Karen LaVallee

From: Craig Charlton < craig.j.charlton@gmail.com>

Sent: October 30, 2022 10:31 AM

To: Disaster Recovery Assistance for Ontarians (MMAH)

Cc: Craig Charlton; graydon.smith@pc.ola.org; clerk@tweed.ca; Brad McNevin;

ric.bresee@pc.ola.org; Kathy.Woeller@ontario.ca; Bonnie Fox

Subject: Re: FW: REFERRAL TO MMAH: Skootamatta River flood hazard due to EF2 Tornado

debris

Attachments: SkootRiverFloodHazard.pdf

Thank you for explaining a disaster recovery program that has <u>not</u> been activated in the Tweed area. We are not asking for help with our properties. Rather, our concern continues to be about Skootamatta River.

Our request is for funding under <u>Section 39 of the Conservation Authorities Act</u>, so that Quinte Conservation and the Municipality of Tweed can respond to the effects of the tornado and help <u>mitigate a flood hazard</u>.

Please forward my request back to the Minister responsible.

Thank you, Craig Charlton

On Thu, Oct 27, 2022 at 3:38 PM Disaster Recovery Assistance for Ontarians (MMAH) < disasterassistance@ontario.ca > wrote:

Good Afternoon Mr. Charlton:

Your letter to Minister Smith has been forwarded to the Disaster Recovery Assistance for Ontarians (DRAO) program at the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing.

The Disaster Recovery Assistance for Ontarians (DRAO) program may be activated in the event a community is impacted by a sudden, unexpected, natural disaster that causes costly and widespread damage to eligible private property that is not covered by insurance. Under the program (if activated), clean-up of trees on residential properties is eligible only to the extent necessary to make the property safe and provide access. The program does not assist residential property owners with damage to wooded areas located away from the primary residence and does not provide funding for mitigation measures (such as clearing of debris from the river as a preventative measure).

The Disaster Recovery Assistance for Ontarians program has not been activated for the storm in Tweed in July.

Sincerely,
Disaster Recovery Assistance for Ontarians Program
Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing
From: Smith, Graydon <graydon.smith@pc.ola.org> Sent: September 7, 2022 10:12 AM</graydon.smith@pc.ola.org>
To: Nietvelt, Kyle (MNRF) < Kyle.Nietvelt@ontario.ca > Subject: Fw: Skootamatta River flood hazard due to EF2 Tornado debris
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From: Craig Charlton < craig.j.charlton@gmail.com Sent: Wednesday, September 7, 2022 10:06 AM
To: Craig Charlton < craig.i.charlton@gmail.com > Subject: Skootamatta River flood hazard due to EF2 Tornado debris
Please find attached your copy of a letter sent to the Minister of Natural Resources and Forestry
Kind regards,
Craig Charlton