

## **DISASTER INFORMATION BULLETIN**

Bergen County Declared as Disaster Area

Individuals, Households, and Businesses

Eligible for Assistance

The President has authorized Bergen County as a disaster area.

Resident and business owners who sustained losses during recent noreaster storm and flooding event of April 14-20, 2007 can begin applying for assistance through FEMA by registering on-line at [www.fema.gov](http://www.fema.gov) or by calling 1-800621-FEMA (3362) or 1-800 462-7585(TTY) for the hearing and speech impaired.

Assistance coordinated by FEMA may include grants to pay for temporary housing, home repairs, and other serious disaster related expenses. Low interest loans from the US Small Business Administrators will also be available to cover residential and business losses not fully covered by insurance.

FEMA notes that damage surveys are still underway and additional forms of assistance may be designated at a later date.

For additional information, contact the Office of Emergency Management (973) 478-8500 ext. 123