accelerator models that support women-owned or minority-owned small businesses and/or that assist entrepreneurs with submitting SBIR/STTR proposals. SBA’s Office of Investment and Innovation (OII) will also be partnering with the Office of Native American Affairs (ONAA) and the Office of Veterans Business Development (OVBD) to award additional prizes to accelerators assisting the Native American and U.S. Veterans start-up community. SBA anticipates awarding up to 68 market stimulation cash prizes of $50,000 each to the highest-rated contestants that also represent the greatest degree of achieving national geographic distribution in both urban and rural areas, including at minimum: 14 accelerator models focused in Native American populations (American Indian, Alaska Native or Native Hawaiian); 2 accelerator models focused on the Veterans community and Veteran entrepreneurship; 20 accelerator models focused on life-sciences (medical); 10 accelerator models focused on science and engineering (non-medical); and 2 accelerator models focused on education research technology. SBA is also partnering with the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) to provide a prize directly from IDB to 1 accelerator model focused on assisting the African descendant start-up community in Latin America and the Caribbean. Prizes will be paid in lump sum via the Automated Clearing House (ACH). Winners will be required to create an account in the System for Award Management (SAM) in order to receive an award.


Mark Walsh,
Associate Administrator, Office of Investment and Innovation.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
[Disaster Declaration #14752 and #14753]

California Disaster #CA–00248

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a notice of an Administrative declaration of a disaster for the State of California dated 07/26/2016.

INCIDENT: Erskine Fire.

INCIDENT PERIOD: 06/23/2016 through 07/06/2016.

EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/26/2016.

PHYSICAL LOAN APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE: 09/26/2016.

ECONOMIC INJURY (EIDL) LOAN APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE: 04/26/2017.

ADRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that as a result of the Administrator’s disaster declaration, applications for disaster loans may be filed at the address listed above or other locally announced locations.

The following areas have been determined to be adversely affected by the disaster:

Primary Counties: Kern

Contiguous Counties:
California: Inyo, Kings, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Tulare, Ventura

The Interest Rates are:

For Physical Damage:

| Homeowners With Credit Available Elsewhere | 3.250 |
| Homeowners Without Credit Available Elsewhere | 1.625 |
| Businesses With Credit Available Elsewhere | 6.250 |
| Businesses Without Credit Available Elsewhere | 4.000 |
| Non-Profit Organizations With Credit Available Elsewhere | 2.625 |
| Non-Profit Organizations Without Credit Available Elsewhere | 2.625 |

For Economic Injury:

| Businesses & Small Agricultural Cooperatives Without Credit Available Elsewhere | 4.000 |
| Non-Profit Organizations Without Credit Available Elsewhere | 2.625 |

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 14752 5 and for economic injury is 14753 0.

The State which received an EIDL Declaration is CALIFORNIA

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 59008)

Dated: July 26, 2016.

Maria Contreras-Sweet,
Administrator.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
[Disaster Declaration # 14765 and # 14766]

Texas Disaster Number TX–00474

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Amendment 1.

SUMMARY: This is an amendment of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Texas (FEMA–4272–DR), dated 07/08/2016.

Incident: Severe Storms and Flooding.

Incident Period: 05/26/2016 through 06/24/2016.


Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: 09/06/2016.

Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date: 04/10/2017.

ADRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of the President’s major disaster declaration for Private Non-Profit organizations in the State of Texas, dated 07/08/2016, is hereby amended to include the following areas as adversely affected by the disaster.


All other information in the original declaration remains unchanged.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 59008)

James E. Rivera,
Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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