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<b>7. Declaration Information:</b> Incident Period: April 15, 2011 to May 31, 2011		
<b>Date Issued</b>	<b>Declaration</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
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.
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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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. 1 to FEMA-3319-EM-AL amended to terminate Joe Girot as Federal Coordinating Official, and appoints Michael F. Byrne as Federal Coordinating Official.
04302011		Amendment No. 3 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL amended to terminate Joe Girot as Federal Coordinating Official, and appoints Michael F. Byrne as Federal Coordinating Official.
05012011		Amendment No. 4 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL amended to include Chambers County for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05042011		Amendment No. 9 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL amended to include Monroe County for IA (already designated for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B).
05102011		Amendment No. 11 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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.

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05132011		Amendment No. 12 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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).
05172011		Amendment No. 13 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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. Futher, 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL amended to close the incident period.
05312011		Amendment No. 2 to FEMA-3319-DR-AL amended to close the incident period.
06012011		Amendment No. 16 to FEMA-1971-DR-AL 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:**

Alabama county coroners confirmed two (2) additional storm related fatalities for the total of 240 fatalities.

The incident period for FEMA-1971-DR-AL closed May 31, 2011.

The incident period for FEMA-3319-DR-AL closed May 31, 2011.

The Small Business Administration (SBA) has exceeded \$25.7M in assistance to survivors.

A total of \$48,698,453 has been approved for the Individuals and Households Program (IHP), and \$47,605,961 has been dispersed. Four hundred and ninety-five (495) IHP Max Awards have been approved for a total of \$14,950,342.

Counties with the most significant number of registrations are: Blount – 1,094, Calhoun – 1,394, Cullman – 5,511, DeKalb – 2,625, Jackson – 2,303, Jefferson – 12,404, Lawrence – 2,053, Limestone – 2,451, Madison – 16,516, Marshall – 4,517, Morgan – 2,254,

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St. Clair – 1,777, Tuscaloosa – 12,023, and Walker – 2,083.

Registration for funeral assistance is 321 as of COB June 3, 2011, and 87 requests have been approved for a total of \$546,821.

As of COB June 3, 2011, 26 Disaster Recovery Centers (DRCs) were operational with a total of 24,830 visitors.

As of COB June 3, 2011, One (1) general purpose shelter remains open with 36 occupants as of COB.

A total of 6,954 rental units have been identified as available.

A total of 321 Requests for Public Assistance (RPAs) has been logged into data entry and 319 have been entered into Emergency Management Mission Integrated Environment (EMMIE). Twenty-four (24) Project Worksheets (PWs) have been received and entered into EMMIE and fifteen (15) have been obligated for \$2,619,422. One hundred and ninety-two (192) Kick-off Meetings have been completed, and twenty-four (24) Applicant Briefings completed.

There are 35 Inspectors in the field. As of COB June 3, 2011, 43,221 inspections have been issued with 42,716 returned for 99 percent completion.

External Affairs (EA) has 220 Community Relations (CR) staff in the field. Twenty-eight (28) are bi-lingual.

Fifty-five (55) jurisdictions and two (2) lakes, Lake Martin (Tallapoosa County) and Neely Henry Lake (St. Clair County), have been approved for United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) debris removal assistance. Of an estimated 3.5 million Cubic Yards (CYs) of debris to be removed by the USACE Mission Assignment (MA), a total of 2,178,838 CYs have been removed.

Hours of Operation for the Joint Field office (JFO) effective June 5, 2011, are 0730 CDT to 1800 CDT Monday through Saturday, closed Sunday.

**9. Fatalities/Casualties:**

**9a. Fatalities:** 240 as confirmed by the County Coroners.

**9b. Hospitalizations:**

**9c. Injuries:**

**10. Extent of Damage:**

**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 are running above normal, hot and dry.

**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 Management 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 Task Force Leaders (TFLDs) and Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) assigned to the divisions coordinated with the key state, county, and local officials to address recovery activities currently underway and planned needs regarding public assistance, temporary housing, debris clearance, long term community recovery, mitigation and shelters.

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**17a. Operations – Public Assistance (PA):**

USACE has been approved to provide private property debris removal in 21 jurisdictions.

Twenty-four (24) Applicant Briefings and 192 Kick-off Meetings have been completed to date.

Current as of COB: June 3, 2011	
State received RPAs	368
RPAs received into data entry	321
RPAs entered into EMMIE	319
No. Project Worksheet entered into EMMIE	24
No. Project Worksheet Obligated	15
\$ Obligated (75% Federal Share)	\$2,619,422

Debris Removal Status					
DR-1971-AL	Unit	All Debris			Percent Completed
		Estimated	Removed	Remaining	
	USACE	3,748,830	2,088,661	1,660,169	56%
	Force Account/ Contract	4,693,140	2,105,649	2,587,491	45%
<b>TOTALS</b>		8,441,970	4,194,310	4,247,660	50%

**17b. Operations – Hazard Mitigation (HM):**

On June 1, 2011, HMA staff visited the site of the Safer Alabama Summit in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County).

**Community Education Outreach (CEO):**

Outreach staff are present in six (6) building supply store outreach locations in Calhoun, Jefferson, Madison and Tuscaloosa Counties, in a big box store in Tuscaloosa County and in a local building supply store in Jefferson County.

To date Outreach staff have staffed 11 building supply stores in Calhoun, DeKalb, Jefferson, Madison, Marshall, and Tuscaloosa Counties, two (2) big box stores in Tuscaloosa County, three (3) hardware store in Jefferson County and a local building supply store in Jefferson County for a total of 16 building and supply stores.

Total number individuals approached	16,295
Total number individuals counseled	6,624
Total number referred to DRCs	1,753
Total number publications distributed	11,806
Total number approached and counseled at special events	2,354

Mitigation Outreach and IA staff participated in three (3) radio interviews, two (2) in Colbert County and one (1) in Lawrence County to discuss mitigation and disaster assistance issues.

**Hazard Performance Analysis (HPA):**

HPA staff have attended 34 Kick-off Meetings in support of PA with 317 potential applicants.

**Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA):**

HMA staff have attended 34 Kick-off Meetings with 317 potential applicants present.

**Floodplain Management and Insurance Group (FMI):**

FMI staff have met with 132 of 277 (48 percent) floodplain managers or public officials in National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)

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participating communities in Blount, Choctaw, Clarke, Coosa, Cullman, DeKalb, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Limestone, Marshall, Monroe, Morgan, Perry, St. Clair, Shelby, Walker, Washington and Tuscaloosa Counties.

FMI staff have completed 40 flood reviews for Public Assistance (PA), Environmental and Historic Preservation (EHP) and temporary housing.

**Divisional Offices:**

**Division A:**

Mitigation, ESF-14 and Divisional staff met with the Cherokee County Emergency Management Director to discuss mitigation and long term recovery issues.

**Division B:**

Staff attended the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) Applicant's Briefings in support of the State in Colbert and Winston Counties.

**Division C:**

Staff attended the (HMGP) Applicant Briefings in Colbert, Winston, Clarke and Tuscaloosa Counties.

**Division D:**

On June 1, 2011, Mitigation and Public Assistance staff met with the Webster's Chapel Volunteer Fire Department to discuss including a safe room in the Public Assistance project. Mitigation staff attended Kick-off Meetings in Talladega (Talladega County) and Ohatchee (Calhoun County).

**17c. Operations – Tribal Relations:** N/A

**17d. Operations - Air Operations:** N/A

**17e. Operations - Environmental:** Nothing significant to report.

**18a. ESF-01 State of Alabama – Transportation:** The Alabama Forest Recovery Task Force, created by Governor Bentley, consists of 27 personnel to help remove fallen timber from the reforest areas affected by the tornado outbreak.

**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 CYs of debris removed during the reporting period ending COB on June 3, 2011, was 286,799 CYs with 2,178,838 CYs removed to date.

Community debris removal continued in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County), Hackleburg (Marion County), Cullman, Fairview and Holly Pond (Cullman County), Ragland and Moody (St. Clair County), Cordova and Sipsey (Walker County), Guntersville (Marshall County), and Garden City (Cullman/Blount County). County debris removal continued in Bibb, Blount, Tuscaloosa, Cullman, Elmore, Jackson, Lauderdale, Lawrence, Limestone, Marion, Madison, Morgan, DeKalb, St. Clair, Cherokee, Tallapoosa, and Walker Counties.

During the reporting period technical assistance was provided in Tallapoosa, Madison, Cullman, Morgan, Bibb, Lawrence, Lauderdale, and Blount Counties.

USACE local government liaison supported public meetings for Right of Entry (ROE) collection in Jackson, Cherokee, DeKalb, Walker, Counties, Cordova (Walker County) and Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County).

Temporary Housing Units (THUs) are in the process of being installed in the following counties: Autauga, Blount, Calhoun, Choctaw, DeKalb, Elmore, Etowah, Franklin, Hale, Jackson, Greene, Lawrence, Limestone, Madison, Marion, Marshall, St. Clair, Sumter, Tuscaloosa, Walker and Washington.

THUs were licensed in the following counties: two (2) Lawrence, one (1) Blount, one (1) Elmore, two (2) Etowah, two (2) Franklin, two (2) Madison, one (1) Marshall, two (2) St. Clair, six (6) Walker, two (2) Cullman, two (2) DeKalb, one (1) Jackson, two (2) Limestone, one (1) Cherokee, three (3) Hale, two (2) Marion and one (1) Sumter.

**18d. ESF-04 – Firefighting:** N/A

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

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**18f. Individual Assistance (IA):**

**Applicant Services:**

Staff have received a total of 11,492 cases, 9,311 have been reviewed, cases pending 2,181 with 81 percent completed.

**IA Branch Director:**

IA Shelter Transition Team, Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and Northport Housing Authority met with local landlords to discuss available properties. Twenty-five (25) additional housing resources were identified.

**Deputy IA Branch Director:**

On June 1, 2011, two (2) IA SMEs assisted residents with registration and questions at Sherman Heights Neighborhood Association in Jefferson County.

Two (2) IA SMEs responded to a 90 minute informational talk show in Colbert County. Two (2) staff were interviewed by the County EMA communication director at a radio in Lawrence County.

On June 3, 2011, IA SME staff member provided disaster status update to the staff of Representative Terri Sewell (District 07) in Jefferson County.

IA Branch Deputy Director participated in the Pratt City and Birmingham (Jefferson County) Alignment Meeting on June 3, 2011.

**Human Services Group Supervisor (HSGS):**

HS Group Supervisor analyzed a report for all HS Programs for funding requirements.

**Other Needs Assistance (ONA):**

IA staff continued to determine eligibility for funeral assistance. Currently, 272 registrations have been received, of which 80 (58 percent) are eligible and have been paid. There are 134 cases pending eligibility determination.

On June 3, 2011 five (5) cases authorizing payment of eligible funeral expenses have been sent for payment. These cases represent six (6) fatalities.

Four (4) new cases representing five (5) fatalities have been sent to the Federal Coordinating Official (FCO) for payment authorization. The total number of funeral assistance cases is 95, representing 128 fatalities. A balance of 110 fatalities (46 percent) remains from the 240 confirmed by the State.

**Disaster Housing Operations (DHOPS):**

During the reporting period staff identified households eligible to be assigned to a commercial park near the survivors damaged dwelling or have a temporary housing unit (THU) placed on a private site.

PPI staff reviewed and contacted all applicants previously identified as "Will Locate Resource" (P-6) and "Supplied Applicant with Resource" (P-3).

Staff reviewed and contacted applicants who have insurance and Additional Living Expenses (ALE) for administrative approval for site inspections.

Cases ineligible due to ownership or occupancy verification were reviewed and monitored. These cases were put on hold until a determination is made regarding eligibility.

Staff reviewed and contacted applicants in the hold queue.

Additional mobile home park lots in Lawrence County were identified for eligible applicants.

**Disaster Unemployment Agency (DUA):**

Staff received a total of 1,020 requests, 112 approved and \$21,641 disbursed.

**Disaster Legal Services (DLS):**

Staff coordinated a request from the State to provide training for lawyers from Legal Services Alabama to assist disaster survivors.

**Pre-Placement Interview (PPI) Approval Processing:**

Total pads leased - 73, units on private sites - 142, units on commercial sites - 67.

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No. Housing Payments Dispersed	11,580	No. ONA Payments Dispersed	7,202
Housing Dollars Approved	\$34,373,192	ONA Dollars Approved	\$14,325,261
Housing Dollars Distributed	\$33,562,050	ONA Dollars Distributed	\$14,043,911
Outstanding Inspections	505	DUA Dollars Disbursed	\$21,641
DRCs Open	26	DRC Visitors	24,830
Daily Registrations	272	Cumulative Total Registrations	79,770

As of COB June 3, 2011, 495 maximum awards (\$30,200 each) have been approved for a total of \$14,950,342.

**Listing of Facilities: As of COB June 3, 2011**

Facility	Open	Closed	City	County	Daily Visitor Count
DRC #1	May 1		Rainsville	DeKalb	57
DRC #2	May 1		Cordova	Walker	9
DRC #3	May 1		Bessemer	Jefferson	13
DRC #6	May 1		Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	52
DRC #10	May 2		Russellville	Franklin	14
DRC #11	May 2		Cullman	Cullman	23
DRC #12	May 3		Moulton	Lawrence	9
DRC #13	May 4		Guntersville	Marshall	15
DRC #14	May 5		Hackleburg	Marion	23
DRC #15	May 5		Ashville	St. Clair	6
DRC #17	May 6		Ohatchee	Calhoun	7
DRC #18	May 6		Pratt City	Jefferson	26
DRC #20	May 7		Madison	Madison	38
DRC #22	May 7		Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	17
DRC #24	May 9		Athens	Limestone	22
DRC #25	May 9		Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	45
DRC #26	May 10		Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	21
DRC #27	May 10		Berry	Fayette	7
DRC #28	May 11		Arab	Marshall	11
DRC #29	May 11		Moody	St. Clair	15
DRC #31	May 14		Gadsden	Etowah	5
DRC #37	May 18		Jacksonville	Calhoun	4
DRC #38	May 18		Cleveland	Blount	9
DRC #40	May 18		Pleasant Grove	Jefferson	22
DRC #45	May 23		Birmingham	Jefferson	27
DRC #46	May 23		Sumiton	Walker	4

**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (SBA) SUMMARY**

As of COB June 3, 2011

Loan Applications	Home	Business	Economic Injury (EIDL)	Total
Applications Issued	33,196	7,891	174	41,261
Number Received	2,103	320	75	2,498
Number Declined	1,186	172	33	1,391
Number Withdrawn	183	49	18	250
Number Approved	423	31	9	463
Dollars Approved	\$23,214,500	\$2,115,100	\$241,000	\$25,570,600
Number Pending	305	63	13	381

Small Business Administration (SBA) currently have three (3) Business Recovery Centers (BRCs) open in Cullman (Cullman County), Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County) and one (1) BRC opened June 2, 2011, in Birmingham (Jefferson County).

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**Volunteer Agencies:**

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

The State supported warehouse continued operations in Tuscaloosa (Tuscaloosa County).

The National Civilian Community Corp (NCCC) Team departed the Tuscaloosa Volunteer Reception Center (VRC) and Call Center on June 3, 2011. The Team assisted the Walker County Volunteers Active in a Disaster (VOAD) in the warehouse. In Hackleburg (Marion County) and Phil Campbell (Franklin County) the Team assisted with VOAD and various needs identified through the NW AL VOAD.

Total number through 2-1-1: 4,765

Total number volunteers: 66,068

Total number deployed: 46,672

Total number volunteer hours: 297,462

**AL Volunteers Active in Disasters (VOAD):**

Catholic Social Service:

Two (2) trailers previously deployed to Tuscaloosa County and Sumter County remains operational.

The Catholic Social Service continued transition to individual assistance in area service centers.

**Long Term Recovery Groups: (LTRG)**

LONG TERM RECOVERY GROUPS:

Marion and Franklin Counties:

Volunteer Agencies Liaison (VAL) coordinated with Volunteer Organizations Active in a Disaster (VOAD) representative in charge of the Volunteer Reception Center (VRC) in Hackleburg (Marion County) area to ensure continuous work jobs to be provided to the Washington Conservation Corps (WCC). Coordination by VOAD representative and VAL through the Emergency Management Agency (EMA) continued for additional work to be provided.

VAL contacted WCC to provide up-to-date information regarding future assignments within Marion and Franklin Counties.

VAL initiated a follow-up call to Christian Aid Ministries to coordinate a request to work through the Marion and Franklin Counties Long Term Recovery Committees (LTRC). Christian Aid Ministries is scheduled to establish contact with the Joint Field Office (JFO) VAL to coordinate possible referrals from FEMA to begin rebuilding in mid-June 2011.

Cullman County:

VAL met with VOAD chair and a group of people interested in working on long-term recovery. VAL explained the LTRC concept and answered questions from the attendees. The group voted to form a LTRC.

Morgan and Lawrence Counties:

VAL initiated calls to establish contact with VOAD Chairman and the EMA to coordinate dates for the establishment of an LTRC meeting in both counties.

Limestone County:

VAL attended a meeting with LTR Coordinator and Christian Reformed World Relief Committee (CRWRC) representative to explain the needs assessment process. LTRC Coordinator was briefed in all the requirements in order to begin the needs assessments through the CRWRC Teams for Limestone County.

VAL directed the CRWRC Team to the Limestone County damaged sites for a general assessment of all the affected areas.

VAL met with Limestone County's LTRC to provide support and up-to-date information regarding all available national and local resources. Case management training is scheduled to begin the week of June 6, 2011. VAL explained FEMA's policies and the Sequence of Delivery.

Franklin, Marion, Lauderdale and Colbert Counties:

VAL met with Christian Aid Ministries Coordinator to participate in the Franklin, Marion, Lauderdale and Colbert VOAD. Christian Ministries are scheduled to begin the reconstruction phase mid-June 2011. Needs assessment and the process of referral through the LTRC were explained.

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VAL attended an American Red Cross (ARC) meeting to coordinate efforts within the Franklin, Marion, Lauderdale and Colbert Counties VOAD. ARC provided information regarding Recovery Planning and Assistance (RP&A) additional resources available to the VOAD. This information was presented to the VOAD.

Lawrence, Morgan, Cullman and Winston Counties:

VAL contacted VOAD key persons to set appointments for a meeting in support of efforts for a LTRC for Lawrence, Morgan, Cullman, and Winston Counties.

Fayette, Lamar, Pickens, Green, Sumter, Hale, Marengo, Perry and Bibb Counties:

VAL met with Disaster Response Chaplain representatives in Northport (Tuscaloosa County) to discuss potential LTRC representatives for Fayette, Lamar, Pickens, Green, Sumter, Hale, Marengo, Perry and Bibb Counties.

Choctaw County:

VAL conferred with FEMA Community Relations (CR) representative regarding the status of the Choctaw Long Term Recovery process and will make contact with the EMA representative to discern if the Tuscaloosa /West Alabama LTRC can assist Choctaw County in long term recovery.

Marion County:

AmeriCorps Washington Conservation Corps Team:

The Team, consisting of 10 members, worked at a volunteer sign-in table at the Hackleburg (Marion County) VOAD location, where tasks were received and assigned to volunteers. A list of work requests was reviewed and the need for each property owner was assessed by type of work (hand crew clean up, chainsaw work, debris removal and heavy machinery work).

Work was completed at properties in Hackleburg (Marion County).

The AmeriCorps Team unloaded and maintained materials and facilities at the VOAD to help the kitchen and supply services.

AmeriCorps coordinated with Marion County VOAD representative to prioritize and contact property owners to verify work requests and right of entry (ROE) to properties.

The Team acquired two (2) chainsaws for work scheduled to be performed. Site assessments were performed on 15 properties.

Jackson County:

VAL met with Jackson County LTRC Chair at the Sand Mountain Baptist Conference Office and discussed the assistance and communication with FEMA IA that VALs provides.

Marshall County:

VAL met with LTRC at EMA Offices to discuss the procedure to be used to address individual cases, especially special needs cases that may exist.

Madison County:

VAL made arrangements for AmeriCorps NCCC personnel to work in Madison County. Madison County provided housing and the information on the scope of work involved. This was facilitated by a representative of the Alabama Governor's Office of Faith-Based Initiatives.

Walker, Etowah and Marshall Counties:

VAL prepared for and attended a LTRC meeting in Gadsden (Walker County), Jasper (Etowah County) and Guntersville (Marshall County).

Tuscaloosa County:

VAL met with the Mayor of Tuscaloosa, the Executive Director of the United Way of West Alabama and the Executive Director of the American Red Cross (ARC) West Alabama Chapter at Tuscaloosa City Hall and discussed Long Term Recovery Coalition status.

VAL attended Tuscaloosa Mayor's Meeting at City Hall for disaster recovery status update and met with the Mayor's representative for sheltering to discuss Long Term Recovery Coalition development and how it can interface with the sheltering process.

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VAL attended Tuscaloosa County Sheltering Meeting to discuss sheltering status and potential need for faith-based involvement in placement of the remaining shelter residents.

VAL met with Division C Field Liaison to discuss DRC requests, VAL county assignments and Long Term Recovery Coalition development status.

VAL met with Long Term Recovery Coalition (LTRC) Steering Committee at United Way of West Alabama in Tuscaloosa to confirm counties to be included in the West Alabama LTRC - Tuscaloosa, Fayette, Lamar, Pickens, Greene, Sumter, Marengo, Hale, Bibb and Choctaw. The group also agreed on its name, mission statement and by-laws. Representatives from counties outside of Tuscaloosa will be submitted for inclusion in the LTRC.

VAL met with Presbyterian Disaster Assistance National Response Team representatives to discuss Long Term Recovery Coalition progress in Tuscaloosa and West Alabama.

VAL and Long Term Recovery Coalition of West Alabama Chairperson and American Red Cross (ARC) Chapter Executive Director met with the Mayor of Tuscaloosa to explain the Long Term Recovery Coalition process and provide a status update. The Mayor approved the effort and requested that additional meetings be held with the Mayor's Incident Command Staff to further explain the LTRC process.

VAL met with Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) National Response to discuss the status of the Long Term Recovery Coalition (LTRC) for Tuscaloosa /West Alabama and confirm resources and contacts.

VAL met with the Director of the Volunteer Reception Center (VRC), the Governor's Office of Faith-Based and Community Initiatives representative and the ALVOAD President at the Tuscaloosa VRC to discuss the status of the Tuscaloosa/West Alabama LTRC and clarify the participation of the VRC in the long term recovery process.

**AmeriCorps National Community Conservation Committee:**

The committee staffed the Volunteer Reception Center (VRC), processed 226 volunteers and deployed 178 volunteers to area projects.

**Jefferson County:**

**AmeriCorps National Community Conservation Committee:**

The 10 member team worked with All Hands at the 211 call center (Alabama Recovery Coordination Center) creating new volunteer service requests and directing callers to other organizations when necessary. The corps members researched volunteer groups within the Jefferson County area that would be equipped to handle new service requests.

The team conducted assessments at sites already in the database located in Jefferson County. Pictures were taken and information was gathered on required tools and potential hazards.

**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:**

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

**AEMA:**

The AL Emergency Management Agency (AEMA) reported the following social media contacts: Twitter – 2,980; Facebook – 4,368; YouTube – 1,077 with three (3) new videos uploaded.

**Community Relations (CR):**

Staff coordinated outreach efforts to disaster survivors with Private Sector, Intergovernmental Affairs, Limited English Proficiency Coordinator, and Individual Assistance, and explained FEMA registration process and programs encouraging residents to register.

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CR staff focused on reaching the elderly in all designated counties.

Staff conducted outreach, distribute registration fliers, and encouraged affected residents to register.

Staff continued to implement the 'Neighborhood Partnership' initiative by contacting local Faith Based Organizations (FBO) to gather information on local area events for possible FEMA participation in conducting outreach to foster strong relationships.

Staff attended Pell City Block Party (St. Clair County) to distribute disaster assistance information and answer questions about registration.

**EA Congressional:**

Staff responded to two (2) inquiries: one (1) IA, one (1) PA.

Staff coordinated and conducted a visit and tour of the JFO with the staff of Representative Terri Sewell (District 07).

CA staff disseminated updated disaster recovery information to Congressional staff.

Staff conducted outreach to Congressional offices.

**Inter-Governmental Affairs (IGA):**

Staff met with the Blount County Administrator to review FEMA activity and assess needs.

IGA staff met with Sumter County Commissioner to offer information and assistance in addressing eligibility letters.

IGA planned for a priority effort in Jefferson County to identify community leaders who can identify unregistered survivors as part of a new strategic initiative of the county Task Force leader.

Staff toured the Concord devastated area in Jefferson County with Division D Task Force and the Concord Fire Chief at the suggestion of the District 3 County Commissioner.

IGA offered suggestions to the County Administrator in Marengo County on ways to reach a wider audience of community leaders and business people interested in learning about safe rooms.

**Joint Information Center (JIC):**

Media contacts totaled 94: 45 radio, 19 television, 30 print.

Staff conducted live interview with the Editor of La Costa Latina newspaper, a bilingual newspaper that provides news and information of interest to the Hispanic community in Alabama, Georgia and the Florida Panhandle. Staff met with Editor, Hola Alabama Radio, Hernan – Hola Alabama Facebook page, Hola Alabama Television to conduct a Spanish-language newscast, Hola Latino Revista, a Spanish-language bi-monthly magazine that provides news and information of interest to the Alabama Hispanic community. Topics for discussion were: FEMA NR 073 – "Five Disaster Recovery Centers to Close on Saturday", "FEMA disaster registration deadline in Alabama is June 27", the latest disaster statistics, registering for federal disaster, registering online, by smart phone or tablet, location of DRCs, debris removal guidelines, applying for SBA, disaster assistance and other disaster related information.

JIC staff held a meeting with One Place, a nonprofit social service agency that is working closely with the Spanish-speaking community providing outreach to the residents.

Staff visited or conducted live interviews in Montgomery, Jefferson, Madison, Marshall, DeKalb, Tuscaloosa, Clarke, Marengo, Chotaw, Perry, and Calhoun County) with print, radio and television media to provide disaster information.

**Planning & Products (P&P):**

Staff prepared three (3) news releases: "Free advice on preventing damage from tornadoes"; "Volunteers are the cornerstone of recovery efforts"; and an update/synopsis of disaster program targeted to weekly newspapers.

Staff worked on material for the Safer Alabama Summit.

Six (6) Public Service Announcements (PSAs) were released targeted to individual counties entitled FEMA CEO recovery specialists provide free risk-reduction advice.

**Limited English Proficiency and Additional Needs (LEP/AN):**

Staff translated a news release, "Filling the insurance gap".

Staff met with the editor of Alabama Korea Times, and reviewed Korean translations of disaster releases and other translated information as requested by the editor, and discussed information needs of disaster-affected Koreans.

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**Private Sector:**

Staff supported Insurance Representatives meeting at the Joint Field Office (JFO).

Staff contacted Lawrence County Chamber in Moulton concerning outreach and data gathering on major businesses, associations and academia.

Staff contacted the City of Birmingham Office of Economic Development (Jefferson County).

Staff visited the County Chambers of Commerce in Shelby, St. Clair and Talladega Counties.

**19a. Finance / Administration:**

**FEMA-1971-DR-AL COB June 3, 2011**

Organization	Checked In	Pending	Total
FEMA	1,033	19	1,052
Other Federal Agencies	141	0	141
State *	150	0	150
Non-FEMA	66	0	66
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,390</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1,409</b>

State personnel checked into the JFO \*

State total including personnel in the field: 705

**FEMA-1971-DR-AL COB June 3, 2011**

	Subtotals	Totals
Total Allocations		\$369,119,110
Total Available Commitments	\$10,354,448	
Available Obligations - Grants & Temporary Housing	\$11,742,907	
Available Obligations - Mission Assignments	\$236,347,262	
Available Obligations - All Other	\$43,206,179	
Total Available Obligations	\$291,296,348	
Total Expenditures	\$61,734,350	
Total Funds Available		\$5,733,964

**FEMA-3319-EM-AL COB June 3, 2011**

	Subtotals	Totals
Total Allocations		\$1,390,723
Total Available Commitments	\$0	
Available Obligations - Grants & Temporary Housing	\$0	
Available Obligations - Mission Assignments	\$835,000	
Available Obligations - All Other	\$347,622	
Total Available Obligations	\$1,182,622	
Total Expenditures	\$193,470	
Total Funds Available		\$14,631

State obligated funds \$13,113,931

**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.

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**23. Security:** Nothing significant to report.

**24. Other Notes, Issues or Additional Remarks:**

**25. Proposed Objectives for Next Operational Period:**

1. Complete installation of 3 critical facilities by June 7, 2011. Total of 6 out of 9 (67%) complete.
2. Conduct 4 Kickoff Meetings by June 7, 2011. Total of 196 of 321 (61%) complete.
3. Provide Housing Assistance and Other Needs Assistance to at least 200 households, bringing total assisted to 12,836 out of an estimated 22,500 (57%)
4. Review 1200 IHP ineligible, withdrawn, and special needs categories in order to determine final eligibility, bringing total reviewed to 10,500 out of 13,900 (76%)
5. Close 5 Disaster Recovery Centers Saturday, by COB, June 4, 2011.
6. Initiate Long Term Community Recovery (LTRC) plan development to support LTRC efforts in Hackleburg (Marion County), and Cordova (Walker County) by June 7, 2011. Total of 2 of 14 (14%) currently identified communities as possible recipients of ESF-14 assistance.
7. Contact 3 of remaining 12 LTRC identified communities by June 7, 2011.
8. Contact 20 NFIP participating communities to conduct outreach and discuss mitigation issues.
9. Conduct 20 flood reviews for Public Assistance, Environmental/Historic Preservation, and temporary housing.
10. Conduct outreach at 6 building supply stores and 3 special events.
11. Assist the State in conducting 4 HMGP Applicant Briefings in the impacted areas.
12. Counsel and provide mitigation information to 200 disaster survivors in the 27 open DRCs.
13. Conduct 2 site visits and attend 3 kick off meetings in support of PA.
14. Finalize a Unified FEMA/Alabama Mitigation Implementation Plan for FEMA-1971-DR-AL.
15. Facilitate generation of Hazard Mitigation Grant Program applications from local communities.
16. Execute a coordinated AEMA-FEMA External Affairs strategy and messaging for FCO and SCO priorities related to the Safer Alabama Summit, home builders event and contractors information workshop.
17. Analyze county needs and redistribute Community Relations assets as required to target high priority areas for CR initiatives.

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**Attachment 1 – Designated Counties Table**

FEMA-1971-DR-AL				Current As Of: 06/04/2011						
Declaration Date: 04/28/2011				Incident Period: 04/15/2011 to 05/31/2011						
<b>Number of Counties &amp; Tribal Areas Designated</b>										
Individual Assistance	43			Public Assistance	69			Tribal Nations	0	
<b>Declaration Information</b>										
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.