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SEMA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE (PA) APPLICANT BRIEFING FOR MISSISSIPPI, NEW MADRID, PEMISCOT AND SHANNON COUNTIES

SEMA will conduct a Public Assistance (PA) Applicant Briefing for eligible local government and nonprofit agencies in Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot and Shannon counties seeking federal assistance due to the severe storms and flooding that affected Missouri from Dec. 23, 2015 to Jan. 9, 2016. The briefing will be held at the Fischer Delta Research Center on Wednesday, March 30 at 8:30 a.m.:

SEMA Public Applicant Briefing
Room 111
Fischer Delta Research Center
Portageville, MO 63873
Wednesday, March 30
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

On March 17, the Federal Emergency Management Agency approved Gov. Jay Nixon's request to expand federal disaster declaration DR-4250 to include public assistance for Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot and Shannon counties. The approval means eligible applicant in those four counties can now seek federal assistance for response and recovery expenses associated with the flooding and severe weather, including damage to public infrastructure.

The announcement means 41 counties and the City of St. Louis are now covered under the expanded Public Assistance declaration. The other 37 counties in the original declaration made on Feb. 10 are Barry, Bollinger, Camden, Cape Girardeau, Cedar, Crawford, Dade, Dallas, Douglas, Dunklin, Franklin, Gasconade, Greene, Howell, Iron, Jasper, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln, McDonald, Newton, Ozark, Perry, Phelps, Pulaski, Reynolds, St. Charles, St. Clair, Ste. Genevieve, St. Louis, Scott, Stoddard, Stone, Taney, Texas, Washington and Webster.



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