## Disaster Recovery Center in Bluefield, W.Va. Opening Dec. 16

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The center is located at:

## **Bluefield Disaster Recovery Center**

Maple View Church of Christ

194 Robins Rest Rd.

Bluefield, WV 24701

## **Hours of operation:**

Monday, Dec. 16, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 17 – Friday, Dec. 20, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 21, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Closed on Sundays

Additional hours to follow.

Survivors do not have to visit a DRC to register with FEMA. You can call 800-621-FEMA (3362). The toll-free telephone line operates seven days a week. If you use a relay service, such as video relay service (VRS), captioned telephone service or others, give FEMA the number for that service. You can also register online at <a href="DisasterAssistance.gov">DisasterAssistance.gov</a> or through the?<a href="FEMA App?">FEMA App?</a> on your phone.



The deadline to apply for FEMA disaster assistance is Feb. 7, 2025.

PLEASE NOTE: If you are a Mercer County resident who applied previously in Virginia for damage from Hurricane Helene, please contact FEMA at 800-621-3362 or online at <u>disasterassistance.gov</u> to discuss your application. Please use the FEMA registration number you were assigned when you applied.

For more information on West Virginia's disaster recovery, visit <a href="mailto:emd.wv.gov">emd.wv.gov</a>, <a href="Medical-west-align: West Virginia Emergency Management">West Virginia Emergency Management Division Facebook page</a>, <a href="https://www.fema.gov/disaster/4851">www.fema.gov/disaster/4851</a> and <a href="https://www.fema.gov/disaster/4851">www.

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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 833-285-7448. If you use a relay service, such as video relay service (VRS), captioned telephone service or others, give FEMA the number for that service. Multilingual operators are available (press 2 for Spanish and 3 for other languages).

