



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

The City of Fort Lauderdale recognizes that your residence/business has been impacted by the Flash Flooding that occurred on April 12. We want to help you expedite your repair process by offering the following action items:

- The Governor's Office has issued Emergency Order 23-65 recognizing the storm and flooding that occurred on April 12, 2023, as an event that enables emergency action to be taken to secure the property and prevent further compromise of the interior.
- If you have suffered water leakage/flooding in your structure, you have the right to temporarily secure the building from additional deterioration. Permanent repairs to restore the building to the pre-storm condition must be accomplished with licensed contractors, obtaining permits and inspections. Using a licensed/insured contractor provides assurance that you are getting repairs that will be safe and Code compliant. Beware of individuals asking you to obtain an owner/builder permit so that they can do repairs that they are not properly licensed to perform.
- If you cannot remain in your home and wish to place an RV or Travel Trailer on your property temporarily, you can also receive guidance from our Call Center. Certain restrictions on the location and utility connections may apply.

It is our sincere desire to assist you with the repair process quickly and safely.

If you have questions about how to proceed, please contact our Call Center at: 954-828-6520 or by internet, at ftlcity.info/building-permit-general-info.