## Instructions for Completing the IRS Tax Authorization Form 8821

SBA requires you to complete the IRS Form 8821 as a part of your disaster loan application submission. The form authorizes the IRS to provide federal income tax information directly to SBA. Although the form is available online, it cannot be transmitted electronically.

The IRS Form 8821 must be completed and submitted with each SBA disaster loan application, even if you are not required to file a federal income tax return.

A separate IRS Form 8821 must be returned with the SBA disaster loan application for:
(1) each disaster loan applicant (individuals filing joint returns may use a single IRS Form 8821),
(2) each corporation or partnership in which the disaster loan applicant holds a $50 \%$ or greater interest,
(3) each individual or entity which holds a $20 \%$ or greater interest in the disaster loan applicant,
(4) each general partner, and
(5) each affiliate business.

## - Only Fill In Blocks 1 and 7

- Enter the name(s) and address of the individual taxpayer(s), or business (whichever is applicable) and address in block 1. If you file a joint tax return, include the names and address of both filers.
- Next, enter the taxpayer identification number(s), i.e. Social Security number (SSN). If you file a joint tax return, include the SSN for both tax filers: xxx-xx-xxxx / xxx-xx-xxxx

If the authorization is for a corporation or a partnership, enter the Employer Identification number (EIN): $x x-x x x x x x x$

- Sign, date and print name(s) in block 7.
- If you filed a joint tax return, only one spouse is required to sign.
- For a corporation, the IRS Form 8821 must be signed by the President or Chief Executive Officer of the corporation. If the 8821 is signed by any other officer, the signature must be attested to by another corporate officer with their signature, date, and title also appearing on the 8821.


The IRS Form 8821 may be photocopied if more than one form is needed.

