

FEMA-1971-DR-AL / FEMA-3319-EM-AL
Joint Alabama - FEMA Situation Report No 40
(State Report No 49)
Incident Status Summary ICS 209A
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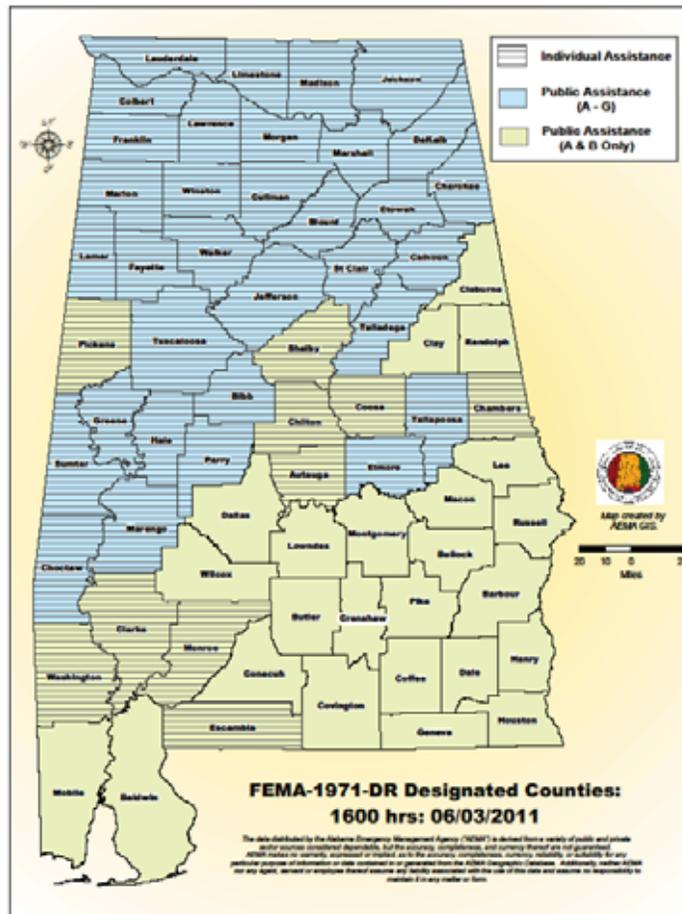
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FEMA-1971-DR-AL Declaration + 58 Days

1. Incident Name FEMA-1971-DR-AL FEMA-3319-EM-AL	2. Operational Period (Date / Time) From: June 22, 2011 0730 CDT To: June 25, 2011 0730 CDT	3. Date Prepared: June 25, 2011	4. Report No: 40
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5. Type of Incident: On or about April 15 severe storms, flooding and tornadoes resulted in seven (7) confirmed deaths and 18 reported injuries. Tornadoes, severe thunderstorms, hail and straight line winds began moving across the northern portion of Alabama in the early morning hours of April 27, 2011. A second wave involved numerous super-cell thunderstorms and produced long lived, strong to violent tornadoes across the northern two-thirds of central Alabama. The National Weather Service (NWS) meteorologist began assessment of storm damage from a tragically historic day of tornadic activity and severe weather. The NWS reported tornadoes ranging from EF1 to EF5. Multiple injuries and fatalities were reported.

6. Location/Map of Incident:



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7. Declaration Information: Incident Period: April 15, 2011 to May 31, 2011		
Date Issued	Declaration	Remarks
04272011	FEMA-3319-EM-AL	Emergency Declaration issued for all 67 counties specifically authorized to provide emergency protective measures (Category B), limited to direct federal assistance, under Public Assistance (PA) program.
04302011	Amendment No. 1	Amended to terminate Joe Girot as Federal Coordinating Official, and appoints Michael F. Byrne as Federal Coordinating Official.
05312011	Amendment No. 2	Amended to close the Incident Period
04282011	FEMA-1971-DR-AL	Major Disaster Declaration for Individual Assistance (IA) for Cullman, DeKalb, Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Marshall, Tuscaloosa and Walker Counties. All 67 counties approved for Public Assistance for debris removal and emergency protective measure (Categories A and B). Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) approved for all counties.
04292011	Amendment No. 1	Amended to include Marengo and Sumter Counties for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures under FEMA-3319-EM-AL).
04302011	Amendment No. 2	Amended to include Autauga, Calhoun, Elmore, Etowah, Marion, St. Clair and Tallapoosa Counties for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
04302011	Amendment No. 3	Amended to terminate Joe Girot as Federal Coordinating Official, and appoints Michael F. Byrne as Federal Coordinating Official.
05012011	Amendment No. 4	Amended to include Bibb, Blount, Cherokee, Choctaw, Fayette, Greene, Hale, Jackson, Limestone, Madison and Washington Counties for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05022011	Amendment No. 5	Amended to include Colbert, Morgan and Winston Counties for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05022011	Amendment No. 6	Amended to include Chilton, Coosa, Shelby, Pickens and Talladega Counties for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05032011	Amendment No. 7	Amended to include Lamar and Lauderdale Counties for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05042011	Amendment No. 8	Amended to include Chambers County for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05042011	Amendment No. 9	Amended to include Clarke and Perry Counties for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05062011	Amendment No. 10	Amended to include Monroe County for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05102011	Amendment No. 11	Amended to include Bibb, Blount, Calhoun, Cullman, DeKalb, Elmore, Franklin, Jackson, Limestone, Madison, Marion, Marshall, Walker, and Winston Counties for PA (Categories C-G), (already designated for IA and assistance for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, under the Public Assistance program.
05132011	Amendment No. 12	Amended to include Cherokee, Choctaw, Colbert, Etowah, Fayette, Hale, Jefferson, Lauderdale, Lawrence, Marengo, Morgan, St. Clair, Sumter, Talladega and Tallapoosa Counties for Public Assistance (Categories C-G), (already designated for Individual Assistance and assistance for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, under the Public Assistance program).

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05172011	Amendment No. 13	Amended to include Lamar and Tuscaloosa Counties for Public Assistance (Categories C-G), (already designated for Individual Assistance and assistance for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, under the Public Assistance program).
05052011	Amendment No. 14	Amended to authorize as a pilot project a 90 percent Federal cost share until June 12, 2011 (45 days from the date of the declaration) for Direct Federal Assistance for debris removal for those areas within counties designated for Public Assistance that are within, Or immediately adjacent to, areas of “extensive” or “catastrophic” damage as determined and depicted by the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency. Further, under this pilot program, FEMA shall obtain any applicable private insurance payments for debris removal to reimburse Federal costs to the fullest extent of the law.
05252011	Amendment No. 15	Amended a pilot project at 90 percent Federal cost share until July 12, 2011 for Direct Federal Assistance for debris removal for those areas within counties designated for Public Assistance that are within, or immediately adjacent to, areas of “extensive” or “catastrophic” damage as determined by the Federal Coordinating Officer applying objective standards used by the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency. FEMA shall continue to pursue any applicable private insurance payments for debris removal to reimburse Federal costs to the extent permitted by law. A ninety percent Federal cost share for all other eligible debris removal, including direct Federal assistance, from May 25, 2011 until July 12, 2011.
05312011	Amendment No. 17	Amended to close the Incident Period.
06012011	Amendment No. 16	Amended to include Escambia County for Individual Assistance (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, under the Public Assistance program). Greene and Perry Counties for Public Assistance (Categories C-G) (already designated for Individual Assistance and assistance for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, under the Public Assistance program).

Current Situation:

On June 24, 2011, FEMA approved Governor’s request to extend deadline to July 18, 2011 for Individual Assistance (IA).

A total of \$58,973,464 has been approved for Individuals and Households Program (IHP) and \$58,788,593 has been dispersed. Six hundred seventy-five (675) IHP Max Awards have been approved for a total of \$20,386,342.

Counties with the most significant number of registrations are: Blount – 1,154, Calhoun – 1,485, Cullman – 5,671, DeKalb – 2,729, Jackson – 2,383, Jefferson – 13,120, Lawrence – 2,116, Limestone – 2,586, Madison – 17,042, Marshall – 4,687, Morgan – 2,327, St. Clair – 1,850, Tuscaloosa – 12,508, and Walker – 2,215.

Registration for funeral assistance is 340 as of COB June 24, 2011, and 145 requests have been approved for a total of \$1,000,629.

As of June 24, 2011, 15 Disaster Recovery Centers (DRCs) were operational with a total of 31,380 visitors.

A total of 7,683 rental units have been identified as available.

A total of 368 Requests for Public Assistance (RPAs) have been submitted to the State; 372 RPAs have been logged into data entry and 372 have been entered into Emergency Management Mission Integrated Environment (EMMIE). One hundred twenty-two (122) Project Worksheets (PWs) have been received and entered into EMMIE and fifty-four (54) have been obligated for \$5,803,944. Three hundred forty-five (345) Kick-off Meetings have been completed.

There are 18 inspectors in the field. As of June 24, 2011, 46,515 inspections have been issued with 46,041 returned for 99 percent completion.

External Affairs (EA) has 85 Community Relations (CR) staff in the field, thirteen (13) are bi-lingual (including English, Spanish, Creole, Vietnamese, Laotian and Sign language).

Fifty-six (56) jurisdictions and two (2) lakes, Lake Martin (Tallapoosa County) and Neely Henry Lake (St. Clair County) for a total of 58 jurisdictions, have been approved for United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) debris removal assistance.

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An estimated 3.8 million Cubic Yards (CYs) of debris to be removed by USACE Mission Assignment (MA); a total of 3,296,384 CYs has been removed.

Hours of Operation for the Joint Field office (JFO) are 0730 CDT to 1800 CDT Monday through Saturday, closed Sunday.

9. Fatalities/Casualties:

9a. Fatalities: 250 confirmed by the County Coroners. As of June 23, 2011 (243 fatalities from April 27 and 7 from April, 15, 2011).

9b. Hospitalizations: N/A

9c. Injuries: N/A

10. Extent of Damage: N/A

10a. Specific Metrics: Alabama Forestry Commission; total damaged acres of 319,981 for a total value of \$266,088,751. Private landowner estimated 314,500 acres lost for a total value of \$258,624,313.

10b. Structures Damaged: American Red Cross damage estimates: major 5,800, minor 5,200, affected 4,700 – total 15,700

10c. Structures Destroyed: American Red Cross estimates 7,300.

10d. Power Outages: All power has been restored to customers capable of receiving services; at peak there were 1,119,299 customers without power.

11. Evacuation Status: N/A

12. Significant Impacting Weather in the past O-Period: Temperatures above normal, hot and thunderstorms.

13. Threats to Human Life: N/A

14. Threats to Structures: N/A

15. Threats or Disruptions to Infrastructure, Significant: Damages to private and public schools consists of four (4) with major damage, two (2) in Cullman County and one (1) each in DeKalb and Franklin counties; seven (7) with major roof damage, one (1) in Jasper City (Marion County), and six (6) in St. Clair County; and three (3) destroyed in Tuscaloosa County.

Critical facilities destroyed are Fire Station #18 (Jefferson County) and Kowaliga Fire Station #2 (Elmore County). Major damage occurred to the Cullman Emergency Medical Services (EMS) facility (Cullman County). Damaged and unusable facilities include the Tuscaloosa County Emergency Management building, Salvation Army building, and the Cullman County Courthouse.

Multiple State Correctional Facilities received damage.

16. Critical Resource Needs:

17. Operations – Field Operations Branch (FOB):

The FOB Division Supervisors, Task Force Leaders (TFLDs), and Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) assigned to the divisions coordinated with key state, county, and local officials and held several meetings to address recovery activities currently underway, planned, and requested. Staff facilitated the resolution of issues and concerns between officials and FEMA Program staff. Principal issues addressed involved public assistance (PA), temporary housing (TH), and debris clearance (particularly private property debris removal and associated deadlines to maximize financial assistance), long-term community recovery (LTCR), mitigation, and Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) closures

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17a. Operations – Public Assistance (PA):

USACE has been approved to provide private property debris removal in 31 jurisdictions. Three hundred forty-five (345) Kick-off Meetings have been completed to date.

Current as of COB: June 24, 2011	
State received RPAs	368
RPAs received into data entry	372
RPAs entered into EMMIE	372
No. Project Worksheet entered into EMMIE	122
No. Project Worksheet Obligated	54
\$ Obligated (75% Federal Share)	\$5,803,944

17b. Operations – Hazard Mitigation (HM):

On June 23, 2011, branch staff attended the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) Application Workshop in Montgomery County.

AL Hazard Mitigation Grant program (HMGP):

Letters of Intent (LOI) – 413 received and four (4) HMGP applications have been received.

Community Education Outreach (CEO):

Mitigation advisors have counseled a total of 6,243 survivors at DRCs.

Outreach staffed five (5) building supply stores in Etowah, Limestone, Morgan, St. Clair and Shelby counties and one (1) local building supply stores in Talladega Counties. Outreach have staffed a total of 22 building supply stores in Calhoun, DeKalb, Etowah, Jefferson, Limestone, Madison, Marshall, Morgan, St. Clair, Shelby, Tuscaloosa and Walker counties: two (2) big box stores in Tuscaloosa County, one (1) hardware store in Jefferson County and five (5) local building supply stores in Blount, Calhoun, Etowah and Jefferson and Talladega counties for a total of 30 outreach stores.

CEO staff have conducted outreach at 36 special events in Calhoun, Chilton, Colbert, DeKalb, Jackson, Jefferson, Lauderdale, Limestone, Macon, Madison, Marion, Montgomery, St. Clair and Tuscaloosa counties.

Total number individuals approached building supply stores	39,417
Total number individuals counseled building supply stores	19,030
Total number referred to DRCs	2,749
Total number approached and counseled at special events	6,058

CEO writers conducted seven (7) interviews and drafted 17 success stories, two (2) have been approved.

Hazard Performance Analysis (HPA):

HPA staff has attended 40 Kick-off Meetings in support of PA with 57 potential applicants.

Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA):

HMA staff attended 24 Kick-off Meetings with 244 potential applicants present.

During this operational period HMA and State Mitigation Section staff conducted three (3) HMGP Application Workshops in the following counties: Colbert (41 potential applicants), Montgomery (27 potential applicants) and Morgan (29 potential applicants). A total of 97 potential applicants have attended the HMGP Application Workshops.

HMA staff have attended a total of four (4) technical assistance visits to DeKalb, Franklin, Jefferson and Walker counties.

Floodplain Management and Insurance Group (FMI):

During this operational period FMI has completed 12 flood reviews for PA, Environmental Historic Preservation (EHP) and temporary housing. FMI staff have completed a total of 147 flood reviews.

FMI staff have met a total of 277 floodplain managers or public officials out of 358 (77 percent) in National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) participating communities in impacted counties. All impacted counties have been visited with the exception of Lauderdale County.

Divisional Offices:

Division A:

On June 22, 2011, Mitigation staff participated in the Alabama Emergency Management Agency (AEMA) and FEMA HMGP application

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workshop in Morgan County. Staff attended a public meeting in Cherokee County at the request of AEMA.

Division B:

On June 23, 2011, Mitigation staff visited the DRCs in Hackleburg (Marion County) and Cordova (Walker County).

On June 24, 2011, staff attended the AEMA Safe Room Application Workshop in Colbert County.

Division D:

On June 23, 2011, Mitigation and Planning staff visited the site in Talladega (Talladega County).

Environmental Historic Preservations (EHP):

On June 22, 2011, staff attended a meeting at the State Capital in Montgomery (Montgomery County) with Department of the Interior staff in support of a Long Term Community Recovery plan and strategy. Staff conducted one (1) site visit to Lake Neely Henry (St. Clair County) to observe debris staging sites.

On June 23, 2011, staff conducted one (1) site visit to the DCH Health Systems facility in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) to survey building damage. EHP staff supported FEMA PA Division D at one (1) Kick-off Meeting at the Birmingham (Jefferson County) Airport. EHP staff supported FEMA PA Division A at one (1) Kick-off Meeting with North Marshall Utilities (Marshall County).

On June 24, 2011, staff conducted one (1) site visit to an Historic Fire Station in Blountsville (Blount County) and conducted one (1) site visit to the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) to survey building damage.

17c. Operations – Tribal Relations: N/A

17d. Operations - Air Operations: N/A

17e. Operations - Environmental: N/A

18a. ESF-01 State of Alabama – Transportation: N/A

18a. ESF-01 FEMA - Transportation: All roads previously closed due to disaster are open.

18b. ESF-02 Communication: All cell phone and internet services are operational.

18c. ESF-03 – Public Works/Engineering:

The total Cubic Yards (CYs) removed to date: 3,296,384 CY

June 22, 2011:

Temporary Housing Units (THUs) delivered and in the process of being installed in the following counties: one (1) St. Clair, one (1) Greene, one (1) Calhoun, two (2) DeKalb, one (1) Tuscaloosa, one (1) Limestone, one (1) Cherokee, one (1) Lawrence, one (1) Morgan, two (2) Marshall, one (1) Marion and one (1) Sumter.

Licensed: one (1) Madison County.

June 23, 2011:

THUs delivered and being installed in the following counties: one (1) Cherokee, three (3) Lawrence, one (1) Morgan, one (1) Marshall, one (1) Marion, one (1) Sumter, one (1) St. Clair, one (1) Greene, one (1) Calhoun, two (2) DeKalb, one (1) Tuscaloosa and one (1) Limestone.

Licensed: one (1) Jefferson and one (1) Tuscaloosa counties.

June 24, 2011:

THUs delivered and in the process of being installed in the following counties: one (1) Franklin, two (2) Lawrence, one (1) Morgan, one (1) Marshall, one (1) Marion, one (1) Sumter, one (1) Greene, three (3) Calhoun, one (1) DeKalb, one (1) Limestone and five (5) Tuscaloosa..

Licensed: one (1) DeKalb, one (1) St. Clair and one (1) Cherokee counties.

18d. ESF-04 – Firefighting: Emergency drought Condition Declaration June 07, 2011 banning outdoor burning.

18e. ESF-06 –Mass Care: Deactivated May 19, 2011

18f. Individual Assistance (IA):

IA Branch Director:

Responded to a request from the 7th Congressional District regarding the total number of applications for IA for the State and the amount of money specifically for the 7th Congressional District.

Housing Group – Progress Report on Case Reviews of Targeted Applicant Groups:

Registrants Over 60 – 3,986 out of 6,996 completed.

Low income Households with Children – 640 out of 796 completed.

Ineligible Housing Determinations – 7,348 out of 17,120 completed.

Replacement Cases – Completed 29. A total of 424 cases of 441 have been completed.

Congressional Cases – tow (2) new added. Completed 31 of 39.

Other Needs Assistance (ONA):

As of June 23, 2011, a total of 147 approved funeral cases, representing 196 fatalities and 20 pending cases.

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Crisis Counseling-Immediate Services Program (CC-ISP):

A supervisor and two (2) Crisis Counseling Specialists met in Montgomery (Montgomery County) on June 22, 2011 with the financial manager for the Alabama Mental Health regarding finalizing the revised budget and explain documentation needed from the State to complete the final approval for the CC-ISP Grant.

Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA):

A total of 1,058 applications have been received, 182 have been approved. The total amount disbursed is \$67,065.

Disaster Housing Operations (DHOPS):

Eight applicants were licensed in Tuscaloosa County and one (1) in Franklin County).

Total THU work orders	341
Total work orders completed	239
Total work orders in progress or requested	102
Total licensed in	219

Deactivations: two (2) families have request removal of the THUs from their properties.

Pre-Placement Interview (PPI) Approval Processing:

A total of 6,109 PPIs applicants have been identified for PPI and 5,881 applications completed. Two Hundred ninety-five (295) applicants have been approved for P4.

Total commercial pads leased - 102, units on private sites - 200, units on commercial sites - 66.

As of COB June 24, 2011			
No. Housing Payments Dispersed	13,469	No. ONA Payments Dispersed	8,570
Housing Dollars Approved	\$42,225,528	ONA Dollars Approved	\$16,747,636
Housing Dollars Distributed	\$42,095,052	ONA Dollars Distributed	\$16,693,541
Outstanding Inspections	474	DUA Dollars Disbursed	\$67,065
DRCs Open	15	DRC Visitors	31,180
Daily Registrations	456	Cumulative Total Registrations	83,942

As of COB June 24, 2011, 675 maximum awards (\$30,200 each) have been approved for a total of \$20,386,342.

Listing of Facilities: As of COB June 24, 2011

Facility	Open	Closed	City	County	Daily Visitor Count
DRC #1	May 1		Rainsville	DeKalb	51
DRC #2	May 1		Cordova	Walker	21
DRC #6	May 1		Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	90
DRC #11	May 2		Cullman	Cullman	28
DRC #12	May 3		Moulton	Lawrence	19
DRC #13	May 4		Guntersville	Marshall	14
DRC #14	May 5		Hackleburg	Marion	37
DRC #15	May 5		Ashville	St. Clair	14
DRC #18	May 6		Pratt City	Jefferson	44
DRC #20	May 7		Madison	Madison	32
DRC #26	May 10		Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	53
DRC #28	May 11		Arab	Marshall	26
DRC #29	May 11		Moody	St. Clair	15
DRC #40	May 18		Pleasant Grove	Jefferson	17
DRC #45	May 23		Birmingham	Jefferson	46

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (SBA) SUMMARY

As of COB June 24, 2011

Loan Applications	Home	Business	Economic Injury (EIDL)	Total
Applications Issued	34,459	8,427	237	43,123
Number Received	3,182	507	117	3,806
Number Declined	1,772	253	56	2,081
Number Withdrawn	297	92	30	419

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Number Approved	757	50	14	821
Dollars Approved	\$40,997,000	\$4,155,000	\$702,700	\$45,854,700
Number Pending	333	103	14	450

Small Business Administration (SBA) Business Recovery Center (BRC) open: one (1) Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County), BRCs in Guntersville, (Marshall County), Huntsville (Madison County) and Athens (Limestone County) closed on June 24, 2011.

Volunteer Agencies:

AL Governor’s Faith Based and Community Incentives (GFBCI):

Volunteer Numbers:

Total number through 2-1-1: 4,799

Total number volunteers: 68,360

Total number deployed: 50,296

Total number volunteer hours: 313,245

AL Volunteers Active in Disasters (VOAD):

Samaritans Purse

Tuscaloosa: 444 completed/377 in process

Birmingham: 460 completed/390 open – in process

Birmingham Site closed as of 5/23/11

Southern Baptist Disaster Relief

Meals: 241,177

Laundry: 1,799

Showers provided: 5,224

Chainsaw Jobs Completed: 1,511

Childcare Clients Served: 120

Critical Incident Stress Management Chaplains: 365

Volunteer Agencies:

June 22, 2011:

Support the State Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD) Chair in establishing Long Term Recovery Committees (LTRC) in various Alabama Counties. Provide training, technical assistance and support to existing LTRCs. Initiate discussions towards formation of new LTRC in some Counties (Long Term Recovery Coordinator meetings to provide LTRC model and structure).

VAL attended a Hispanic Radio Program as requested by External Affairs Public Information Officer (PIO) and provided information pertaining to Voluntary Organizations providing services and resources for the counties covered by the Radio Station in Decatur (Morgan/Limestone Counties). VAL also spoke about IA- Programs including the Appeal process and the necessary requirements.

VAL staff participated in a phone conversation with the Northwest Alabama LTRC Coordinator pertaining to the resources and funding available for the rebuilding process, the Needs Assessment and Case Management. The Needs Assessment Christian Reformed World Reformed Committee (CRWRC) team agreed to meet with the LTRC in Florence (Lauderdale County) on June 29, 2011.

VAL attended Mayor’s daily debriefing at Tuscaloosa City Hall (Tuscaloosa County) and announced Tuscaloosa Forward will hold a public meeting on June 30, 2011 regarding rebuilding within the city. The Volunteer Reception Center (VRC) Coordinator reported the VRC has documented 104,472 volunteer hours to date.

VAL conferred with Tuscaloosa Recovery Team Housing and Humanitarian Coordinator (Tuscaloosa County) regarding Points of Contact (POCs) for outlying counties to be included in the Long Term Recovery Coalition (LTRC) of West Alabama.

VAL met at Christ Episcopal Church in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) with Christ Episcopal Church and Canterbury Chapel Episcopal Church representatives tasked with coordinating the tornado response for three (3) local Episcopal churches in Tuscaloosa to explain the development of the Long Term Recovery Coalition (LTRC) of West Alabama and invite them to participate in the work of the committee.

VAL staff scheduled a meeting with Assemblies of God Disaster Relief Coordinator for northern Bibb County on June 23, 2011 at New Life Assembly of God Church in Woodstock (Bibb County) to discuss the establishment of the LTRC and the inclusion of Bibb County in the Coalition.

VAL staff met with Faith Based Organizations (FBO) at Shades Mountain Baptist Church in Birmingham (Jefferson County). VAL presented, introduced and encouraged Long Term Recovery to include Christian groups, discussed case management and advantages of collaboration with the ongoing Birmingham LTR committee.

VAL attended a meeting with Tallapoosa County Emergency Management Agency (TCEMA) and State VOAD Vice-Chair to discuss the process of establishing a LTRC for the county, including Coosa County since they share the same United Way foot print.

June 23, 2011:

Val met with Cullman (Cullman County) LTRC Steering Committee to discuss LTR process. Staff provided information regarding needs

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assessment and case management, the need for by-laws, a need for a fiscal agent, sub-committees and other issues. Staff referred special needs case to the Cullman (Cullman County) LTRC for possible intervention. Val referred special needs case to FEMA's disability representative for possible intervention. Staff coordinated with Cullman (Cullman County) LTRC coordinator to be present at the CRWRC up-coming meeting with the Northwest Alabama LTRC Steering Committee.

On June 23, 2011, VAL met with External Affairs staff for two (2) radio interviews at Citadel Broadcasting regarding Long Term Recovery and volunteer efforts in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) and West Alabama. VAL also completed a radio interview at a second local radio station and a television interview in the field with church volunteers. VAL staff met with Alabama Assemblies of God Disaster Relief Coordinator at New Life Assembly of God Church in Woodstock (Bibb County) regarding potential involvement in the Long Term Recovery Coalition (LTRC) of West Alabama. VAL provided FEMA Overview and explanation of LTRC and status update. Staff attended Etowah and Cherokee counties LTRC in Gadsden (Etowah County). VAL supported the LTRC Developmental Meetings and facilitated the inclusion of Cherokee County and provided guidance where needed.

VAL met with the Marshall County LTRC in Guntersville and supported the LTRC by providing FEMA information, case management training opportunities and special needs cases as this LTRC is operational accepting unmet needs cases from member agencies. In attendance were Marshall County EMA Director, Chair of LTRC and Marshall County Red Cross.

VAL attended a live Television (TV) interview on June 23, 2011 with Christian Reformed World Relief Committee (CRWRC) discussing the Rapid Home Repair Program. CRWRC team is on the ground conducting aggressive community assessments in counties of Jefferson, Blount, St. Clair and Shelby with client walk-in sights established.

June 24, 2011:
Val contacted LTRC coordinators to advise Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham (Jefferson County) funding possibilities. Val assisted a special need case referred from the Lutheran Disaster Service and provided information on assistance through the Voluntary Organizations. Staff reported on a VAL conference call regarding current status of the Long Term Recovery Coalition of West Alabama. VAL participated in conference call with Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Center for Faith-based and Neighborhood Partnerships Director and National Baptist Convention USA representatives to discuss questions regarding eligibility for FEMA and SBA programs and the process to request extension of the registration period. Staff scheduled a meeting for June 27, 2011, in Fayette County with the Pastor of the Berry Baptist Church to discuss the development of the Long Term Recovery Coalition of West Alabama and Fayette County's inclusion in the LTRC.

18g. ESF-07 – Resource Support: Activated for contract purposes.

18h. ESF-08 – Public Health/Medical Services: N/A

18i. ESF-10 – Oil/Hazmat Response: N/A

18j. ESF-11 – Agriculture/Natural Resources: The number of poultry lost was 3,167,800, number of cattle was 92, and number of horses lost was 30. The carcasses were disposed of in accordance with Department of Agriculture guidelines with the assistance of the State Department of Forestry and other State agencies.

18k. ESF-12 - Energy: Deactivated, May 15, 2011

18l. ESF-13 - Public Safety/Security: N/A

18m. ESF-14 Long Term Community Recovery (LTRC):

June 24, 2011:

LTRC is meeting with Cordova field team to discuss Cordova Management Plan in Birmingham (Jefferson County).

Division B:

June 23, 2011:

LTRC staff attended a meeting with the Cordova Mayor (Marion County) regarding space and a meeting with Northwest Alabama Economic Development Alliance in Hackleburg (Marion County).

Division C:

June 22, 2011:

LTRC staff attended an informational meeting with Literacy Council of West Alabama on new project at Bank of Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County).

Division D:

June 23, 2011:

LTRC staff attended a meeting with Auburn University regarding community planning in Jefferson County.

18n. ESF-15 - External Affairs (EA):

AEMA:

The AL Emergency Management Agency (AEMA) reported the following social media contacts:

Twitter – 3,188; Facebook – 4,471; YouTube – 2,502

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Community Relations (CR):

From June 22 to June 24, 2011, staff continued to inform contacts in all designated counties of the June 27, 2011 FEMA registration deadline and stressed the importance of completing and returning the SBA loan packets.

In support of the Speakers Bureau, CR attended a meeting with the Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County), also attending were representatives from Region IV Red Cross, FEMA IA and three (3) Signing Specialists. Speakers discussed phases survivors go through following a disaster and the recovery process.

Staff distributed FEMA registration fliers in English, Spanish, Korean, Portuguese and Thai, FEMA fans in English and Spanish, FEMA and State tri-folds in English, Spanish, and Korean; Debris Removal Guidelines; Everyone Needs a Little help (800 fliers); Regular registration fliers and SBA fliers in English and Spanish. Taking Shelter from the Storm FEMA Mitigation literature and DRC fliers for all active DRCs in English and Spanish. CR was accompanied by an Equal Rights Officer (ERO) during outreach activities in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County). A visit was made to the local DRC and the ERO representative observed how CR and the DRC share resource information and interact as internal partners.

EA Congressional:

June 22-24, 2011

Staff communicated resolved inquiries and inspections through the program liaisons for the City of Hackleburg (Marion County) and City of Moody (St. Clair County). Staff coordinated with program liaisons to respond to and resolve inquiries specifically regarding inspections, insurance question, and the City of Moody debris removal.

Staff received inquiries of debris removal on private property, IA, PA and how to obtain employment with FEMA.

Staff disseminated updated disaster-related information to congressional staff regarding DRCs closures, SBA application submittals and IA and SBA approved funds exceeding \$100 million.

Staff met with Representative Terri Sewell's (District 07) staff regarding transition briefing.

Inter-Governmental Affairs (IGA):

From June 22-24, 2011:

Staff responded to two (2) inquiries, conducted outreach to elected officials in 11 cities and six (6) counties.

IGA staff attended Mitigation Meeting to provide an explanation of the process for applying and the funding of Individual Safe Rooms and Community Safe Rooms.

Staff met with Jefferson County Commissioner for an introductory briefing to determine any FEMA issues or concerns that needed to be addressed. Staff left informational folder and the Safer Alabama Summit packet.

Staff coordinated and facilitated a meeting between the Office of the Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) Mayor and FEMA members from the Private Sector of External Affairs (EA). IGA staff attended the LTRC meeting in Montgomery (Montgomery County). Staff responded to three (3) inquiries and conducted outreach to elected officials in six (6) cities and five (5) counties. IGA staff visited City Clerks at Rainsville and Fyffe (DeKalb County); information regarding registration and the upcoming deadline was provided.

Staff attended a meeting at the request of the Lexington Mayor concerning safe rooms.

Staff met with Carbon Hill (Walker County) Mayor to discuss personal shelters and community concerns.

IGA staff conducted a follow-up meeting with the Blount County City Manager and City Clerk to discuss issues and concerns.

Joint Information Center (JIC):

From June 22-24, 2011:

Staff responded to two (2) inquiries, conducted outreach to elected officials in 11 cities and 6 counties; attended Mitigation Meeting to provide an explanation of the process for applying and funding for Individual Safe Rooms and Community Safe Rooms. Staff met with Jefferson County Commissioner for an introductory briefing regarding FEMA issues and concerns that needed to be addressed. Staff left informational folder and the Safer Alabama Summit packet.

Staff attended the Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) City Council meeting and coordinated and facilitated a meeting between the Office of the Tuscaloosa Mayor and FEMA members from the Private Sector of External Affairs. Staff attended the LTRC meeting in Montgomery (Montgomery County).

Staff responded to three (3) inquiries, conducted outreach to elected officials in six (6) cities and (5) counties.

Staff visited city clerks in Rainsville and Fyffe (DeKalb County); information regarding registration and the upcoming deadline was provided. Staff attended a meeting at the request of Lexington (Lauderdale County) Mayor concerning safe rooms.

Staff met with Carbon Hill (Walker County) Mayor to discuss personal shelters, community concerns, and conducted a follow-up meeting with the Blount County City Manager and City Clerk to discuss issues and concerns.

Planning & Products (P&P):

From June 22-24, 2011, staff continued production and distribution of news releases and public service announcements advising all survivors to complete and return SBA applications; contrary to having insurance or are not a business owner, deadline for registration is June 27, 2011.

News Release (NR) and Public Service Announcements (PSAs) were drafted and produced on registration deadline, number of BRCs and DRCs open and the BRC in Tuscaloosa County.

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Staff drafted FCO presentation and finalized executive Talking Points for FCO's two-month recovery update with Birmingham News, scheduled for June 24, 2011.

News Release (NR) was distributed on Individual Assistance (IA) registration deadline: "Think registering is difficult? Think again".

Staff distributed Opinion Editorial (Op-Ed) on recovery progress after two months and registration deadline on June 27, 2011.

NR was produced on IA and SBA approved funds exceeds \$100 million.

NR, PSA and Talking Points for Housing Expo Workshops were drafted.

EA nominated five (5) staff members for Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Hero Awards.

Private Sector:

From June 22-24, 2011

Staff attended the Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) Mayor's briefing to discuss plans for LTR in the Tuscaloosa area. Staff attended the State Housing Task Force meeting in Birmingham (Jefferson County) to give information on the housing mission and the housing outreach initiative planned for July, 2011.

Staff attended a meeting with Alabama Independent Agents Association in Birmingham (Jefferson County). Staff continued to gather information for an event with the Birmingham Business Alliance held at the Sheraton, Birmingham (Jefferson County) (Small Business Recovery Summit).

Staff provided data information to AEMA Housing Task Force regarding the Housing and Recovery Expo's scheduled for July.

Staff continued to provide deadline to register information to all stakeholder points of contact via call-outs and providing deadline registration fliers in English and Spanish.

Staff met with the Housing Task Force, Mitigation, ESF-6, ESF-14, ESF-15 and State partners regarding the Housing and Recovery Expo in Birmingham (Jefferson County). Staff continued to plan for upcoming events: Rebuilding Alabama Expo and Small Business Recovery Summit.

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19a. Finance / Administration:

FEMA-1971-DR-AL COB June 24, 2011			
Organization	Checked In	Pending	Total
FEMA	791	8	791
Other Federal Agencies	61	0	61
State *	120	0	120
Non-FEMA	101	0	101
Total	1,073	8	1,073

State personnel checked into the JFO *

State total including personnel in the field: 174

FEMA-1971-DR-AL COB June 24, 2011		
	Subtotals	Totals
Total Allocations		\$385,671,110
Total Available Commitments	\$2,582,138	
Available Obligations - Grants & Temporary Housing	\$9,907,414	
Available Obligations - Mission Assignments	\$223,283,961	
Available Obligations - All Other	\$42,751,395	
Total Available Obligations	\$275,942,770	
Total Expenditures	\$96,738,155	
Total Funds Available		\$10,408,047

FEMA-3319-EM-AL COB June 24, 2011		
	Subtotals	Totals
Total Allocations		\$1,390,723
Total Available Commitments	\$0	
Available Obligations - Grants & Temporary Housing	\$0	
Available Obligations - Mission Assignments	\$797,908	
Available Obligations - All Other	\$342,452	
Total Available Obligations	\$1,140,360	
Total Expenditures	\$245,941	
Total Funds Available		\$4,422

State obligated funds \$21,903,198

20. Logistics: Nothing significant to report.

21. Planning: Staff continued to support the JFO with reports and Geospatial Information Section (GIS) information.

22. Safety: Nothing significant to report.

23. Security: Nothing significant to report.

24. Other Notes, Issues or Additional Remarks:

25. Proposed Objectives for Next Operational Period:

22.2 Provide temporary housing solutions for 4 applicants in 3 counties bringing the total number of licensed THUs to 203; haul and install 15 THUs in 11 counties, bringing the total number of installed THUs to 232 (of the estimated 350 THUs required).

22.3 Support the development of community level housing strategy.

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- 22.5 Identify survivors' emerging temporary housing needs resulting from status changes.
- 2.2 Deliver PA program support to all eligible applicants, completing 10 of the remaining 95 Kick-off meetings, bringing the cumulative number of Kick-off meetings completed to 274 (out of 359 meetings to be conducted).
- 2.4 Of the estimated 1096 PWs that will be entered into EMMIE throughout the course of the disaster; bring the cumulative number of PWs entered to 154 (from 116 in O-Period 27), the cumulative number of PWs obligated to 54 (from 39 in O-Period 27).
- 26. Complete the transition of field facilities in anticipation of the IA registration period ending by the close of the operations period. (Closed 6 of 12 DRCs; close 3 of 4 BRCs and open 9 DLOCs on 6/28/2011)
- 1.4 Complete installation of 8th and final temporary critical public facility; turning facility over to City of Birmingham on or about June 28 (obtain the required inspections from the city of Birmingham).
- 18.5 Remove 92,000 CY of debris in the incorporated and unincorporated areas in 23 jurisdictions and 2 State controlled lakes using Direct Federal Assistance resources.
- 3.2 Provide Individuals and Households Program support to all eligible applicants. Review target groups; a) 60+ years old; b) Low income with minor children; c) All applicants with ineligible codes that have stopped the NEMIS process (on-going)
- 11.4 Provide Hazard Mitigation Grant Program technical assistance and support to the State's Mitigation Section in conducting 3 (raising cumulative total to 10) safe room workshops to eligible applicants to facilitate the development of approved HMGP applications
- 6.3 Support the development of an implementable Long Term Community Recovery plan/strategy for impacted counties/municipalities (initiate plan development in 6 of 14 potential jurisdictions requesting Long Term Community Recovery support).
- 12.4 Conduct mitigation program outreach to assist in improving individual readiness for future threats bringing the total outreach efforts at building supply stores and special events to 68.
- 16.1 Provide information to disaster survivors so they may apply and begin recovery as needed (CR operations in 17 counties).
- 17.3 Emphasize "Counting down: Final week to register for assistance" theme in all External Affairs communications and messaging.
- 24.1 Actively develop relationships with members of business and industry to facilitate the inclusion of the private sector in the reconstruction of Alabama.
- 25.1 Support existing, and the development of new, Long Term Recovery Committees (VALs).
- 25.2 Deploy case management SMEs to support those communities in the development and maintenance of long term recovery plans (VALs).
- ~~23. Establish four State/FEMA technical assistance teams to support potential applicants for safe room project development.~~

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Attachment 1 – Designated Counties Table

FEMA-1971-DR-AL				Current As Of: 06/25/2011						
Declaration Date: 04/28/2011				Incident Period: 04/15/2011 to 05/31/2011						
Number of Counties & Tribal Areas Designated										
Individual Assistance	43			Public Assistance	67			Tribal Nations	0	
Declaration Information										
Jurisdiction	Affected Not FEMA Designated	Declaration Dates								
		IA	Public Assistance							
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Autauga		4/30	4/28	4/28						
Baldwin			4/28	4/28						
Barbour			4/28	4/28						
Bibb		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Blount		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Bullock			4/28	4/28						
Butler			4/28	4/28						
Calhoun		4/30	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Chambers		5/04	4/28	4/28						
Cherokee		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Chilton		5/02	4/28	4/28						
Choctaw		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Clarke		5/04	4/28	4/28						
Clay			4/28	4/28						
Cleburne			4/28	4/28						
Coffee			4/28	4/28						
Colbert		5/02	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Conecuh			4/28	4/28						
Coosa		5/02	4/28	4/28						
Covington			4/28	4/28						
Crenshaw			4/28	4/28						
Cullman		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Dale			4/28	4/28						
Dallas			4/28	4/28						
DeKalb		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Elmore		4/30	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Escambia		6/01	4/28	4/28						
Etowah		4/30	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Fayette		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Franklin		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Geneva			4/28	4/28						
Greene		5/01	4/28	4/28	6/01	6/01	6/01	6/01	6/01	

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Hale		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Henry			4/28	4/28						
Houston			4/28	4/28						
Jackson		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Jefferson		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Lamar		5/03	4/28	4/28	5/17	5/17	5/17	5/17	5/17	
Lauderdale		5/03	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Lawrence		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Lee			4/28	4/28						
Limestone		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Lowndes			4/28	4/28						
Macon			4/28	4/28						
Madison		5/01	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Marengo		4/29	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Marion		4/30	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Marshall		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Mobile			4/28	4/28						
Monroe		5/06	4/28	4/28						
Montgomery			4/28	4/28						
Morgan		5/02	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Perry		5/04	4/28	4/28	6/01	6/01	6/01	6/01	6/01	
Pickens		5/02	4/28	4/28						
Pike			4/28	4/28						
Randolph			4/28	4/28						
Russell			4/28	4/28						
Shelby		5/02	4/28	4/28						
St. Clair		4/30	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Sumter		4/29	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Talladega		5/02	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Tallapoosa		4/30	4/28	4/28	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	5/13	
Tuscaloosa		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/17	5/17	5/17	5/17	5/17	
Walker		4/28	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	
Washington		5/01	4/28	4/28						
Wilcox			4/28	4/28						
Winston		5/02	4/28	4/28	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	5/10	

All counties in the State of Alabama are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.