

HURRICANE DISASTER PREPAREDNESS



Atlantic Hurricane Season

June 1 – November 30,
peak is August and September

Montgomery County is a pass-through county, not an evacuation county. We most often see flooding and/or wind damage in South Montgomery County.

Additionally, families may be impacted by power outages, and loss of income due to effects of the storm.

Be Prepared!

- **Make a plan:** know before the storm how you and your family will react
- **Build a kit:** have supplies assembled and gathered before a disaster strikes
- **Stay informed:** stay up-to-date with the latest news and accurate information.

Recommended supplies to include in a Basic Kit:

- Water
- Non-perishable Food
- Manual can opener
- Battery-powered or hand crank radio and a NOAA Weather Radio
- Flashlight & batteries
- First Aid kit
- Whistle to signal for help
- Filter mask
- Wrench or pliers to turn off utilities
- Moist towelettes, garbage bags and plastic ties for personal sanitation
- Plastic sheeting and duct tape to shelter-in-place
- Items for unique family needs, such as daily prescription medications, infant formula or diapers
- Important family documents.

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MC Red Cross – Greater Houston

<https://www.redcross.org/local/texas/gulf-coast/about-us/locations/houston.html>



FEMA App | Provides preparedness tips and localized weather alerts.

<https://www.fema.gov/about/news-multimedia/mobile-app-text-messages>



Texas Congregational Disaster Readiness | Provides Congregation readiness training

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Visit Interfaith's Disaster Response webpage for more resources and updates on current community needs.

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