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Help is needed to get the word out to people in our communities that by law the deadline for FEMA Registrations AND the returning of SBA Loan Applications is July 6. After that date no further registrations or processing of loans will be allowed. Nearly 30,000 applications have been sent to Tennesseans but less than 4500 have been returned. This means the Federal assistance available to over 25,000 people will cease to exist after July 6th. Additionally, many grants to Long Term Recovery Committees in our communities will have a stipulation that their money cannot be used for anyone who has not completed the FEMA process that includes the SBA application.

A double hit for people who will need all the help available to help them recover. Whether they want a loan or not they must complete the process to remain eligible for additional assistance.

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