

# HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS

If you live in hurricane-prone areas, you are encouraged to complete these simple preparations before hurricane season begins.\* Hurricane Season: June 1 - November 30



#### DETERMINE YOUR RISK This includes your risk of storm surge, strong winds, rainfall, flooding and rip currents

#### STRENGTHEN YOUR HOME Cover windows; Secure loose outdoor items; Move vehicles to a safe location; Trim trees; Secure all doors



GET AN INSURANCE CHECK <sup>‡</sup> Check with your homeowner's insurance agent; Know your policy; Keep documents with you

## **DEVELOP AN EVACUATION PLAN**

Find out if you live in an evacuation zone; Have a go bag for supplies; Follow evacuation orders if given; Plan several routes; Plan for your pets



HELP YOUR NEIGHBOR Help your neighbors prepare; Check in after the storm passes; Help your neighbors evacuate



## **COMPLETE A WRITTEN PLAN**

Have a contact list; Have at least one contact outside of the impact area; Keep critical documents together for quick access; Share your plan

### ASSEMBLE DISASTER SUPPLIES

- Food / Water (enough for 3–7 days)
- Clothing
- Bedding
- First Aid / Medicines
- Radio
- Important Documents
- Flashlight / Batteries
- Toiletries
- Telephones
- Cash
- Spare Keys
- Toys, Books & Games
- Special Items
- Tools
- Vehicle Fuel Tanks Filled
- Pet Care Items

\* www.noaa.gov/hurricane-prep

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