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## **2009 MEETING INFORMATION:**

**BRUNSWICK COUNTY HURRICANE FORUM**

SUNDAY, JUNE 14TH FROM 3-5PM @

ODELL WILLIAMSON AUDITORIUM

Local, State and Federal Speakers

For all Brunswick County's Citizens, come and hear this year's predictions and learn about preparation.

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**TOWN OF LELAND  
DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

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VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT:  
[WWW.TOWNOFLELAND.COM/  
EMERGENCYPREPAREDNESS.HTML](http://WWW.TOWNOFLELAND.COM/EMERGENCYPREPAREDNESS.HTML)

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**TOWN OF LELAND  
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS**

# **Citizen's guide to the emergency preparedness**



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# EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

You should be prepared for ALL disasters that could potentially occur in this area. While the Town of Leland takes measures to minimize the loss to life and property, there are additional steps you can take to ensure safety to yourself, your family, and your home.

## Early preparation—What should your long term preparations be?

- Develop an emergency phone list
- Prepare storm kits that include the supplies listed in the next section
- Purchase a NOAA Weather Radio
- Attend local informational meetings
- Sign up for FIRST call
- Join Twitter!
- Review what your insurance will cover
- Determine the safety of your property
- Determine location of your nearest shelter
- Identify safe spots in your home

## A storm is headed our way! What should you do to prepare immediately before?

- Monitor your local weather carefully
- Monitor local websites for shelter and evacuation information
- LISTEN TO OFFICIALS—if they advise you to evacuate!
- Charge your cellular phone
- Make plans for your pets

*For a complete list of preparedness measures you can take, visit Brunswick County Emergency Services website at [www.brunswickes.com](http://www.brunswickes.com) or Town of Leland Emergency Preparedness website at [www.townofleland.com/emergencypreparedness](http://www.townofleland.com/emergencypreparedness)*

## STORM KITS—What should your storm kit include?

- Water—One gallon per person, per day—for at least 3 days
- Non-perishable food for at least 3 days
- Change of clothing
- Blankets/Sleeping bags
- First aid kit (include ALL medications)
- Battery powered radio
- Flashlights
- Extra batteries
- Cash and credit cards
- Important phone numbers (include doctors)
- Extra set of car keys
- Diapers and Formula
- Special items for children & elderly
- Cell phone chargers
- Anti-bacterial hand wipes or gel
- Toilet paper

Check with your pet's veterinarian for what you should include in your pet's storm kit!

## Local Shelter Information

**North Brunswick High School** serves as the shelter in closest proximity to Town of Leland residents. Shelters are activated by Brunswick County Emergency Services and operated by the Red Cross. To volunteer for shelter operations, please contact the volunteer center for Brunswick County at 91.253.2574.

As of 2009, Brunswick County will operate a pet friendly shelter. This will be at **West Brunswick High School**. For more information, contact Brunswick County Emergency Services.

## IMPORTANT RESOURCES:

**Brunswick County Emergency Services**  
[www.brunswickes.com](http://www.brunswickes.com)

**Town of Leland Emergency Preparedness**  
[www.townofleland.com/emergencypreparedness](http://www.townofleland.com/emergencypreparedness)

**FIRST call—register to receive emergency notifications**  
<http://www.alertregistration.com/>

**Special Needs registration**  
<http://fs19.formsite.com/ubwatts/form165290145/index.html>

**Follow Brunswick County on TWITTER**  
Username: brunscoes

**Follow Town of Leland on TWITTER**  
Username: LelandEMPrepare

## IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:

For Emergencies  
911

Town of Leland Police  
910.371.1100

Emergency Preparedness Contact  
Ashli Barefoot  
910.332.4819

Red Cross  
910.762.2683

Brunswick County Emergency Services  
910.253.5383

Brunswick County Public Information  
910.253.7453