



# OUR FLOOD STORY



## Dear Friends of Mountain Projects,

Here's how we partnered in our community and worked to share and invest your flood donations. Your investment makes our work possible! Thank you!

The majority of our flood recovery funding was directed toward **direct client assistance, housing stabilization, and construction**, ensuring families had safe shelter and essential services.

We also invested significantly in **regional partnerships**, including a \$250,000 contribution to United Way, to expand impact across the community.

## FLOOD RECOVERY IMPACT

In response to the devastating impacts of the 2024 flood, Mountain Projects mobilized quickly to provide both immediate relief and long-term recovery support for individuals and families across our region. To date, more than **\$575,000 in flood recovery funding** has been deployed to stabilize households, restore safe housing, and strengthen community resilience.



## MEETING URGENT NEEDS



The largest share of funding—approximately **one-third of total expenditures**—was directed toward **direct client assistance**, ensuring that families had access to safe shelter, food, and essential utilities during the most critical stages of recovery.

These funds helped:

- Prevent displacement by covering emergency housing costs
- Provide meals and basic necessities to affected households
- Maintain access to electricity, heating, and other vital services

***This immediate support was essential in helping families remain safe, stable, and connected to their communities.***

## RESTORING HOMES AND STABILITY

A significant portion of funding—over **\$250,000 combined**—was invested in **housing repair, materials, and skilled labor**, reflecting the scale of physical damage caused by the flood.

Mountain Projects coordinated:

- Procurement of building materials and supplies
- Repairs and rehabilitation of damaged homes
- Engagement of licensed contractors and skilled labor

These efforts ensured that recovery was not only rapid, but also safe, durable, and aligned with long-term housing stability goals.





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## INVESTING IN LONG-TERM RECOVERY

Beyond immediate response, Mountain Projects made targeted investments in **capital improvements and infrastructure** to support sustained recovery and resilience.

These funds are helping to:

- Expand housing solutions
- Improve property conditions
- Strengthen the community's ability to withstand future crises



## LEVERAGING PARTNERSHIPS FOR GREATER IMPACT



Recognizing that recovery requires a coordinated regional response, Mountain Projects also **invested \$250,000 in partner organizations**, including a significant contribution to United Way.

This collaborative approach:

- Expanded the reach of services
- Reduced duplication of efforts
- Ensured that resources were distributed efficiently across the region



## RESPONSIBLE STEWARDSHIP

Throughout the response, Mountain Projects maintained a strong commitment to **fiscal responsibility**, with only a small percentage of funds allocated to operational support such as transportation, supplies, and administrative costs necessary to deliver services effectively.

## LOOKING AHEAD

While meaningful progress has been made, recovery is ongoing. Many households continue to face long-term challenges related to housing, financial stability, and infrastructure.

With continued support from donors and partners, Mountain Projects will remain focused on:

- Advancing housing recovery efforts
- Supporting vulnerable households
- Building a more resilient and prepared community

Your investment makes this work possible. Every dollar helps ensure that families not only recover—but rebuild stronger, safer, and more secure futures.



**Many Thanks!**

Executive Director Si Simmons &  
the Mountain Projects Team



# FLOOD RECOVERY SPENDING SUMMARY

## DIRECT CLIENT ASSISTANCE

**What this means:** Immediate help to individuals and families

Includes:

- Housing Assistance
- Food / Meal Costs
- Medical & Dental Assistance
- Clothing
- Power Bills – Direct Assist
- Fuel Oil, Gas, Utilities tied to client support

Estimated Total: **\$190,000 – \$210,000**

**Direct, life-stabilizing support—keeping people housed, fed, and with utilities on during crisis recovery.**



## HOUSING STABILIZATION & RENOVATION

**What this means:** Repairing, rebuilding, and making homes livable

Includes:

- Housing Renovation / Improvement
- Materials
- Other Supplies
- Non-Capital Tools

Estimated Total: **\$90,000 – \$110,000**

**These funds supported physical recovery—repairs, materials, and essential items to restore safe housing.**



## CONSTRUCTION & SKILLED LABOR

**What this means:** Paying professionals to do rebuild and repair work

Includes:

- Contract Labor
- Contract Services

Estimated Total: **\$155,000 – \$170,000**

**A major investment in skilled labor to accelerate recovery and ensure quality, safe rebuilding.**

## CAPITAL INVESTMENTS & LONG-TERM RECOVERY

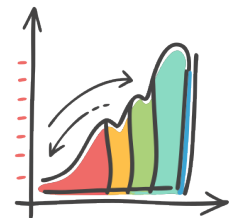
**What this means:** Larger, strategic investments for sustained recovery

Includes:

- Capital Equipment / Improvements
- Infrastructure
- Select housing development costs

Estimated Total: **\$70,000 – \$100,000**

**These investments support long-term resilience and housing solutions beyond immediate emergency response.**





# FLOOD RECOVERY SPENDING SUMMARY

## PARTNER & COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTIONS

**What this means:** Funds distributed to other organizations

Includes:

- United Way Contribution
- Contributions to Other Programs

Estimated Total: **\$251,000**



**Significant collaboration funding—leveraging partnerships to expand regional impact.**

## OPERATIONS & PROGRAM SUPPORT

**What this means:** Necessary costs to deliver services

Includes:

- Travel
- Vehicle Costs & Repairs
- Office & Program Supplies
- Postage, Telephone, Fees
- Administrative support costs

Estimated Total: **\$10,000 – \$20,000**

**Lean operational spending to enable program delivery in the field.**

## TOTAL SNAPSHOT

### CATEGORY

Direct Client Assistance  
Housing & Renovation  
Construction & Labor  
Capital Investments  
Partner Contributions  
Operations

### ESTIMATED TOTAL

\$200K  
\$100K  
\$160K  
\$85K  
\$251K  
\$15K



**TOTAL SPENDING, FLOOD DONATIONS: \$575K+**