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## News Release

### FEMA Assistance Registration Deadline Draws Near

**Clanton, Ala** – Homeowners and renters in **Bibb, Calhoun, Clay, Hale, Jefferson, Perry, Randolph and Shelby** counties with uninsured damage or losses from the March 25-26, 2021 severe storms and tornadoes, should register with FEMA for federal disaster assistance and the U.S. Small Business Administration for low interest disaster loans as soon as possible.

### Friday, June 25, 2021 is the last day to register.

Homeowners, renters, and small-business owners must apply by June 25 to be considered for federal disaster assistance programs. All individuals are encouraged to apply, even if they have insurance, since FEMA disaster assistance may provide benefits not covered by some insurers.

### Don't Delay. Register Today!

- Online at <https://www.disasterassistance.gov/>
- By phone at the disaster assistance helpline: **800-621-3362 (TTY 800-462-7585)**. Lines are open daily from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. central time. Operators are multilingual and those who use a relay service such as a videophone, InnoCaption or CapTel should update FEMA with their specific number assigned to that service. If you need accommodations for language or a disability, let the operator know.
- By downloading the FEMA app

To apply for a low-interest, **SBA disaster loan**, call 800-659-2955 (TTY:800-877-8339) or complete an online application at <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/>

The deadline to apply for an SBA physical damage disaster loan is **June 25, 2021**.

For additional online resources, as well as FEMA downloadable pamphlets and other aids, visit [www.disasterassistance.gov](http://www.disasterassistance.gov) and click "information."

For referrals to Alabama's health and human service agencies as well as community organizations, dial **211**, text **888-421-1266**, or chat with referral specialists via [www.211connectsalabama.org](http://www.211connectsalabama.org).

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For more information on Alabama's disaster recovery, visit [ema.alabama.gov](https://ema.alabama.gov), [AlabamaEMA Facebook page](#), [www.fema.gov/disaster/4596](https://www.fema.gov/disaster/4596) and [www.facebook.com/fema](https://www.facebook.com/fema).

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