

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

October 19, 2026

The Honorable Donald J. Trump
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

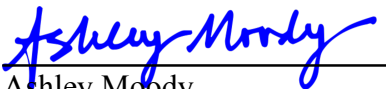
We write in support of Florida Governor Ron DeSantis's request for a Major Disaster Declaration following Hurricane Isaias, which made landfall near Destin as a Category 2 hurricane and caused significant damage across Northwest Florida.

Hurricane Isaias brought destructive winds, storm surge, and heavy rainfall to Florida's Panhandle, causing widespread damage to homes, businesses, and critical infrastructure across the region. Although damage assessments are still underway, the damage reported thus far highlights the significant impact Hurricane Isaias has had on communities across the Panhandle, many of which are still recovering from previous storms, including Hurricane Michael in 2018.

We respectfully urge you to approve the Governor's request for a Major Disaster Declaration, including but not limited to access to Individual Assistance, Public Assistance, Direct Federal Assistance, and Hazard Mitigation resources. Federal support is critical to helping Florida families recover, restoring essential services, and ensuring affected communities have the resources needed to rebuild stronger than ever and prepare for future storms.

Thank you for your consideration and attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,



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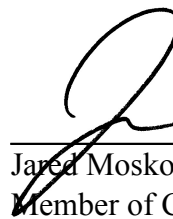
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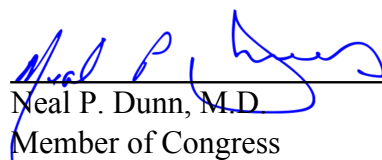
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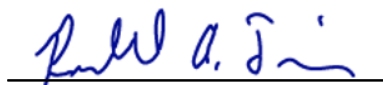
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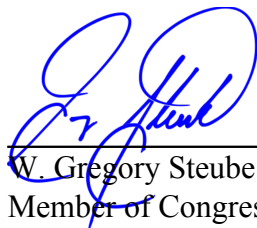
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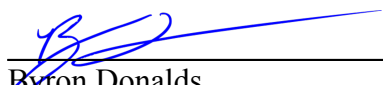
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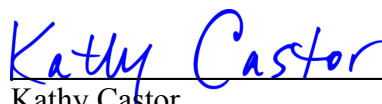
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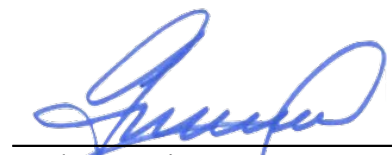
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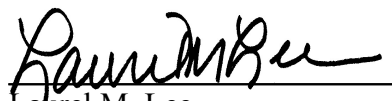
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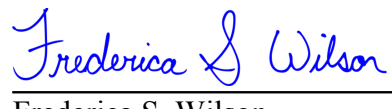
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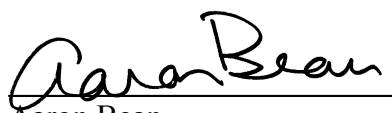
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