

GA-HBG-01 (2026-02-01)	Georgia Department of Agriculture HURRICANE HELENE BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM Third Party Certification of Damage: Timber	
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NOTE: *The authority for requesting the information identified on this form is the Disaster Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2025 (Division B of the American Relief Act, 2025, Public Law 118-158). The information will be used to determine eligibility for Georgia Hurricane Helene Block Grant Program benefits. The information collected on this form may be disclosed to other Federal, State, Local government agencies, Tribal agencies, and nongovernmental entities that have been authorized access to the information by statute or regulation and/or as described in applicable Routine Uses. Providing the requested information is voluntary. However, failure to furnish the requested information will result in a determination of ineligibility for Georgia Hurricane Helene Block Grant Program benefits.*

*The provisions of appropriate criminal and civil fraud, privacy, and other statutes may be applicable to the information provided. **UPLOAD THIS COMPLETED FORM TO YOUR GEORGIA HURRICANE HELENE BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM ONLINE APPLICATION.***

PART A – TIMBER PRODUCER INFORMATION

1. Producer's (Applicant's) Name and Address (City, State, and Zip Code)	2. Tract Location (Physical Address or GPS Coordinates)

PART B – THIRD PARTY CERTIFICATION INFORMATION

3. Third Party's Name and Address (City, State and Zip Code)	4. Phone Number (include Area Code)	5. Affiliation to Producer

PART C – THIRD PARTY – SPECIFIC DETAILS OF TIMBER DAMAGE

6. Based upon my personal observation of the parcels and/or tracts and the knowledge of the damage to timber therein on this form, I, as the third party identified in Item 3, provide the following details about the loss condition; and how and when I came into possession of that information.

PART D – THIRD PARTY CERTIFICATION OF DAMAGE (Provide information for All Forest Types at this Location)

7. Forest Type	8. Total Acres of This Forest Type	9. Damage % to Total Acres of This Forest Type	10. Value of Salvaged Timber
Pine: 0.5 years – 12 years. Average DBH <5".			
Pine: 13 years – 25 years. Average DBH 5-12".			
Pine: 26 years +. Average DBH >13".			
Hardwood: 0.5 years – 30 years. Avg DBH <5".			
Hardwood: 31 years – 50 years. Avg DBH 5-13".			
Hardwood: 51 years +. Avg DBH >14".			
Mixed Pine/Hardwood: 0.5 years – 20 years. Avg DBH <5".			
Mixed Pine/Hardwood: 21 years – 40 years. Avg DBH 5-13".			
Mixed Pine/Hardwood: 41 years +. Avg DBH > 14".			

PART E – THIRD PARTY CERTIFICATION OF OTHER DETAILS

11. Other relevant details including type of damage.

PART F – TIMBER PRODUCER CERTIFICATION

I certify that:

- I have ownership and interest in all parcels or tracts listed above.
- The information provided above is accurate and I acknowledge that only damage of 15% or higher is eligible for compensation.

12A. Producer's Signature (By)	12B. Title/Relationship of the Individual Signing in the Representative Capacity	12C. Date (MM-DD-YYYY)
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PART G – THIRD PARTY CERTIFICATION

I certify that:

- The specific details of my knowledge of the timber damage as provided in Item 6 are based on my own personal observation and personal experience.
- The timber damage reported in Part D was due to Hurricane Helene.
- All information on this form, whether actually personally entered by me or not, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I do not have ownership interest in this property or the farming operation applying for losses at this location.

13A. Third Party's Signature	13B. Printed Name	13C. Date (MM-DD-YYYY)
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