

**Announcement of Public Assistance Applicant Briefings**  
**FEMA-4285-DR-NC**  
**Hurricane Matthew**  
**Disaster Declaration Date: 10/10/16**  
**Declared Incident Period: October 4, 2016 and Ongoing**

The state of North Carolina has received a federal disaster declaration for Public Assistance (PA) Category A (Debris Removal) and Category B (Emergency Protective Measures) for 41 counties in central and eastern NC. The declaration date is 10/10/16, with an event incident period of October 4, 2016 and ongoing. The disaster number is FEMA-4285-DR-NC, and includes the following counties: Beaufort, Bertie, Bladen, Brunswick, Camden, Carteret, Chowan, Columbus, Craven, Cumberland, Currituck, Dare, Duplin, Edgecombe, Gates, Greene, Harnett, Hertford, Hoke, Hyde, Johnston, Jones, Lee, Lenoir, Martin, Moore, Nash, New Hanover, Onslow, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Pender, Perquimans, Pitt, Robeson, Sampson, Tyrrell, Wake, Washington, Wayne, and Wilson.

The first step in the process is for all potentially eligible PA applicants (i.e., local governments, state agencies, private non-profits) in the declared counties to attend an Applicant Briefing at one of the dates/locations listed below. At the briefing, potential applicants will be given an overview of the PA program/process, any event-specific details, and the "Request for Public Assistance" (RPA) form, which is the application to participate in the PA program in order to receive reimbursement for eligible response and recovery costs incurred as a direct result of Hurricane Matthew. The RPA form is also attached to this email in case some applicants wish to fill out the form prior to the briefing to submit at the briefing. It can also be filled out at the briefing, and all RPAs will be collected from those attending the briefing. The applicant forms will require your Federal Tax ID, FIPS, and DUNS numbers. For those applicants unable to attend any of the scheduled briefings, they can also submit their RPA directly to State Public Assistance (send to [Wendy.Estes@ncdps.gov](mailto:Wendy.Estes@ncdps.gov).) The deadline to submit the RPA has been extended by FEMA to 12/8/16.

After receipt of the RPA and FEMA's approval of the application, FEMA will then begin contacting each applicant directly to schedule a Kick-Off Meeting to begin project formulation for the declared Categories A and B. Additional damage assessments will be conducted post-Kick-Off Meeting with each applicant in order to determine if all eligible PA damages and costs from all eligible applicants in the county will qualify the county to add the permanent work categories (C through G) to the declaration in order to make reimbursement available for infrastructure damages.

**Applicant Briefings Schedule:**

**Fri, 10/28/16 @ 1:00 PM**

**Wilson, Nash, Edgecombe, Harnett, Johnston**

**Location: Wilson County Administrative Building, Commissioner's Meeting Room  
2201 Miller Rd South  
Wilson, NC**

Monday, 10/31/16 @ 9:30 AM

**Duplin** Dept. of Social Services Bldg  
Location: 423 N. Main St.  
Kenansville, NC 28349

Monday, 10/31/16 @ 9:30 AM

**Lenoir**  
Location: Lenoir Community College  
231 Hwy 58 South  
Kinston, NC 28502

Monday, 10/31/16 @ 2:00 PM

**Brunswick, New Hanover**  
Location: Brunswick Community College, Odell Williamson Auditorium Events Center  
150 College Rd NE  
Bolivia, NC 28422

Monday, 10/31/16 @ 2:00 PM

**Pender**  
Location: Pender County Emergency Operations Center  
805 Ridgewood Avenue  
Burgaw, NC 28425

Tues, 11/1/16 @ 9:30 AM

**Jones**  
Location: County Communications Bldg  
110 S. Market St.  
Trenton, NC

Tues, 11/1/16 @ 9:30 AM

**Cumberland, Hoke**  
Location: The Crown Theater  
1960 Coliseum Dr.  
Fayetteville, NC 28306

Tues, 11/1/16 @ 9:30 AM

**Robeson**  
Location: Robeson County Emergency Operations Center  
38 Legend Drive  
Lumberton, NC 28358

Tues, 11/1/16 @ 2:00 PM

**Greene, Wayne**  
Location: Wayne County Emergency Operations Center  
134 N John Street  
Goldsboro, NC 27530

**Tues, 11/1/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Columbus**

**Location: Boys & Girls Home of NC  
400 Flemington Drive  
Lake Waccamaw, NC 28450**

**Tues, 11/1/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Bladen**

**Location: Bladen County Community College, Dublin Campus, Building 9 Auditorium  
7148 NC 41 W  
Dublin 28332**

**Wed, 11/2/16 @ 9:30 AM**

**Craven, Pamlico**

**Location: Riverfront Convention Center  
203 S. Front St.  
New Bern, NC 28560**

**Wed, 11/2/16 @ 9:30 AM**

**Sampson**

**Location: Sampson County Auditorium , Building A  
435 Rowan Road  
Clinton, NC 28328**

**Wed, 11/2/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Dare, Hyde**

**Location: Dare County Administration Building, Room 238  
954 Marshall Collins Dr.  
Manteo, NC 27954**

**Wed, 11/2/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Carteret**

**Location: Carteret County Emergency Operations Center  
3820 Bridges St. Suite D  
Morehead City, NC 28557**

**Wed, 11/2/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Onslow**

**Location: Onslow County Government Center  
234 NW Corridor Blvd  
Jacksonville, NC**

**Thurs, 11/3/16 @ 9:00 AM**

**Chowan, Bertie, Tyrrell, Washington, Martin**

**Location: Vernon James Center  
207 Research Station Rd  
Plymouth, NC 27962**

**Thurs, 11/3/16 @ 9:30 AM**

**Wake**

**Location: Wake County Human Services Office Building, Board Room 334 (3<sup>rd</sup> floor)  
10 Sunnybrook Rd  
Raleigh, NC 27610**

**Thurs, 11/3/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Moore, Lee**

**Location: Rick Rhyne Public Safety Building Community Room  
302 S. McNeil St.  
Carthage, NC**

**Thurs, 11/3/16 @ 3:00 PM**

**Beaufort**

**Location: Beaufort County Emergency Operations Center  
1420 Highland Drive  
Washington, NC**

**Thurs, 11/3/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Pitt**

**Location: Commissioners' Room  
1717 W. 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
Greenville, NC**

**Fri, 11/4/16 @ 9:30 AM**

**Gates, Hertford**

**Location: Gates County Emergency Operations Center  
308 US 158 West  
Gatesville, NC 27938**

**Fri, 11/4/16 @ 9:30 AM**

**Currituck**

**Location: County Administrative Building  
147 Courthouse Rd, Conference Room  
Currituck, NC 27929**

**Fri, 11/4/16 @ 2:00 PM**

**Camden, Pasquotank, Perquimans**

**Location: Public Safety Building  
200 E. Colonial Ave  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909**

If you have any questions, please contact Andy Innis, NCEM Public Assistance Manager (919-218-3191; [andy.innis@ncdps.gov](mailto:andy.innis@ncdps.gov)), or Public Assistance Supervisors Dorothy Henderson-Bell (919-218-6642; [Dorothy.henderson@ncdps.gov](mailto:Dorothy.henderson@ncdps.gov)) or Charles Edwards (919-605-8105; [Charles.edwards@ncdps.gov](mailto:Charles.edwards@ncdps.gov))