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Media Advisory

A Few Days Remain to Apply for Federal Assistance

WAYNESVILLE, N.C. – There are just a few days left for Tropical Storm Fred survivors in Buncombe, Haywood and Transylvania counties to apply for federal disaster assistance. The deadline is 11:59 p.m., Monday, Nov. 8, 2021.

Apply to FEMA online at <u>DisasterAssistance.gov</u>, call 800-621-3362, or use the <u>FEMA mobile app</u>. Telephone lines are open from 7 a.m. to 1 a.m. daily.

Apply to the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) for a low-interest disaster loan online at <u>disasterloanassistance.sba.gov/ela/s/</u>, visit a Business Recovery Center, call 800-659-2955 (800-877-8339 TTY), or email <u>disastercustomerservice@sba.gov</u>.