

## Week #1

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 gallon of water per person (and each pet)
- 1 jar of peanut butter
- 1 can meat
- hand-operated can opener
- instant coffee, tea, powered soft drinks
- matches (wooden ones are best)

### **Hardware Store**

- flashlights
- hammers
- assorted nails
- wood screws

## Week #2

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 gallon of water per person
- 1 box heavy-duty garbage bags
- 1 can fruit
- Personal products
- video tape
- pet food, diapers, and/or baby food, if needed

### **Hardware Store**

- smoke detector with battery
- heavy work gloves
- extra flashlight batteries
- duct tape



**Hurricane season begins  
June 1st.  
Be prepared!**

### **Sponsors:**



## **Hurricane Kit Shopping List**



**Adding a few items to your regular shopping list each week is the easiest way to complete your hurricane kit.**

## Week #3

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 gallon of water per person
- 1 can vegetables
- 1 jar of jelly or jam
- 2 rolls toilet paper
- 1 large tube of toothpaste
- 1 box sanitary wipes or liquid hand sanitizer
- special foods for special diets, if needed

### **First Aid Supplies**

- aspirin and/or acetaminophen
- rolls of gauze or bandages
- first aid tape
- adhesive bandages (in assorted sizes)

## Week #4

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 gallon of water
- 1 can ready to eat soup (not concentrate)
- 1 can fruit
- 1 can vegetables
- 1 bottle of shampoo

### **First Aid Supplies**

- scissors
- tweezers
- antiseptic
- thermometer
- spare eyeglasses or contact lens supplies
- items for denture care, if needed

## Week #5

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 can ready-to-eat soup
- liquid dish soap
- unscented liquid bleach
- 1 can meat
- mosquito repellent

### **Hardware Store**

- waterproof portable plastic container (with lid) for important papers
- portable am/fm radio (with batteries or hand crank)
- blankets or sleeping bag for each family member
- portable camp stove or grill
- stove fuel or charcoal, lighter fluid

### **To Do List**

- Make family plan—who does what and where will your family ride out the storm
- Locate your water meter and electrical shutoff
- Check with your child's day care school to find out about their disaster plans
- Trim trees and store loose objects
- Install or test your smoke detector
- Use a video camera to tape the components of your home and store video tape with friend or family member who lives out of town
- Photocopy important papers and store safely
- Make a reservation to board your pet if you plan to go to a shelter
- Obtain cash or travelers checks
- Prepare a "go-pack" in case you need to evacuate
- Have a roll of quarters & dimes for emergency phone calls
- Establish an out-of-state contact to call in case of emergency

## Week #6

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 large can of juice
- large plastic zip type food bag
- 1 box quick energy snacks
- 2 rolls paper towels
- aluminum foil
- oven mitts

### **First Aid Supplies**

- anti-diarrhea medicine
- rubbing alcohol
- 2 pair latex gloves
- hydrogen peroxide
- petroleum jelly
- first aid book

## Week #7

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 can meat
- 1 can fruit
- 1 can vegetables
- 1 package paper plates
- 1 package eating utensils
- 1 package paper cups
- adult vitamins

### **Hardware Store**

- Whistle
- ABC fire extinguisher
- Pliers
- Vise grips

## Week #8

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 can meat
- 1 can vegetables
- 1 box heavy-duty garbage bags
- Kleenex
- 2 rolls toilet paper
- 1 box quick energy snacks

### **Hardware Store**

- leash or carrier for your pet, if needed
- tarpaulin, canvas for temporary roof repair
- crowbar
- Hatchet

## Week #9

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 box crackers
- assorted plastic containers with lids
- assorted safety pins
- dry cereal
- disposable eating utensils, plates, cups

### **Hardware Store**

- double-sided tape or velcro type fasteners to secure movable objects
- masking tape

### **First Aid Supplies**

- extra hearing aid batteries, if needed
- extra prescription medications

## Week #10

### **Grocery Store**

- 1 box heavy-duty garbage bags
- 1 box quick energy snacks (such as granola bars or raisins)
- ice chest

### **Hardware Store**

- camping or utility knife
- extra radio batteries
- local and state road maps
- plywood & fasteners to cover windows

## Week #11

### **Grocery Store**

- 2 rolls paper towels
- 1 can meat
- 1 can fruit

### **Hardware Store**

- 1 box disposable dust masks
- screwdriver
- plastic safety goggles
- handsaw and/or chain saw, fuel

## Week #12

### **Grocery Store**

- large plastic food bags
- plastic wrap
- aluminum foil
- sandwich bread (freeze until needed)

### **Hardware Store**

- Battery powered camping lantern
- generator and extra fuel
- broom, mop and bucket

### **Keep in a waterproof, portable container:**

- Will, insurance policies, contracts, deeds, stocks and bonds
- Passports, social security cards, immunization records
- Bank account numbers
- Credit card account numbers and companies
- Inventory of valuable household goods, important telephone numbers
- Family records (birth, marriage, death certificates)

### **Special Needs Residents**

If you or a family member has special needs, and will need assistance during an evacuation, you must register in advance with the Emergency Management Office by calling 505-4620.

### **Do you know your flood elevation?**

Your elevation could determine whether or not you need to evacuate. To find out your elevation, call 941-743-1964.