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2nd FEMA's Disaster Recovery Center To Open

A second FEMA's Mobile Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) opens Wednesday, November 15 to provide information and help for survivors of Hurricane Irma.

The center will be open from 9:00a.m. to 7:00p.m. Wednesday through Saturday at the Recreation Hall in Pioneer Park, 2828 Pioneer Blvd. in Zolfo Springs.

Disaster Recovery Centers offer one-on-one support to homeowners, renters and small-business owners because of the major disaster declarations stemming from the hurricanes.

Those seeking assistance are urged to first register online through www.DisasterAssistance.gov no later than November 9. Residents also can call 800-621-3362; those with a speech disability or hearing loss and use TTY can call 800-462-7585; and those who use 711 or video relay can call 800-621-3362 to register.

FEMA also recommends that applicants have their Social Security number along with information about insurance, damage and household finances. Be sure to bring any letters or other documents that you have received.

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