## FEMA Teams Meeting Mississippi Survivors Where They Are

FEMA Disaster Survivor Assistance teams will be going door-to-door in neighborhoods throughout Hancock, Hinds, Humphreys, Madison, Neshoba and Scott counties to help residents who want to apply for FEMA.

FEMA is meeting survivors where they are to help start their recovery following the April 8-11, 2024, severe storms, straight-line winds, tornadoes, and flooding.

FEMA Disaster Survivor Assistance teams go door-to-door to help disaster survivors in affected communities. They can do the following:

- Help survivors complete their disaster assistance application.
- Update an existing application.
- Answer questions about federal assistance.
- Provide referrals to additional community resources.

These teams will be easily recognizable by their official photo identification (ID). If you meet people offering assistance, first ask to see their ID before giving them your personal information. There is no charge for their service.

It is not necessary to wait for a visit from FEMA to apply for assistance. Survivors can apply for FEMA assistance by going online

to <u>DisasterAssistance.gov</u>, downloading the <u>FEMA mobile app</u> or calling the FEMA Helpline at 800-621-3362. If you use video relay service, captioned telephone service or others, give FEMA your number for that service.

For the latest information on recovery from the April tornadoes, visit <a href="mailto:msema.org">msema.org</a> and <a href="mailto:www.fema.gov/disaster/4790">www.fema.gov/disaster/4790</a>. On X/Twitter follow MEMA @MSEMA and FEMA Region 4 <a href="mailto:msema.org">@femaregion4</a>.



