

**BUSINESS LOSSES**  
**INITIAL DAMAGE ASSESSMENT INFORMATION**

The information requested on this form is needed by the Skagit County Department of Emergency Management (DEM) to include your private property damage in the Counties initial damage assessment. Please complete as much of the form as possible. Once the form is filled out, print or save the form for your records, and then hit the submit button below.

**Collection of this information is time sensitive.**

**This form does not automatically qualify you for any cash or other assistance payments but without this information your property and the county may not qualify for any assistance. If the county is declared for private damage, you will need to contact FEMA at 800-621-3362 or by going online at [www.disasterassistance.gov](http://www.disasterassistance.gov).**

Jurisdiction: **Skagit County**

Incident Type (ie Wind Storm, Flooding, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Damage: From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

Business Owner's First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner or Leaser: \_\_\_\_\_

Was business closed due to disaster: \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no

If yes, how many days: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Continuity Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no

Insurance Deductible: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ %

Estimated Pre-Disaster Fair Market Value of the Property: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Structural Loss in Dollars, Best Guess: \_\_\_\_\_

(Do not wait for an insurance estimator or contractor's estimate)

Estimated business furnishing / inventory loss in dollars: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Damage Category: \_\_\_\_\_

*Destroyed: Total Loss, Permanently Closed for Business*

*Major: Significant or structural damage greater than 50% of value, temporarily closed for business*

*Minor: Conditional use, repairable in less than 30 days, few \$1000's for repairs (open for business)*

*Affected: Business space damaged (open for business)*

Brief description of the damage. Be brief. Comment on the damage to the structure and contents and any access problems or restrictions.

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Contact Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Current telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_