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Media Advisory

Temporary Disaster Recovery Center Opens in Houma

BATON ROUGE, La. - Survivors affected by Hurricane Ida can now meet with FEMA specialists at a temporary Disaster Recovery Center in Houma to start planning their recovery.

Survivors can get assistance with their FEMA applications, upload documents and get questions answered about federal disaster assistance. Representatives from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) are also on hand to provide program information and explain how to apply for SBA's low-interest disaster loans for businesses, private nonprofits, homeowners and renters.

The center is located at:

The Houma-Terrebonne Civic Center 346 Civic Center Blvd. Houma, LA 70360

For hours and other details, check the FEMA app (under Disaster Resources, select Talk to FEMA in Person) or visit the FEMA DRC Locator for a complete list of DRCs currently open in Louisiana. All centers will follow COVID-19 precautions. Masks will be required by both FEMA specialists and survivors.

For the latest information visit fema.gov/disaster/4611. Follow the FEMA Region 6 Twitter account at twitter.com/FEMARegion6 or on Facebook at facebook.com/FEMARegion6/.

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