

Safety Tip of the Week

Hurricane Preparedness & Evac Plan

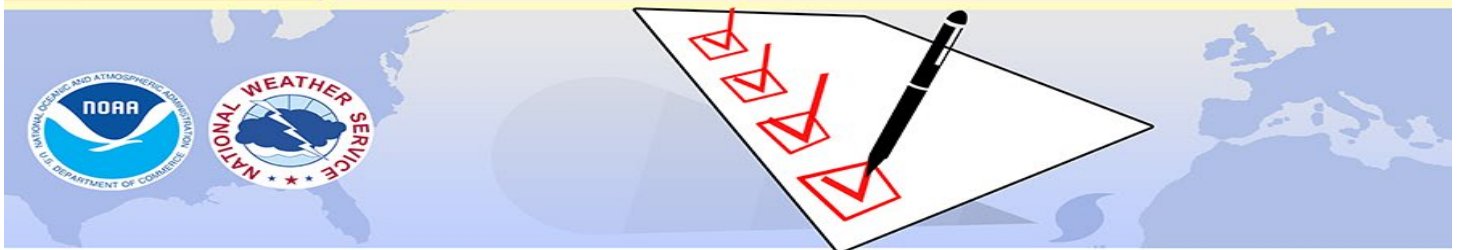
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History teaches that a lack of hurricane awareness and preparation are common threads among all major hurricane disasters. By knowing your vulnerability and what actions you should take, you can reduce the effects of a hurricane disaster.



THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT

BEING PREPARED FOR A HURRICANE



Writing down your plan will ensure you don't make mistakes when faced with an emergency.



Document all of your valuables and possessions with a camera or video camera well before the storm.



Gather all vital documents, like passports and medical records, and put them somewhere that you can quickly access.



Make planning and preparedness a family affair to ensure everyone knows what to do.



It does NOT matter how many hurricanes are forecast for this year. It only takes one storm.

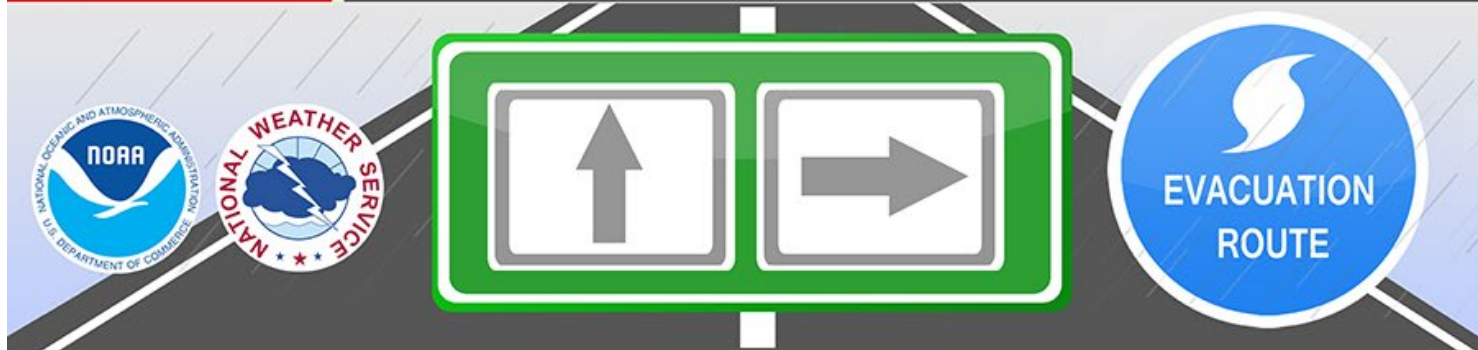


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[weather.gov/hurricanesafety](https://www.weather.gov/hurricanesafety)

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THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT HAVING AN EVACUATION PLAN



Find out today if you live in a hurricane evacuation zone.



Plan today where you would go and how you would get there if told to evacuate by local officials.



If you don't live in an evacuation zone, identify someone who does, and plan to be their inland evacuation destination.



Leave immediately when told to evacuate by local officials.



Identify an evacuation destination that will accommodate your pets, as most shelters do not permit them.

