



Hernando County Community Organizations Active in Disaster **COAD Meeting #104**

Monday, August 31, 2026 @ 9:30AM-11:00AM via Zoom

AGENDA

Mission: A strong community is vital. The Hernando COAD is committed to helping health & human services increase engagement with other community partners and foster successful outcomes and updates.

- **WELCOME & PURPOSE** – United Way of Hernando County, Angie Bonfardino
 - Success Highlights & Partner Shout-Outs
- **COUNTY UPDATES**
 - **Emergency Management** – Activity Update
 - **Department of Health**
 - **211 Hernando & 988** – July Call Trend Report | [Search Page](#) + [Agency Update Campaign](#)
 - [Long-Term Recovery Group](#)
- **MEMBER SPOTLIGHT: Pinellas County Urban League - Urban Seniors Jobs Program (USJP)**
Warren Thomas, Host Agency Coordinator
- **RESOURCES & UPDATES**
 - **Supplies** – [Ongoing Supply Drive](#); UW Outreach Hygiene Bags
 - **Childcare & Schools** – Partner Updates
 - **Shelters & Housing** – Partner Updates
 - **Mental Health & Substance Abuse** – Partner Updates ([NAMI Survivor Groups](#))
 - **Food & Distribution** – Partner Updates & Trends
 - **Emergency Assistance** – Partner Updates & Trends
 - **Employment** – Partner Updates ([Youth Workforce Paid Training](#))
 - **Volunteerism** – Partner Needs ([Disaster Relief Volunteer](#))
- **COMING UP**
-COAD Meeting #105: Monday, September 28, 2026 @ 9:30am via Zoom
- **MEMBER INPUT, UNMET NEEDS & OPPORTUNITIES**
- **ADJOURN**

MITIGATION & PREPAREDNESS – RESPONSE – RECOVERY

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**HERNANDO
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HERNANDO COUNTY LONG-TERM RECOVERY GROUP

MISSION:

"To provide coordinated, comprehensive recovery services to individuals and families impacted by disasters in Hernando County, addressing unmet needs and facilitating a resilient community by leveraging public, private, and non-profit collaborative partnerships and accessible resources."

VISION:

"To create a resilient community where every individual affected by a disaster has access to comprehensive support, enabling them to rebuild their lives and thrive in a fully recovered environment, regardless of their circumstances."

GOALS:

- Bring together all organizations on the ground
- Develop recovery plans for individuals and households
- Cooperate to meet unmet needs
- Leverage a comprehensive disaster response system
- Verify & distribute resources
- Promote physical, social, economic, and emotional wellness

Want to Get Involved?

As our community moves into the long-term recovery phase, collaboration and strategic planning are vital to rebuilding a stronger and more resilient community. By joining the Hernando County Long-Term Recovery Group, you'll contribute to efforts that go beyond short-term relief, ensuring sustained recovery for those in need.

LTSG SUB-COMMITTEES

- Case Management
- Advocacy & Outreach
- Volunteer Coordination
- Emotional & Spiritual Healthcare
- Unmet Needs
- Construction
- Finance & Donations

Need Help?

Call a Disaster Case Manager Today!

Disaster Case Management is a FREE service where a skilled helper works with individuals or families affected by a disaster to create and achieve recovery goals. Let our Disaster Case Managers ease the burden of recovery by guiding you through the complex recovery process. They will simplify the journey by creating clear, realistic plans and connecting clients to the resources they need to rebuild their lives. Email call us: 888.333.3400.4374

LTSG @ UnitedWayHernando.org / LTSG

The Hernando County Long-Term Recovery Group is a cooperative body that is made up of representatives from faith-based, non-profit, government, business and other organizations working close in concert to assist individuals and families as they recover from disaster. Their goal is to help you to be a part of the conversation & local solutions. #HernandoCovers

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