
Subject: Four-Hour Recovery Training and Assistance to Florida

MT Disaster and Emergency Service (DES) would like to invite all local floodplain administrators and other community representatives to a four-hour Recovery training. They are hosting the event in Missoula, Helena, and Billings next month. This would be a fantastic opportunity to learn more about recovery. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

Also, the State of Florida has reached out to Montana to ask for assistance in conducting Substantial Damage Estimates (SDEs) and general assistance with floodplain management and associated recovery efforts. Florida is currently being impacted by Hurricane Milton and is in desperate need of assistance. I know how busy all of us are, but if you are interested and willing to help out another state while building disaster capacity for your community, please let me know right away. They would need folks as soon as possible. Most deployments last from 16-18 days. We are working directly with our DES partners on this request.

Thank you for your consideration on these two important events.

Traci

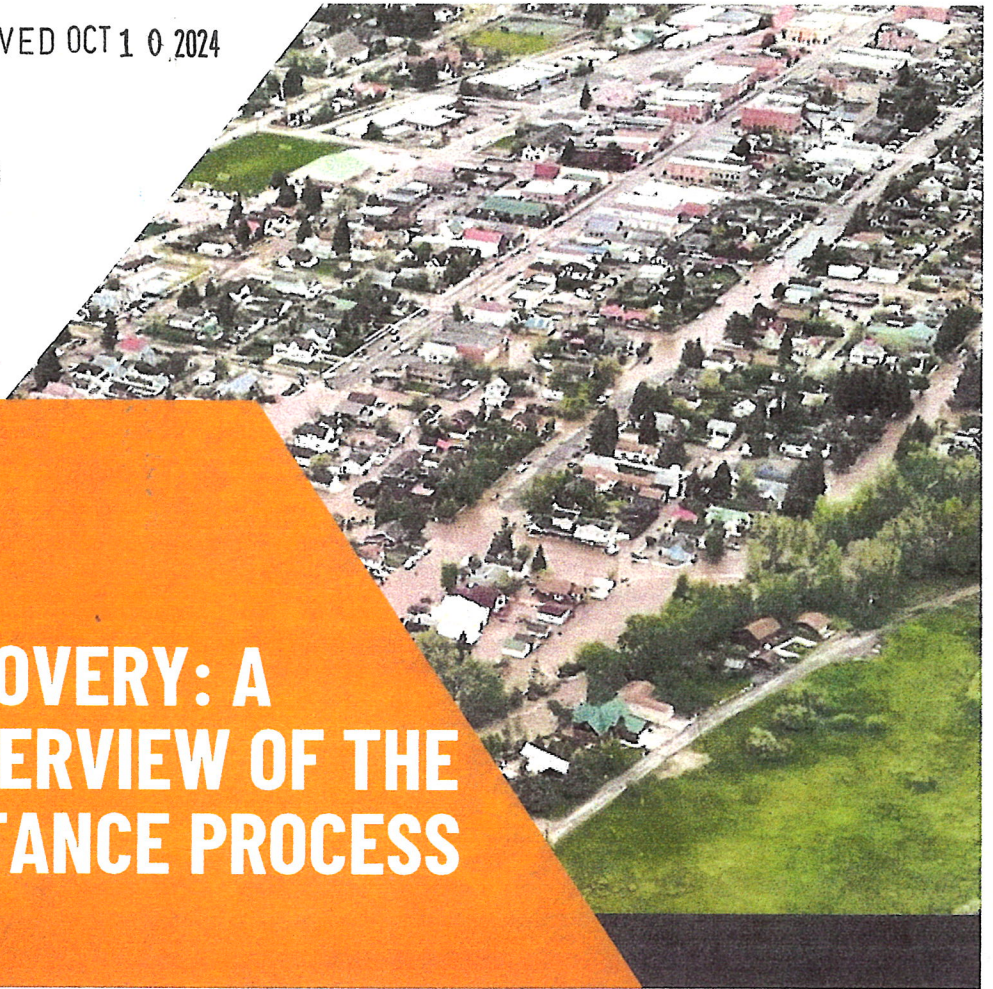


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DISASTER RECOVERY: A STRATEGIC OVERVIEW OF THE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROCESS (TEEX MGT481)

What will we cover?

This course provides and senior community leaders and partners with a baseline understanding of navigating the FEMA Public Assistance program process.

Topics:

- Overview of the FEMA Public Assistance program
- Pre-disaster recovery planning
- Key milestones and pitfalls in recovery operations
- Best practices for local jurisdictions and partners

How can I sign up?

Use the QR code or hyperlink below to register through TEEX at your desired training location. You will need to log in or create a student account before registering.

<https://teex.org/class/MGT481/>

Locations

Missoula

Date: November 19th

Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: Missoula County Fairgrounds, 1101 South Ave. West

Helena

Date: November 20th

Time: 8:30am - 12:30pm

Location: 1956 Mt Majo, Fort Harrison

Billings

Date: November 21st

Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: Mansfield Education Center, 2900 12th Ave. N

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