

Included below is data collected by our online systems for the entire Midwest Early Recovery Fund (ERF) program – from the first grant awarded in March 2015 and the last grant included here in Oct. 2018.

Total amount of grants awarded as of Dec. 31, 2018: \$3,078,882.23

- Total grants awarded: **64**
- Average grant awarded: **\$48,108**
- Months active in grantmaking: **46**

More information about disasters receiving Midwest Early Recovery funding:

42 unique disasters

- 11 tornadoes
- 18 floods
- 7 severe storms
- 2 earthquakes
- 4 wildfires

Floods by state:

- Nebraska: 1
- Oklahoma: 4
- Missouri: 5
- Minnesota: 3
- Kansas: 2
- Arkansas: 3

Tornadoes by state:

- Nebraska: 1
- Oklahoma: 5
- South Dakota: 1
- Missouri: 1
- Kansas: 2
- Iowa: 1

Severe storms by state:

- South Dakota (3 reservations): 6
- Minnesota: 1

Wildfires by state:

- Oklahoma: 2
- Kansas: 1
- Montana: 1

Earthquakes:

- Oklahoma: 2

ERF funding priorities:

- Recovery services \$2,165,830.02 70.3 percent
- Children \$274,193.15 8.9 percent
- Outreach/education \$638,859.06 20.8 percent

Storm category totals:

- Tornadoes: \$411,401.59 13.5 percent
- Floods: \$1,540,479.68 50.0 percent
- Severe storms: \$798,231.40 25.8 percent
- Fires: \$328,769.56 10.7 percent

Grant Statistics (for closed grants only):**ERF closed grants (Dec. 31, 2018): \$2,158,802.83**

- First closed grant awarded in **March 2015**
- Last closed grant awarded in **March 2018**
- **46 unique grantees**
- **9 states** (*none in North Dakota*)

61 unique communities (some grants served multiple communities)

- **38 communities flooded**
- **13 communities impacted by tornadoes**
- **10 communities impacted by severe storms**
- Total number of people impacted: **117,887** (from 24 unique disasters)
- **Average** number of people impacted per disaster: **4912**
- **Average population** of communities we gave grants to: **8230**

Estimated damages for floods + severe storms + tornadoes: \$739,708,966

- Estimated PA damages: **\$547,097,917**
- Estimated IA damages: **\$192,611,049**

Grant impact information:

- Number of **people directly served** by our grantees: **41,837**
- **Percent of those impacted served by ERF grantees: 35.5 percent**
- **Partnerships** developed by our grantees: **512**
- **Financial donations** leveraged by ERF grantees: **\$8,121,901.86**
- Number of **volunteers** leveraged by grantees: **4371**
- Number of **volunteer hours** leveraged: **94,755 hours**
- Financial contribution of **volunteer labor: \$8,510,338.17**
- **Total amount leveraged by our grantees: \$16,632,240**
- **For every dollar invested by ERF, \$7.70 was leveraged** to support client outcomes.