



## Weekly News & Updates

### Upcoming Meetings and Calls

<b>Wed</b> <b>Nov</b> <b>18</b>	<b>2:00pm</b>	<b>DCMP Transition - Camp Evans</b>
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	<b>3:00pm</b>	
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<b>Thu</b> <b>Nov</b> <b>19</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>Housing Solutions Committee Meeting - 260 Industrial Hwy W, Eatontown</b>
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	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Sussex Warren COAD Meeting - United Way 699 Washington St, Hackettstown, NJ</b>
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	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Sussex Warren COAD Meeting - United Way 699 Washington St, Hackettstown, NJ</b>
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	<b>10:30am</b>	
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<b>Fri</b> <b>Nov</b> <b>20</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>NJVOAD Call - Conference Call: 1-800-320-4330 / Pin 225748#</b>
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	<b>11:00am</b>	



CLICK [HERE](#) FOR THE MINUTES FROM THE 10-23-2015 NJVOAD CALL.  
**NJVOAD CALL IS NEXT FRIDAY!**

### NJVOAD RESOURCE GUIDE

As many of you know, long-term recovery groups are closing in many communities, but the recovery is far from over. As Disaster C Managers and others are trying to assist survivors in navigating through their recovery, NJVOAD was asked to compile some ongoing which may be of assistance. Cynthia Campbell, one of our wonderful VISTAs who is serving in the capacity of Outreach and Comm Coordinator, worked diligently to pull together a Resource Guide which highlights disaster-related and other resources in the most a communities. Please click [HERE](#) to download a copy for yourself.

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### UPCOMING EVENTS TRAINING OPPORTUNITY



**NEW JERSEY WORK ENVIRONMENT COUNCIL**  
Over 25 years of working for safe, secure jobs and a healthy, sustainable environment

The New Jersey Work Environment Council (WEC)  
Invites You To

## A Training Workshop on Identifying and Preventing Hazards in the Workplace

November 16, 8:30 AM-12:30 pm (Registration 8 am)

Location: CWA Local 1032 Conference Room,  
67 Scotch Road, Ewing, NJ 08628

Registration Fee: \$15 Register Now!

ANY QUESTIONS OR FOR MORE INFORMATION,  
CONTACT CECELIA LETO, 6098826100 EXT. 308 OR  
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### Extreme Events and Climate Adaptation Planning Workshop

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency is offering this free, interactive training workshop to help utilities explore strategies for enhancing resilience to extreme weather events and plan ahead for addressing long-term climate change impacts. The workshops include hands-on training with the EPA's Climate Resilience Evaluation Awareness (CREAT), version 3.0.

Tuesday, December 8th and Wednesday, December 9th  
U.S. EPA Region 2, Edison Environmental Center  
2890 Woodbridge Avenue, Edison, NJ 08837

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### Upcoming Events

## Community Discussion: Preparing Individuals Disproportionately Impacted by Disasters Webinar

Various populations throughout the nation are disproportionately impacted during an emergency due to risk factors related to language, cultural isolation, immigration status and national identity. On Monday, November 23, 2015 FEMA Individual and Community Preparedness Division will host a webinar focused on engaging the public on nationwide disaster preparedness and resilience efforts serving these various populations.

**Title:** Community Discussion: Preparing Individuals Disproportionately Impacted by Disasters

**Date:** Monday, November 23, 2015

**Time:** 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. (ET)

### Featured Speakers

- **Iskra Gencheva, Ready New York, New York City Citizen Corps, New York City CERT**

Will share experiences preparing New York City's immigrant and Limited English Proficiency (LEP) populations

- **Sarah Babcock, New Orleans Medical Reserve Corps**

Will share experiences preparing New Orleans's Spanish-Speaking and Vietnamese communities

- **Dana Perry, Newport News CERT**

Will share experiences preparing refugees from various nations including Afghanistan, Cuba, Burma, Nepal, and the Democratic Republic of the Congo

- **Tom Hipper, The National Resource Center on Advancing Emergency Preparedness for Culturally Diverse Communities**

Will share helpful resources that support emergency preparedness efforts for culturally diverse communities

## TO REGISTER FOR THIS WEBINAR CLICK [HERE](#).

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## AMERICORPS VISTA IN NJ: CALL FOR CONCEPT PAPERS



C.S. Fisher Federal Building  
402 East State Street  
Suite 3050  
Trenton, NJ 08608

### New Jersey State Office Request for AmeriCorps VISTA Concept Papers

**SUMMARY:** [The Corporation for National and Community Service](#) New Jersey State Office seeks applications for the AmeriCorps VISTA program from innovative, high-performing and outcome-driven organizations that share the AmeriCorps VISTA mission to provide long term solutions to poverty. This Request for Concept Paper (RFCP) is for placement of AmeriCorps VISTA members in June, July, and August, contingent on FY16 appropriations. Organizations interested in sponsoring an AmeriCorps VISTA project in New Jersey with **five or more** AmeriCorps VISTA members are invited to submit a concept paper to the Corporation for National and Community Service New Jersey State Office in [eGrants](#) no later than **December 13, 2015**.

CLICK [HERE](#) FOR THE ENTIRE DOCUMENT

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