

# TOWN OF EATONVILLE HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS

"No Time for Panic, But Time for Preparation"



## 5 P's PROPER PLANNING PREVENTS POOR PERFORMANCE

**EOC LOCATION:** Town of Eatonville, Town Hall

**STAFFED DEPARTMENTS ON CALL:** Departments Heads, Public Works and EPD

**EMERGENCY NUMBERS:** 911, 311, 407-703-1757 (Non-Emergency)

**State of Emergency Plans for DORIAN:** (Steps the Town will Take, not Limited To)

- Risk Management Services (Town Clerk)
- Pumps will be staged at Lift Stations with generators checked for use and efficiency,
- Additional generators on hand,
- Evacuation/Shelter locations will be identified locally and through Orange County,
- Identify Seniors and individuals with medical needs who will require some special attention and assistance and to be contacted,
- Available churches/Pastor will be identified with specific defined roles to assist the community,
- Stock-pile sandbags for the Town in the event of flooding,
- Ensure some tree trimming of low line trees, drain & gutter clean out, eliminate debris,
- Contact Duke Energy for preparations,
- EPD, Selective Town Staff, and Representatives identified by the Mayor will assess the areas around Town until entire potential hazards are resolved (fencing, debris portable objects, etc.),
- Contact business and contractors about any removal of debris identified in the Town,
- Notice to residents providing information, resources and emergency contacts,
- Resources and information posted on the website and on community resource line,
- Identify Volunteers

## SUGGESTED LIST and RECOMMENDATIONS:

- Lists can vary, but these are the essentials:
- Flashlights
- Batteries
- Weather Radio
- First Aid Kit
- Toilet Paper
- Water—at least three gallons for each person and pet
- Insect Repellent
- Extension cord
- Power Inverter
- Generator
- Non-perishable food items
- Hand-held Can Opener
- Portable Charger
- Gather important documents and store in a dry place or even Ziploc bags. Documents like your driver's license, social security card, birth/marriage certificate, the deed to your house and insurance policies.
- Talk to your family about an evacuation plan and how to contact each other or a place to meet if you're separated. **\*\*Develop Contact list and meeting locations\*\***



**A LONG AND DETAILED LIST:** Residents should be preparing home emergency kits that include fresh drinking water, non-perishable food, flashlights, batteries, tools and a medical first aid kit. Residents are encouraged to be prepared for any severe weather event and to monitor progress of Hurricane Irma at [www.nhc.noaa.gov](http://www.nhc.noaa.gov).

1. Charge any device that provides light. Laptops, tablets, cameras, and video cameras. Old cell phones can still be used for dialing 911. Charge external battery backups,
2. Wash all trash cans, big and small, and fill with water for flushing toilets. Line outdoor trash cans with trash bags, fill with water and store in the garage. Add bleach to sterilize.
3. Fill every tub and sink with water. Cover sinks with Saran Wrap to keep it from collecting dust. Fill washing machine and leave lid up to store water.
4. Fill old empty water bottles and other containers with water and keep near sinks for washing hands.
5. Fill every Tupperware with water and store in freezer. These will help keep food cold longer and serve as a backup water supply.
6. Fill drinking cups with water and cover with Saran Wrap. Store as much as possible in fridge. The rest you can store on the counter and use first before any water bottles are opened. Ice is impossible to find after the storm.
7. Reserve fridge space for storing tap water and keep the sealed water bottles on the counter.
8. Cook any meats in advance and other perishable foods. You can freeze cooked food. Hard boil eggs for snacks for first day without power.
9. Be well hydrated before the storm hits and avoid salty foods that make you dehydrated.
10. Wash all dirty clothes and bed sheets. Anything dirty will smell without the A/C, you may need the items, and with no A/C, you'll be sweating a lot. You're going to want clean sheets.
11. Toss out any expiring food, clean cat litter boxes, empty all trash cans in the house, including bathrooms. Remove anything that will cause an odor when the A/C is off. If you don't have a trash day pickup before the storm, find a dumpster.
12. Bring in any yard decor, secure anything that will fly around, secure gates, bring in hoses, potted plants, etc. Bring in patio furniture and grills.
13. Clean your environment so you have clear, easy escape routes. Even if that means temporarily moving furniture to one area.
14. Scrub all bathrooms so you are starting with a clean odor free environment. Store water filled trash cans next to each toilet for flushing.
15. Place everything you own that is important and necessary in a backpack or small file box that is easy to grab. Include your wallet with ID, phone, hand sanitizer, snacks, etc. Get plastic sleeves for important documents.
16. Make sure you have cash on hand.
17. Stock up on pet food and fill up bowls of water for pets.
18. Refill any medications. Most insurance companies allow for 2 emergency refills per year.
19. Fill your propane tanks. You can heat soup cans, boil water, make coffee, and other stuff besides just grilling meat. Get an extra, if possible.



20. Drop your A/C in advance and lower temperatures in your fridges.
21. Gather all candles, flashlights, lighters, matches, batteries, and other items and keep them accessible.
22. Clean all counters in advance, Start with a clean surface. Buy Clorox Wipes for cleaning when there is no power. Mop your floors and vacuum, if power is out for 10 days, you'll have to live in the mess you started with.
23. Pick your emergency safe place such as a closet under the stairs. Store the items you'll need in that location for the brunt of the storm. Make a hand fan for when the power is out.
24. Shower just before the storm is scheduled to hit.
25. Keep baby wipes next to each toilet. Don't flush them. It's not the time to risk clogging your toilet!
26. Run your dishwasher, don't risk having dirty smelly dishes and you need every container for water! Remember you'll need clean water for brushing your teeth, washing yourself, and cleaning your hands.
27. Put a small suitcase in your car in case you decide to evacuate. Also put at least one jug of water in your car. It will still be there if you don't evacuate! You don't need to store all water in the house. Remember to pack for pets as well.
28. Check on all family members, set up emergency back up plans, and check on elderly neighbors.
29. Remember, pets are family too. Take them with you!
30. Before the storm, unplug all electronics. There will be power surges during and after the storm.
31. Gas up your car and have a spare gas container for your generator or your car when you run out.

If you can, take a video of your house and contents, walk room to room--open cabinets/drawers and closets. This will help if you need to make a claim later. It will show proof of items and help you list all the items (help your memory, so you don't forget anything) ...I highly recommend!!!

I also heard you should freeze a cup of water, place a coin on top after it is frozen ... keep this in your freezer to help you gauge the temperature if the power goes out. If the coin stays on top, the food is staying frozen. If the coin falls into the water, the freezer thawed out and most food will likely need to be thrown away. This is super helpful if you need to leave your home and come back, as it may appear everything is still frozen, but if the coin is in the cup--you will know!!

Finally, anything that you want to try and preserve, but you can't take with you--place it in a plastic bin and put in your dishwasher, lock the door---this should make it water tight in case of any water intrusion into your home. But of course, take all the important/irreplaceable items you can!!

**Stay Safe Residents and May the Most High God watch over Eatonville, Florida**

# SANDBAG LOCATIONS



## ORANGE COUNTY

Orange County Public Works Department

Phone: (407) 836-7900

Address: 4200 S John Young Pkwy, Orlando, FL 32839

Hours: 8-5 PM

Bags allowed per household - 10 bags

**Free Self-service Sandbags** - In an effort to prepare for the peak of hurricane season, Orange County Government is hosting a free self-serve sandbag program for residents at five Orange County park locations starting Aug. 19, 2019 through Aug. 31, 2019. The program is free and open to all Orange County residents.

## EATONVILLE

### **Sandbag Pickup Location:**

Hungerford Gym

100 E. Kennedy Blvd., Eatonville, FL 32751

Bags allowed per household - 4 bags

### **EOC Location:** Town of Eatonville (Town Hall)

307 E. Kennedy Blvd.

Eatonville, FL 32751

Main: (407)623-8900

Fax: (407) 623-8919

Rhonda Anderson (Public Works)

Public Works Administrative Assistant |

Building Permits & Local Business Tax Receipts

Direct: (407) 623-8904

randerson@townofeatonville.org

Eatonville Police Department (EPD) - 407-623-1303 (Non-Emergency)

**LOCAL CHURCHES IN EATONVILLE: Feel free to reach out to local churches to inquire about any resources or assistant they may be providing to the community**



**MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Willie C. Barnes  
412 E. Kennedy Blvd  
Eatonville, Florida 32751  
407-647-0010

**LIFE CENTER CHURCH**

Bishop Ronald F. Kimble & Pastor Cornell King  
63 E. Kennedy Blvd.  
Eatonville, Florida 32751  
407-628-3229  
[info@thelifecenter.org](mailto:info@thelifecenter.org)

**REDEEMING LIGHT CHURCH**

Pastor Jermaine D. Reynolds  
109 Washington Ave.  
Orlando, Florida 32810  
407-660-1288  
[redeminglightcenter@gmail.com](mailto:redeminglightcenter@gmail.com)

**OPEN DOOR MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Charlie Banks Jr.  
130 N Calhoun Ave.  
Maitland, FL 32751  
407-629-0503 / 407-644-1613  
[pastorbanks@ymail.com](mailto:pastorbanks@ymail.com)

**ST. LAWRENCE A.M.E CHURCH**

Pastor La' Fiesta Cox Brown  
549 E Kennedy Blvd.  
Eatonville, FL 32751  
407- 644-1021  
[st.lawrenceamec@gmail.com](mailto:st.lawrenceamec@gmail.com)

**FRESH ANOINTING FAMILY WORSHIP CENTER**

Pastor Bruce Green  
209 East Kennedy Blvd.  
Eatonville, FL 32751  
407.636.5351  
[freshanointingorl@gmail.com](mailto:freshanointingorl@gmail.com)

**WORLD-WIDE REVIVAL CENTER**

Bishop Lura Williams  
130 North College Avenue  
Maitland, FL 32751  
407-865-2116

**GREATER LOVE OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

Pastor Dennis Tompkins  
400 Ruffel St.  
Eatonville, Florida 32751  
407-353-9517

**AGAPE TEMPLE OF FAITH**

Pastors Earl & Joyce Madison  
995 W Kennedy Blvd.  
Orlando, Florida 32810  
(407) 667-0777  
[aqapetof@gmail.com](mailto:aqapetof@gmail.com)

**NEW FELLOWSHIP CHURCH OF GOD**

Pastor Charles Bargaineer  
600 W. Canton Ave  
Winter Park, Florida  
(407) 647-2093  
[newfellowshipwp@gmail.com](mailto:newfellowshipwp@gmail.com)

# **ORANGE COUNTY PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAM FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

The People with Special Needs Program (PSN) is designed for any Orange County resident or visitor who during times of disaster evacuation has no other alternative and/or requires transportation assistance to evacuate their home and/or has a health/medical condition that requires medical attention by skilled medical professionals in a shelter environment.

## **Who Is eligible and how does someone register?**

Any Orange County resident who meets the established eligibility criteria may register. Registrants need to update their information annually or as the registrant's needs change. Registrants who do not update their information annually will be placed on an inactive status.

## **Registration can be done by:**

- Visiting the Florida Department of Emergency Management website at <https://snr.floridadisaster.org> Visiting the Orange County Government website at [www.orangecountyfl.net](http://www.orangecountyfl.net)
- Contacting and requesting a form from the Orange County People with Special Needs Program (407) 836-9319 (Be Patient and Leave A Message)
- Contacting and requesting a form from the Orange Co. Office of Emergency Management (407) 436-9140 (Will Not Process Before the Storm)
- Asking your Home Health Care Agency to register you.
- Asking your Hospice Agency to register you.
- Asking your Medical Equipment Supplier to register you.
- Asking your Senior Social Service Agency to register you.

Information collected during the registration process is confidential by law and will only be given to emergency responders who may provide for the registrant's needs during an emergency.

## **What other services does the PSN Program provide?**

The PSN program provides emergency preparedness information to special needs citizens throughout the year by participating in community events. In addition, persons registered with the PSN Program receive emergency preparedness information annually. PSN Program staff is also available for community presentations.

The PSN Program is also responsible for the management of Special Needs Shelters during times of disaster by deploying the necessary equipment and staff utilized to operate a Special Needs Shelter.

The PSN Program partners with local emergency responder agencies to ensure that residences of persons housed in a Special Needs shelter are safe for them to return home. In addition, the PSN Program provides information on disaster related services that may be needed.

## **Additional Items to Consider Adding to an Emergency Supply Kit**

- Prescription medications and glasses
- Infant formula and diapers
- Pet food and extra water for your pet
- Important family documents such as copies of Insurance policies, Identification and bank account records in a waterproof portable container
- Cash or traveler's checks and change
- Emergency reference material such as a first aid book or information from [www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov)
- Sleeping bag or warm blanket for each person. Consider additional bedding If you live in a cold-weather climate.
- Complete change of clothing including a long sleeve shirt, long pants and sturdy shoes. Consider additional clothing If you live in a cold-weather climate.
- Household chlorine bleach and medicine dropper - When diluted nine parts water to one-part bleach, bleach can be used as a disinfectant. In an emergency, you can use it to treat water by using 16 drops of regular household liquid bleach per gallon of water. Do not use scented, color safe or bleaches with added cleaners.
- Fire Extinguisher
- Matches in a waterproof container
- Feminine supplies and personal hygiene items
- Mess kits, paper cups, plates and plastic utensils, paper towels
- Paper and pencil
- Books, games, puzzles or other activities for children

## **Through its Ready Campaign,**

the Federal Emergency Management Agency educates and empowers Americans to take some simple steps to prepare for and respond to potential emergencies, including natural disasters and terrorist attacks. Ready asks individuals to do three key things: get an emergency supply kit, make a family emergency plan, and be informed about the different types of emergencies that could occur and their appropriate responses.

All Americans should have some basic supplies on hand in order to survive for at least three days if an emergency occurs. Following is a listing of some basic items that every emergency supply kit should include. However, it is important that individuals review this list and consider where they live and the unique needs of their family in order to create an emergency supply kit that will meet these needs. Individuals should also consider having at least two emergency supply kits, one full kit at home and smaller portable kits in their workplace, vehicle or other places they spend time.

FEMA

Ready

Federal Emergency Management Agency

Washington, DC 20472

### **Recommended Items to Include in a Basic Emergency Supply Kit:**

- Water, one gallon of water per person per day for at least three days for drinking and sanitation
- Food, at least a three-day supply of non-perishable food
- Battery-powered or hand crank radio and a NOAA Weather Radio with tone alert and extra batteries for both
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Whistle to signal for help
- Dust mask, to help filter contaminated air and plastic sheeting and duct tape to shelter-in-place
- Moist towelettes, garbage bags and plastic ties for personal sanitation Wrench or pliers to turn off utilities
- Can opener for food (if kit contains canned food)
- Local maps