PARISH ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT CHECKLIST needed for PRESIDENTIAL DISASTER DECLARATION

It is required that an Economic Impact Statement be included in the Governor’s request for a Presidential declaration. This checklist is intended as a guide for parish emergency management officials to collect and provide the needed information to the Governor’s Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness (GOHSEP).

- Describe impacted area.
- List of damaged public + private structures.
- Demographic groups impacted.
  - Minorities.
  - Uninsured + under-insured.
  - Elderly.
  - Special needs.
  - Other under-served populations.
- Public + private revenue impacts.
  - Public
    - Anticipated loss/reduction of sales + income tax revenues.
    - Anticipated loss/reduction of property tax revenues.
    - Anticipated loss/reduction in event revenues + facility rentals + other.
  - Private
    - Individual
      - Anticipated loss/reduction in individual income.
    - Business
      - Anticipated loss/reduction in transactions (business income).
  - Nonprofit
    - Anticipated loss/reduction in revenue stream.
  - Other
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- Evacuation data.
  - Area.
  - Type of evacuation order.
  - Number of individuals evacuated.
  - Duration of evacuation.
  - Number of shelters open.
  - Number of individuals served.
  - Length of time shelters open.
  - Number of meals served.

- Other business impacts.
  - Import/export interruption.
  - Business closures.

- Employment impacts.
  - Number of people out of work
    - For how long.

- Infrastructure impacts.
  - Critical infrastructure.
    - Each parish has a list.
  - Other infrastructure.
  - Cascading effects of impacted infrastructure.
    - Within the disaster area.
    - Outside of the disaster area.

- Other impacts.
  - School closures.
  - Utility disruptions.
  - Road closures.
  - Deaths and injuries.
  - Other.

If possible, provide Geographic Information System (GIS) data and visual images of damaged areas.