



# IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM VILLAGE OF ESTERO

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## Village of Estero DRC Closing

**On Tuesday, February 14, 2023 – Village Hall Council Chambers  
first floor, 9401 Corkscrew Palms Circle near the entrance to  
Estero Park will close at this location at 6:00pm.**



## FEMA

If you are a Hurricane Ian survivor who suffered damage to your property, you have additional time to apply for federal disaster assistance. **You must be registered. Registration period ends on January 12, 2023.**

Even if you applied and were originally denied assistance, the Disaster Recovery Center may be able to offer you different options or programs that would apply to your situation. **The Village strongly suggests that if you have been initially denied by FEMA that you come into the Disaster Recovery Center to review your file and explore options with the FEMA staff, in person.**

A DRC may be able to help you:

- Apply for assistance. You may also apply for FEMA assistance online or apply/check your status by phone 1-800-621-3362.
- Learn more about disaster assistance programs.
- Learn the status of your FEMA application.
- Understand any letters you get from FEMA.
- Find housing and rental assistance information.
- Get answers to questions or resolve problems.
- Get referrals to agencies that may offer other assistance.
- Learn about Small Business Administration (SBA) programs.

DRC Locations in area:

- Lakes Library - 15290 Bass Road Fort Myers, FL 33919
- Lake Kennedy Center – 400 Santa Barbara Blvd Cape Coral, FL 33915
- Phillips Community Park – 5675 Sesame Dr, Bokeelia , FL 33922
- Sanibel Community Church – 1740 Periwinkle Way , Sanibel , FL 33957
- Beach Baptist Church – 130 Connecticut St, Ft. Myers Beach, FL 33931
- Bonita Spring Recreation Center – 26738 Pine Ave, Bonita Springs 34135



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Please know that we are seeing many people who were originally denied benefits from FEMA come into the Disaster Recovery Center at Village Hall and, working individually with FEMA staff and found ways to modify their application to open opportunities for assistance – where once there were none.

It may be worth your time and effort.

## Village of Estero Hurricane Ian Debris

### **Pickup Ended January 20, 2023**

The Village of Estero's debris hauling, Crowder Gulf, made its final debris removal pass through the neighborhoods along Broadway Ave. West on January 20, 2023.

After January 20<sup>th</sup> there are several options if any residents still require assistance removing trash or debris from their property.

1. Normal curbside pickup if the waste material follows residential trash pickup requirements.
2. Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) private property debris removal assistance.

FDEM has established a program to assist residents in removing debris from their property. This could include building demolition among other activities. Applications are available at:

<https://iandebriscleanup.com/>

3. Hire a private contractor to dispose of debris.

Please contact with Village of Estero at (239) 221-5035 with any questions.

