



Host Site: Legal Services of North Florida, Inc.

Topic of Project: Disaster Relief

Location: Quincy, FL

Description of Fellow Project:

The Fellow will support Legal Services of North Florida, Inc.'s response to legal issues resulting from Hurricane Michael. The impact of Hurricane Michael on the mostly rural counties of the Florida Panhandle has been incredible and, in many ways, immeasurable. This position may be located in either our Panama City or Quincy office, depending on the location of the student. Under the supervision of one of our Disaster Response attorneys, with the support of a Senior Attorney and Director of Litigation, the Fellow's work will largely involve housing issues, including title-clearing and heir-property issues; contractor fraud, liens, and poor quality work; and support work in the development of affordable housing within the affected counties. The Fellow will engage in intake and client interviewing, development and assisting in cases, outreach and education, and research regarding affordable housing issues.

Applicant Qualifications:

Applicants must be comfortable in supporting the organization with clinics and community education events; have excellent legal research and writing skills; have reliable transportation and a high-level of comfort with technology; and able to work with clients across culturally diverse populations.

