

**PRIVATE ROADS:** At the commission meeting yesterday (12-5-17), FEMA representatives provided us with a way to be able to collect storm debris from private roads. If you live on a PRIVATE Road and still have storm debris, please contact the Engineering Department at 863-402-6877 before NEXT Friday, December 15, 2017 to have your road placed on the list to be picked up.

December 6, 2017

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## News Release

### **Disaster Recovery Center to Close in Sebring**

**ORLANDO, Fla.** – A Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) is scheduled to close at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, December 9, in Sebring.

Disaster Recovery Centers offer in-person support to individuals and small business owners. Survivors still needing help may visit any DRC. They may locate one near them by calling the FEMA Helpline at **800-621-3362 (Voice, 711 or VS) or 800-462-7585 (TTY)**. Helpline numbers are open from **7 a.m. to 11 p.m., seven days a week**. A DRC locator can be found at <https://www.fema.gov/disaster-recovery-centers> or by using the [FEMA App](#). The State of Florida does not offer **Food For Florida** (Disaster SNAP/D-SNAP) at DRCs. A list of Food for Florida sites is available online at <http://www.dcf.state.fl.us/programs/access/fff/>

The DRC is at the following address:

**Sebring (Highlands County)**

**Bert J. Harris Agricultural Center  
4509 West George Blvd.  
Sebring, FL 33875**

**Hours: Monday to Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

**THIS LOCATION CLOSSES DECEMBER 9**

If you have phone and/or internet access, you may also contact FEMA in one of the following ways:

- Online at [DisasterAssistance.gov](https://www.DisasterAssistance.gov).
- Call the FEMA Helpline at **800-621-3362** for voice, 711 and Video Relay Service (VRS). If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability and use a TTY, call 800-462-7585.

You may have other needs while visiting a DRC:

- If you have a disability and require a reasonable accommodation, please see a DRC manager when you arrive.
- Language translations are offered through Telephonic Interpretation Services in 200 languages.

For more information on Hurricane Irma and Florida recovery, visit [www.FEMA.gov/IrmaFL](http://www.FEMA.gov/IrmaFL), [@FEMARegion4](https://twitter.com/FEMARegion4) Twitter account, or the [Florida Division of Emergency Management website](http://www.FEMA.gov/Florida).

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*FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.*

*Disaster recovery assistance is available without regard to race, color, religion, nationality, sex, age, disability, English proficiency or economic status. If you or someone you know has been discriminated against, call FEMA toll-free at 800-621-FEMA (3362). For TTY call 800-462-7585.*

*FEMA's temporary housing assistance and grants for transportation expenses, medical and dental expenses, and funeral and burial expenses do not require individuals to apply for an SBA loan. However, applicants who receive SBA loan applications must submit them to SBA to be eligible for assistance that covers personal property, vehicle repair or replacement, and moving and storage expenses.*

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