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DEKALB RECEIVES DISASTER DECLARATION FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

DeKalb Citizens Eligible to Receive Federal Assistance

DECATUR – CEO Burrell Ellis announced that the Federal Government has declared DeKalb County a disaster area following the recent rain storms and widespread flooding that occurred throughout Georgia. The Federal Declaration means that the county is now eligible to receive federal assistance that will help citizens on the road to recovery.

“We are grateful to our state and federal leaders for their support and for taking swift action in making this declaration after assessing our community today,” says CEO Burrell Ellis. “I commend Public Safety Director William “Wiz” Miller, members of DEMA and the rest of the members of our administration who have diligently worked on behalf of the citizens of DeKalb.”

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