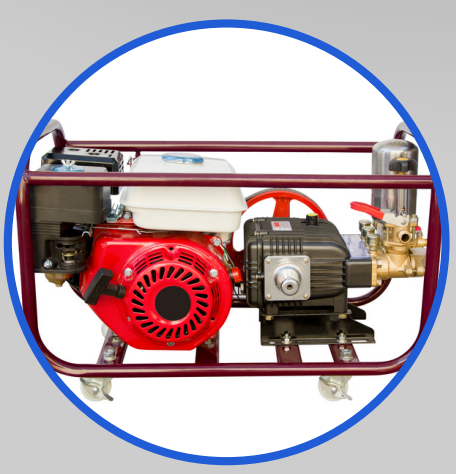
STORM PREPAREDNESS

BE READY TO STAY

- Storms may cause you to lose power for a few days. Have supplies (water, non-perishable food you can prepare without power, medications, etc.) for everyone, including pets and service animals, for at least 72 hours.
- Use flashlights for emergency lighting, never candles.

GENERATORS

- Generators are useful in the event of a storm, but if not used safely they could cause injury and death. Refer to manufacturer recommendations for use.

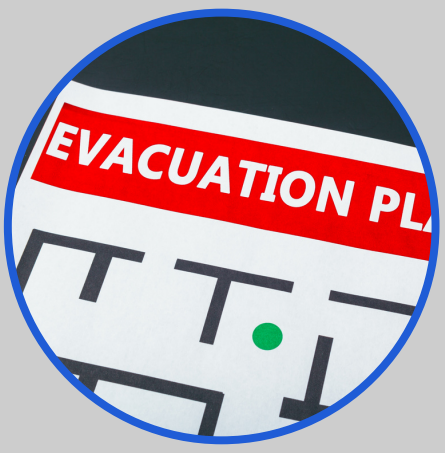


MAKE A "GO BAG"

- In the event of an evacuation, it is important to have necessities for 3 days. Suggested items include, but are not limited to toiletries, a first aid kit, clothing, cash, batteries, and chargers.

HAVE A "GO" PLAN

- Have a plan on where you will go, how you will get there, and where you will be able to stay.



STAY CONNECTED

- Sign up for news alerts from local weather stations
- Follow your local emergency service providers as they may provide updates
- Make sure all electronics are charged
- Have a radio on hand as electricity may not be available

For more information, you can visit any of these helpful links below.

- https://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/hurricane.html
- https://www.ready.gov/
- https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/features/hurricanepreparedness/index.html
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