

# New Jersey to Conduct Superstorm Sandy Business Assessment

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Gov. Chris Christie recently announced that the state will conduct a “Superstorm Sandy Business Assessment” to help determine what else can be done to help New Jersey businesses devastated by the storm.

As detailed by Gov. Christie’s office in a press statement, “The results will not only allow for direct follow up with respondents about their issues, but help formulate broader strategy when it comes to business recovery around the state, including the specific resources required by business owners and what they identify as areas of concern for the near and long term.”

The survey was created with input from the New Jersey Business and Industry Association, the New Jersey Chamber of Commerce, the Commerce and Industry Association of New Jersey and the National Federation of Independent Businesses. While officials will visit some businesses to solicit feedback, the survey is also available online.

Key components of the survey cover loss information including cause, category and estimated value of the loss; whether the firm has already applied for disaster assistance; and the overall impact of the storm on the business’ operation.

For more information about storm recovery resources for New Jersey businesses, we encourage you to check out our prior posts as well as the State of New Jersey Business Portal.

*If you have any questions about the new survey or need legal assistance getting your company back on its feet, please contact me, John Scagnelli, or the Scarinci Hollenbeck attorney with whom you work.*