

HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS CHECKLIST

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION

- ✓ List of important contact information for family, friends, work, doctors, vets, etc.
- ✓ Cell phone, extra battery and chargers for electrical equipment
- ✓ NOAA weather radio (with extra batteries)

MEDICAL NEEDS

- ✓ Medications, for every family member, for at least two weeks and copies of prescriptions with your name on it
- ✓ Extra contact lenses or eyeglasses
- ✓ First aid kit

CRITICAL DOCUMENTS

- ✓ Photo ID
- ✓ Cash **and** credit cards
- ✓ All financial, medical, personal and property records put in a portable waterproof container. This may include copies of your will, living will, power of attorney

COMFORT ITEMS

- ✓ Books, puzzles, card games, knitting, board games and any other items to occupy your mind

TOOLS & SAFETY ITEMS

- ✓ Flashlights (plus extra batteries)
- ✓ Cooler with ice
- ✓ Lighter or matches in waterproof container
- ✓ Whistle

FOOD SUPPLIES

- ✓ Three days of nonperishable food
- ✓ Three days of water (1 gallon per day per person)
- ✓ All pet food, water, supplies and meds for them

HYGIENE & SANITATION

- ✓ Soap, sanitizers and deodorant, moist towelettes, toilet paper
- ✓ Paper towels, garbage bags, and Kleenex, toothbrush and toothpaste

PROTECTIVE GEAR AND CLOTHING

- ✓ Blankets or Sleeping bag
- ✓ Warm clothing
- ✓ Sturdy shoes
- ✓ Umbrella

SHELTER SUPPLY LIST

- Blankets, pillows, and sleeping bag
- Two-week supply of prescribed medications
- Toiletries
- Extra clothing
- Battery-operated radio and flashlight
- Personal items including books and toys
- Infant necessities and senior supplies
- Important papers such as valid identification
- Food for special dietary conditions
- 3-day supply of water for personal use
- Any other item(s) previously listed you wish to take with you

WHAT NOT TO INCLUDE:

- ❖ FIREARMS
- ❖ ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
- ❖ PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS