterdata.usgs.gov/sc/nwis/>

USGS WaterAlert <http://water.usgs.gov/wateralert/>

USGS WaterNow <http://water.usgs.gov/waternow/>