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Families of the County of Eastland,

We would like to provide clarity on several issues to promote peace and to ensure that each family has the opportunity to clearly communicate their needs.

To start, United Rescue Alliance is a disaster relief agency specializing in initial relief and long term recovery in communities. Our hope is to assist community leaders by providing tools that empower them to help their community through the recovery process. URA also comes alongside the community in the case management process to ensure that community needs are being communicated in the long term recovery committee. In your community this is the County of Eastland Disaster Assistance Network (COEDAN). This committee is responsible for facilitating the recovery process for any affected families in the county of Eastland. There are 12 partner agencies represented in this committee specializing in a variety of areas. Throughout this response, URA has been working directly with the county of Eastland and COEDAN. United Rescue Alliance has been updating the profiles of each family that has been affected and is in the early stages of the Case Management process. This process will include walking through the recovery and rebuilding stages with each family. Based on these conversations, URA will make referrals to available resources in the area or offer guidance on seeking further assistance financially.

To communicate current needs or to inquire about financial assistance, please follow the process below.

1. Gather any documents demonstrating your need for assistance.
 - a. These can be invoices, contractor bids, or bills.
2. Send an email to info@unitedrescuealliance.org with the following information
 - a. Your first and last name
 - b. A brief summary of your current situation
 - c. Financial documents expressing your need
3. If you wish to speak to a member of our team, please call 325-310-4883. A representative should be available to speak with you Monday through Friday from 8-5.
4. Please allow 3-4 business days for us to review and process your inquiry.

For clarification, United Rescue Alliance is simply the case managing agency. When a need is expressed, United Rescue Alliance communicates with the Community Foundation of Abilene and the Eastland Community Foundation to request a release of funds. Upon board approval, these funds will be allocated to meet the need that was originally expressed.

Our thoughts and prayers remain with this community. We are honored to serve each of you and to provide assistance in this recovery process. Our heart is to connect with other partners to ensure that there are resources available to meet the needs of this community.

Blessings,
The URA Team

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