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MEDIA ALERT

Emergency Relief Grants Available for Creatives Impacted by 2019 Disasters

- WHO:** Creative Sonoma, a division of the County of Sonoma’s Economic Development Board
- WHAT:** Grants are available for Sonoma County creatives who sustained physical loss or damage to personal property due to the February 2019 Russian River & Laguna de Santa Rosa flood or the October 2019 Kincadee fire. Awards will be made up to \$1,500 per household.
- WHERE:** Guidelines and application materials are available at:
<https://www.creativesonoma.org/recovery-and-response-grants/>
- WHEN:** Deadline for Application: March 8, 2020
- WHY:** These unrestricted funds are available to Sonoma County residents to mitigate basic human and art-related needs due to disasters that occurred in 2019. Funding may be utilized for shelter, medications, art supplies, instruments, rent, mortgage, home-based studio or workspace supplies and equipment, repair and/or relocation costs, and more.
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