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**Attachments**:

1. Signed Release of Information Form
2. Proof of Ownership/Occupancy of Mobile Home Appeal Letter
3. Sworn Self-Declaration of Ownership/Occupancy of Mobile Home
4. Supporting Document
5. Supporting Document
6. Supporting Document
7. FEMA’s September 2, 2021 Memorandum, SUBJECT: Amendment to FP 104-009-03, Individual Assistance Program and Policy Guide, Version 1.1

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FEMA Release of Information form:

<https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/documents/fema_form_ff-104-fy-21-118.pdf>

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**PROOF OF OWNERSHIP/OCCUPANCY OF MOBILE HOME APPEAL LETTER**

FEMA:

I, **First M. Last**, was denied Housing Assistance for my damaged home at **Physical address, City, County, Kentucky Zip** because ownership/occupancy was not verified. I am appealing the decision and providing acceptable proof of ownership/occupancy pursuant to FEMA’s September 2, 2021 Memorandum, SUBJECT: Amendment to FP 104-009-03, Individual Assistance Program and Policy Guide, Version 1.1 (“the Memorandum”) addressed below and attached to this letter. If applicable, please waive the 60-day appeal window because I have been trying to obtain acceptable documentation.

I have made a good faith effort to obtain and provide a copy of acceptable ownership/occupancy documentation. I have been unable to obtain this documentation because I have been under significant stress working through the disaster recovery process and because my pre-disaster residence was a mobile home or travel trailer.

The Documentation to Verify Occupancy on pages 2-5 and Documentation to Verify Ownership on pages 6-8 of the Memorandum state that FEMA will accept alternative documentation of ownership and/or occupancy if FEMA is unable to verify same through a public records search. I have attached the following documentation with my appeal letter:

1. Supporting Document
2. Supporting Document
3. Supporting Document

The Documentation Exceptions section on page 8 of the Memorandum states that “FEMA will accept a written self-declarative statement as a last resort from applicants whose pre-disaster residence was a mobile home or travel trailer…” As such, I have also attached a signed self-declarative statement.

Please waive the 60-day appeal window, if applicable, and provide **an additional home inspection**. Please reconsider me for the maximum amount of Housing Assistance and Other Needs/Personal Property Assistance for the damages to my primary disaster-damaged residence and personal property due to DR-4860-KY (Kentucky Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides).

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Sincerely,

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**SWORN SELF-DECLARATION OF OWNERSHIP/OCCUPANCY OF MOBILE HOME**

I, **First M. Last,** affirm the following:

1. I own the disaster-damaged mobile home or travel trailer at **Physical address, City, County, Kentucky Zip** and make this declaration for the purpose of appealing my denial for Housing Assistance because ownership was not proven.
2. I have lived at my disaster-damaged mobile home or travel trailer since Approximate Date, approximately # Years/Months prior to the Presidential disaster declaration DR-4860-KY (Kentucky Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides).
3. I have made a good faith effort, in coordination with FEMA, to obtain and provide a copy of acceptable ownership/occupancy documentation. I have been unable to obtain this documentation because my disaster-damaged home was a mobile home or travel trailer. As such, I was unable to obtain traditional forms of ownership/occupancy documentation.
4. I meet FEMA’s definition of an owner-occupant because I am the legal owner of the home, I pay no rent for the home, I am responsible for the maintenance for the residence and property taxes, and I hold lifetime occupancy rights.

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**List of alternative occupancy documents:** [**Documentation to Verify Occupancy Chart.docx**](https://ardfky.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/EevEJ3Cv-41NkpDT33S3risB5883dI4CohgjMbTDZImK5A?e=qKsVHq)

**List of alternative ownership documents:** [**Documentation to Verify Ownership Chart.docx**](https://ardfky.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/EWyIFVsngW1ErkUbfLy6QnsBfdq8nIEOwgnf2KFCqmLOvQ?e=kCV3tM)

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**Insert entire FEMA September 2021 Ownership and Occupancy Memo**

**(link below)**

<https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/documents/fema_individual-assistance-program-and-policy-guide-iappg-policy-amendments-memo-9.2.21_signed.pdf>

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