ONE-TO-ONE ASSISTANCE REMAINS FOR NEW JERSEY SURVIVORS

TRENTON, N.J. — Due to registration for federal disaster assistance being extended until Monday, April 1, six disaster recovery centers previously announced as closing will remain open in New Jersey.

Federal Emergency Management Agency staff are available at nine centers to provide clarification to letters, assist survivors with finding a temporary home if their primary residence was damaged or destroyed, check on the status of their application for assistance or refer survivors to other agencies that may provide additional help. Survivors also can consult with Small Business Administration customer service representatives and FEMA mitigation specialists.

Center hours are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays. They are located at the following locations:

Atlantic County
Hamilton Mall
4403 Blackhorse Pike
Mays Landing, NJ 08330

Cape May County
Ocean City Community Center
1735 Simpson Ave.
Ocean City, NJ 08226

Hudson County
Hudson County Government Building
830 Bergen Ave.
Jersey City, NJ 07306

Monmouth County
Union Beach Municipal Building
650 Poole Ave.
Union Beach, NJ 07735

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Survivors also can visit SBA disaster loans outreach and business recovery centers to speak to SBA customer service representatives. Individuals can apply for SBA disaster home loans up to $200,000 to repair their homes and an additional $40,000 to help pay for things like furniture, clothes and vehicles that were damaged and not covered by insurance. Businesses and non-profit organizations may borrow up to $2 million.

Survivors must complete and return their disaster loan applications by April 1.

SBA center hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday unless otherwise indicated. They are located at the following locations:

**Atlantic County**
Union Avenue School/Margate City Hall
9001 Winchester Ave.
Margate City, NJ 08402
*hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday

**Cape May County**
Cape May County Chamber of Commerce
13 Crest Haven Road
Cape May Courthouse, NJ 08210
*hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday

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Essex County
Rutgers University
25 James St.
Newark, NJ 07102

Hudson County
New Jersey City University
285 West Side Avenue Suites 193
Jersey City, NJ 07305

Middlesex County
Sayreville Senior Center
423 Main St.
Sayreville, NJ 08872
*hours are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday

Monmouth County
Long Branch Fire Station No. 4
199-205 Union Ave.
Long Branch, NJ 07740
*hours are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday

Belmar Municipal Building
601 Main St.
Belmar, NJ 07719
*hours are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday

Brookdale Community College
Bankier Library
765 Newman Springs Road
Lincroft, NJ 07738

Ocean County
Southern Ocean County Chamber of Commerce
West Bay Ave.
Manahawkin, NJ 08050
*hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Saturday

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Passaic County
Small Business Development Center
131 Ellison St.
Paterson, NJ 07505

Union County
Business One-Stop Service--The Incubator
320 Park Ave.
Plainfield, NJ 07060

Help and information from FEMA are always available online or by phone. Survivors can check on the status of their disaster assistance applications at DisasterAssistance.gov, by using a smartphone or tablet at m.FEMA.gov, or by calling 800-621-FEMA (3362), TTY 800-462-7585 or 711/VRS. They also can call those numbers to inquire about rental recertification.

Survivors can ask questions about their SBA disaster home or business loan applications by calling 800-659-2955 or TTY 800-877-8339 or emailing disastercustomerservice@sba.gov.

Survivors who have questions about flood insurance claims and the appeals process can call 888-379-9531.

Additional resources are available online at FEMA.gov/SandyNJ and SBA.gov/Sandy.

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