Disaster Recovery Center Opens in Rusk County July 31

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AUSTIN -- FEMA is opening a Disaster Recovery Center in Rusk County to provide one-on-one help to Texans affected by severe storms, tornadoes and flooding April 26 – June 5.

Center location:

Rusk County Youth EXPO 3303 FM 13 W (parking lot) Henderson, TX 75654

The center will operate from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday- Saturday, closed Sunday. Any center can help with both Hurricane Beryl and the April 26-June 5 storms and flooding. To find the center location nearest you go to fema.gov/drc.

All centers are accessible to people with disabilities or access and functional needs and are equipped with assistive technology.

Residents in Anderson, Austin, Bell, Calhoun, Collin, Cooke, Coryell, Dallas, Denton, Eastland, Ellis, Falls, Guadalupe, Hardin, Harris, Henderson, Hockley, Jasper, Jones, Kaufman, Lamar, Leon, Liberty, Montague, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Newton, Panola, Polk, San Jacinto, Rusk, Sabine, Smith, Terrell, Trinity, Tyler, Van Zandt, Walker and Waller counties can visit any open center to meet with representatives of FEMA and the U.S. Small Business Administration. No appointment is needed.

To shorten wait times at Disaster Recovery Centers, Texans are encouraged to apply to FEMA online, by phone or using the <u>FEMA App</u> before going to a center for follow-up help. To apply, homeowners and renters can:

- Go online to <u>disasterassistance.gov</u>
- Download the <u>FEMA App</u> for mobile devices



- Call the FEMA helpline at **800-621-3362** between 6 a.m. and 10 p.m. Help is available in most languages. If you use a relay service, such as video relay (VRS), captioned telephone or other service, give FEMA your number for that service.
- Visit any Disaster Recovery Center.

To view an accessible video about how to apply visit: <u>Three Ways to Register for FEMA Disaster Assistance - YouTube.</u>

For more information about Texas disaster recovery, visit: <u>fema.gov/disaster/4781</u>. Follow FEMA Region 6 on social media at <u>x.com/FEMARegion6</u> and on Facebook at <u>facebook.com/FEMARegion6/</u>.

