

For: County Offices

Secretarial Natural Disaster Determination S4320

Approved by: State Executive Director



1 Overview

A Background

In accordance with 7 CFR 759.5(a), Secretary Sonny Perdue designated seven Colorado counties as a primary natural disaster area due to drought.

COLORADO PRIMARY COUNTY (7)

Costilla La Plata Ouray San Miguel
Dolores Montezuma Saguache

In accordance with section 321 (a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, additional areas are named as contiguous disaster counties.

COLORADO CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES (14)

Alamosa Conejos Gunnison Las Animas Rio Grande
Archuleta Custer Hinsdale Mineral San Juan
Chaffee Fremont Huerfano Montrose

In addition, in accordance with section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, counties in adjacent States are named as contiguous disaster areas. Those States, counties and numbers are:

ARIZONA CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES (1)

Apache

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NEW MEXICO CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES (3)

Colfax San Juan Taos

UTAH CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES (1)

San Juan

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A Designation Dates

This designation makes all family-sized farm operators in primary and contiguous counties eligible to be considered for assistance from FSA, provided eligibility requirements are met.

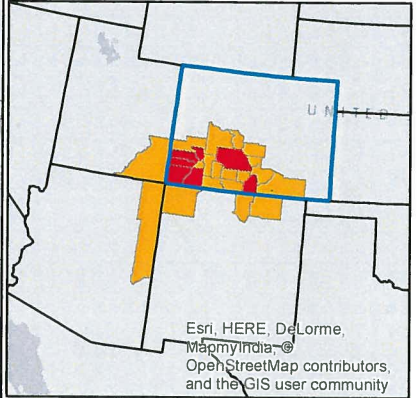
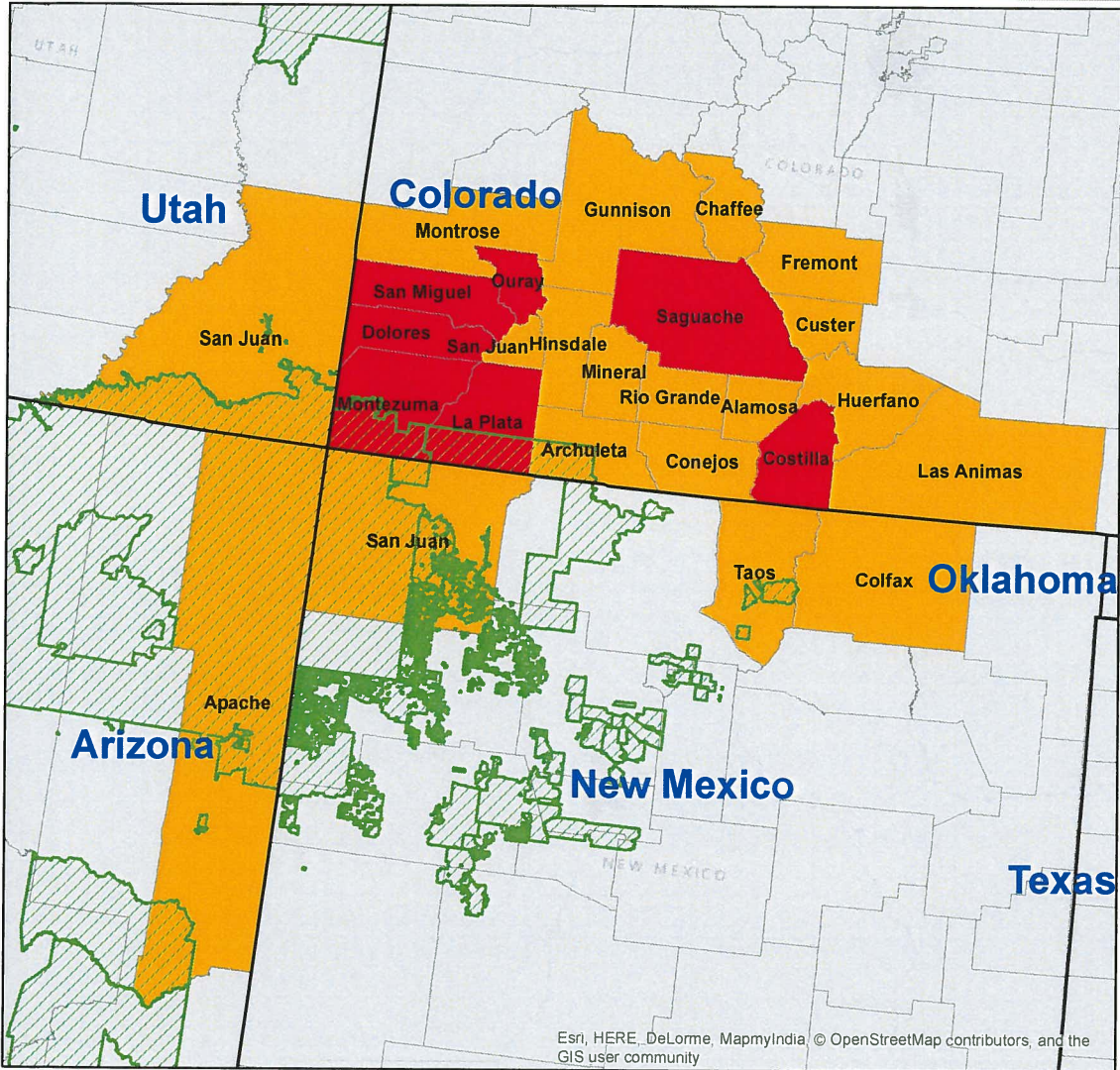
The disaster incident period was May 1, 2018 and continuing.

This determination is coded S4320 and EM loan applications will be received effective May 10, 2018 through January 10, 2019. For the purpose of determining loan security values for these loan applications, the beginning date of the incident period May 1, 2018.






B Announcements

County Offices will make appropriate public announcements to local news media.

2018 Fast Track Drought - CO 8442762



Designations

-  State Boundary
-  Tribal Lands
-  County Boundary
-  Primary Counties: 7
-  Contiguous Counties: 19



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