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FYI....

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Derrec – see the areas in yellow; might be good SM content for you.

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From: Higgs, Harold
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Just a reminder to alleviate concerns. The Contractors Inspectors are out in every Declared County, and every town and cities throughout the declared areas, they have been out there since day one. In an effort to head off any additional work or aggravation for anyone, please push out the word they are out there working, traveling through, and trying to connect with applicants, they are in every declared disaster area, at the damaged homes and apartments. Please forward to all the County Emergency Managers, Sheriffs, State Police, National Guard units that they are here in response to the Disaster and working every day throughout the areas to Inspect the applicants. **All Contractors Inspectors should have Identification Badges. They will identify they are Contractors for FEMA, and their mission here is to perform Individual Assistance Housing Inspections for the applicants. The Inspectors should always have their badges displayed if they are working. They should provide the ID without issue, and say why they are in the area.** The State Staff, EM, law enforcement are already occupied enough, so the inspectors won't be trying to find them to check in, they will be looking for the applicants, and their damaged dwelling addresses, trying to assist as many people as they can. So please push the word out to all declared areas, and especially in any newly added counties. We don't want to tie up any law enforcement/EM's confirming they are there in response to the disaster, or inhibit the inspectors from getting to the disaster applicants. If there are any issues I'm here as a resource, and a copy of the contractors badges should have been provided from the Task Monitors, for internally use only. We don't want it reproduced in the public arena for security reasons. Thanks for your assistance with this.

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