

# STATE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE FACT SHEET

**Personal Property Debris Removal** 

### **ELIGIBILITY ISSUES**

- Must document the immediate threat to the general public.
- Document legal authority (ordinances, codes, public health and safety)
- Legal authorized authority ordered the debris cleared
- Governors Authorized Representative (GAR's) approval of the request

#### **DOCUMENTATION NEEDED:**

- Right of Entry signed
- Photo of immediate threat
- Hold Harmless agreement

### **ELIGIBLE ACTIVITY:**

- Removal of large debris piles
- Debris obstructing ingress and egress on improved property
- Hazardous trees that are greater than 6 inches in diameter and:
  - o 50% crown is damaged, or
  - Had split trunk of broken branches that expose the heartwood or are leaning at a 30 degree angle

### **INELIGIBLE ACTIVITY:**

- Debris in vacant lots, forests or unimproved properties
- Debris on agricultural lands
- Reconstruction debris

ACCURATE RECORDS OF EXPENSES MUST BE MAINTAINED

## **IMPORTANT:**

You must retain all records for a minimum of seven (7) years after receipt of the closeout package mailed by the State.

All debris removal activities must conform to FEMA Public Assistance eligibility.

Please contact DPS-HSEM Recovery Staff for technical assistance.

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