

Statewide Situational Briefing 12 SEP 2023

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Agenda Item	Briefed By
State Emergency Operations Center updates	State Emergency Operations Center Manager
Recovery Unit Updates	Recovery Unit Lead
Federal Emergency Management Agency Updates	Federal Emergency Management Agency Representative
Question/Answer Period	



State Emergency Operations Center updates

- Remain in Monitoring Status
 - Debris Task Force
 - Let us know if you have debris issues
 - Housing Transition Task Force
 - Check in on residents and let us know if they need assistance.





Recovery Update-Ben Rose





DR-4720 Public Assistance

- All counties eligible for Category B (emergency protective measures)
- All counties (now including Essex) except for Franklin and Grand Isle eligible for all categories of Public Assistance
- 175 Requests for Public Assistance (RPAs) received
- RPAs due by October 12
- Information on how to submit on the <u>VLCT website</u>
- Questions can be sent to <u>ADM.2023floods@vermont.gov</u>





Individual Assistance (IA)

- Disaster Case Management grant was submitted 9/7/23, currently under FEMA review
- Long Term Recovery Committees forming around the state
- Vermont Disaster Recovery Fund board expanded, met yesterday, is gearing up to consider cases of unmet need
- Jason Gosselin will provide update on IA stats and Direct Housing Assistance progress



Natural Resources Conservation Service's Emergency Watershed Protection Program (NRCS EWP)

- NRCS EWP <u>sponsor letter</u> deadline extended to October 12
- Site visits happening today in upper Lamoille River Valley and ongoing
- NRCS EWP program info on <u>VLCT website</u>



FEMA Update-Will Roy



- a. 373 staff deployed
- b. 4 DRCs open
- c. 5690 IA applicants (+16)
- d. \$17.6M approved for IA
- e. \$17.5M disbursed for IA
- f. 4416 home inspections requested, 4309 completed
- g. 31 max grants of \$41k issued
- h. 1349 applicants receiving rental assistance

