

November 12, 2012

MEMORANDUM FOR:

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Federal Coordinating Officer

FEMA-DR-4086-NJ

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Transitional Sheltering Assistance Extension Request for

FEMA-DR-4086-NJ

This memorandum is in response to the State of New Jersey's request to extend Transitional Sheltering Assistance (TSA) for FEMA-4086-DR-NJ under Section 403, 42 U.S.C. § 5170b and Section 502, 42 U.S.C. § 5192, Category B, Emergency Protection Measures, of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended.

TSA is currently scheduled to end on November 14, 2012, and the State of New Jersey has requested a 14-day extension through November 28, 2012. In addition, the State of New Jersey has requested to expand the eligible population by adding the following zip codes to TSA: 08345, 08321, 07424, 07074, and 07643.

Based on information received on the population of individuals and households still utilizing TSA and the intention to expand the eligible population, the extension request is granted. Therefore, FEMA will continue to provide TSA to eligible occupants based on the following conditions through November 28, 2012, with a check out date of November 29, 2012.

Conditions

In accordance with the Transitional Sheltering Assistance for Displaced Individuals and Households Interim Policy, the individuals and households currently utilizing TSA will be evaluated for the extension based on the following criteria and conditions.

- Individuals and households who fall into the following categories will be extended:
 - Individuals deemed as a 408 Eligible Applicant during the latest 14 day interval (November 1 - 14, 2012).
 - Individuals who have a "pending" status for the Individuals and Households Program Temporary Housing Assistance.
- Individuals and households who fall into the following categories will NOT be extended:

- o Individuals deemed as a 408 Eligible Applicant prior to November 1, 2012.
- o Individuals deemed not to be a 408 Eligible Applicant.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Waddy Gonzalez, Individual Assistance, Mass Care Branch Chief, at (202) 212-1077.

cc: Elizabeth A. Zimmerman, Associate Administrator, Office of Response and Recovery, Mike Grimm, Division Director, Individual Assistance, Lynn Gilmore Canton, Regional Administrator, FEMA Region II