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# VAL Snapshot



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# Highlights

*The VAL Snapshot is published every Friday and intended to provide partners with situational awareness to assist in determining if, where, and how they may deploy resources.*

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# VOISE

## PARTNER CALL

*National partners, FEMA, and other agencies supporting Hurricane Helene response efforts will provide situational awareness, updates, and resource allocations, with a focus on FEMA Operations' Community Lifelines - critical information on the most fundamental services in the community.*



## Operations Update Hurricane Helene

**Date:** Tuesday, October 1, 2024

**Time:** 3:30 – 4:30 PM ET

**Location:** ZOOM

**Passcode:** FEMAVALS

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# Declaration Requests in Process

DATA AS OF 9/26/2024 AT 9:00 AM ET

This page details information for ongoing declarations that occurred due to natural and man-made disasters. This information is intended to enable our partners to better serve and assist survivors.



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State/Tribe/Territory	Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
OH	Train Derailment	DR	X	X	X	7/03/2023
NY	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	EM		X		7/20/2024
SCA*	Watch Fire	DR	X	X	X	8/16/2024
CTBYN**	Wildfires	DR	X	X	X	08/23/2024
VT	Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X	X	X	8/28/2024
NE	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		X	X	8/29/2024
MI	Severe Storm and Tornadoes (APPEAL)	DR	X		X	9/11/2024
USVI	Tropical Storm Ernesto	DR		X	X	9/13/2024
SC	Tropical Storm Debby	DR	X	X	X	9/16/2024
NY	Severe Storms, Straight -Line Winds and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	9/18/2024
AK	Flooding	DR	X	X	X	9/19/2024
HT***	Flooding	DR	X	X	X	9/20/2024
NC	Hurricane Helene	EM		X	X	9/25/2024
CA	Park Fire and Borel Fire	DR	X		X	9/24/2024
GA	Hurricane Helene	DR		X	X	9/25/2024
AL	Hurricane Helene	EM		X		9/25/2024

\* San Carlos Apache Tribe, \*\* Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation, \*\*\*Havasupai Tribe

# Open Shelter Report

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The Open Shelter Report provides current daily totals regarding the locations and populations of all shelters, congregate and non-congregate. These numbers update daily and are only a snapshot of the larger sheltering numbers.



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## Declared Congregate Shelter

<b>Incident</b>	<b>EM-3615-FL</b>
<b>Population</b>	2,566 (State & ARC)

## Declared Non-Congregate Shelter

<b>Incident</b>	<b>DR-4734-FL</b>
<b>Population</b>	132 (ARC)

## Non-Declared Congregate Shelter

<b>Incident</b>	<b>AL-Hurricane</b>	<b>NC-Storm</b>
<b>Population</b>	10 (ARC)	1 (ARC)

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## DR-4821-GA

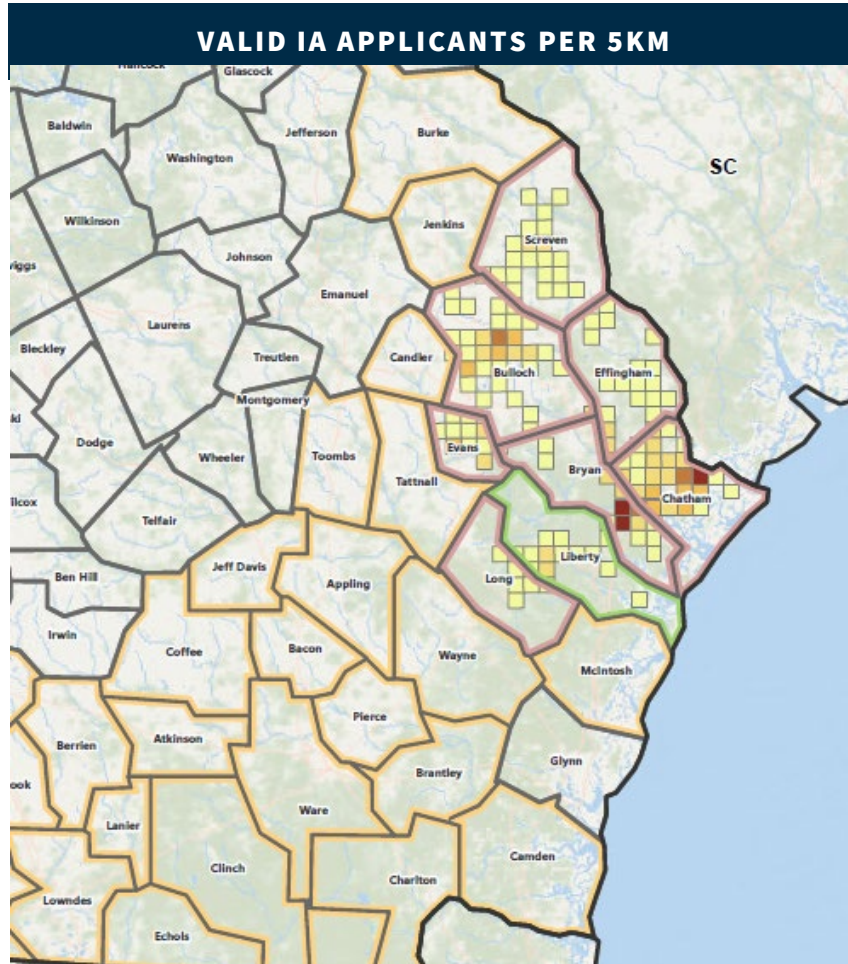
**INCIDENT TYPE:**  
Tropical Storm Debby

**DECLARED:**  
9/24/2024

**LAST FILING:**  
11/25/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 13
- ≤ 18
- ≤ 29
- ≤ 66



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
Chatham	Bryan	Bulloch	Screven	Effingham
<b>286</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>37</b>

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
<b>786</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>80</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
<i>Referred Individuals</i>	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>587</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>513</b>
<i>Approved Amount</i>	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
<i>Owners</i>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>370</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>2%</b>
<i>Renters</i>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>306</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>4%</b>

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## DR-4820-CT

**INCIDENT TYPE:**

Severe Storm, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides

**DECLARED:**

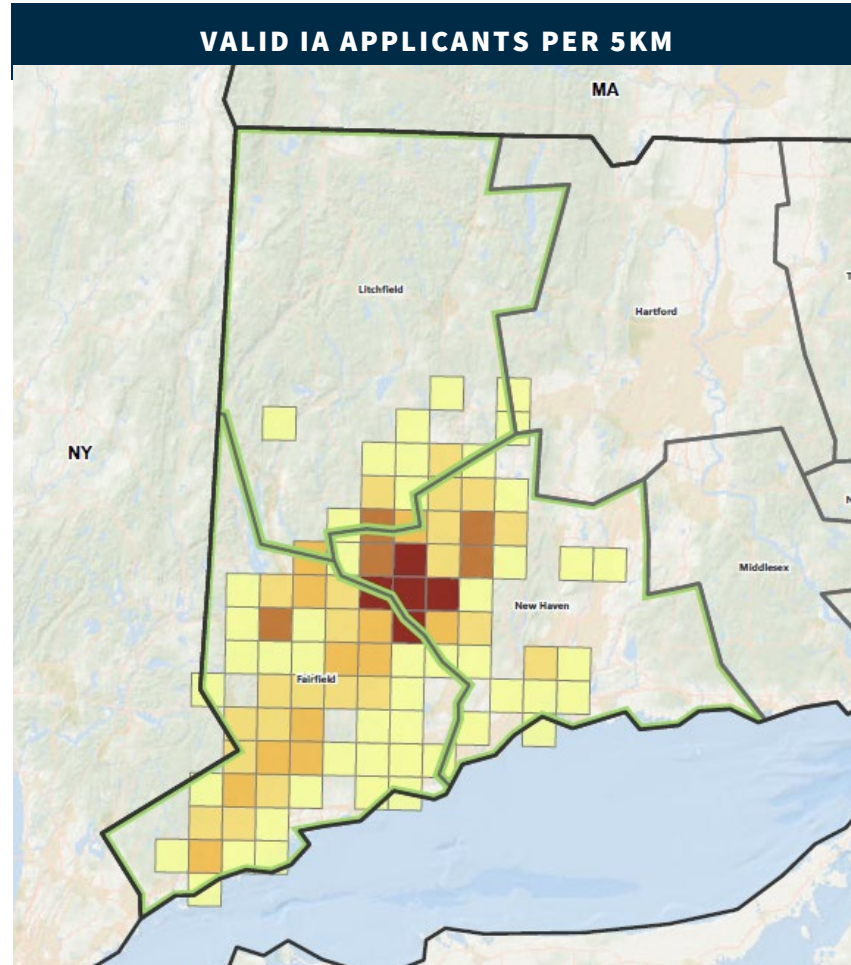
9/20/2024

**LAST FILING:**

11/19/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 13
- ≤ 18
- ≤ 34
- ≤ 56



Top 3 Counties with FEMA Applicants		
New Haven	Fairfield	Litchfield
<b>408</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>39</b>

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
<b>778</b>	<b>769</b>	<b>9</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
<i>Referred Individuals</i>	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>699</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>548</b>
<i>Approved Amount</i>	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>\$1,270,797</b>	<b>\$919,950</b>	<b>\$350,847</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
<i>Owners</i>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>685</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>3%</b>
<i>Renters</i>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>63</b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>3%</b>

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## DR-4817-LA

**INCIDENT TYPE:**

Hurricane Francine

**DECLARED:**

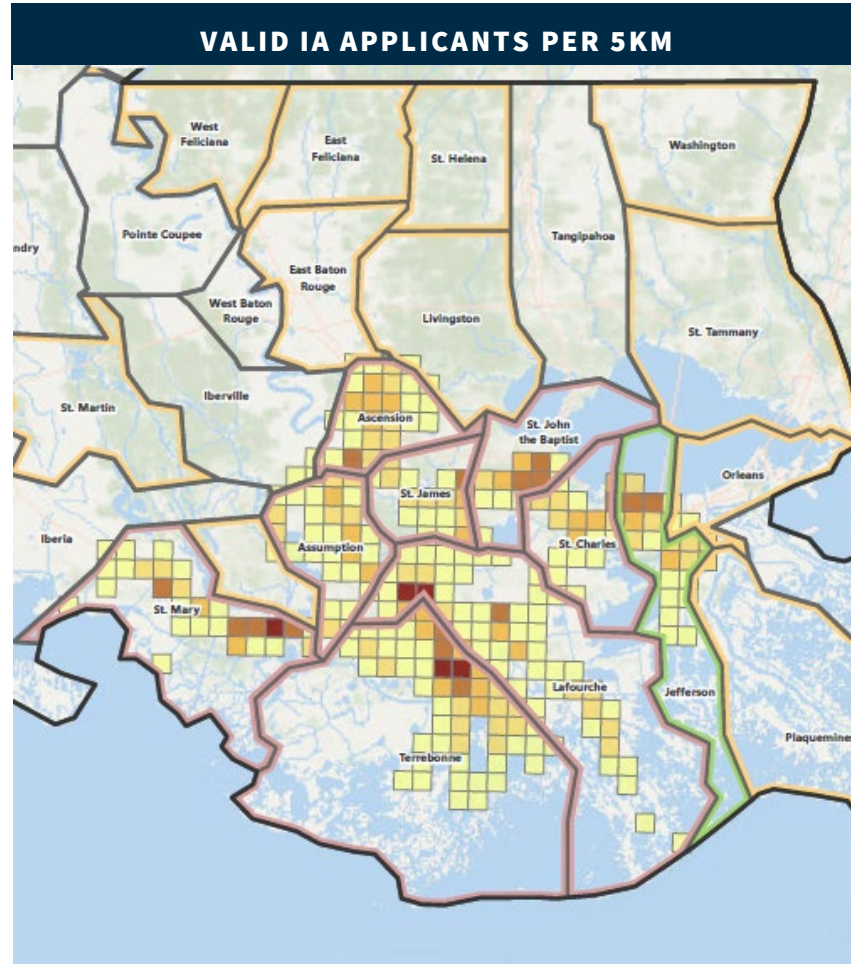
9/16/2024

**LAST FILING:**

11/18/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 65
- ≤ 177
- ≤ 397
- ≤ 970
- ≤ 1,712



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
Terrebonne	Lafourche	St. Mary	Jefferson	Ascension
<b>8,943</b>	<b>5,852</b>	<b>5,231</b>	<b>3,608</b>	<b>3,374</b>

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
<b>36,056</b>	<b>34,566</b>	<b>1,490</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
Referred Individuals	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>27,536</b>	<b>22,979</b>	<b>23,217</b>
Approved Amount	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>\$25,547,631</b>	<b>\$12,302,379</b>	<b>\$13,245,251</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
Owners	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>18,093</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>3%</b>
Renters	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>11,203</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>4%</b>



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## DR-4815-PA

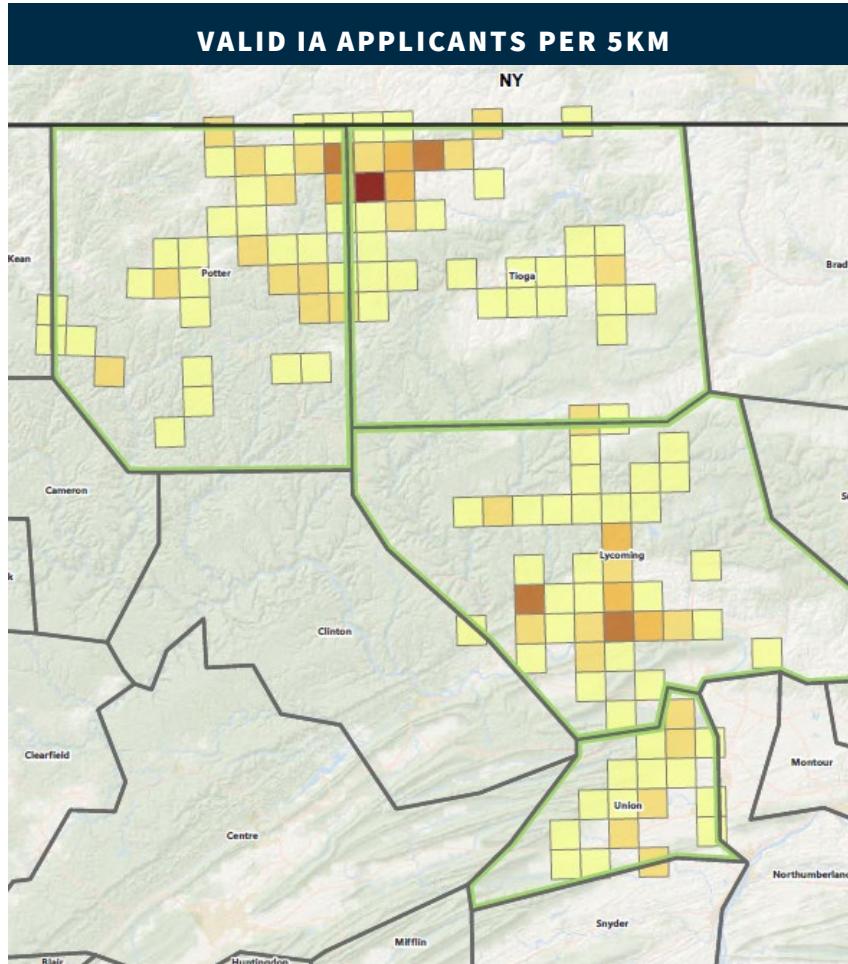
**INCIDENT TYPE:**  
Tropical Storm Debby

**DECLARED:**  
9/11/2024

**LAST FILING:**  
11/12/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 12
- ≤ 35
- ≤ 68
- ≤ 149



Top 3 Counties with FEMA Applicants		
<b>Tioga</b> <b>364</b>	<b>Lycoming</b> <b>274</b>	<b>Potter</b> <b>159</b>

Registrations		
<b>Total</b> <b>902</b>	<b>Valid</b> <b>847</b>	<b>Invalid</b> <b>55</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
<b>Referred Individuals</b>	<b>IHP</b> <b>721</b>	<b>HA</b> <b>635</b>	<b>ONA</b> <b>687</b>
<b>Approved Amount</b>	<b>IHP</b> <b>\$3,953,104</b>	<b>HA</b> <b>\$2,602,222</b>	<b>ONA</b> <b>\$1,350,881</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
<b>Owners</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Destroyed</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
	<b>688</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>2%</b>
<b>Renters</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Destroyed</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
	<b>160</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>4%</b>

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## DR-4810-VT

### INCIDENT TYPE:

Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides

### DECLARED:

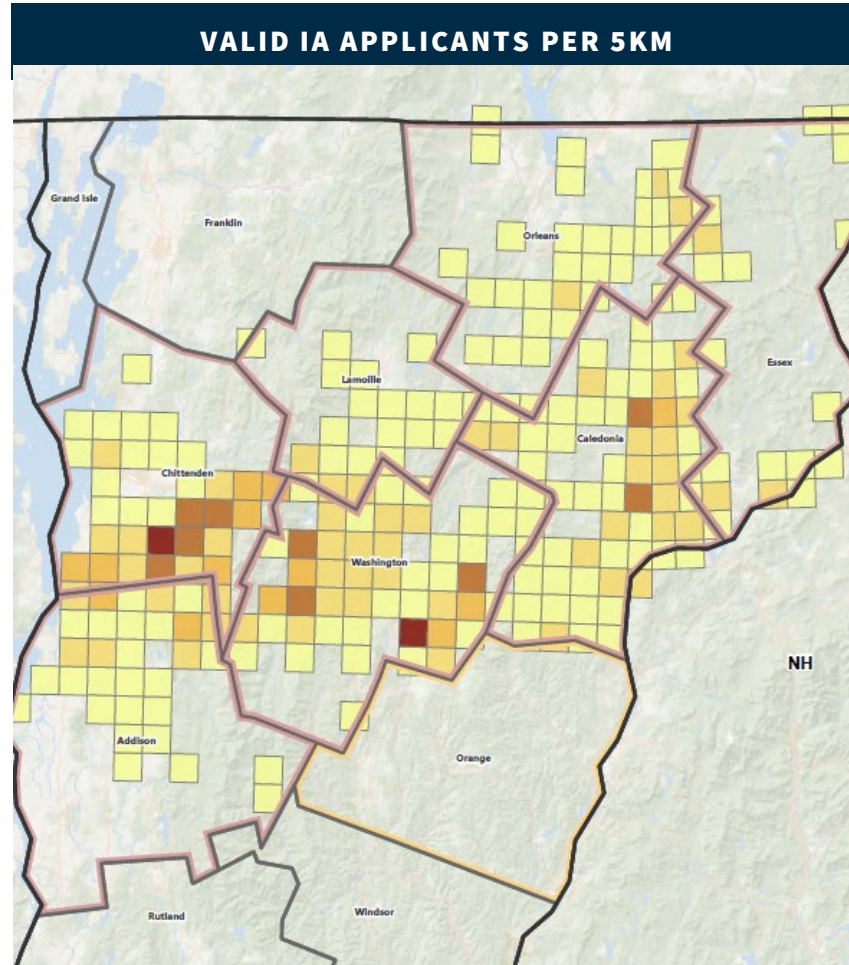
8/20/2024

### LAST FILING:

10/21/2024

### LEGEND:

- States
- Designated Counties
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 15
- ≤ 31
- ≤ 46
- ≤ 75



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
Washington	Chittenden	Caledonia	Addison	Orleans
<b>527</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>80</b>

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
<b>1,790</b>	<b>1,748</b>	<b>42</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
Referred Individuals	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>1,544</b>	<b>1,390</b>	<b>1,417</b>
Approved Amount	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>\$6,146,769</b>	<b>\$3,701,007</b>	<b>\$2,445,761</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
Owners	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>1,401</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>5%</b>
Renters	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>131</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>8%</b>

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## DR-4807-SD

### INCIDENT TYPE:

Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding

### DECLARED:

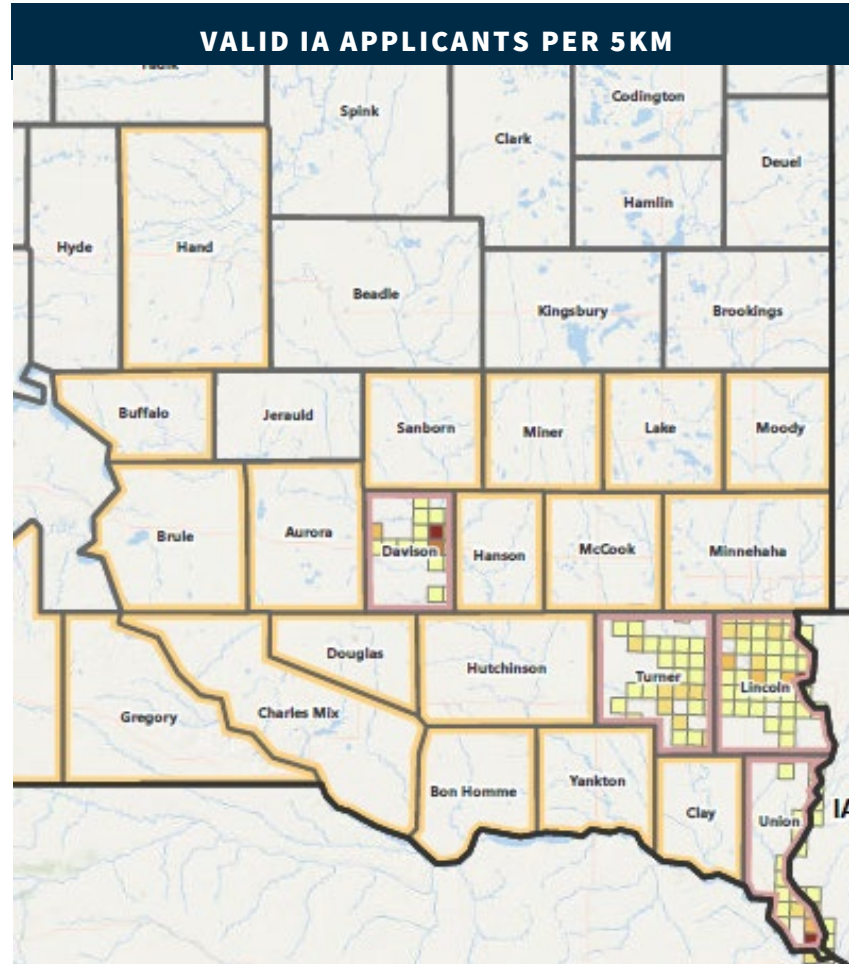
8/15/2024

### LAST FILING:

10/15/2024

### LEGEND:

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 19
- ≤ 56
- ≤ 101
- ≤ 191



Top 4 Counties with FEMA Applicants			
Lincoln	Davison	Union	Turner
<b>446</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>116</b>

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
<b>1,354</b>	<b>1,280</b>	<b>74</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
Referred Individuals	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>1,171</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,141</b>
Approved Amount	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>\$8,068,892</b>	<b>\$5,486,571</b>	<b>\$2,582,320</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
Owners	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>1,185</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>2%</b>
Renters	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>119</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>3%</b>

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## DR-4806-FL

**INCIDENT TYPE:**

Hurricane Debby

**DECLARED:**

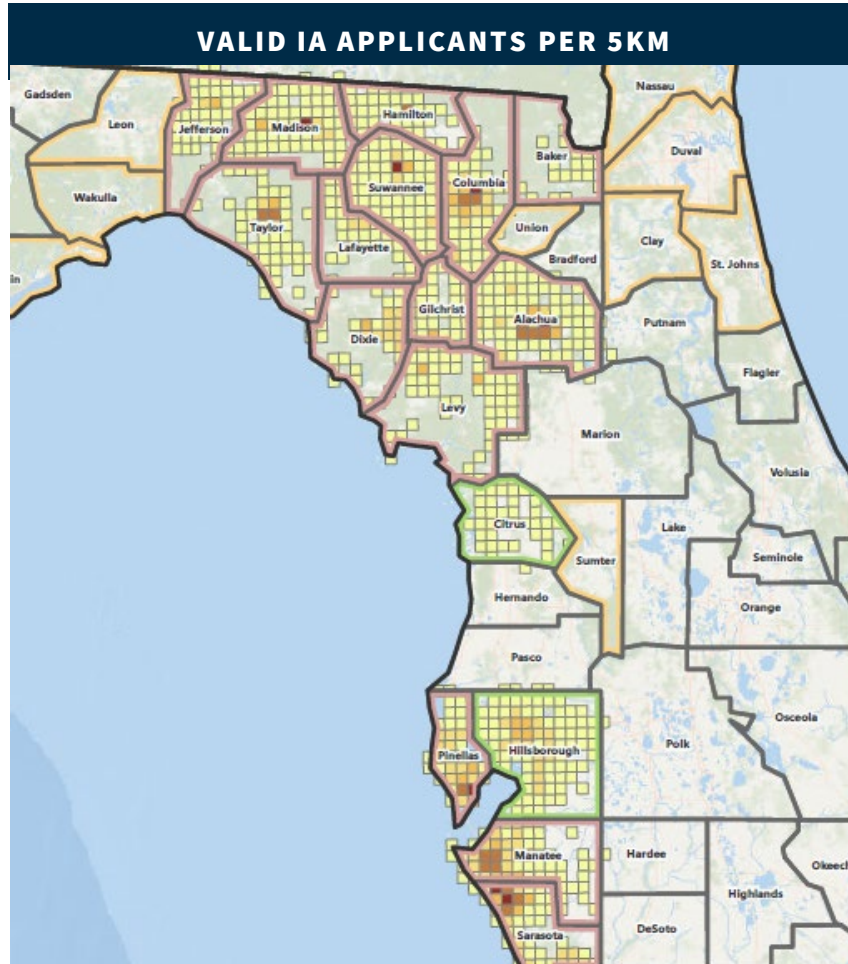
8/10/2024

**LAST FILING:**

10/09/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 44
- ≤ 130
- ≤ 259
- ≤ 473
- ≤ 1,066



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
Sarasota	Columbia	Manatee	Alachua	Pinellas
<b>4,835</b>	<b>1,701</b>	<b>3,651</b>	<b>3,408</b>	<b>3,017</b>

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
<b>34,138</b>	<b>32,345</b>	<b>1,793</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
Referred Individuals	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>21,499</b>	<b>17,376</b>	<b>19,460</b>
Approved Amount	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>\$36,674,885</b>	<b>\$14,217,890</b>	<b>\$22,456,994</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
Owners	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>14,657</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>3%</b>
Renters	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>14,322</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>4%</b>

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## DR-4798-TX

**INCIDENT TYPE:**

Hurricane Beryl

**DECLARED:**

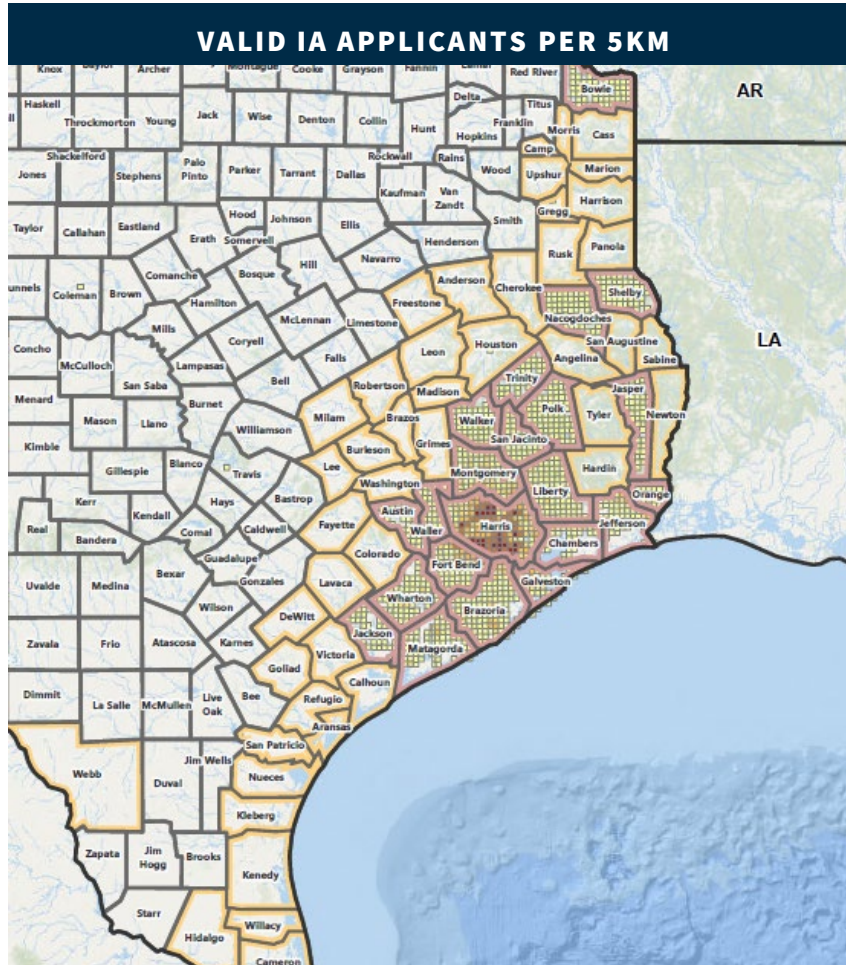
7/09/24

**LAST FILING:**

10/10/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 559
- ≤ 1,771
- ≤ 3,674
- ≤ 6,325
- ≤ 10,764



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
<b>Harris</b>	<b>Fort Bend</b>	<b>Montgomery</b>	<b>Brazoria</b>	<b>Galveston</b>
<b>689,307</b>	<b>113,417</b>	<b>79,857</b>	<b>65,143</b>	<b>42,800</b>

Registrations		
<b>Total</b>	<b>Valid</b>	<b>Invalid</b>
<b>1,091,174</b>	<b>1,074,449</b>	<b>16,725</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
<b>Referred Individuals</b>	<b>IHP</b>	<b>HA</b>	<b>ONA</b>
	<b>937,046</b>	<b>619,096</b>	<b>873,618</b>
<b>Approved Amount</b>	<b>IHP</b>	<b>HA</b>	<b>ONA</b>
	<b>\$744,027,732</b>	<b>\$116,154,348</b>	<b>\$627,873,383</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
<b>Owners</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Destroyed</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
	<b>439,572</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>Renters</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Destroyed</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
	<b>321,635</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>8%</b>

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## DR-4797-MN

### INCIDENT TYPE:

Severe Storms and Flooding

### DECLARED:

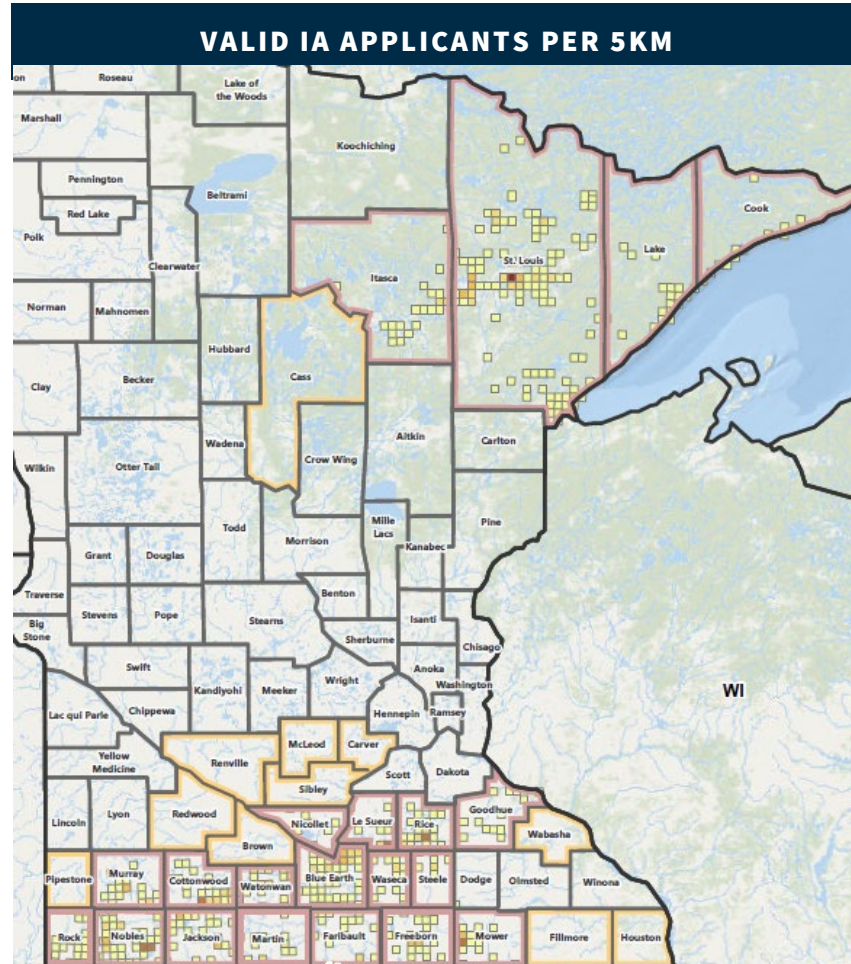
6/28/2024

### LAST FILING:

9/27/2024

### LEGEND:

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 29
- ≤ 73
- ≤ 144
- ≤ 267



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
St. Louis	Blue Earth	Nobles	Cottonwood	Rice
<b>843</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>207</b>

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
<b>3,834</b>	<b>3,705</b>	<b>129</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
<i>Referred Individuals</i>	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>3,478</b>	<b>3,299</b>	<b>3,244</b>
<i>Approved Amount</i>	IHP	HA	ONA
	<b>\$12,929,600</b>	<b>\$7,761,520</b>	<b>\$5,168,080</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
<i>Owners</i>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>3,344</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>2%</b>
<i>Renters</i>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	<b>338</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>4%</b>

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## DR-4796-IA

**INCIDENT TYPE:**

Severe Storms, Flooding, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds

**DECLARED:**

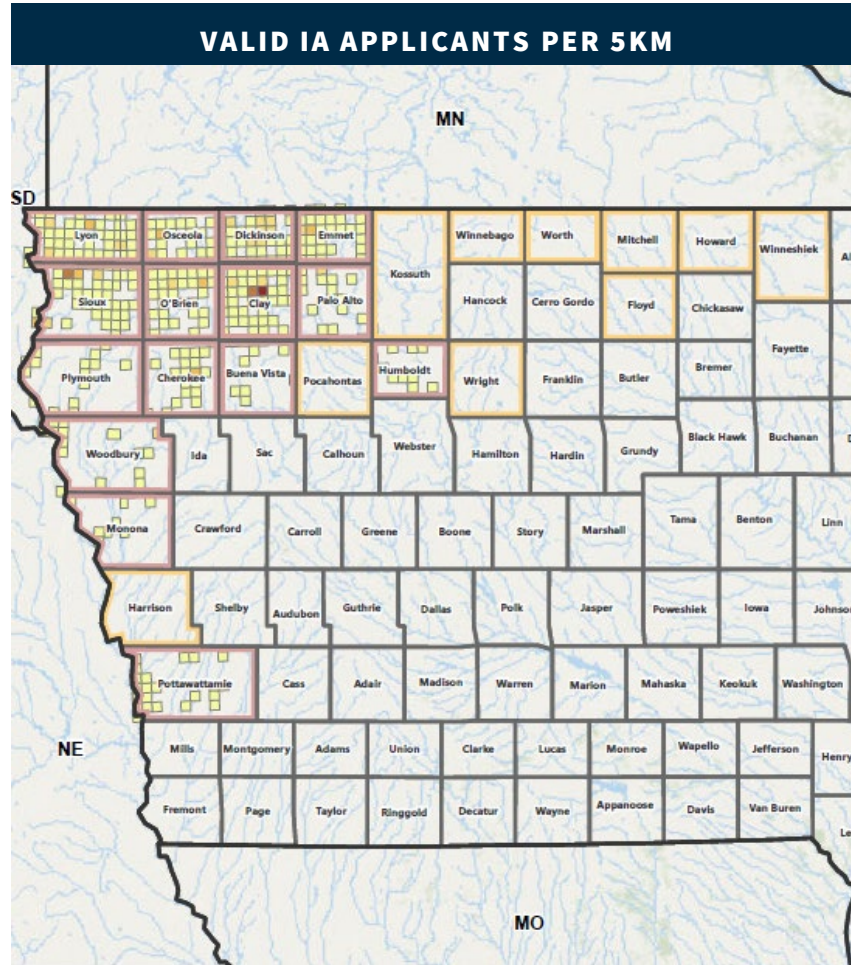
6/24/2024

**LAST FILING:**

10/22/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 29
- ≤ 102
- ≤ 281
- ≤ 792
- ≤ 1,330



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
Clay	Sioux	O'Brien	Lyon	Dickinson
2,519	1,180	770	659	539

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
7,821	7,543	278

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
<b>Referred Individuals</b>	IHP	HA	ONA
	7,057	6,154	6,895
<b>Approved Amount</b>	IHP	HA	ONA
	\$62,025,367	\$41,569,868	\$20,455,499

Applicant Reported Damages						
<b>Owners</b>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	5,861	33%	43%	20%	2%	3%
<b>Renters</b>	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	1,576	27%	27%	33%	7%	5%

# Registration Information

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FEMA

## DR-4795-NM

**INCIDENT TYPE:**

South Fork Fire,  
Salt Fire Flooding

**DECLARED:**

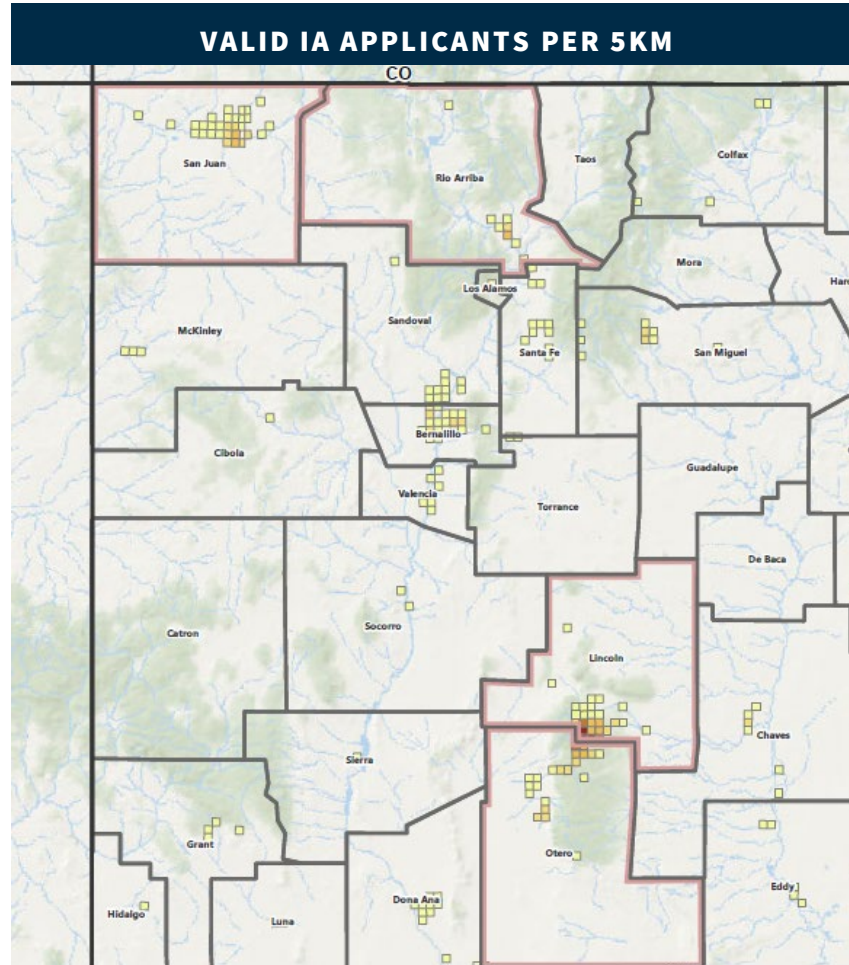
6/20/2024

**LAST FILING:**

10/19/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (All) per 5KM
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 14
- ≤ 63
- ≤ 161
- ≤ 608



Top 5 Counties with FEMA Applicants				
Lincoln	Otero	San Juan	Rio Arriba	Bernalillo
2,227	281	163	52	49

Registrations		
Total	Valid	Invalid
3,009	2,864	145

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
Referred Individuals	IHP	HA	ONA
	1,908	1,411	1,774
Approved Amount	IHP	HA	ONA
	\$6,859,039	\$4,119,164	\$2,739,874

Applicant Reported Damages						
Owners	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	1,277	28%	16%	12%	29%	15%
Renters	Total	Minor	Moderate	Major	Destroyed	Unknown
	613	28%	15%	21%	16%	20%



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FEMA

## DR-4787-WV

**INCIDENT TYPE:**

Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides

**DECLARED:**

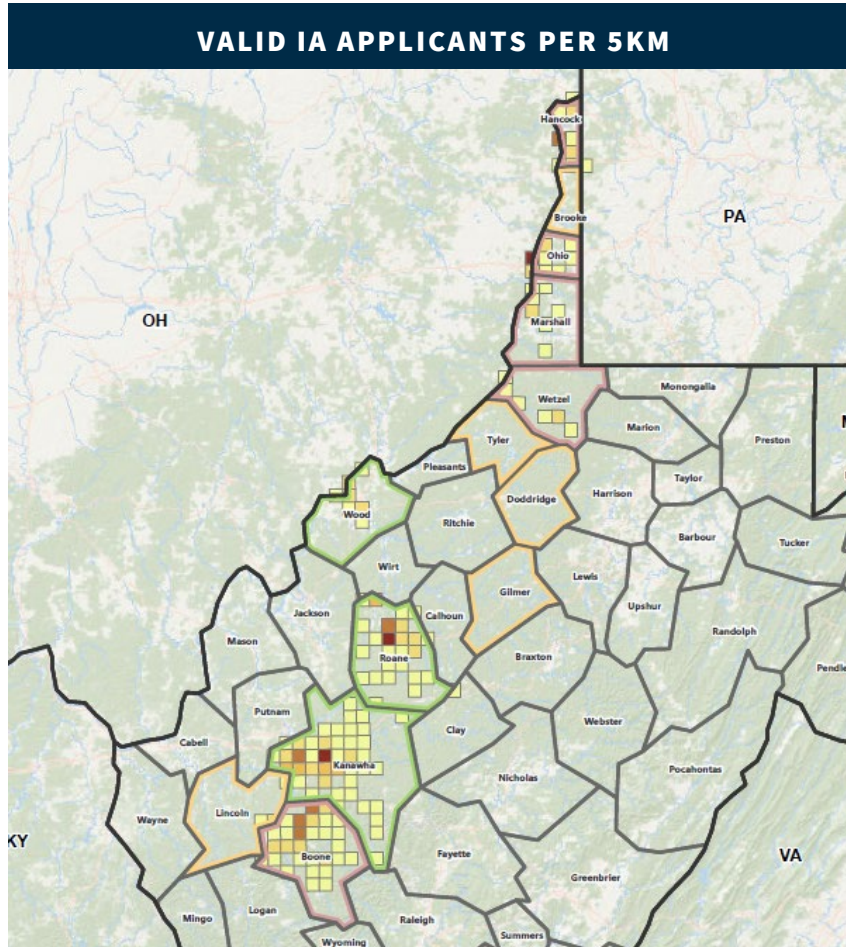
5/24/2024

**LAST FILING:**

11/02/2024

**LEGEND:**

- States
- Designated Counties**
- IA
- PA
- IAPA
- No Designation
- IA Applicants (Valid) per 5KM**
- ≤ 10
- ≤ 12
- ≤ 13
- ≤ 28
- ≤ 45



Top 3 Counties with FEMA Applicants		
<b>Kanawha</b>	<b>Boone</b>	<b>Roane</b>
<b>196</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>122</b>

Registrations		
<b>Total</b>	<b>Valid</b>	<b>Invalid</b>
<b>655</b>	<b>604</b>	<b>51</b>

Individual and Households Program (IHP) Breakdown			
<b>Referred Individuals</b>	<b>IHP</b>	<b>HA</b>	<b>ONA</b>
	<b>573</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>529</b>
<b>Approved Amount</b>	<b>IHP</b>	<b>HA</b>	<b>ONA</b>
	<b>\$2,456,955</b>	<b>\$1,690,903</b>	<b>\$766,051</b>

Applicant Reported Damages						
<b>Owners</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Destroyed</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
	<b>464</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>2%</b>
<b>Renters</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Destroyed</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
	<b>144</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>3%</b>

# Regional Efforts



## Region 1 *(ME, VT, NH, MA, CT, RI)*

### DR-4810-VT:

- Vermonters affected by severe storm, flooding, landslides, and mudslides from July 9-11, 2024, have until **October 21, 2024**, to apply for FEMA assistance.
- VALs continue to advocate for the private bridge rebuild project with Mennonite Disaster Service, coordinating with FEMA Interagency Recovery Coordination, the Federal Disaster Recovery Officer, and the *Engineers Without Borders* collegiate chapter of the University of Vermont, for potential hands-on project support.
- The VAL Team continues to support seven Long Term Recovery Groups in various stages of development, procuring national, and local resources aiding in their recovery efforts. In conjunction with the State Individual Assistance Officer and Vermont VOAD, VALs are also facilitating a series of capacity-building webinars to LTRGs.
- **VAL POC:** [Robin Young](#)

### DR-4820-CT:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the state of Connecticut to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by severe storms, flooding, landslides, and mudslides from August 18-19, 2024. The disaster declaration makes federal funding available to affected individuals in **Fairfield, Litchfield, and New Haven Counties**.
- Federal funding is also available on a cost-sharing basis for hazard mitigation measures statewide.

## Region 2 *(NY, NJ, PR, USVI)*

### DR-4818-NY:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the **Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe** to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by the severe storms and flooding from August 8-10, 2024. **Public Assistance** federal funding is available to the Tribal Nation and certain private nonprofit organizations on a cost-sharing basis for emergency work and the repair or replacement of facilities damaged by the severe storms and flooding. Federal funding is also available on a cost-sharing basis for hazard mitigation measures.

### DR-4825-NY:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the state of New York to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by the remnants of Tropical Storm Debby from August 8–10, 2024. **Public Assistance** federal funding is available to the state, tribal, and eligible local governments and certain **private nonprofit organizations** on a cost-sharing basis for emergency work and the repair or replacement of facilities damaged by Tropical Storm Debby in **Allegany, Broome, Delaware, Essex, Franklin, Jefferson, Ontario, Steuben, St. Lawrence, and Yates Counties**. Federal funding is also available on a cost-sharing basis for hazard mitigation measures statewide.

## Region 3 *(DC, MD, VA, PA, WV, DE)*

### DR-4815-PA:

- A new **Disaster Recovery Center** (DRC) opened at the Penn-York Retreat Center in Potter County: Hepburn Township Volunteer Fire Company, 615 East Route 973 Highway, Cogan Station, PA 17728. Hours of operation are Monday – Saturday, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. With this addition, survivors are able to visit DRCs in all four disaster-designated counties in Pennsylvania: Lycoming, Potter, Tioga, and Union Counties. [Click for full list.](#)
- The VAL Team is working with the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency State VAL on an updated common operating plan for disaster.
- **VAL POC:** [Amy Eden](#)

# Regional Efforts



FEMA

## Region 4 *(KY, TN, SC, NC, GA, AL, MS, FL)*

### DR-4806-FL:

- FEMA has opened Mobile Disaster Recovery Center in Baker County to provide one-on-one help to Floridians affected by Hurricane Debby. **Center location: Baker County**, Baker County Fairgrounds, 5567 Lauramore Road, Macclenny, FL 32063. Open 10 a.m.–8 p.m. Monday-Thursday. When this center moves to a new location, details will be provided.
- To find other center locations for Hurricane Debby go to [fema.gov/drc](https://fema.gov/drc) or text “DRC” and a Zip Code to 43362.

### DR-4821-GA:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the state of Georgia to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by Tropical Storm Debby from Aug. 4–20, 2024. The declaration makes federal funding available to affected **individuals in Bryan, Buhr lloch, Chatham, Effingham, Evans, Liberty, Long, and Screven Counties**.
- Federal funding for **Public Assistance** is also available to state, eligible local governments, and certain private nonprofit organizations on a cost-sharing basis for emergency work and the repair or replacement of facilities in Appling, Atkinson, Bacon, Brantley, Brooks, Bryan, Bulloch, Burke, Camden, Candler, Charlton, Chatham, Clinch, Coffee, Colquitt, Cook, Echols, Effingham, Evans, Jeff Davis, Jenkins, Lanier, Long, Lowndes, McIntosh, Pierce, Screven, Tattnall, Thomas, Tift, Toombs, Ware, and Wayne Counties.

### DR-4804-KY:

- Homeowners and renters affected by May 21-27 severe storms, straight-line winds, tornadoes, landslides, and mudslides are invited to Flatwoods Senior Center to meet with FEMA face to face. Disaster survivors can talk with FEMA experts to ask questions and learn everything they want to know about federal disaster assistance. FEMA, other federal agencies and local resources will be on hand to provide one-on-one assistance.
  - Sept. 27, 10 a.m.–7 p.m. ET; and Sept. 28, 9 a.m.–5 p.m. ET., at Flatwoods Senior Center, 2513 Reed St., Flatwoods, KY 41139.

## Region 5 *(MN, IL, WI, MI, IN, OH)*

### DR-4797-MN:

- FEMA/State DRC opened in **Murray County** to help residents kickstart their recovery after the severe storms and flooding of June 16 – July 4, 2024: Fulda Senior Center 107 N. Lafayette Ave., Fulda, MN 56131 Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Closed Sundays.
- FEMA has extended the application deadline to **October 27, 2024**, for survivors in the [21 counties](#) designated for Individual Assistance (IA).
- VALs have begun outreach efforts in counties newly designated for IA.
- The VAL Team continues to build capacity around participation in Long Term Recovery Groups with local partners.
- **VAL POC: [Tamara Theiler](#)**

### DR-4819-IL:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the state of Illinois to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by severe storms, tornadoes, straight-line winds, and flooding from July 13-16, 2024. The disaster declaration makes federal funding available to affected individuals in **Cook, Fulton, Henry, St. Clair, Washington, Will, and Winnebago Counties**.
- Federal funding is also available on a cost-sharing basis for hazard mitigation measures statewide.

# Regional Efforts



FEMA

## Region 6 (AR, LA, NM, TX, OK)

### DR-4652-NM | HERMIT'S PEAK/CALF CANYON:

- By law, the Claims Office can only pay claims that include the required documentation. After filing a Notice of Loss (NOL), claimants have 150 days to provide documents showing Proof of Loss (POL). If claimants think they will be unable to deliver the needed documents in 150 days, they can request an extension. Extensions are not automatic and must be requested by the claimant. It's important to know that claimants do not have to wait for a Navigator to reach out to them to submit documentation. Claimants may submit documentation any time after they have received their Letter of Acknowledgment. Documentation may be hand delivered directly to one of the three claims offices or may be submitted via email to: [FEMA-hermits-peak@FEMA.dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-hermits-peak@FEMA.dhs.gov), or mailed to: **P.O. Box 1329 Santa Fe, NM 87504**.
- People impacted by the Hermit's Peak/Calf Canyon Fire who are awaiting conservation restoration plans from the U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) are encouraged to start a FEMA claim as soon as possible. Affected individuals should not wait for the NRCS to inspect their properties before filing a Notice of Loss (NOL) with the FEMA Hermits Peak/Calf Canyon Claims Office as they may risk missing the Nov. 14, 2024, deadline due to NRCS working through a heavy backlog.
- The State's Disaster Case Management Team is hosting a **Contractor Connects** event on Saturday, 10/19 from 10am to 2pm at Mora Elementary School Gymnasium, 455 NM-518 Ranger Drive, Mora, NM 87732. The event will be a community rebuilding and repair expo for those impacted by the Hermit's Peak/Calf Canyon Fires. Residents can get assistance with finding and hiring a contractor for rebuilding, repairing, and flood clean-up; meet licensed contractors ready to start working; and get help from disaster case managers.

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## HERMIT'S PEAK / CALF CANYON

FEMA CLAIMS OFFICE **BY THE NUMBERS**

FEMA HAS PAID\* **10,417**  
CLAIMS TOTALING **\$1.35B**

In **85%** of claims the Claims Office has compensated the amount the claimant requested or more.

Individuals & Households .....	<b>\$0.99B</b>
Business .....	<b>\$194.2M</b>
Government .....	<b>\$103.3M</b>
Tribal Nations .....	<b>\$10.3M</b>
Nonprofits .....	<b>\$10.8M</b>
Other.....	<b>\$49.8M</b>

### MORA COUNTY

FEMA has approved\*\* \$135.6M out of \$157.5M in Claims\*\*\* Submitted with Documentation

**86% Requested Dollar Amounts Approved so Far**

**Number of Claims (Signed Proof of Loss)**  
1,167 Approved  
1,249 Submitted  
**93% Submitted Claims Approved so Far**

### SAN MIGUEL COUNTY

FEMA has approved\*\* \$654.4M out of \$772.3M in Claims\*\*\* Submitted with Documentation

**85% Requested Dollar Amounts Approved so Far**

**Number of Claims (Signed Proof of Loss)**  
6,932 Approved  
7,361 Submitted  
**94% Submitted Claims Approved so Far**

\*Paid means FEMA has sent a payment request to the U.S. Treasury.  
 \*\*Approved means FEMA has sent—or is about to send—a payment request to the U.S. Treasury.  
 \*\*\*A Claim is a signed Proof of Loss with supporting documentation.

# Regional Efforts



## Region 6 *(AR, LA, NM, TX, OK) continued*

### DR-4795-NM:

- The Lincoln County COAD and LTRG has been officially developed to serve residents of Ruidoso and Lincoln County impacted by the wildfires and subsequent flooding. An executive board has been established that consists of board chair, board co-chair, board secretary, and board treasurer. The VALs will work with the COAD and LTRG to identify support and technical assistance needed to develop any committees or sub-committees.
- Effective Saturday, 9/28, the State of New Mexico/FEMA Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) hours at the Horton Complex, 237 Service Road, Ruidoso, NM 88345 will be Monday through Friday, 9am to 6pm and Saturdays, 12pm to 4pm MT.
- Disaster Legal Services (DLS) is a free service, funded by FEMA and available to southern New Mexico residents impacted by the South Fork and Salt Fires and flooding that began June 17 through Aug. 20. If you are in need of legal services and you live in **Lincoln, Otero, Rio Arriba or San Juan Counties or the Mescalero Apache Reservation**, DLS may be able to help. Disaster Legal Services are provided through the Young Lawyers Division of the American Bar Association (ABA). You can reach them at **1-855-204-2569**. DLS may only give advice and help with cases that won't have a fee. For fee cases, they may suggest a local lawyer referral service.
- For purposes of the Post-Wildfire Exception, the federal agency responsible for the land on which the post-wildfire conditions existed determines the fire containment date. The Post-Wildfire Exception of the 30-day waiting period is determined on a case-by-case basis at the time of loss using the above criteria. Referred to as the Post-Wildfire Exception, the standard 30-day waiting period does not apply to new policies if, at the time of your flood loss, all of the following criteria are met. For more information about flood insurance, please call your insurance agent or contact the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Call Center at 877-336-2627.
  - The covered property experiences damage caused by flood that originated on federal land; and
  - Post-wildfire conditions on federal land caused or worsened the flooding; and
  - The policyholder purchased the policy either before the fire containment date; or during the 60-calendar-day period following the fire containment date.

# Regional Efforts



FEMA

## Region 6 (AR, LA, NM, TX, OK)

### DR-4817-LA:

- Homeowners and renters in **Jefferson Parish** are now eligible for FEMA assistance to help them recover from Hurricane Francine. FEMA and the State of Louisiana opened **Disaster Recovery Centers** in St. Mary, Terrebonne and Lafourche parishes to provide one-on-one help to Louisiana residents affected by Hurricane Francine. The centers will operate from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday. Center locations:
  - **Morgan City Municipal Auditorium**, 728 Myrtle Street, Morgan City, LA 70380.
  - **Terrebonne Parish Library**, 151 Library Dr., Houma, LA 70360.
  - **Lafourche Parish Emergency Operations Center**, 4876 Hwy. 1 Raceland, LA 70394.
- **VAL POC:** [Regina Bennett](#)

### DR-4781-TX | DR-4798-TX:

- The VAL continues supporting several lines of effort, including the procurement of resources for unmet needs, development of new Long Term Recovery Groups while supporting existing ones, collaboration with Transitional Sheltering Assistance, and drafting of a grant guide for recovery efforts, among others.
- The deadline to apply for FEMA assistance for DR-4798-TX is October 10, 2024.

## Region 7 (IA, KS, NE, MO)

### DR-4803-MO:

- FEMA's Sept. 23 registration deadline has passed. State/federal Disaster Recovery Centers have closed. The FEMA Helpline remains available daily from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. local time. Other Helpful Numbers:
  - Missouri 2-1-1
  - Disaster Legal Services: 1-800-829-4128
  - Disaster Distress Helpline: 1-800-985-5990
- Missourians in the counties of Barry, Butler, Carter, Howell, New Madrid, FEMA will be providing free **mitigation, repair, and rebuilding advice coming up in Davison and Union Counties**. FEMA mitigation specialists will be available at the following locations:
  - Davison County – Menards, 815 E Spruce St, Mitchell, SD, 57301. Sept. 25 through Sept. 29 from the hours of 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
  - Union County - Olson's Ace Hardware, 305 NW 13th St, Beresford, SD 57004. Oct. 2 through Oct. 5 from the hours of 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Oct 6 from the hours of 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- In collaboration with the State VAL, FEMA VALs have developed an initial plan for voluntary agency support to meet downed-tree removal needs.
- The VAL Team has also compiled and submitted a County Resource, Goods, and Services Tracker, as well as a Local Lumber Mill Resource List to the State.
- VAL POC: [Jonathan Gulletta](#)

# Regional Efforts



FEMA

## Region 7 *(IA, KS, NE, MO) continued*

### DR-4822-NE:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the state of Nebraska to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by the severe storms, straight-line winds, tornadoes, and flooding from June 20 – July 8, 2024. **Public Assistance** federal funding is available to the state, tribal, and eligible local governments and certain **private nonprofit organizations** on a cost-sharing basis for emergency work and the repair or replacement of facilities damaged by the severe storms, straight-line winds, tornadoes, and flooding in **Boyd, Clay, Dakota, Dawson, Douglas, Fillmore, Holt, Howard, Lincoln, McPherson, Nance, Nemaha, Saunders, Scotts Bluff, Thomas, and Washington Counties**.
- Federal funding is also available on a cost-sharing basis for hazard mitigation measures statewide.

### DR-4824-KS:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the state of Kansas to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by the severe storms, straight-line winds, tornadoes, and flooding from June 26 – July 7, 2024. **Public Assistance** federal funding is available to the state, tribal, and eligible local governments and certain **private nonprofit organizations** on a cost-sharing basis for emergency work and the repair or replacement of facilities damaged by the severe storms, straight-line winds, tornadoes and flooding in **Chase, Clark, Comanche, Doniphan, Finney, Geary, Gray, Greeley, Hamilton, Kearny, Meade, Scott, Thomas, and Wabaunsee Counties**.
- Federal funding is also available on a cost-sharing basis for hazard mitigation measures statewide.

## Region 8 *(CO, SD, ND, UT, WY, MT)*

### DR-4807-SD:

- **Disaster Legal Services hotline** is now available to provide legal assistance to South Dakotans impacted by this summer’s severe storms and flooding. The hotline connects residents in Davison, Lincoln, Turner, and Union Counties with free legal services for those who cannot afford an attorney. Residents can reach the hotline at 605-444-3719 during business hours from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Callers can also leave a message outside of business hours, and a representative will return your call.
- For more information on the assistance available through DSL, [click here](#).

## Region 10 *(OR, AK, WA, ID)*

### DR-4823:

- Federal disaster assistance is available to the **Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation** to supplement recovery efforts in the areas affected by wildfires from June 22 – July 8, 2024. The declaration makes federal funding available to affected individuals in the Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation.

# FEMA HQ Donations

DATA AS OF 9/27/2024 AT 12:00 PM ET

If your organization is interested in the available donation offers, can fulfill any of the identified needs – or has product needs for current operations, please reach out to the Donations team at [donations@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:donations@fema.dhs.gov)



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**UPDATED DAILY**

## Donations Dashboard

<https://fema.connectsolutions.com/donations>

For most up to date availability, specific details on these donations, and partner priority needs.



*Click here to access or use our QR code to access on a mobile device.*

## Available Donations

Visit the Donations Dashboard to learn more about **qualified recipients**.

Face Masks  
*(non-medical)*

Appliances

Containers, Foggers,  
and PPE

Hand Sanitizer  
*(1.36oz, 3.38oz, 12.85oz)*

Interior Grade Plywood  
*(1/4" and 3/4")*

File Cabinets  
*(4 and 2 drawer)*  
and Bookshelves

## Priority Needs

- Repair and Rebuild Materials (LA)
- Personal Hygiene Items, Canned Food (OK)
- Bleach and Water (MN)
- Plastic Storage Containers (NC)
- Rebuild and Recovery Supplies (NC)
- Food, Cleaning Supplies, and Hygiene Products (MI)
- Hygiene Kits, Food, Sleeping Bags, Mattresses, Cleaning and Rebuild Supplies, and Diapers (MS)
- Sandbags (NM)
- Tarps and Personal Goods( TX)
- Hand Sanitizer and Transportation (MN)
- COVID Test Kits (CA)







PARTNERS IN ACTION

# Multi-Hazards



If you need assistance with damage from the disasters in the listed areas, call the number provided to ask for help.

We will connect you with volunteers from local relief organizations, community groups, and faith communities who may be able to assist with:

-  Cutting fallen trees
-  Drywall, flooring & appliance removal
-  Tarping roofs
-  Mold mitigation



**All services are free, but service is not guaranteed due to the overwhelming need.**

**[WWW.CRISISCLEANUP.ORG](http://WWW.CRISISCLEANUP.ORG)**

Please Note: this hotline CANNOT assist with social services such as food, clothing, shelter, insurance, or questions about FEMA registration. Volunteers work free of charge and provide the tools and equipment necessary to complete the work.

VOLUNTARY AGENCY LIAISON SNAPSHOT



## Hurricane Helene Cleanup

Hotline: **(844) 965-1386**

*Crisis Cleanup anticipates that most volunteer groups will work through Friday, October 11, 2024.*

Relief organizations who are responding may request access by logging into [crisiscleanup.org](http://crisiscleanup.org) and clicking "Request Redeploy" on the Dashboard. If your organization plans to help with muck outs, chainsaw work, tarping, etc., you may click the "Register" button on the login page.



## North Carolina Unnamed Storm

Hotline: **(910) 218-1569**

*Crisis Cleanup anticipates that most volunteer groups will work through Friday, October 4, 2024.*

PARTNERS IN ACTION

# Florida

The [Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort \(CCDRE\)](#) immediately responded to Florida residents impacted by Hurricane Debby by providing emergency clean up kits. They are now working in coordination with the Taylor County Strong LTRG and local Church of Christ churches in Taylor County to distribute furniture and appliances to those affected.

**CCDRE is willing to work with any other interested LTRG/COAD/VOADs in Florida. They can provide applicants that have unmet needs for furniture and appliances, which are distributed through a local church congregation in the community.**

Any LTRG/COADs interested in participating in the furniture and appliance program should contact the Churches of Christ in their local county to ask if they would be available to be a “Distribution Church” for the furniture and appliances that have been vetted by the LTRG/COAD and the Disaster Case Management Program.



PARTNERS IN ACTION

# California



September brought the start of a trio of wildfires to Southern California which caused tens of thousands of families to evacuate their homes. For the relief effort, the local government invited [Tzu Chi USA](#) volunteers to station at six Local Assistance Centers.

Volunteers' spiritual comfort accompanied condolence letters from Master Cheng Yen, emergency relief cash cards, and eco-friendly blankets to those most afflicted.

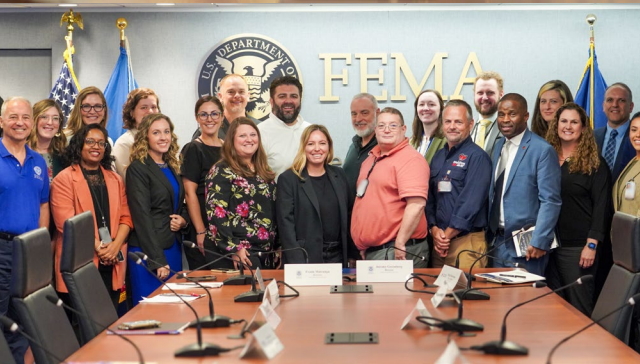
In cooperation with more than 20 government agencies and community organizations, Tzu Chi volunteers have made sure survivors receive appropriate relief care with warmth and love.

We want to feature you as a Partner in Action.  
Send your good work to [FEMA-VAL@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-VAL@fema.dhs.gov).

## FEMA + VAL OUTREACH STORIES

# Strength in Unity: The Power of Mass Care Partnerships

Over 500 partners from federal, state, Tribal Nation, and nongovernmental organizations met to discuss the fundamental role of a collaborative approach for mass care emergency assistance. The “Strength in Unity: The Power of Mass Care Partnerships” panel webinar was hosted during the VOISE Partner Call on September 16th. Shoutout to the FEMA IA Mass Care Section for their subject matter expert support to the VALs in the planning of this extraordinary conversation.



IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

# FEMA Updates its National Disaster Recovery Framework to Enhance Disaster Recovery



**The 30-day public comment period is open through Oct. 23, 2024.**

FEMA has updated the National Disaster Recovery Framework (NDRF) to streamline and clarify the federal government’s approach for providing disaster recovery resources and support to disaster impacted communities. The NDRF explains the federal government’s roles and responsibilities for organizing and deploying disaster recovery assistance. It also enhances effective collaboration among federal agencies and state, local, territorial governments and Tribal Nations, while informing nongovernmental partners.

States, local governments, Tribal Nations and territories, as well as nonprofits and the emergency management community, are encouraged to visit [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov) to review FEMA’s updates to its National Disaster Recovery Framework. Key revisions focus on clarifying roles and responsibilities, detailing the Federal Recovery Support Function structure and its role in supporting local recovery goals, enhancing collaboration across the whole community, and providing practical resources to assist in recovery planning efforts.

The updates also incorporate feedback from Tribal Nations, territories, state and local partners, nonprofits and voluntary organizations. FEMA engaged business, industry and academic partners to gather lessons learned, best practices and other input to maximize the usefulness of the framework.

**[REVIEW FEMA’S UPDATES TO ITS NDRF](#)**

The 30-day public comment period is open through Oct. 23, 2024. Written comments may be submitted through [fema.gov](https://www.fema.gov); any remarks received during the comment period will be reviewed and considered for the final version of the framework.

# In Case You Missed It



## Proposed Public Assistance Reopening of Comment Period

FEMA’s Public Assistance Division has re-opened and extended the public comment period for the proposed Public Assistance Update Rule, in order to accommodate stakeholder interest in providing additional input.

In “Update of FEMA's Public Assistance Regulations,” FEMA proposes to amend its Public Assistance and Community Disaster Loan program regulations to both improve program administration and incorporate statutory changes relating to Public Assistance and Community Disaster Loans.

Interested persons are invited to participate in this rulemaking by submitting comments and related materials. FEMA will consider all comments and material received during the comment period. **The public comment period is now open to October 18, 2024.**

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Please visit [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) to view the proposed rule, comments received, and all supporting documents.

## Emergency Manager Exchange Program Enrollment Extended

FEMA invites state, local, Tribal Nation and territorial emergency managers to apply for the Emergency Manager Exchange (EMX) program. The agency wants your experience and expertise to help shape our programs and policies. **The nomination period opened Aug. 26 and has been extended to Sept. 30.**

During the exchange, non-federal emergency managers will work for six months in FEMA offices engaging with decision makers. FEMA staff will be sent to the emergency manager’s home office to help fill in gaps and learn about the participant’s emergency management work.

Emergency Managers can apply for the EMX program by submitting their resume and a nomination letter from their home office. Requirement details and submission information can be found [online](#).

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