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Fact Sheet

Louisiana Renters May Be Eligible for FEMA Assistance

If you're a renter forced from your damaged home because of severe storms and flooding between March 8 and April 8, you may be eligible for FEMA's help:

- Money may be available to rent a different place to live for a limited time while repairs are made to your rented home.

FEMA also helps eligible survivors, including renters, with uninsured or underinsured necessary expenses and serious needs caused by the disaster:

- Replacement or repair of necessary personal property lost or damaged in the disaster, such as:
 - Household items including room furnishings and appliances;
 - Tools and equipment required if you are self-employed;
 - Replacement of the primary household vehicle.

Additionally, renters and homeowners may borrow up to \$40,000 from the U.S. Small Business Administration to repair or replace personal property.

FEMA can help survivors locate temporary rental resources. Applicants may receive information on housing resources by calling FEMA's hotline (**800-621-3362**) or through FEMA's housing portal at: asd.fema.gov/inter/hportal/home.htm.

To register for assistance, go online to DisasterAssistance.gov or call the FEMA helpline at **800-621-3362** or TTY **800-462-7585**. Folks who use 711 Relay or Video Relay Services may call **800-621-3362**. Help is available in most languages and phone lines are open 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week until further notice.

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