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Distribution and Donations Sites. Resources for Collier, Lee, Desoto, and Sarasota Counties

DISASTER RELIEF, MOBILE MEALS, MEAL PACKING – First Baptist Church Naples, 3000 Orange Blossom Rd.:

We need volunteers to muck out/clean up houses, yard debris removal, furniture/appliance removal for flooded-out homes, lay eyes on a site where we can't reach the owners, make phone calls, relocate households to new places, etc. If you are interested in helping with any of these needs, please meet us at the WHITE tent outside on the Livingston side of the church @ 9a every day except Sundays. Tell us what you want to do, and we will gather you up in teams and send you out. If you have boots, trash bags, gloves, flat shoves, sawsalls, etc., feel free to bring those with you. Bring a water bottle, lunch/snacks, sunscreen, and something to keep you cool. These efforts will be ongoing for a while. So, we will send out teams as long as there is light outside. Come on when you can even if can't make it 9a. As the days go by, email to verify that we are still sending out teams for that day.

ST. MATTHEW'S HOUSE – Paradise Sports Complex:

URGENT: Needs volunteers for food distribution on Wednesday, 10/5 at <u>Paradise Sports Complex</u>. Please arrive by 9a. On Thursday, 10/6, at <u>Coastland Mall</u> by Dillard's entrance, please come by 10a. Tell them you are there to help from First Naples.

Collier Comes Together Hurricane Relief Fund

The <u>Collier Community Foundation</u> has reactivated its Collier Comes Together Hurricane Fund to assist Hurricane Ian victims. Activation of the fund allows CCF to act quickly to ensure immediate aid is provided where needed most. 100% of donations are distributed to area nonprofits serving victims and their families without administrative fees.

The fund's purpose is to assist those affected and the nonprofits that support the victims in the aftermath of a crisis. It also serves to assure donors' support will reach its intended cause. Fraudulent sites pop up following a disaster or emergency that mislead donors about where their funds will go. Any funds not used for Hurricane Ian relief will be returned to the Your passion. Your Collier. Crisis & Disaster Relief Fund to ensure the Collier Community Foundation is prepared for future events that affect our community.

Donate to the FL Disaster Fund: www.FloridaDisasterFund.org or text DISASTER to 20222.



<u>Volunteer Florida - Hurricane Ian Volunteer Opportunities</u> <u>Volunteer Florida</u> exists to endorse volunteerism as a solution to critical issues in Florida. As Florida communities recover from the devastating impact of Hurricane Ian, Volunteer Florida has heard from many members who want to help and get their companies and employees involved in recovery efforts. If you are interested in learning more, a variety of opportunities can be found on the <u>Volunteer Connect platform</u>.

FEMA

Disaster victims can obtain additional information and apply for disaster assistance through FEMA in various ways. A toll-free number has been established by FEMA for disaster victims to apply for certain types of disaster programs and obtain information about others. You can obtain information by calling. Phone: (800) 621-FEMA (3362) www.fema.gov

Business Damage Assessment Survey

The Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO) and the State Emergency Response Team (SERT) activated the <u>Business Damage Assessment Survey</u> in response to Hurricane Ian. Survey responses will allow the state to expedite Hurricane Ian recovery efforts by gathering data and assessing the needs of affected businesses.

Enterprise Florida Resource Page

For any businesses affected by Hurricane Ian, Enterprise Florida has launched a <u>Disaster Assistance</u> <u>Resources Page</u> with a list of state and federal resources available for businesses to utilize in their mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery activities.

Disaster Assistance - SBA Disaster Loan

Businesses of all sizes located in declared disaster areas, private nonprofit organizations, homeowners, and renters affected by declared disasters, including civil unrest and natural disasters such as hurricanes, flooding, and wildfires can qualify. Visit sba.gov/disaster to find out more.

IRS Excise Tax

IRS will waive tax penalties on disasters on a case-by-case basis.

Phone: (800) 829-1040 www.irs.gov/businesses

State Assistance Information Line

The State Assistance Information Line (SAIL) is a toll-free hotline activated at the time of an emergency to provide an additional resource for those in Florida to receive accurate and up-to-date information regarding an emergency or disaster situation impacting Florida. SAIL hotline: 800-342-3557



Florida Housing Finance Corporation

If your family has been displaced, we encourage you to visit www.FloridaHousingSearch.org. This free, statewide search platform is updated to ensure all listings are accurate and can help you quickly locate an affordable rental property. If you do not have Internet access, you may also call the following toll-free number for assistance in conducting a search: 1-877-428-8844.

If your home sustained damage as a result of the storm, your local State Housing Initiatives Partnership (SHIP) program office may have recovery assistance available to help with temporary relocation, rental assistance, debris removal, and/or home repairs. Please contact your local SHIP office directly for more information: Local Government Information (floridahousing.org)

TOP RESOURCE PAGES:

Florida 511 - Latest Florida Traffic Conditions

<u>Know Where To Find Shelter</u> - The Florida Division of Emergency Management maintains a list of open shelters

<u>Boil Water Notices</u> - Note, your utility will have the latest and most up-to-date information. But See the boil water notices below

FloridaDisaster.org for the latest on the state's response actions

FloridaDisaster.biz for emergency resources for businesses

FloridaDisasterFund.org to donate to provide financial assistance to our communities

The National Hurricane Center for current weather alerts and forecast information

The Executive Office of the Governor for the latest state executive orders

Follow FLSERT on Twitter for real time updates from the State's Emergency Response Team

Alert Florida to signup for emergency alerts and other public safety notifications in your community

Collier EDO Hurricane Resource Page

Catholic Charities of Collier County

2210 Santa Barbara Blvd, Naples, FL - 34116

Phone: (239) 455-2655

Pantry Details, hours, photos, information: Catholic Charities of Collier County



Provides a food pantry.

Pantry Hours: Mondays through Thursday 9:00am - 5:00pm Friday 9:00am - 3:00pm

For more information on donations or volunteering, please call.

* Important: Please call the food pantries to confirm that the hours have not changed.

Nearby Area Listings

Iglesia Pueblo De Dios Food Pantry

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34112 (239) 272-2074

Food Pantry Location: 0.14 miles away

Email

Food Distribution site, partnered with St. Matthew's House. Food distribution date and time: Every Thursday 10am to 12pm

Go To Details Page For More Information

Catholic Charities - Naples

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34112

(239) 793-0059

Food pantry serving Collier county. Hours Monday - Thursday 9:00am to 5:00pm Friday 9:00am to 3:00pm For more information, please call.

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St. Matthew's House

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34112



(239) 774-0500

Food Pantry Location: 1.48 miles away

Email Website

Food pantry Serves: Collier and Lee counties. Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00am - 12:00pm 1:00pm - 4:30pm For more information, please call.

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Naples Alliance Church Food Pantry

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34104 (239) 774-0320

Food Pantry Location: 2.17 miles away

Email Website

Partnered with St. Matthew's House for community food distribution. Food distribution date and time: Every Monday 10:00am to 12:00pm Volunteer Opportunities every Monday: You must arrive by 9:45am.

Go To Details Page For More Information

Salvation Army - Naples, FL

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34104 239-210-4009

Food Pantry Location: 3.43 miles away

Website

Our Naples and Immokalee Family Service Center locations provide food for residents in need in Collier County. Some residency exceptions may be made, depending on the amount of food we have in our Pantry at the time of the request.

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St. Vincent de Paul Society - Naples, FL

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34104



(239) 775-1667

Food Pantry Location: 3.53 miles away

Website

Food pantry serving Collier county. Hours: Monday - Friday 10:00am - 2:00pm Requires ID and SS card. Eligibility based on need. Contact Linda Murphy.

Go To Details Page For More Information

St. Elizabeth Seton Food Pantry

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34116 (239) 455-3900

Food Pantry Location: 5.11 miles away

Website

Food distribution date and time: Every Monday 10:00am to 12:00pm Available to everyone, Walk ins Welcomed. Location: Under the Portico, at the front entrance of the Church, enter from Golden Gate Parkway.

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The International Ministry God is Love (MIDA)

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34116 (239) 465-6200

Food Pantry Location: 5.75 miles away

Email

Hours: Wednesday and Saturday Location: 11965 Collier Blvd, Naples FL 34116

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Grace Place Food Pantry

View Website and Full Address

Naples, FL - 34116



(239) 255-7220

Food Pantry Location: 6.45 miles away

Email Website

Food Pantry Distribution Hours: Every Friday from 1:00 pm - 5:00pm.

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Meals of Hope

<u>View Website and Full Address</u> Naples, FL - 34109 (239) 537-7775

Food Pantry Location: 7.54 miles away

Email Website

Mobile pantry site each Tuesday at YMCA of Collier County. Hours: 3:00pm - 5:00pm For more information, please call.

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CRISIS CLEANUP: Do you need help cleaning up? Would you like to help others clean up? Contact Crisis Cleanup to help each other clean up Collier County! Call 800-451-1954

LEGAL OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer to take intake calls with the Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division's Disaster Legal Services Hotline: https://yldbog.formstack.com/forms/2022 disaster legal services

Volunteer to answer questions with Florida Free Legal Answers: http://Florida.freelegalanswers.org

FROM OUR OWN AVE LAW COMMUNITY: PRIORITY SCHEDULING to any staff/faculty who are in need of roofing services such as emergency temporary repairs or even just a FREE roof inspection/evaluation after the storm. If you are aware of anyone who is in need right now, they can reach out to me directly or call the office:

Krystal Hanks <u>krystal@roofrevolution.com</u> C: 239.877.3225 | O: 239.449.9659 4755 Enterprise Ave, Naples FL 34104



To donate items:

The Harry Chapin Food Bank: www.harrychapinfoodbank.org

Meals of Hope: www.mealsofhope.org

Our Daily Bread Food Pantry: www.ourdailybreadfoodpantry.org

Feed Thy Neighbor: www.stmonicasnaples.org

St. Matthews House: www.stmatthewshouse.org

To donate money to other organizations:

The Collier Community Foundation - is approved and vetted by the Board of County Commissioners and has helped Collier County and its citizens for many years. The Community Foundation is a tax-exempt, public charitable organization established in 1985. Visit: www.colliercf.org

Other worthy organizations:

Red Cross: www.redcross.org/donate

Salvation Army of Collier County: www.salvationarmyflorida.org/naples

United Way of Collier: www.uwcollierkeys.org

Donating Blood at NCH: www.nchmd.org/services/blood-center

How to volunteer in Florida, besides the organizations above: www.volunteerflorida.org

The National Guard is at Veterans Park off Immokalee Rd in Naples FI with pallets of MREs(Food), bottled water, and ICE!!

They will be there every day and have SO much to GIVE!!! They are there today until 6 pm! Every day from 8-6 pm! You can get 2 cases of bottled water, 4 bags of ICE, and 2 cases of food for FREE!

BLOOD AND PLATELET DONATION

General: https://www.naplesnews.com/story/weather/hurricanes/2022/10/04/after-hurricane-ian-southwest-florida-lee-health-opens-blood-donor-centers-nch-needs-platelets/8178066001/

Ave Law Specific: Blood drive on Ave Law campus Monday, October 17.



Catholic Charities will be accepting donations and providing food, water and other essential supplies (as available).

Elizabeth Kay Galeana Center 4235 Michigan Avenue Fort Myers, FL 33916

Centro Juan Diego 28360 Beaumont Road Bonita Springs, FL 34134

Shift One: Monday-Friday from 9am-1pm Shift Two: Monday- Friday from 3pm-7PM

Saturdays: 9AM-1PM

Catholic Charities will be accepting donations for Hurricane Ian victims at:

Sarasota Regional Office 5055 North Tamiami Trail Sarasota, FL 34234 Phone: 941-355-4680

Times: Monday-Fridays from 9am-4pm

Catholic Charities will be accepting donations and providing food, water and other essential supplies (as available).

Elizabeth Seton Church 5225 Golden Gate Parkway

Naples, FL 34116

Shift One: Monday-Friday from 9am-1pm Shift Two: Monday- Friday from 3pm-7PM

Saturdays: 9AM-1PM

St. Paul Church (New Church) 1330 E Oak Street Arcadia, FL 34266

Shift One: Monday-Friday from 9am-1pm



Shift Two: Monday- Friday from 3pm-7PM

Saturdays: 9AM-1PM

Donate:

Because this disaster is regional in scope and our urgent critical needs know no boundaries, please find below links to the disaster relief funds established by the three community foundations serving the three coastal counties devastated by Hurricane Ian:

Collaboratory SWFL Emergency Relief Fund (located in Lee County; serves the entire 5-county region, including two inland and more rural counties also hard hit): <u>collaboratory.org</u>

Collier Community Foundation Collier Comes Together Hurricane Relief Fund (serving Collier County): cfcollier.com

Charlotte Community Foundation Disaster Relief Fund (serving Charlotte County): charlottecf.com

Volunteer:

<u>Volunteer Florida</u> - Find volunteer opportunities around our region.

<u>United Way of Lee County</u> is seeking volunteers to assist with the 2-1-1 phone lines. Contact to volunteer.

Disaster Relief:

<u>2-1-1</u> - Dial 2-1-1 for United Way's 24-hour non-emergency helpline.

Collier Cares - Post Hurricane Ian resources and other community assistance.

<u>Collier County Government</u> - List of Collier County resources.

<u>Lee County Government</u> - List of Lee County resources.

<u>Charlotte County Government</u> - List of Charlotte County resources.

Here's How You Can Help Southwest Floridians Affected by Hurricane Ian

gulfshorelife.com/2022/10/01/heres-how-you-can-help-southwest-floridians-affected-by-hurricane-ian

October 1, 2022

The moment the storm passed, first-responders, nonprofits and citizens jumped to action to help our region start to rebuild. The loss we have faced is immeasurable, but already our community's Gulfshore Strong spirit is evident. Individuals and small businesses launched supply drives and recovery efforts overnight, neighbors have set up stations to provide hot water and coffee to first-responders,



restaurants that could get operational again opened their doors with free food, and groups like Collier Community Foundation and Collaboratory are doing what they do best by assessing needs and directing our funds and energies in the right direction. We know you're eager to help, so we're gathering information on places to donate your time, treasure and talent to get Southwest Florida back to the safe, beautiful Paradise we know and love. Please note: It is still recommended that you drive as little as possible for your own safety and so recovery crews can quickly get where they need without traffic or obstructions. In many cases, donations are most valuable to nonprofits during this time.

DONATIONS:

<u>Avow Hospice</u>: In-kind donations are now being accepted at the Avow campus to supply necessities to Avow employees, patients and families. Needs include towels, sheets, air mattresses, pillows, personal hygiene supplies of toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, shampoo, deodorant, wipes, non-perishable food, water, Gatorade, cleaning supplies, trash bags, first aid supplies, batteries, flashlights, battery and cell phone chargers, portable fans, blue tarps, paper towels and toilet paper. Gift cards (\$25 denominations best) are also appreciated for gas, grocery, Walmart and Target. Any support will make a difference. To donate cash, visit <u>avowcares.org</u>.

<u>Better Together</u>: Donations of supplies (tarps, batteries, gas cans, water, non-perishable food, diapers, baby formula, personal hygiene kits, etc.) are being accepted at Cape Christian, 2110 Chiquita Blvd. S., Cape Coral, FL 33991. Monetary donations also being accepted.

<u>Beverly's Angels</u>: 13020 Livingston Rd., Suite 10., Naples; drop-off Oct. 11 from 11:30am-1:30pm; collecting: new socks and underwear in all sizes, diapers, formula, baby wipes, Tide pods, gift cards to Walmart, Home Depot and Publix.

<u>Captains for Clean Water</u>: Emergency Disaster Relief Fund; donations will go directly to providing supplies and operational support to the ongoing relief and recovery efforts, including support to the local guide community.

<u>Charlotte Community Foundation</u>: Charlotte County Disaster Relief Fund; funds will be used to provide financial assistance and resources to Charlotte County residents impacted by Hurricane Ian.

<u>Charlotte County Volunteer Reception Center</u>: Donations of food and goods are being accepted at St. Vincent de Paul, 25200 Airport Road, Punta Gorda, FL 33950. Donations of cash can be made online at <u>COADFL.org</u>.

<u>Child's Path</u>: needing healthy snacks for preschool students after the food program was impacted by Hurricane Ian; collecting: healthy snacks (yogurt, applesauce, fresh fruit, crackers (ie: Goldfish, animal crackers, saltines, whole grain), pretzel sticks, hummus and cheese sticks. *Snacks have to be storebought to comply with regulations (ie. whole fruit or store-packaged, not sliced at home). Contact Education Director Jodi Garrett at jodig@childspath.org to coordinate drop-off and to answer questions.

<u>City of Cape Coral</u>: Special Populations Center, 410 Santa Barbara Blvd, Cape Coral, FL 33991; drop-off daily from 8am-5pm. Currently accepting essential items only, which are limited to water and non-perishable food. Clothing and non-essential supplies will not be accepted.



<u>Clinic for the Rehabilitation of Wildlife</u>: CROW is in need of monetary donations to assist in continuing care for impacted and injured wildlife.

<u>Collaboratory</u>: SWFL Emergency Relief Fund, in partnership with United Way of Lee, Hendry, and Glades Counties; funds will support SWFL nonprofits helping people affected by Hurricane Ian.

<u>Collier Harvest Foundation:</u> 1455 Pine Ridge Rd., Naples, FL; drop-off Monday through Friday from 8am-4pm; accepting donations for: canned goods (fruit, vegetables, soup, peanut butter, etc.), dry goods (oatmeal, beans, cereal, granola bars, etc.), baby food, diapers, pet food. Monetary donations also accepted.

<u>Collier Community Foundation</u>: Collier Comes Together Hurricane Relief Fund; donations are distributed to nonprofits serving victims and their families.

Community Cooperative: 3429 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Ft. Myers, FL 33916. Needing monetary donations, as well as donated items. Drop-off daily from 8am-5pm (though easiest to receive donations between 1:30-4:30pm); seeking donations of: bread (top priority), diapers (top priority, especially adult diapers), nonperishable food items. Monetary donations can be made to their Lee County Strong Emergency Relief Fund; donations received will assist those in need with getting their lives back on track after the storm.

<u>Conservancy of Southwest Florida</u>: 1495 Smith Preserve Way, Naples, FL 34102. Needing monetary donations, as well as donated towels.

Amazon Wishlist

Chewy Wishlist

<u>Family Initiative's Autism Support Center</u>: 734 SW 4th St. Cape Coral, FL. Seeking donations of nonperishable food items, cases of water, batteries, or financial contributions. If donors are unable to deliver items, Family Initiative can arrange pick up as well as the distribution of goods to families, if possible. If you are in need or for more information about donation needs, contact Rachel Fecteau by calling 239-220-1387 or emailing <u>rfecteau@fi-flordia.org</u>.

<u>F.I.S.H.</u> of <u>Sanibel-Captiva</u>: Includes a hurricane program and food program to assist affected members of the community. Monetary donations accepted via online payment or through bank wire transfer.

<u>Fort Myers Beach Community Foundation</u>: #WeAreFMB Fund; donations will support those on Ft. Myers Beach; online donations accepted.

<u>Gladiolus Food Pantry</u>: 10511 Gladiolus Dr, Fort Myers, FL 33908. Needing <u>monetary donations</u>, as well as items donated. Drop-off Monday through Saturday from 11:00am-4:00pm; collecting: canned corn, green beans and peas, boxed mashed potatoes, cleaning supplies (mops, brooms, cleaning solutions, sponges, etc.), snack foods (chips, crackers, etc.), toilet paper, baby food can openers; clothing donations are not being accepted at this time.

<u>Gulf Coast Humane Society</u>: 2010 Arcadia Street, Fort Myers, FL. 33916. Closed for the foreseeable future; needing monetary and items donated; donations can be dropped off from 9 am to 3 pm at the



facility. Most-needed items include: Pet food and treats, canned cat and dog food, bleach, blankets, linens and towels (all three can be used); other items can be found here:

<u>Harry Chapin Food Bank of Southwest Florida</u>: This hunger-relief nonprofit is accepting monetary donations to help those in need of food as well as non-perishable food; drop-off locations and times are being <u>continuously updated</u>.

<u>Healthcare Network:</u> Needing monetary donations via the Community Outreach Fund. Funds will be used to purchase much-needed supplies, including bottled water, canned goods, personal care items (shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste), baby diapers and adult briefs for our elderly. Visit healthcareswfl.org/donate.

The Heights Foundation: 15570 Hagie Drive, Fort Myers, 33908. Needing monetary donations, as well as items donated. Drop-off Monday through Friday from 10am-2pm; collecting: baby products (diapers, formula, baby wipes), water (gallon jugs), first aid supplies, cleaning supplies (bleach, Clorox wipes, shop towels, buckets, mops, brooms), rakes, trash bags, gloves (yard work and rubber), flashlights and batteries, clothing and shoes (new socks and underwear for men, women and children, bras, shoes, rain boots, kids and baby summer clothing in good condition), hygiene products (toilet paper, feminine hygiene products (small boxes or individually wrapped), toothpaste, toothbrushes, hand and body soap, shampoo and conditioner), linens (towels, washcloths, bedding, pillows, shop towels), dog and cat food, bicycles (for adults), lighters; Amazon Wishlist; monetary donations can be made here

<u>Humane Society Naples</u>: 370 Airport-Pulling Rd, Naples, FL 34104. Needing monetary donations, which will go to helping animals displaced by the storm; HSN will deploy its Mobile Vet Clinic to impacted communities, provide pet food bank assistance and emergency boarding. The organization will also take some of Gulf Coast Humane Society's misplaced animals.

<u>Interfaith Charities of South Lee</u>: 17592 Rockefeller Circle, Ft. Myers, FL 33967. 8am-1pm; needing food and cleaning supplies donated.

<u>Kiwanis Club of Ft. Myers Beach</u>: 11050 Summerlin Square Drive, Fort Myers Beach, FL 33931. Daily from 9am-4pm; collecting: clothing.

<u>Lee Health Foundation</u>: Needing monetary donations; donations will provide critical resources, equipment and supplies to the Lee Health hospitals and medical clinics.

<u>The Naples Players:</u> Hurricane Ian Scholarship Fund; donations will help families offset the costs of the arts education programs during this difficult time of rebuilding.

<u>The Shelter for Abused Women & Children</u>: Needing monetary donations, as The Shelter's Options Shoppe, as well as a transitional living cottage, suffered damage during Hurricane Ian.

<u>St. Matthew's House</u>: Needing monetary donations; this organization offers emergency housing and food programs.

<u>Think Pineapple</u>: Needing monetary donations to distribute food in Lee and Collier Counties; \$15 provides one hot meal; supply donations are being collected at Porsche Naples (3147 Davis Blvd.) through Friday from 8am-6pm; collecting: water, nonperishable food items, towels, baby food/formula,



baby diapers, toothpaste, toothbrushes, paper towels, razors, shampoo, body wash, food gift cards, hygiene items, gloves, trash bags, cleaning supplies.

<u>Valerie's House</u>: Hurricane Ian Relief Fund; donations will go directly to help the organization's families in need during this time.

VOLUNTEERING:

<u>American Red Cross</u>: Needing volunteers for day-to-day shelter activities such as reception, registration, feeding, dormitory, and information.

Better Together:

Needing 250 volunteers on Tuesday, Oct. 11 to make contact with every household in the Suncoast Estates community in North Ft. Myers and provide supplies and learn what is still needed; meet in the parking lot of Suncoast Baptist Church, 2033 Laurel Ln., North Ft. Myers, FL 33917; two shifts are available: 9am-12pm and 1-4pm; lunch will be provided from noon to 1pm; kids are welcome.

Needing volunteers to provide short term childcare to first responders, essential workers and families in need of getting their children into a safe environment.

Needing volunteers to help deliver resources to families and care for children, including driving supplies to families who don't have means of transportation, as well as to provide transportation to families who need to leave the area until power is restored.

<u>Charlotte County Volunteer Reception Center</u>: Looking for volunteers to help with the disaster response. To register and receive an assignment with an agency that needs assistance, individuals should go to the VRC, which is located at 227 Sullivan St., Punta Gorda, FL 33950. It will be open from 7 – 11 a.m. daily. If you have already registered on the <u>COADFL.org</u> site as interested in volunteering, you will be contacted and do not need to register again.

<u>City of Sanibel</u>: If you have resources such as boats, equipments, services, skills or other things you can share, email volunteer@mysanibel.com and provide your name, resource available, phone number and email address. It is recommended to submit your information via this email address also for those looking to volunteer with <u>Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation</u> (SCCF).

Community Cooperative: Needing volunteers to help with food distribution and more.

<u>Eva's Closet</u>: Needing volunteers to help with organizing donations and assisting with the food pantry. Call (239) 339- 3216.

<u>Harry Chapin Food Bank of Southwest Florida</u>: Needing volunteers to help pack and distribute food and water, as well as volunteers with experience in administration.

<u>Gulf Coast Humane Society</u>: Needing pre-registered volunteers (not accepting new volunteers at this time) to rake up leaves and yard debris; chainsaws and saws needed to cut large trees and branches, please bring gloves and safety glasses if you have some.



<u>The Heights Foundation</u>: Needing volunteers to help at their center; email Emery Lowden at emery@heightsfoundation.org.

<u>IMAG History & Science Museum</u>: Needing volunteers to help with assembling their "Inspiration-on-the-Go" science kits and other special initiatives; middle and high school volunteers also needed for camp throughout the week of Oct. 10; e-mail Emily@theIMAG.org for additional information and to sign-up.

<u>Meals of Hope:</u> Needing volunteers to help with food distribution and more; email Judy at judy@mealsofhope.org.

Our Daily Bread: Needing volunteers to help with food distribution and more.

Rebuild SWFL: Needing volunteers to help with clean up. Locations change daily (updated on Instagram). Tips before you go: wear closed toed shoes (construction boots recommended), protective clothes, work gloves, N95 mask for interior cleaning, water and a snack, sunscreen, towel, hat, trash bags and useful tools if you have any; carpool as much as possible as there is limited parking; don't bring valuables that can get lost or broken. Tuesday, Oct. 11 location:

Isles of Capri: 111 Hilo St. E., Naples; 9:30am-3pm; distributing ice, donations and meals

<u>United Way</u>: United Way of Lee, Hendry, and Glades counties is seeking volunteers to assist with Hurricane Ian recovery efforts. Visit the <u>volunteer portal</u> to sign up for up-to-date post-hurricane volunteer opportunities.

<u>Valerie's House:</u> email or call CEO Angela Melvin if you would like to get involved; angela@valerieshouse.org; (239) 478-6734

Barbecue for the Valerie's House Families: All week of Oct. 3; 12pm-5pm; 1762 Fowler Street; bring your grill, hot dogs and hamburgers

Items/Services Needed:

Gift Cards at any level

Volunteers to help with Valerie's House families that have flooded, remove trees and help with roof damage, tarps, etc.

Generators for families with the greatest need

Helping Valerie's House grandparents understand how to apply for FEMA and other assistance

Hotel night stays for families without a home

<u>The Wonder Gardens:</u> Needing volunteers for clean up and repairs. Sign up online or email education@wondergardens.org.

LOCAL BUSINESSES COLLECTING ITEMS & FUNDS TO DONATE:

BONITA SPRINGS



<u>Farmer Mike's U-Pick</u>: 26031 Morton Ave, Bonita Springs, FL. Saturday, Oct. 8 from 9-11am at the drop box located at the entrance of the fall festival; collecting: new or used Halloween costumes; please ensure costume is clean and in a clear plastic bag labeled with the size.

<u>Southwest Florida Regroup</u>: 3384 Woods Edge Cir., Suite #103, Bonita Springs, FL 34134; drop-off Monday-Wednesday from 9am-4pm; collecting: water, canned food, baby wipes, baby formula, bug spray, sunscreen, plastic utensils, trash bags, toothbrushes and toothpaste, pet food, hand sanitizer, shoes, socks, clothes, can openers, etc.

FORT MYERS

<u>Dwayne Bergmann</u>: 12195 Metro Pkwy STE 1, Fort Myers, FL 33966. The designer set up a supply station in his Fort Myers headquarters to provide with water, disinfectant wipes, food, baby and pet supplies, feminine products, flashlights, batteries etc.. Dwayne has trucks driving over from the east coast with thousands of supplies. Stop by from 10am-1pm on Sunday 10/2 if you need supplies. He is accepting donations of items and monetary donations to recover costs and get more supplies. Donate via Venmo (@dbinteriors) or Zelle (@dwayne@dwaynebergmann.com).

<u>Elite DNA Behavioral Health:</u> 6430 Plantation Park Ct Ste 200 (Plantation); 4310 Metro Pkwy Ste 205 (Metro); and 228 Plaza Dr, Ste D (Lehigh Acres). Collecting non-perishable food, gently used clothing and essential items including baby products, water, first aid supplies, cleaning supplies and personal hygiene items. Supplies will be delivered to Heights Foundation, Harry Chapin Food Bank and Community Cooperative to be disseminated to regions of greatest need.

<u>FK Your Diet</u>: 19630 S Tamiami Trail, Fort Myers, FL, 33908. Needing monetary donations to continue feeding the community for free; can donate via Venmo (@fkyourdiet), Cash App (\$fkuniversity), <u>PayPal</u>, check (FKU, 19571 Bowring Park Rd. #101, Fort Myers, FL 33967) or cash can be dropped off at their Ft. Myers restaurant location; <u>Amazon Wish List</u>; also collecting nonperishable food, water (gallon jugs), cleaning supplies, new socks, new undergarments (infant through adult sizes)

<u>Palm City Brewing</u>: 7887 Drew Cir #130, Ft. Myers, FL 33967; drop-off through the weekend from 12-7pm; donations will benefit <u>Eva's Closet</u>; collecting: hygiene items, body wash or bar soap, toothbrushes and toothpaste, shampoo and conditioner, deodorant, cleaning products, diapers (size 6), batteries, non-perishable food; donate supplies and receive a free pint (limit one per person)

<u>The Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center:</u> 2301 First Street, Fort Myers, FL; drop-off Tuesday through Thursday from 10am-4pm; collecting: baby food, formula, towels, blankets, water, tissues, toilet paper, paper towels, first aid supplies, non-perishable food and children's toys.

ESTERO

<u>Local Honey</u>: 23190 Fashion Dr., Estero, FL 33928; drop-off Monday-Wednesday from 11am-5pm; collecting: clothing donations only, children's clothing priority

NAPLES



<u>Coldwell Banker | Realty</u>: 550 5th Avenue South, Naples, FL; Accepting donations for: adult and children's clothes, shoes and socks, underwear, toiletries, blankets, towels, non-perishable food items, canned puppy and dog food, canned kitten and cat food, cat litter, paper towels, pet beds, disinfectant wipes, pill pockets for dogs and cat.

<u>Elite DNA Behavioral Health:</u> 2230 Venetian Ct Ste 1. Collecting non-perishable food, gently used clothing and essential items including baby products, water, first aid supplies, cleaning supplies and personal hygiene items. Supplies will be delivered to Heights Foundation, Harry Chapin Food Bank and Community Cooperative to be disseminated to regions of greatest need.

<u>Ferrari of Naples</u>, collecting for the St. Ann Hurricane Relief Donation Drive: 11291 Tamiami Trail N.; drop-off Oct. 7 from 9am-5pm and Oct. 8 from 9am-12pm; collecting: canned goods, toiletries, baby products (diapers, formula, baby food), water, clothing, bedding, batteries, flashlights; free car washes to first responders, linemen and service industry professionals during the drive

<u>Kunjani</u>: 780 Seagate Dr, Naples, FL; Accepting donations for hurricane relief: baby diapers, baby wipes, toys, cleaning supplies, paper plates, plastic cups, plastic cutlery, toilet paper, bottled water, Gatorade, trash bags, batteries, non-perishable foods, pet food, towels, toiletries, feminine products and flash lights. They will be open from 7am-1pm through Oct. 7, then regular hours starting Oct. 8.

<u>Lake Park Diner</u>: 944 7th Ave N, Naples, FL 34102; collecting: bleach, buckets, washcloths, towels, heavy duty garbage bags, personal hygiene supplies.

Manuka Salon: 1201 Piper Blvd, Suite 15, Naples, FL; drop-off through Oct. 8; donations benefit St. Matthew's House; collecting: canned tuna/lunch meats, canned veggies, macaroni and cheese, canned beans, rice, pasta, canned sauces, cereal, Chef Boyardee, clothing, first aid products and hygiene products

Mercato: 9118 Strada Pl., Naples, FL; Thursday, Oct. 6 from 6:30-8:30pm; donations benefit St. Matthew's House; collecting: canned protein, peanut butter and jelly, fruit cups or canned fruit, ramen noodles, canned soup, bleach spray, cleaning supplies, canned chili, Chef Boyardee, oatmeal, granola bars, cereal, toiletries, baby supplies (diapers, wipes, etc.); the first 100 people to donate \$50 to the St. Matthew's House Hurricane Relief Fund at the benefit concert will receive a Mercato gift card (T&C apply).

<u>Practice Yoga</u>: 5926 Premier Way, #128, Naples, FL; drop-off Sunday, Oct. 9 from 8:30-11:45am and Monday, Oct. 10 from 7:45-11:45am; collecting: cleaning supplies, tents, umbrellas, Gatorade, nonperishable food, children's toys, clothing, water, etc.

<u>Seed to Table:</u> 4835 Immokalee Rd, Naples, FL; drop-off on Saturday, Oct. 9 from 1-9pm in the bins at the front of the store; donations benefit St. Matthew's House and Harry Chapin Food Bank of Southwest Florida; collecting: non-perishable food items. Purchase a Seed to Table gift card and the amount will be donated directly to St. Matthew's House and Harry Chapin Food Bank of Southwest Florida.

<u>Spavia Day Spa</u>: 6340 Naples Blvd., Suites 4 & 5, Naples, FL 34109; drop-off today through 10/7 from 9a-8pm; collecting: non-perishable foods, cans (that do not require a can opener), diapers, wipes, toiletries, toothbrush, toothpaste, brushes, body wash, shampoo and conditioner (helps if you tape them



together), hand wipes, hand sanitizer, work gloves, contractor trash bags, paper towels, small packages of paper plates and plastic cutlery, cleaning products, bleach, laundry detergent, batteries (size D and AA), adult and children's clothing and shoes

St. John's Evangelist: 625 111th Ave N, Naples, FL; Accepting donations for: bottled water, Gatorade, non-perishable food items, cleaning supplies, garbage bags, toilet paper, paper towels, paper goods, clothes, underwear/socks, toiletries, diapers, baby wipes, baby formula and large plastic containers. Also, accepting monetary donations and gift cards to Publix, Walmart, Home Depot, SAMS Club and Costco. If you are in need, call (239) 566-8740.

<u>True Fashionistas</u>: 2355 Vanderbilt Beach Rd., Unit 104, Naples, FL 34109; drop-off today through 10/8 from 10a-3pm; collecting: non-perishable foods, cans (that do not require a can opener), diapers, wipes, toiletries, toothbrush, toothpaste, brushes, body wash, shampoo and conditioner (helps if you tape them together), hand wipes, hand sanitizer, work gloves, contractor trash bags, paper towels, small packages of paper plates and plastic cutlery, cleaning products, bleach, laundry detergent, flashlights, batteries, sleeping bags, tents, etc.; no clothes or bedding please

<u>Unique Wood Floor Co.</u>: The Collective 111 10th St. S., Suite #204, Naples, FL 34102; drop-off Monday through Friday from 10am-4pm; collecting: non-perishable foods, individually packaged waters, Gatorades, etc., diapers, wipes, formula, feminine products, body wash, shampoo, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, bleach, dish soap, white vinegar, first aid kits, blankets, trash bags, paper plates, disposable utensils.

ONLINE

<u>Jade Strings</u>: collecting monetary donations via Venmo to purchase gift cards and supplies for those affected in Pine Island and beyond; Venmo: @jadestrings

<u>Marissa Collections</u>: collecting monetary donations to support relief, recovery efforts and benefit victims and families of Hurricane Ian through the Hunger and Homeless Coalition of Collier County, Harry Chapin Food Bank, Conservancy of Southwest Florida, The Shelter for Abused Women & Children and All Hands and Hearts; the Marissa Collections Fund is providing a dollar-for-dollar match, up to \$50,000

OFFERING SERVICES

Studio de Cirque: 4755 Mercantile Ave Unit 2, Naples, FL. Offering child care through the week while schools are closed (Oct. 3-Oct. 7 from 10am-2pm). All ages. *Call Ahead*. Volunteers, crafts and donations are welcome.

Venjhamin Reyes Photography: Offering complimentary photography services for insurance purposes to those in the Naples, Fort Myers, Cape Coral area whose main residence was damaged by Hurricane Ian.

<u>Chatbooks</u>: Offering to reprint lost photos from Hurricane Ian at no cost; contact <u>support@chatbooks.com</u>



Managing your Mental Health After Hurricane lan



Feeling stressed and overwhelmed during this time is normal

- · Help friends, family, and others in a positive way
- · Take a break from the news
- · Try to keep a normal routine
- Deep breathing can help if you are feeling anxious
- · Seek professional help

Disaster Distress Helpline 1-800-985-5990 Crisis Counselors and Resources Dial 2-1-1

Crisis Text Line Text HELLO to 741741 National Suicide Prevention
Lifeline Dial 9-8-8