Resource Guide

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Austin Christian Fellowship (ACF) (partner with the Austin Disaster Relief Network)

Info/Hotline · Open

6401 River Place Blvd, Austin, TX 78730

Phone 512–381–5700
Web acfellowship.org
Service Temporary

Current Fire Relief Needs:

(BASTROP FAMILIES) Personal care items – toothbrushes, toothpaste
(BASTROP FAMILIES) Backpacks with school supplies for K–12
(BASTROP FF) New Tube Socks
(BASTROP FAMILIES) New Children's underwear
(BASTROP FAMILIES) New Women's underwear
(BASTROP FAMILIES) New Women's sport bras
(BASTROP FAMILIES) New children's socks (packaged)
(BASTROP FAMILIES) New combs and brushes
(BASTROP FAMILIES) New pillows and bedding
(LAKE TRAVIS FF) Gift Cards – Home Depot, Lowes
(STEINER FAMILIES) Gift Cards – HEB, VISA, WalMart, Walgreens, etc
(PEDERNALES FF) Bandanas
(PEDERNALES FF) Heavy gloves (leather – M/L/XL)
(BASTROP FF) Heavy work gloves (leather)
(BASTROP FF) Blistex, Visine, Medicated Gold Bond Power

ADRN is asking that you bring NO CLOTHING donations to their warehouses. Thank you so much!

Austin Christian Fellowship is honored to partner with the Austin Disaster Relief Network for continued assistance to communities impacted by wildfires in Central Texas. Donations may be delivered directly to the ADRN in–kind warehouses listed. ACF will continue to collect cash and gift cards for affected families and firefighters at our Riverplace location, and will be visiting both Bastrop and Spicewood to assess ongoing support opportunities. As always, we will provide regular updates on Facebook, Twitter, and on our website at acfellowship.org. We thank the Lord for folks like you!

ADRN 360:
1905 S. Capital of Texas Highway
(next to Rudy's BBQ)
Contact: Tina
Phone: 497–9480

ADRN South Austin:
Oak Meadow Church
9605 S. IH 35 @ Slaughter Lane
Contact: Laurie Dezille
Phone: 971–7991

ADRN Georgetown:
610 N. Austin Ave.
Exit 261–A behind McDonalds
Contact: James
Phone: 589–3038

FACEBOOK:
http://www.facebook.com/pages/Austin–Christian–Fellowship/372238228607

TWITTER:
@acfellowship

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8921

Austin Habitat for Humanity Restore – 2011 TX Wildfires (REBUILDING MATERIALS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

310 Comal St., Austin, TX 78702
Phone (512) 478–2165
Web www.re–store.com
Service Temporary

Services offered: New "Business" Models; New "business models", housing; Recycling, Building Materials * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Alternative Societies; Habitat For Humanity
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8946

Austin Resource Center for Independent Living (ARCIL)

Info/Hotline · Open

825 E. Rundberg Lane, Suite E6, Austin, TX 78753
Phone (512) 832–6349
Contact manager
Email arcil @ arcil .com
Web www.arcil.com
Serves Bastrop, Blanco, Brazos, Burleson, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Grimes, Hays, Lee, Llano, Milam, San Saba, Travis, Washington & Williamson counties
Service Temporary

from: http://disabilityresources.tamu.edu/?q=node/9757

Contact Information
Address:
825 E. Rundberg Lane
Suite E–6
City:
Austin
Zip Code:
78753
County:
Travis

Other Organizational Contact Options
Phone Number:
(512) 832–6349

E–mail:
arcil @ arcil.com
Web Site:
http://www.arcil.com
Toll Free:
(800) 414–6327

Service Description:
Austin Resource Center for Independent Living (ARCIL) is a community–based, nonprofit corporation serving people with disabilities. We provide community awareness, relocation, and transition services. Services are available to people of all ages with all types of disabilities.

The Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services (DADS) contracts with several community organizations to help people transition to the community. The HBC program provides assistance with:DADS Community Care Services and other community resources; Housing or moving back home; Grants for paying moving expenses, deposits, household items, and other related expenses; Information on living in the community with suitable support;

Some of the services provided in DADS Community Care Programs include: Nursing Services; Therapies and Habilitation; Attendant Services;Medical Equipment and Supplies; Case Management; Minor Home Modifications; Unlimited Prescriptions.

Hours of operation:
Normal service hours are from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Monday through Friday.

Area served:
Bastrop, Blanco, Brazos, Burleson, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Grimes, Hays, Lee, Llano, Milam, San Saba, Travis, Washington & Williamson counties.
Resource Categories:
Housing
Last updated on 12 September 2008

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Information Resource, ADA & Useful Info for Disabled Folks; Medical, Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Nursing; Medical, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8932

Capital Area Food Bank of Texas

Warehouse · Open

Food Bank
8201 S. Congress Ave., Austin, TX 78745

Phone	512–282–2111, Toll Free: 800–786–2616 , Fax: 512–282–6606
Web	www.austinfoodbank.org
Hours	Mon – Fri, 8:00–5:00
Checks payable to	Capital Area Food Bank of Texas
Service	Temporary

FROM THE CENTRAL TX VOAD SITE 9/2011 TX WILDFIRES:

Capitol Area Food Bank:
Helping Feed Central Texans Affected By The Fires.

AUSTIN, TX, September 6, 2011 – To help those affected by the wildfires in Central Texas, the Capital Area Food Bank of Texas (CAFB) is requesting assistance in the following ways.

Financial donations to CAFB can be made at www.austinfoodbank.org. Funds raised will go directly to helping CAFB in this disaster response. The relief effort will be long–term and monetary donations will be necessary for many months.

Food donations can be made at the following locations;

– CAFB warehouse located at 8201 S. Congress Avenue, Austin , TX 78745 (8–5 p.m. or leave in boxes on dock outside of those hours)

North Donation Spots for CAFB

– Georgetown – Caring Place
– 2000 Railroad St.
– Georgetown, TX 78627
– 512–869–4735

– Round Rock Serving Center
– 1099 East Main St
– Round Rock, TX 78664
– 512–244–2431

– SVDP Round Rock
– 620 Round Rock West
– Round Rock, TX 78681
– 512–255–2330

To hold a food drive at your workplace, school, church etc., CAFB has large food donation boxes available for pick up at their warehouse. Once filled please return to CAFB or call 512–282–2111 to arrange for a pick up.

Most desired food donations are healthy, non–perishable items such as:

– Water, Gatorade
– Ready to eat meals preferably with pull up or pop tops, e.g. chili, stew, canned pasta w/sauce
– Single serving snacks such as protein or granola bars
– Lunchables or other single serving foods that do not require refrigeration
– Diapers
– Baby formula

Donate Emergency Items
Items requested:
1) granola bars
2) canned meats (pop–top lids)
3) peanut butter
4) diapers & wipes (adult and baby)
5) personal care items (toothpaste, toothbrush, feminine products, soap, shampoo, conditioner, etc.)

Most needed items: Canned meat (pop–top lids), peanut butter, granola bars.

Every $5 donated provides $20 worth of nutritious food.

Donate online and specify the donation go to Hurricane Ike relief.

Disaster Relief Donation Hours and Location
Capital Area Food Bank
8201 South Congress Avenue (between William Cannon & Slaughter Lane).
Monday through Sunday, 24 hours a day.

Volunteer
We have filled all volunteer opportunities for Hurricane Ike relief. Thank you! For additional volunteer opportunities through the end of the year to help provide food for hungry Central Texas, visit our volunteer page.

In its 26th year of service, the Capital Area Food Bank of Texas (CAFB) currently provides food and grocery products to 370 Partner Agencies in 21 Central Texas counties. In 2006, CAFB distributed more than 16 million pounds of food. The CAFB service area covers 19,064 square miles in Central Texas.

General Information: communications@austinfoodbank.org

Contribution and Financial Donation Information: contribute@austinfoodbank.org

Media Inquiries:
Kerri Qunell, Communications Director
kqunell@ secondharvest.org
512-282-2111 X228

To Become a Partner Agency: agencies@austinfoodbank.org

Partner Agencies needing to file their USDA report via email
reports@austinfoodbank.org

Volunteer Information: volunteer @austinfoodbank.org or call the Volunteer Information Line at 512-684-2140

Food and Fund Drive Information:fooddrive @austinfoodbank.org or call the Food and Fund Drive Information Line at 512-684-2145

Food Industry Donations: communications@ austinfoodbank.org

Judy Carter, Executive Director: judycarter @ austinfoodbank.org

In-kind donations are always welcome at the Capital Area Food Bank. Call Amy Silvey, Director of Development: 512-282-2111, ext. 242 or email asilvey @ secondharvest.org

You can donate money and food at the Food Bank Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. An after-hours food drop box for small food donations is available at the front entrance.

Also you can donate at any Randalls store or any RunTex store.

Services offered: Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; First Responder, Gulf Region; Food Distribution, Children, BackPack Program ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank ONLY (No Walk-In Service); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Jobs, Paying; Services, Disaster Response; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Kid's Cafe Program (Youth); Services, Senior Programs; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2011 Texas Wildfires; America's Second Harvest; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Sep 16, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1828

Caritas of Austin

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Community
611 Neches St., Austin, TX 78701

Phone	Administration 512-479-4610 Client Services 512-472-4135
Web	www.caritasofaustin.org
Hours	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. Tuesday: 8 a.m. - 6:45 p.m. Friday: 8 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
Serves	Travis and surrounding counties
Eligibility	Caritas serves the working poor, the unemployed, the homeless, the near-homeless and documented refugees.
Checks payable to	Caritas of Austin
Service	Temporary

Caritas envisions a community where there is respect for all individuals, hope for those experiencing poverty and opportunities for self reliance.

Caritas was founded in 1964 by Monsignor Richard McCabe as a safety net for the community's working poor.

Caritas is an integral part of the community's human services network and Travis County's largest non–governmental source of assistance.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Veterans; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling, Personal Finance Counseling; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service, Large Item Donation Pickup; Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Demographic Information; Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Governments/Community Groups; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Response; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Humanitarian Aid ; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Catholic Charities; Homelessness Relief Services; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3017

Catholic Charities Central Texas – Diocese of Austin

Donor · Open

Faith–based Disaster Relief & Recovery
1817 East 6th Street, Austin, TX 78702

Phone	1–866–464–9494 or 512–651–6100 Fax: 512–651–6101
Web	www.ccctx.org
Checks payable to	Catholic Charities
Service	Temporary

2011 TX Wildfires:

Donations accepted for fire victims

AUSTIN – In response to the catastrophic wildfires in Central Texas, Catholic Charities of Central Texas is accepting donations to support families and individuals displaced from their homes and residing in temporary shelters.
KLBJ radio stations will assist in collection items for Catholic Charities. Read more..

Medical Supplies

- BP Cuff
- Nebulizer
- Thermometer
- Glucometer
- Pen lights
- Tongue Depressors
- Ibuprofen
- Gauze Wrap
- ACE Bandages
- Neosporin Cream
- Bandages
- Medical face masks (particle filter)

Other Supplies

- Sleeping Bags
- Blankets
- Pillows
- Towels
- Shampoo
- Body wash

• Toothpaste
• Paper Plates, Cups, Napkins, Plastic Utensils
• Deodorant Sprays for men and women
• Disposable Razors
• Shaving Cream
• Baby Wipes
• Size 4 Diapers
• Baby Shampoo
• Sanitizer
• Depends Undergarments

Donations of the items above will also be accepted from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Catholic Charities of Central Texas in Austin at 1817 E. Sixth Street, Austin, TX 78702, (512) 651–6102 . Any community organization or faith community wishing to organize a donation drive is welcomed to contact Catholic Charities Disaster Response Office at (512) 651–6134 .

Monetary donations can also be made payable to Catholic Charities Disaster Response. Click here to make an online donation then select the Fire Relief Catholic Charities option.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant, Legal Services; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Mental Health, Sliding Scale; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Jobs, Paying; Legal, Attorney, Pro Bono Attorney, Volunteer; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Legal Assistance; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2011 Texas Wildfires; AmeriCorps; Catholic Charities; Commission on Aging; TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Sep 10, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1630

Easter Seals Housing Referrals for People w/Disabilities

Shelter · Open

Austin, TX

Phone 800–798–1492, 512–472–8696
Web www.chs.accesstexashousing.org
Service Temporary

From: http://disabilityresources.tamu.edu/?q=node/358

Service Description:

Easter Seals Central Texas – Community and Housing Services (ESCT–CHS) hosts the HOYO program. In addition, ESCT–CHS provides referral for residents looking to obtain services, need assistance with financial literacy, acquiring assistive technology, and obtaining rental housing. In addition, ESCT–CHS conducts advocacy activities on the state level.

Eligibility:
Low–income individuals with disabilities and families who have members with disabilities. ESCT–CHS serves individuals with all types of disabilities and their supporters.

Is this organization non–profit or for profit?:
Non–Profit

Fee Structure Details:
There is no charge for most services.
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8923

EMA, City of Austin, Homeland Security (WILDFIRE INCIDENT POSTINGS updated every 3 minutes)

Walk–in Resource · Open

5010 Old Manor Road, Suite 330, Austin, TX

Phone (512) 974–0450
Contact Otis J. Latin, Sr., Director
Web www.austinhsem.com/go/doc/3603/970379
Service Temporary

See incident page, updated every 3 minutes:

http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/fact/default.cfm

EOC: http://www.austinhsem.com/go/doc/3603/983075/

For CERT inquiries:
coleen . christian @ ci .austin.tx.us

To Volunteer:
patricia . urdiales@ci.austin.tx.us

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Contacts, Incident Command; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, County/Parish; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Documentation, Disaster Planning; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness, Businesses; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness Guidance, Community Groups; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness Guidance, Individual/Family; Documentation, Disaster Recovery Process; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Community Groups; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Individual/Family; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Roles; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Supply Management; Documentation, Volunteer Instructions; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Maps, Environmental Impact Tracking; Information Resource, Maps, Fire Maps; Information Resource: Online Alert Registry; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Information Resource, Wildfire Incident Information & Updates; Services, Emergency Services
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8883

LTRC, Texas Interfaith Disaster Response (TIDR)

Info/Hotline · Open

LTRC Disaster Recovery
3507 E. 12th St., Austin, TX 78721
Phone (512) 458–8848 / (512) 458–8852
Web www.tidr.org
Serves Bastrop, Travis & Williamson Counties
Service Temporary

Last Updated: September 15, 2008
12:43 PM CST

We knew this would be a massive storm. Today and over the next few days we will learn of the destruction caused and find more and more ways to respond. Please keep evacuees and the many communities affected across our great state––in your prayers. And let's all stay in touch so that by working together we can coordinate the many gifts and resources that will be needed.
I thank the many of you who have helped evacuees, our guests, in some very creative ways! Keep the creativity flowing.

We are currently collecting funds to meet the varied unmet needs of evacuees, which can range from gas cards to personal items. These funds will go to helping disaster survivors in the Austin area. To make a donation, please go to the Donate section on our website.

Last Updated: September 8, 2008
2:00 PM CST

Ike and the Aftermath of Gustav

TIDR Respond to Gustav
Many thanks to our many faith–based partners who assisted in helping evacuees from Hurricane Gustav. With your help, TIDR was able to provide clothing for several persons, air mattresses for sleeping at one of the local shelters, and gas cards to purchase at least one tank of gas for 104 cars with evacuee families.

A special word of thanks to Eastside Baptist Church, Pastor Leland Dandridge and members, and the St. John's District Association, and Shepherd of the Hills Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Pastor Rod Coleman and Rev. Lucinda Valenti, for their quick response to address special needs to families who evacuated to the Austin area.

Our other Hurricane Gustav partners include:

Bethany Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Brentwood Oaks Church of Christ
Central Baptist Church
Eastside Baptist Church
First Baptist Church
Cal and Donna Elder
Gary Kansteiner and Debra Monroe
Grace Apostolic Temple
High Point Fellowship
Hill Country Bible Church

St. John's District Association
St. John's United Methodist Church
St. William's Catholic Church
Shepherd of the Hills Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Unity Church of the Hills
Week of Compassion of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Worship Life Inc.

TIDR works to bring coordination among Austin's faith community around issues of emergency and disaster. TIDR works through all phases of the cycle of disaster: response, recovery, preparedness and mitigation.

Collaborating with TIDR, Congregations and Houses of Worship are involved with a unique program that involves a Disaster Contact Person (DCP). The DCP receives updates and specific information about disaster–related situations that affect our communities. If you would like more information about TIDR and how your House of Worship can participate, please go to the Donate section under Volunteers or contact TIDR at (512) 458–8848.

Organizations:

Texas Interfaith Disaster Response (serving Bastrop, Travis and Williamson Counties)

Services offered: LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee Advice
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; AmeriCorps; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 28, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/598

Occupy Austin (Social Justice Protest)

Info/Hotline · Open

Austin, TX
Web occupyaustin.org
Service Temporary

FOOD DONATIONS: Drop off your donations at any Planet K location or directly to City Hall.

TWITTER : @OccupyAustin
FACEBOOK : OccupyAustinTx
FACEBOOK (Occupy Austin Needs): https://www.facebook.com/Occupy.Austin.Needs
LIVESTREAM : OccupyAustin
REDDIT : OccupyAustin
EVENT : facebook/OccupyAustin

Working Group Contact Info

Below is contact info for all the working groups. The name of the group is at the top of each paragraph. Groups in blue are linked to a resource page.
Occupy Austin Wiki

Press/Media
This group is working to facilitate all things media, including the livestream.
Contact: Lauren
media@ occupyaustin.org

Welcome Committee/InfoScribes
This group is working to have information available for people new to the occupation.
Contact: InfoScribes
infoscribes @occupyaustin.org

Bank Action
This group will guide you and City Council to move your money from bailout banks to member–owned credit unions or community banks.
Contact: Dave
bankaction@occupyaustin.org

Finance & Donations
This group is working to collect monies for occupation and events.
Contact: Kyle
finance@ occupyaustin.org

Mission and Values
This group is working to take the pulse of the people and craft mission and value statements that reflect everyone involved in the occupation.
Contact: Clifton
mission@occupyaustin.org

Food
This group is working to bring food for participants of the occupation.
Contact: Natalie
food@ occupyaustin.org, n_atwater@hotmail.com

Facilitators
This group is working to inform people on how to be a facilitator in the General Assembly.
Contact: Occupy Austin Facilitators mailing list
occupy–austin–facilitators @googlegroups.com

Education
This group is working to bring literature to the event to set up education stations during the occupation.
Contact: Fred
discussions@occupyaustin.org

Legal/Arrest Team
This group is working to provide legal assistance to anyone arrested at the occupation.
Contact: Brian & Anton
legal @occupyaustin.org

IT
This group is working to provide robust IT and communications infrastructure support.
Contact: Greg
it@ occupyaustin.org
Have skillz? Sign up for the IT mailing list.

National and International Outreach
This group is working to reach out to other occupations around the world.
Contact: Ronnie
interocc@ occupyaustin.org

Art
This group is working to make posters, flyers and other signs and art for the occupation.
Contact: Nova
art@occupyaustin.org

Child Care
This group is working to help those who have children at the occupation.
Contact: Courtney
childcare @occupyaustin.org

City Ordinance
This group is working to help us learn about and comply with city ordinance.
Contact: Jason
cityordinance @occupyaustin.org

First Aide and medical
This group is working to ensure there is first aide available for participants of the occupation.
Contact: Claire, Joe, BeeDubYa, Bishop and Cameron
medical@ occupyaustin.org

Guide to Thrive
This group is working to develop a guide to thrive document to help participants understand the rules of the General Assembly.
Contact: Kristian
guidetothrive@ occupyaustin.org

Holistic Health
This group is working to provide holistic health to the participants of the occupation.
Contact: Emily
holistichealth @occupyaustin.org

Labor Union Outreach
This group is working to reach out to labor unions around ATX for support.
Contact: Snehal
labor@occupyaustin.org

Livestream
This group is working to facilitate streaming video at the occupation.
Contact: Boyd & John
livestream@ occupyaustin.org

Transportation
This group is working to meet the needs of anyone who needs transportation to the event via pedicab and electric cab rides.
Contact: Tony
transportation@occupyaustin.org

Coalition Outreach
This group is working to reach out to various diverse coalitions in and around ATX for support at the occupation.
Contact: Danny O.
coalitions @occupyaustin.org

Music
This group is working to craft sweet, sweet tunes.
Contact: William
music@occupyaustin.org

Twitter
Contact: Jonathan
This group is maintaining the #occupyaustin twitter feed.
twitter@ occupyaustin.org

Youtube
This group is working to maintain the occupy Austin youtube channel.
Contact: Ryan
youtube@ occupyaustin.org

Web Team
This group is working to maintain the occupyaustin.org website.
Contact: Anton
info@ occupyaustin.org

Veterans Outreach
This group is working to reach out to veterans in ATX.
Contact: Petty Officer 3rd Class Alex
veterans@occupyaustin.org

Co-ops
This group is working to find ways that cooperatives can assist in the occupation.
Contact: Josh
coops @occupyaustin.org

PR & Fundraising
This group organizes PR & fundraising events/campaigns that increase participation and support for the occupation.
prfundraising @occupyaustin.org
Contact: Amanda

Local issues
This group is working to explore local issues and bring the worldwide movement into perspective by showing local examples of corruption.
Contact: David
local@ occupyaustin.org

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Human Rights; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Demographic Served: Victims of Environmental Injustice; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together
Updated Dec 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9061

Pets America

Info/Hotline · Open

Animal Disaster Response Team
Texas Veterinary Medical Assn Bldg.; 8104 Exchange Drive, Austin, TX 78754

Phone	512-452-4224 (Texas Veterinary Med. Assoc.)
Web	www.petsamerica.org
Checks payable to	https://www.paypal.com/us/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_flow&SESSION=GdrI0dcSy9TvZtdm8kPCwrUHte_EgBsfZKl42i6_AmeTiqzkNzB39ieaiyC&dispatch=5885d80a13c0db1f38432c9462fe731381a7a80e09148cd4e12285e4178e91a4
Service	Temporary

From the website 9/22/08:

Hurricane Ike evacuees found a safe haven courtesy of Pets America. More than 200 pets were housed with their owners in 20 shelters, and Pets America needs your help to continue programs to include pets in disaster plans nationwide!

TO DONATE:

https://www.paypal.com/us/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_flow&SESSION=GdrI0dcSy9TvZtdm8kPCwrUHte_EgBsfZKl42i6_AmeTiqzkNzB39ieaiyC&dispatch=5885d80a13c0db1f38432c9462fe731381a7a80e09148cd4e12285e4178e91a4

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Our Mission

Pets America saves the lives of pets and the people who love them by providing educational programs about emergency preparedness and disaster relief services for pet owners.

Through Pet First Aid & Disaster Response workshops, Pets America teaches people how to care for their animals before, during, and after an emergency. And, by collaborating with communities nationwide, Pets America–trained volunteers are helping ensure that pets are included in local emergency management plans.

DISASTER RESPONSE SERVICES:

Emergency Planning and Disaster Response

Emergency Management Community Partnership Program

Pets America trains volunteers to collaborate with cities, counties, and councils of government to provide pet–friendly shelters for pet owners (shelters established on the same site as shelters for people). Pets America can assist communities in writing disaster plans that include pets and establishing Memoranda of Understanding with response agencies. The organization also works with Emergency Managers to ensure that all necessary supplies and well–trained volunteers are available to assist families with pets with evacuations and pet–friendly sheltering needs.

In Central Texas, Pets America is working in partnership with the Central Texas Chapter of the American Red Cross to establish a model for pet–friendly shelters that can be implemented nationally to save lives. By allowing pet owners to evacuate with their pets, countless animal and human lives can be saved. Volunteers must be well–trained in emergency management, and training will continue in Texas throughout 2007. Send us an email if you're interested in becoming an approved disaster response team volunteer or if you'd like planning assistance for your community!

Services offered: Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Animals, First Aid for Pets; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Oct 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1680

Red Cross Chapter, American Red Cross of Central Texas

Info/Hotline · Open

Red Cross Chapter
2218 Pershing Drive, Austin, TX 78723

Phone (800) or (512) 928–4271
Web www.centex.redcross.org
Eligibility Impacted by all Disasters / Evacuees Impacted by Hurricane Ike
Service Temporary

http://www.centex.redcross.org/index.asp?IDCapitulo=F9ZLZNZ3KD

The American Red Cross of Central Texas is responding to several fires in our area today.

Please check in on Red Cross Safe and Well to let friends and family know you're alright

9/6/11 – As of 6:30AM shelters open for evacuated residents:

Bastrop Middle School, 709 Old Austin Hwy, Bastrop, TX

Old Giddings Elementary School, 1010 Industry Road, Giddings, TX

Rouse High School, 1501 Country Road 271, Leander, TX

Smithville Recreation Center, 106 Royston Street, Smithville, TX

Additional Resources:
(SEE WEBSITE FOR DETAILS –
http://www.centex.redcross.org/index.asp?IDCapitulo=F9ZLZNZ3KD)

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/RedCrossofCentralTexas

The American Red Cross of Central Texas, the City of Austin, and Austin Independent School District are following the Capital Area Shelter Hub Plan (CASHP) and have received over 6,000 evacuees from Hurricane Ike. Over 22 shelters were opened in Travis and Williamson Counties. Currently, many evacuees have returned home or have moved to shelters in different parts of Austin, though we continue to shelter at least 2,000 evacuees in Austin currently.

Please contact the Austin Hurricane Hotline at 512–974–1110 to get the latest information about evacuations and evacuation center openings. As always, we are responding to the needs of our community.

SEE WEBSITE FOR VOLUNTEER INSTRUCTIONS!!!
http://www.centex.redcross.org/

Services offered: Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter Managers/Staff, Volunteer; Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2011 Texas Wildfires; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 6, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3760

RGK Foundation

Donor · Open

Foundation
1301 West 25th Street – Suite 300, Austin, TX 78705
Phone (512) 474–9298
Web www.rgkfoundation.org
Service Temporary

The RGK Foundation endeavors to be a catalyst for progressive change in humanitarian concerns. Guiding the foundation is a deep reverence for democracy and a civil society together with the founders' values of foresight, imagination and discovery. By seeking innovative projects in the area of health, education, human services and community affairs, the Foundation strives to advance knowledge, improve society and help realize human potential.

They accept grant applications for:

Medicine/Health
Community
Education

RGK Foundation – $ Available Up to $25,000

Contact (512) 474–9298

Not sure what types of things they like to donate to. If someone finds out, please let us know.

Per Lesli's (Church World Service) Newsletter

Services offered: Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Financial/Monetary Donations; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants)
Updated Sep 22, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/968

Samaritan Center for Counseling & Pastoral Care

Walk–in Resource · Open

FREE Counseling for Hurricane Survivors
5425–A Burnet Road, Austin, TX 78756
Phone 512–451–7337
Web www.samaritan–center.org

Samaritan Center for Counseling and Pastoral Care is offering Free Counseling for Hurricane Survivors and Caregivers of Survivors (includes case managers).

We recently received additional funding to continue providing free counseling for Hurricane Survivors and Caregivers of Survivors.

HURRICANE KATRINA & RITA
The emotional impact of surviving a hurricane will be felt in our community for months to come. Our center is prepared to help survivors of this tragedy with crisis counseling and support for those suffering from secondary stress and trauma.

The Samaritan Counseling Center is offering FREE counseling to hurricane survivors and their care givers. Care givers include family members and case managers and those who are working in the community with hurricane survivors.

Please call us to schedule an appointment.
(512) 451–7337

Case Managers can call to make an appointment for the client with the client's permission.

Main Office:
5425–A Burnet Road
Austin, TX 78756

Satellite Locations:

Cedar Park, Downtown Austin, Georgetown, Lake Travis, Pflugerville, Round Rock and San Marcos

Outreach Services are available for those without transportation to one of our locations. Per our agreement with Lifeworks Outreach services in East and South East Austin will be forwareded to Nona Adams.

As always I am available to answer mental health questions, questions about if a referral is appropriate, how to talk to clients about getting counseling, etc.

Thank you,

Michele Riggs, LPC Intern, NCC
Hurricane Survivor Outreach Counselor
The Samaritan Center for Counseling and Pastoral Care
Office: (512)–451–7337 X 230
Mobile: (512)–300–3530 (Best # to contact me)
Email: MicheleRiggs19@yahoo.com
www.samaritan– center.org

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling)
Updated Sep 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1856

TCARES, Travis County Amateur Radio Emergency Service

Info/Hotline · Open

Amateur Radio Operators
Austin, TX
Web www.tcares.org
Service Temporary

Contact Details for the Emergency Coordinator, EC, and the Assistant ECs.

Roger Wines, W5WIA Emergency Coordinator Home 512–453–2193

Lee Cooper, W5LHC Admin AEC 512–658–3910

Eric Rabinowitz, AE5BE Development AEC Cell 415–336–6938

Jay Hoffman, KA5OST Emergency Ops AEC Cell 512–461–9910

Lew Thompson, W5IFQ Equipment AEC Work 512–835–3389

Joe Canfield, N5HPC Liaison AEC

Rick Kirchhof, NG5V Non-Emergency Ops AEC Home 512-454-4306

Lee Cooper, W5LHC Public Information Coordinator for So. Texas 512-658-3910

Steven Polunsky, KE5GDR Travis County ARES Public Information Officer

John Benedict, KE5RS Primary

Dallas Mellichamp, KD4HNX Secondary 512-560-9047

Services offered: Disaster Zone Comms Equipment Operator; First Responder, SouthWest Region; Services, Emergency Services; Support for "All" Disasters
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1664

Texas Conference of Churches

Info/Hotline · Open

Faith Based, Non-Profit, Charity
221 East 9th Street, Suite 403, Austin, TX 78701
Phone 512.451.0991
Web www.txconfchurches.org

Bonnie Mallott, Director

From their website:

TCC Disaster Recovery VISTA Members and Organizations
We currently have six VISTA Members. Let us tell you a little bit about them.

Southeast Texas Interfaith Organization for Disaster Recovery (SETIO), www.setio.org, which represents Hardin, Jefferson and Orange Counties.

Texas Interagency/Interfaith Disaster Response (TIDR), www.tidr.org

Mid-Texas VOAD (Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster) in Temple.
Campaigns: Americorp VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America); VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster), Associate Member/Informal Affiliation; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Aug 20, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1702

Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (housing database, vouchers)

Shelter · Open

Austin, TX
Phone (512) 475-3800, 1-800-525-0657
Contact Manager
Email tcdd @ tcdd.state.tx.us
Web www.tdhca.state.tx.us/texans.htm
Service Temporary

Searchable database for reduced rate housing:
http://hrc-ic.tdhca.state.tx.us/hrc/VacancyClearinghouseSearch.m

from: http://disabilityresources.tamu.edu/?q=node/562

Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs

Contact Information
Address:
221 East 11th Street
City:
Austin
Zip Code:
78701

E-mail:
tcdd @ tcdd.state.tx.us

Web Site:
http://www.tdhca.state.tx.us/texans.htm

Service Description:
•The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) offers help for Texans at http://www.tdhca.state.tx.us/texans.htm. This includes help with rent (including a database on affordable housing and information on Section 8 housing choice vouchers), help with utility bills, home repair or weatherization, buying a home, and foreclosure prevention. For more details and additional housing resources, go to Housing or call TDHCA at 1-800-525-0657 or (512) 475-3800.

Age Groups Served:
Adults, Geriatric

Languages Accomodated:
English, Spanish

Fee Structure:
No Cost

Payment Types Accepted:
Not Applicable

Keyword(s):
housing, rent, help, bills, foreclosure protection

Resource Categories:
Housing

Last updated on 09 September 2011

Services offered: Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Directories, Online Database Resource; Directories, Online Database Resource, Needs/Avail Matching; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Deposit; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Resource Databases for Supplies/Services (NO FEE); Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Vouchers, Housing/Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8928

Texas Interfaith Disaster Response

Info/Hotline · Open

Disaster Relief
5207 Airport Blvd, Austin, TX 78751
Phone 512.458.8848
Web www.urbanministry.org/wiki/texas-interfaith-disaster-response
Serves Statewide
Service Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Texas Interfaith Disaster Response seeks to coordinate emergency and long-term recovery efforts among a variety of faith-based organizations, government agencies, and private businesses. The group meets weekly and involves numerous agencies from across the city, facilitating communication, information exchange, and helping to avoid duplication of services. Their Communication Center serves as a vital link between evacuees and community agencies working to assist them. In addition, the Communication Center has trained and mobilized 250 volunteer chaplains to provide emotional and spiritual care to evacuee families.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster), Associate Member/Informal Affiliation
Updated Jan 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1629

Texas State REACT Council

Info/Hotline · Open

Non-Profit Emergency Communications, Public Service Civic Organization
PO Box 180922, Austin, TX 78718
Web www.texasreact.org
Service Temporary

Radio Emergency Associated Communications Teams are volunteer radio operators who are organized internationally and use two-way radios to provide public service communications for travelers and their local communities. REACT Teams provide help during emergency operations and public service events, such as parades, triathlons, etc.

REACT Teams provide communications in response to emergencies and for community events. They utilize GMRS, UHF, VHF, Amateur, and other radio services. Teams participate in their communities' disaster preparedness plans through cooperative agreements with ARRL, NOAA, VOAD, American Red Cross and the Salvation Army.

The Texas State REACT Council has 9 member teams in Texas, including all the major cities like Dallas/Ft. Worth, San Antonio and Austin, plus other communities in between. In 2005, two teams in the San Antonio Metro Area merged into a single team covering 4 counties.

Here is a list of current Texas REACT Teams:

Bell County
Hill Country – (Bexar, Comal, Kendall, Guadalupe counties)
Brazoria County
McLennan County
Brownwood Emergency CB Unit
San Angelo REACT, Inc
CBA Potter County
Travis County
Dallas County
Campaigns: American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Citizen Corps; Salvation Army; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 12, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1720

The Salvation Army, Austin, TX, INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

Salvation Army
501 E 8th St; P.O. Box 1000, Austin, TX 78767
Phone (512) 476–1111 S/A Metro Area Command
Web www.salvationarmyaustin.org
Service Temporary

Area Command
Major Stephen Ellis, Austin Area Commander
501 E 8th St
P.O. Box 1000
Austin, TX 78767

phone: (512) 476–1111

OTHER AUSTIN AREA SALVATION ARMY LOCATIONS:

Salvation Army Thrift Store
1142 S Lamar Blvd, Austin, TX (1.73 miles away)
512–443–7565
Category: Social Services, Thrift Shops, Clothing–Used, Furniture–Used

Salvation Army
5329 N I H 35, Austin, TX (3.46 miles away)
512–451–7156
Category: Thrift Shops, Clothing–Used, Furniture–Used

Salvation Army
4216 S Congress Ave, Austin, TX (3.74 miles away)
512–416–0607
Category: Social Services, (All) Places Of Worship, Auction Houses, Thrift Shops, Clothing–Used

Salvation Army
4523 Tannehill Ln, Austin, TX (4.07 miles away)
512–674–0685
Category: Social Services

Salvation Army Disaster
6510 S Congress Ave, Austin, TX (5.59 miles away)
512–445–2003
Category: Social Services

Salvation Army
13096 N Highway 183 # 103, Austin, TX (12.09 miles away)
512–250–8240

Services offered: Support for "All" Disasters; Thrift Store; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1665

United Way Capital Area (UWCA) – (CORPORATE IN–KIND DONATION COLLECTIONS) – 2011 TX WILDFIRES

Info/Hotline · Open

2000 E. MLK Jr Blvd., Austin, TX 78702

Phone 512–472–6267 or 2–1–1
Web www.unitedwaycapitalarea.org
Service Temporary

In–kind Donation Program –
Central Texas Wildfire Relief
United Way Capital Area (UWCA) is helping families in crisis affected by the Central Texas Wildfires by providing available resources and engaging individuals and businesses seeking to provide help in the form of in–kind and monetary resources.

Contact Nikki Krueger at 512–382–8611 for corporate in–kind donations and delivery vehicle inquiries.

The following are in–kind donation requests that we know are needed now. These are mostly emergency donations needed for firefighters:

Sunscreen
Chap stick
Leather gloves
Liquid tear
Hand Sanitizer
Foot Powder
Talcum Powder
Crew socks
Fans
COFFEE!!

Clothing donations are no longer needed.

ON WEBSITE –

Click the Donate button and provide the donation amount to support families in crisis due to the Central Texas Wildfires.

OR
UWCA Launches Text–to–Give for Wildfire Relief

Supporting Central Texas wildfire victims is now easier by texting WILDFIRE to 85944 to make a $10 donation to the UWCA Central Texas Wildfire Relief Fund.
Messaging and data rates may apply.

SEE NEWS –

Families Affected by Wildfires Call 2–1–1
UWCA Provides Resources to Support Wildfire Relief

Central Texans Affected by Wildfires Encouraged to Call 2–1–1 for Help

AUSTIN, Texas – September 7, 2011 – The 2–1–1 Helpline, through United Way Capital Area (UWCA), is the best place for families and individuals affected by wildfires to call for help. 2–1–1, a free, state–wide information and referral network, works to constantly update and verify relief resources, as new information is available. Callers are connected with an experienced call specialist that has the most up–to–date information on relief resources. If you are in need of help, please dial 2–1–1 to get information about:
• Evacuations
• Shelter locations
• School closures
• Road closures
• Resources for evacuees
• And other resources
Information on these resources and the UWCA Wildfire Relief Fund and volunteer opportunities is available at www.unitedwaycapitalarea.org.

TO Volunteer also see:
http://www.handsoncentraltexas.org/

Services offered: Donations, Cell Phone Text Donations; Donations, Disaster Fund; Management, Donations Management
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); United Way; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Sep 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8903

US HERO (US Homeland Emergency Response Organization)

Info/Hotline · Open

Disaster Relief
3205 Jones Rd, Austin, TX 78745
Phone (512) 567–8196 or (512) 585–0256
Web ushero.org/ushero/index.asp
Service Temporary

Our Mission – "To Save Lives"

US Homeland Emergency Response Organization (US–HERO) is a non–profit, national organization of community–based units providing rapid, direct response for search & rescue, disaster relief, and certified emergency preparedness education to the public at the local, state, and national levels. Our units are made up entirely of volunteers who respond to emergency situations only at the request of jurisdictional authorities.

They perform the following services:

~Perform Wilderness Search and Rescue Operations (SAR)
~Perform Technical Rescue Operations
~Perform Disaster Response and Relief
~Perform Wildland Fire Prevention & Suppression
~Provide support/rehab to fire departments and law enforcement
~Educate the general public in emergency preparedness
~To develop and maintain community–based, volunteer units for rapid direct response to disasters and emergencies, provide standardized training, education and operational protocols that meet the requirements of the National ~Fire Protection Association (NFPA) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

For general information, to arrange emergency preparedness education training, to obtain more information about US HERO or to obtain information about the local search and rescue response units in your area, you can call or e–mail:

Chief Bruce White
bruce.white@ushero.org

Assistant Chief Alan Huddleston
alan.huddleston@ushero.org

Services offered: First Responder, SouthWest Region; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, First Response, Emergency Rescue Services; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness, Internet; Training Classes, Disaster Recovery; Training Classes, Disaster Response; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Handicapped Volunteers (This facility accomodates Handicapped Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Campaigns: Citizen Corps
Updated Oct 3, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1651

EMA, Emergency Management Agency, Bastrop, TX – 9/2011 Wildfires

Info/Hotline · Open

804 Pecan Street; 104 Loop 150 W (Grady Tuck Building), Bastrop, TX 78602
Phone 512 581–4022
Web www.co.bastrop.tx.us/site/content/emoverview
Service Temporary

Michael C. Fisher, Coordinator, emc@ co.bastrop.tx.us
Blake Clampffer, Asst. Coordinator, blake.clampffer @co.bastrop.tx.us
Steven A. Long, Wireless System Manager, steven.long@ co.bastrop.tx.us
James Allen, Wireless System Technician, james.allen @co.bastrop.tx.us
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County
Updated Sep 5, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8877

UTILITIES, BASTROP, TX – SEPT. 2011 WILDFIRES – INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

VARIOUS, Bastrop, TX
Web www.facebook.com/groups/152131204873896/doc/152907324796284
Service Temporary

Utility Contact Info
City of Bastrop Utility
Customer Service Department
PO Drawer S
1311 Chestnut Street
Bastrop, TX 78602
Business Hours
Monday–Friday
7:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Main Phone (512) 332–8830
Metro Phone (512) 303–1486 Fax (512) 332–8869

Allied Waste/Garbage: please call Allied Waste/Garbage directly at 1–800–252–3586 .

Aqua Water
www.aquawsc.com/
415 Old Austin Highway, Bastrop
(512) 303–3943

AT&T
att.com/storelocator/?utm_source=google&utm_medium...
747 Hwy 71 West, Bldg. A, Bastrop
(512) 360–3030

Bluebonnet Electric Cooperative
www.bluebonnetelectric.coop/Extremely Cold Temperatures Lead ERCOT to Order Utilities to Temporarily Interrupt Power to Consumers News Home. Follow us on: Facebook Twitter
650 Highway 21 E, Bastrop
(800) 842–7708

Sharp Propane Corporate Offices
515 Hwy 71 West
Bastrop, TX 78602
(800)–932–4315
(512) 985–6032
Fax: (512) 985–6272
service@sharppropane.com

Time Warner Cable
P.O. Box 85100
Austin, TX 78708–5100
Phone Numbers
1–888–TWC–8585
(1–888–892–8585)
TDD Hearing Impaired
(1–877–307–9707)

Services offered: Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 6, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8891

Austin Disaster Relief Network (ADRN) (2011 Fire Assistance/Distribution/Volunteer Ops/Donations Hotline)

Supply POD · Open

P.O. Box 3817, Cedar Park, TX 78630
Phone 512–825–8211 HOTLINE: 512–331–2600
Contact Manager
Email admin@adrntx.org
Web www.adrntx.org
Service Temporary

2011 TX WILDFIRES DISTRIBUTION INFO:

Austin Distaster Relief Organization is now operating at Grace Outreach Family Church in cooperation with our community each day, Monday through Saturday starting at 9am until 5pm.

Grace Outreach Family Church
20808 #A HWY 71 West
Spicewood, Texas 78669

Donations & Volunteers

(SEE WEBSITE AT: http://www.gofamilychurch.com/)

Donations of gift cards, non-perishable food, water, Gatorade drinks, baby items including diapers and formula, dog food, small toys, sheets, blankets, toiletries, walkers, and canes.

Clothing, large items or furniture will NOT be received at this time.

Hours of operation for Distribution Centers:
Mon-Fri 9AM - 8PM.
Saturday 9AM - 6PM

GEORGETOWN WAREHOUSE
610 North Austin Avenue
Georgetown, TX 78626
Contact: James
Phone: 589-3038
Currently Open

AUS/TACO BELL WAREHOUSE
1905 South Capitol of Texas Hwy
Austin, TX 78746
(next to Rudy's BBQ)
Contact: Tina
Phone: 497-9480
Currently Open

OAK MEADOW BAPTIST CHURCH
6905 South IH-35
Austin, TX 78744
Contact: Laurie Dezille
Phone: 971-7991
Opens THURSDAY 9/8/11 @9am

Greater Austin/Bastrop Fire Relief

On Sunday, September 4th, fires broke out across Central Texas. Authorities say 38,000 acres have burned in Bastrop, destroying over 750 homes, 300 acres in Leander/Cedar Park destroying 15 homes/trailers, 7,000 acres in Pedernales destroying 30 homes/damaging 20 homes, 175 acres in Pflugerville damaging two homes, and 150 acres in Steiner Ranch, destroying 24 homes and damaging over 20 homes (Austin, Tx). ADRN will be assisting several of these families that did not have insurance or suffient coverage to meet their immediate needs. If you would like to make a cash donation to the Greater Austin/Bastrop Fire Relief Fund, in order to begin rebuilding the lives of those affected by this catastrophic disaster, please click on the donate button below or mail your check to:

Austin Disaster Relief Network
P.O. Box 3817
Cedar Park, Tx 78630
Attn: Greater Austin/Bastrop Fire Relief Fund

In Kind Donations Needed: Diapers, Baby Food, Adult Food (non-perishable), Trash Cans, Heavy Duty Trash Bags, Kennels for Dogs, Socks, Clorox Wipes, Gifts for Kids, Work Gloves, Gatorade, and Water

In Kind Drop Off Locations:

Austin Christian Fellowship (6401 Riverplace Drive, Austin) M-Thurs, 10AM-8PM
http://acfellowship.org/ (CURRENT needs listed)
http://www.facebook.com/pages/Austin-Christian-Fellowship/372238228607

Connections Church (1235 S. Loop 4, Buda, Tx. 78610), Tues. - Thurs. 9AM-5PM
http://theconnectionchurch.org/
http://theconnectionchurch.org/disaster-relief-for-austin-area-wildfires
https://www.facebook.com/connectionchurchtx

St. Paul Episcopal Church (511 E. Pflugerville Pkwy., Pflugerville, Tx), Jessica Dye at 512-990-1350

Oak Hill United Methodist Church (7815 Hwy. 290/Convict Hill, Austin, Tx), M-Th 9AM-5PM, Fri. 9AM-12PM

http://www.oakhillumc.org/

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church (1101 W. New Hope Dr, Cedar Park, Tx) Thurs. 10AM–6PM, Fri. 8AM–8PM
http://stmargaretmary.com/
http://www.austindiocese.org/donations_firevictims.php

Church of the Resurrection (2008 Justin Lane, Austin), M–F, 9AM–6PM
512.459.0027
http://www.epicenter.org/texas–wildfires/ways–to–donate–in–austin–area/

Hill Country Bible Church, NW (Office – 12124 RR 620, Austin, Tx 78750), M–F, 9AM–5PM

Rundell Business Park (704 Hwy. 71 West, Bastrop), M–F, 11AM–9PM (512–332–8661)

Smithville Distribution Center (Main Street, Smithville, Tx) 979–968–1632

Volunteers: Warehouse volunteers are needed. To sign up for a shift at the S. Capital of Tx site, please click here. For the Oak Meadow Baptist Church site, please click here. If you are a trained Red Cross Shelter Volunteer or if you have been trained in Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) training and would like to volunteer your time, please email us at admin @ adrntx.org. Thank you!

(Go to the site to click on volunteer form links)

Central Texas Fire Victim Hotline: 512–331–2600

General Public Hotline for Donations and Information: 512–331–220

The goals of ADRN are to:
• Build a communication infrastructure
among local churches, ministries and
businesses that will enable and empower
the Body of Christ to adopt and provide for the physical, emotional and spiritual needs
of families affected by disaster.

• Organize resources needed in
times of disaster.

• Collaborate with the City of Austin, Surrounding Counties, VOAD and all other disaster relief organizations.

• To provide Shelter Training to equip and prepare volunteers within each participating organization within the network.

• For the Body of Christ to be prepared before the next disaster strikes.

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/ADRNTX

Services offered: Adopt–A–Family, Families That Want To Be "Adopted"; Animals, Food, * Dog Food (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies (Distribution To Org's Supporting Disaster Efforts); Distribution, Supplies, Regional Distribution; Documentation, Disaster Planning; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness Guidance, Community Groups; Documentation, Disaster Recovery Process; Documentation, Volunteer Management Guidance; Donations, Coordination, Large Donation Coordination; First Responder, SouthWest Region; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Drinks, Sports Drinks, Gatorade; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Governments/Community Groups; Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Relief Workers; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding, Sheets * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Management, Donations Management; Management, Supply Chain Management Advice; Management, Supply Chain Support/Coordination; Management, Support, Disaster Response Coordination & Guidance; Management, Volunteer Management Resources; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Canes, Walking Canes; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Walker; Services, Disaster Response, Recovery, Preparedness & Mitigation; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toys, * NEW or Clean/Gently Used – Kids In General (ANY/ALL Types); Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Disaster Ministry, Faith–Based; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; American Red Cross; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
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