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Loans for Homeowners, Renters and Businesses of all Sizes

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SBA Disaster Loan Outreach Centers In Kenosha and Racine Counties to Close July 31

ATLANTA – The U.S. Small Business Administration announces today that their Wisconsin Disaster Loan Outreach Centers located in Kenosha and Racine counties will cease operations **Friday, July 31.**

Frank Skaggs, Director of SBA Field Operations Center East urges individuals, businesses and non-profit organizations affected by the severe storms and flooding that occurred June 18-19, 2009, to take advantage of the one-on-one assistance and visit the Centers before the Friday closing. “SBA is here to help you with your recovery efforts. I encourage anyone who has not completed their disaster loan application to do so and return it as quickly as possible,” said Skaggs.

Low-interest disaster loans from the SBA are a way to provide funds for disaster repairs not covered by insurance. Customer Service Representatives are at the Centers to provide information about SBA’s disaster assistance program, answer questions and help complete the disaster loan application.

The Disaster Loan Outreach Centers (DLOCs) are located at:

Racine County	Kenosha County
Sturtevant Village Hall	Kenosha County Center
2801 89 th Street	Human Services Resource Room
Sturtevant, WI 53177	19600 75 th Street
	Bristol, WI 53104
Final days: Thursday, July 30 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Friday, July 31 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.	Final days: Thursday, July 30 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Friday, July 31 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Closing Friday, July 31 at the close of business	Closing Friday, July 31 at the close of business

Disaster victims unable to visit one of the Centers before they close may obtain program information and applications by calling the SBA’s Customer Service Center at 1-800-659-2955 (1-800-877-8339 for the hearing-impaired) Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., EDT or by sending an email to disastercustomerservice@sba.gov. Business loan applications can also be downloaded from the SBA Web site at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance. Completed applications should be returned to any of the Disaster Centers or mailed to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

Victims may apply for disaster loans from SBA’s secure Web site at <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/>.

The deadline for returning applications for physical damage is **September 14, 2009**; the deadline to return economic injury applications is **April 15, 2010**.

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For more information about the SBA’s Disaster Loan Programs, visit our Web site at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance.

