**West Virginia**

**Period of Performance**
10/1/2017-3/31/2019

**Approved Amount**
$925,000

**Planned Participants**
65

**Target Population**
Dislocated Workers

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**Severe Storms 2017**

GRANT NUMBER: EM-31459-18-60-A-54

*Counties of Doddridge, Harrison, Marion, Marshall, Monongalia, Ohio, Preston, Randolph, Taylor, Tucker, Tyler and Wetzel*

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**Qualifying Events**

Workforce West Virginia to create temporary disaster relief employment to assist with clean-up and recovery efforts resulting from the effects of a July 2017 storm event, which was declared a major disaster by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

**Proposal Summary**

The funds will be used to provide for temporary employment on projects to assist with clean-up, demolition, repair, renovation, and reconstruction of destroyed public structures, facilities, and lands within the affected communities. Recovery activities will address downed trees across roads and in public parks; flooded waterways cluttered with debris; and the repair of bridges and roadways damaged by landslides/mudslides.

**Project Description**

The project will create about 65 temporary jobs for eligible individuals to assist with clean-up and recovery efforts in 12 counties affected by the severe storms and flooding.

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