

**FEMA PUBLIC NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY  
DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT  
FOR TRANSPORTABLE TEMPORARY HOUSING UNIT GROUP SITE  
KNOWN AS CLULEE GROUP HOUSING SITE (SC-03)  
SAINT CHARLES PARISH, LOUISIANA**

Interested parties are hereby notified that the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has prepared a Draft Environmental Assessment (EA) for a proposed Transportable Temporary Housing Unit (TTHU) group site. This Public Notice will be published on the websites of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness (GOHSEP), St. Charles Parish, and the St. Charles Parish Public Library. This group site may provide suitable temporary housing opportunities for individuals and families displaced under the major disaster declaration for Hurricane Ida (FEMA-DR-4611-DR-LA) (for the incident beginning August 26, 2021) signed by the President on August 29, 2021.

The proposed action includes developing a 38.5-acre site for up to 205 Manufactured Housing Units (MHUs) to be in St. Charles Parish, Louisiana in the City of Hahnville. Activities may include, where necessary, site clearing, grading, road construction, the placement of concrete pads, utilities (electricity, telephones, water, and sewer), and the transport and installation of manufactured homes to the site. In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regulations implementing NEPA (40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Parts 1500–1508), FEMA's Instruction 108-1-1 for implementing NEPA, the National Historic Preservation Act, Executive Order 11988, Executive Order 11990, and 44 CFR Part 9, a Draft EA was written to evaluate the potential impacts of the proposed action on the human and natural environment.

In order to meet the urgent need of Hurricane Ida survivors to find temporary housing, FEMA has conducted an expedited environmental review process to identify and address environmental issues. The Draft EA summarizes the purpose and need, site selection process, affected environment, and potential environmental consequences associated with the proposed action.

The Draft EA is available for public review through FEMA's website: <https://www.fema.gov/emergency-managers/practitioners/environmental-historic/region/6>. Written comments on the Draft EA can be sent via email to [dr-4611-fema-ehp-ia@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:dr-4611-fema-ehp-ia@fema.dhs.gov). When responding by email, please reference the project name, "**Temporary Housing – Clulee Group Housing Site (SC-03)**" in the subject field.

The public comment period will be limited to three (3) days from 8am, March 23, 2022, through March 25, 2022, at 5pm (Central Standard Time), due to the emergency nature of this action and need to provide temporary housing solutions for survivors of Hurricane Ida. If no substantive comments are received, the Draft EA and Finding of No Significance (FONSI) will become final and no further public noticing will be conducted.

**All other questions regarding disaster assistance or the availability of emergency housing should be directed to FEMA's Helpline at 1-800-621-3362 or visit [www.DisasterAssistance.gov](http://www.DisasterAssistance.gov).**