## **IA PDA Narrative Input**

General Information	PDA Team
State:	State:
County Assessed:	FEMA:
Date(s) of PDA:	SBA:
Date(s) of Damage:	Local/County:
Cause of Damage:	
Number of Fatalities:	

## Complete the narrative electronically and email to the IA PDA Lead at the end of each day.

Please write a descriptive narrative of the event and the impact to the community you surveyed, including the following information.

- Briefly describe the county and assessed area, the damaged homes, and method of assessment?
  Are homes on slabs, basements, crawlspaces? Owners or renters? Economic impacts? Ex. Most of the county is flat agricultural land. Ex. Most of the damaged homes were 30-50 year old wood frame homes with basements.
- Type of damages riverine flooding, sewer back up, flash flooding, wind, tornado, wind driven rain, etc. Ex: most of the damages were from flash flooding which swiftly filled basements and inundated first floors...
- Concentration of damages Low, medium, high, or extreme, and what was the basis for this classification
- > <u>Trauma</u> *deaths/injuries*
- Impact of damages on affected individuals ex: flooding caused most residents surveyed to seek alternate housing for more than 10 days, some residents were still not back in their homes at the time of the survey.
- Impact of damages on affected local governments and businesses ex: 50% of the town's housing stock is unlivable, many businesses have not reopened, and tourism, which is a large part of the economy has been curtailed with businesses, hotels, and venues closed.
- Recent disaster history in the area over the last 12 months both declared and undeclared with description of event and impacts
- Impact of damages on other disaster relief organizations Ex: Three churches maintained daycare facilities with sliding fees to accommodate low income families. These were closed until cleanup and repairs can be made, possibly as long as a month. the soup kitchen hosted by the local social service agency has had to close and the added burden of disaster related financial need has severely affected social services and voluntary agencies in the area.
- > <u>Description of area</u> agricultural, rural, urban, other
- Known special populations elderly, AFN, low income, migrant, etc.
- Primary languages spoken English, Spanish, Arabic, etc.
- Location of displaced families shelter, damaged dwelling, friends and family, etc.
- Are people living in dangerous conditions? explain why
- Are there compounding issues? high number of personal vehicles damaged, lack of public transportation, cultural, higher than usual utility bills, etc.
- ▶ How is the State/Tribe/Local assisting? Disaster programs, food stamps, etc.
- ▶ What services are voluntary agencies providing? clean up kits, chain saw teams, casework, etc.
- > <u>Were furnace and water heaters affected? estimated percentage across the county/Tribe</u>
- Was there a boil order or utility interruption? known dates
- Were or are there any unmet needs identified? explain
- > The extent and type of insurance in effect to cover losses
- Is there a lack of temporary housing?

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- Any other Federal assistance available to aid in recovery?
- > What happens if the federal government doesn't provide supplemental assistance?
- Were there any hazard mitigation measures that lessened the impacts? If so, what kind and how?
- Additional Information/Notes ie. Average depth of water in structure/severity of wind damage to area, utility/access problems, duration the homes were unlivable, duration water remained in the homes, status of local businesses (if business closed how long, were there other businesses nearby that could provide the same support), employment impacts, private roads/ bridges out, were damages concentrated or spread out throughout the county.
- What was the cause of the damages for Majors?
- What was the average water level (range)?

NARRATIVE (please use complete sentences and put in paragraph form):

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