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LMCA Hurricane Laura Disaster Relief Fund

Early morning, August 27th, 2020, Hurricane Laura made landfall on the southwest Gulf of Mexico coast of Louisiana. Sustained winds were recorded at 150 mph; making Laura one of the strongest storms to impact the state of Louisiana. Residents that did not evacuate describe the eyewall's migration northward as a hundred-mile-wide tornado. Commercial and residential structures that were not completely swept away all have some degree of damage. Power is expected to be out for quite some time in Cameron and Calcasieu. All of our mosquito control family in the immediate path of Hurricane Laura has been adversely impacted and many have lost everything. Those of us that were spared devastation are determined to serve and support in any way possible.

The association will graciously accept any support for our mosquito control colleagues and their families. The LMCA office will serve as a marshalling point for goods and supplies to be transported to the effected mosquito control districts. Monetary support will be used to purchase identified supply needs, offset costs for meal services and direct financial support based on need. Laura's path effected other members of our association, just not to the degree as Calcasieu and Cameron. With that in mind, it seems appropriate that these resources will be directed to those parishes.