
Local Disaster Relief Shelter

**ALWAYS CHECK THE MEDIA FIRST TO DETERMINE WHICH
SHELTERS ARE OPEN DURING AN EMERGENCY.**

The towns of Venice, Nokomis and Laurel are within the flood zones and do not have shelters during hurricanes.

Name of Disaster Shelter	Address
Booker Middle School	2250 Myrtle St., Sarasota
Brookside Middle School	3636 S. Shade Ave., Sarasota
Southside Elementary School	1901 Webber St., Sarasota
Riverview High School	1 Ram Way, Sarasota
Booker High School	3201 N. Orange Ave., Sarasota
Phillippi Shores Elementary	4747 S. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota
Gulf Gate Elementary School	6500 S. Lockwood Ridge Road, Sarasota
North Port High School	6400 W. Price Blvd., North Port
Heron Creek Middle School	6501 W. Price Blvd., North Port
Woodland Middle School	2700 Panacea Blvd., North Port
Atwater Elementary School	4701 Huntsville Ave., North Port

Local Agencies

Name	Phone Number
Emergency Management	Sarasota Emergency Management Service 941-861-2906
Highway Patrol	FHP - 4010 S. Tamiami Trl., Venice, FL 34293; 941-492-5850
Poison Control	Sarasota Poison Control Center 941-953-1332
Red Cross	Sarasota Chapter of the Red Cross 941-379-9300
Electric Company	Florida Power and Light 941-917-0708
Gas Company	GAPS Propane 941-766-7089
Water Company	Sarasota County 941-861-6790 - Call RCR Office 941-488-9674
Sewer Company	Lift Stations Sarasota County 941-378-6108 RCR Lift Stations repair US Water 727-848-8292. Call RCR Office 941-488-9674
Telephone Company	Comcast 800-266-2278
Fire Department	Nokomis Fire 941-488-8855
Police	9-1-1
Non-Emergency	Sarasota County Sherriff 941-493-2929
Sarasota County Animal Services	941-861-9500
Suncoast Humane Society	941-474-7884

Code Red –Emergency Communications	Register in advance at www.scgov.net - If you need assistance with registration or at any time wish to be removed from the CodeRED system, call the Contact Center at 941-861-5000 or you may send your information by email to contactcenter@scgov.net .
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Local Hospital Name	Address	Phone Number
1 Venice Regional Bayfront Health	540 The Rialto, Venice FL 34285	941-485-7711
2. Sarasota Memorial Hospital	1700 S Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34239	941-917-9000

	Name	Phone Number
AM Emergency Radio Station	WSRQ 1220 AM	941-952-1220
FM Emergency Radio Station	WSRQ 106.9 FM WUSF Public Radio 89.7	941-952-1220 800-741-9090

Contacting FEMA

After a disaster, if you are contacting FEMA, you must have the following information available:

1. Description of the loss;
2. Insurance information;
3. Directions to your damaged property; and
4. A phone number where you can be contacted.

What can FEMA do for you?	
1. Aging Services Crisis Counseling	6. Home and personal loan programs
2. Emergency Assistance	7. Social Security checks
3. Legal Services	8. Consumer Services
4. Price Gouging Assistance	9. Insurance information
5. Disaster Unemployment Assistance	10. Veterans Benefits

State FEMA Information

Florida FEMA Daytona Beach 800-621-3362

Florida Emergency Management Tallahassee 850-413-9969