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Public Protection Staff Return to Mayfield to Assist Tornado Survivors Disaster Recovery Fair takes place 10-4 CT Saturday at Mayfield High School

Frankfort, Ky. (May 19, 2022) – The Kentucky Department of Insurance (DOI) and the Department of Housing, Buildings and Construction (HBC) are returning to Mayfield for a followup visit to assist tornado survivors. Staff will be in-person to answer questions about insurance issues, how to avoid scams and fraud, tips on working with contractors, building code compliance and contact and resource information.

Public Protection Cabinet staff first visited western Kentucky on Dec. 19, shortly after the tornadoes tore a devastating path through numerous communities and is committed to helping the area rebuild. If you can't attend in-person, resources are also available online.

DOI and HBC staff will be available from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Central time on Saturday, May 21, 2022, at Mayfield High School during the Disaster Recovery Fair.

The address is:

Mayfield High School 700 Douthitt St. Mayfield, KY 42066

Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Disaster Recovery Fair also includes participants from local, state, federal and nonprofit agencies that can assist with questions about housing, repairs, disaster mitigation and other recovery concerns.

A second disaster recovery fair is planned for Dawson Springs on June 4. Details to come. For more information about the Mayfield event, contact HUD Kentucky Field Office at 502-582-5251.

Governor Andy Beshear provides an extensive list of tornado recovery resources at: <u>https://governor.ky.gov/tornadoresources</u>

Kentuckians can find insurance information by visiting the DOI website at: <u>https://insurance.ky.gov/ppc/newstatic_info.aspx?static_id=654</u>.

Recovery information related to construction can be found on the HBC website at: <u>https://dhbc.ky.gov/newstatic_Info.aspx?static_ID=664</u>.

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