

Survey of Minnesota Businesses and Organizations Affected by Floods in June 2014

This Is Not An Application – We need your help to find out about how flooding is affecting your business or organization. This survey will help create a preliminary damage assessment by identifying those most affected by flooding in June 2014. The data will be used by the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED) and other government entities to assist communities and businesses in the recovery process.

You may complete this survey online at: <http://tinyurl.com/MNflood>

If your business or organization was not directly affected by flooding in June 2014, you do not need to complete the survey.

Impact of Flooding

1) Did your business or organization close due to flooding in June 2014?

- a) Yes → How many weeks do you expect to be closed? _____
- b) No
- c) No, but we have moved or will move to a temporary location → How many weeks do you expect to be at the temporary location? _____

2) Is plumbing and sanitation functional at the regular location?

- a) Yes
- b) No

3) Which of the following flood-related effects have you experienced? Select all that apply.

- a) Damage to inventory
 - b) Damage to property, building, equipment
 - c) Damage to electrical or plumbing systems.
 - d) Damage to land, natural assets, livestock
 - e) Decreased production capacity
 - f) Decreased access to business due to public infrastructure damage
 - g) Decreased access to business due to private infrastructure damage (e.g. private road)
 - h) Other: _____
 - i) No damage
- #### 4) Estimate value of property damage or financial losses due to area flooding.
- a) Property damage (\$) _____
 - b) Loss in sales (\$) _____

5) What is the impact on employment?

- a) Total number of employees: _____
- b) Employees not able to work due to flooding: _____

6) Indicate the main line of business.

- a) Retail (food, apparel, autos, etc.)
- b) Services (personal, professional, etc.)
- c) Wholesale (distribution, etc.)
- d) Manufacturing (producer, etc.)
- e) Construction (general, sub, trade, etc.)
- f) Agricultural (livestock, farming etc.)
- g) Government
- h) Other _____

7) Contact information:

Organization/Business: _____
First Name: _____
Last Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone Number: _____
Address: _____
MN City: _____ Zip Code: _____

8) Would you be interested in a loan from the Small Business Administration or the State of Minnesota to assist with asset recovery?

- a) Yes
- b) No

9) How can DEED or the State of Minnesota assist you in the recovery process?

10) Any other comments about how flooding has affected you? Use back of sheet if needed.

Thank You!

Send back form by July 7, 2014 to Fax# 651-296-0775, or Email Drew.Hasty@state.mn.us