



Warrington Township

NEWS FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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BUCKS COUNTY RESIDENTS ELIGIBLE FOR INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE FROM FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA)

Declaration Involves Damage from Tropical Storm Lee

WARRINGTON – As a result of Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) major disaster declaration for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (FEMA-4030-DR), Bucks County residents are eligible for individual assistance. This assistance covers the Tropical Storm Lee damage during the week of Sept. 7-11, 2011. In addition, County residents remain eligible for individual assistance for damage suffered during Hurricane Irene during the last week of August, 2011.

Bucks County was one of seven Pennsylvania counties added to "those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the event (Tropical Storm Lee)," according to a Presidential declaration of September 12, 2011. The other amended counties include Berks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, Northampton and Philadelphia.

Individual assistance can include temporary housing assistance for eligible applicants such as rental assistance and repair assistance. Individuals in the designated counties are encouraged to register with FEMA. To register, please use the following methods as provided by FEMA officials:

- Telephone: 800-621-FEMA (3362)
- TTY: 800-462-7285
- 711 or Video Relay Service (VRS): 800-621-3362
- Internet: www.DisasterAssistance.gov
- Smartphone or Tablet: m.fema.gov or download android app: market.android.com/details?id=gov.fema.mobile.android
- In Person: FEMA Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
Neshaminy Mall (use theater entrance)
Route 1 + Bristol Road
Bensalem, PA 19020
Hours of Operation: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. (Sunday through Saturday)

Any residents that have not yet received a damage assessment may contact the Fire Marshal's office to schedule an inspection at (215) 997-7501.