Resource Guide

Generated November 21, 2026 · 23 open facilities · closed facilities are not listed · call before you go: details change quickly

TX

RISE (Recovery for Ike Survivors Enterprise)

Info/Hotline · Open

LTRC Disaster Recovery
Austin, TX 78754

Phone 1–888–453–7473
Web texasrise.org
Hours Monday – Friday 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Serves Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Grimes, Hardin, Jefferson, Liberty, Madison, Matagorda, Montgomery, Orange, Walker, Waller or Washington
Eligibility Be a survivor of Hurricane Ike
Bring Pre–disaster address, Current address, Current phone number (if applicable), Alternate contact information, FEMA number, if you have one* (* FEMA number not required to receive case management)
Service Temporary

If you have ongoing unmet needs caused by Hurricane Ike, please call the RISE program at 1–888–IKE–RISE (1–888–453–7473). Our case managers are here to help you get back on your feet following this disaster by helping you develop a recovery plan and connecting you with resources to achieve your goals.

Who Qualifies for Disaster Case Management through the RISE program?
To qualify to receive RISE disaster case management services, you must:

Be a survivor of Hurricane Ike.

Currently live in one of the following Texas counties: Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Grimes, Hardin, Jefferson, Liberty, Madison, Matagorda, Montgomery, Orange, Walker, Waller or Washington.
*If you resided in one of these 16 counties before Hurricane Ike and are now living outside the service area, please call 1–888–IKE–RISE to determine if you may be eligible for disaster case management services.

Be a United States citizen or legal resident.

Not currently be receiving assistance from the Disaster Housing Assistance Program

If you were affected by Hurricane Ike but did not reside in any of the counties listed above, please go to:

http://www.texasdisasterrecovery.org/locate.aspx

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike; Boat People S.O.S.; ICNA Relief USA (Islamic Community); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response; Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Updated Dec 20, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4434

2011 TEXAS WILDFIRES – INDEX (incl Shelter listings)

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX
Service Temporary

COUNTY SITES:

BASTROP – (includes re–entry & Missing persons)
http://www.co.bastrop.tx.us/
http://renewbastrop.com
http://disaster.itfortress.com/

GRIMES –
http://www.co.grimes.tx.us/ips/cms/EMERGENCYMANAGMENT/

Hays County Fire & Evacuation Information –
http://www.co.hays.tx.us/
http://www.co.hays.tx.us/index.php/living–and–visiting/recent–news/hays–county–fire–evacuation–information/

MONTGOMERY – (includes return & volunteer info)
http://www.mctxoem.org/go/site/1945/

WALLER – (includes re–entry)
http://www.co.waller.tx.us/ips/cms

Open Shelter listing:
http://weareaustin.com/fulltext/?nxd_id=176387
http://www.kvue.com/home/Fire-Evacuations--129237203.html

HOUSING FOR EVACUEE'S (FREE OR DISCOUNTED) – 2011 TX WILDFIRES – INDEX
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8908

Donation drop spots, emergency links:
http://renewbastrop.com/id4.html
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8934

MONTGOMERY & WALLER COUNTY. surrounding couties
MUCH INFORMATION –
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1gQLxMLl7Ty334mpAZtGRjCvQaTzc0lEGNZ611rG651A/edit?hl=en_US&pli=1

SHELTERS FOR ANIMALS:

o Montgomery Co Animal Shelter said that "strays" are brought in are only held for 4 days and then put up for adoption. So if you have a displaced pet, please check there first.. 936-442-7738
o Waller County Fair Grounds FM 359 South , Hempstead, TX 77445
o Magnolia Arena on Friendship Lane is available for horses and show animals.
o The Wharton County Youth Fair in Crescent Texas is accepting evacuated livestock and folks in RVs. For more information, contact the Wharton County Youth Fair 979-677-3350.
o Texas Blessings Animal Rescue has trailers to help move livestock to safety if needed. Wharton County Fairgrounds and Brackenridge at Edna are offering stalls and RV hookups for displaced animals and their owners. Please call us day or night if you need emergency help. (361) 588-2143
o Sam Houston Race Park has offered stalls to anyone who needs them, you will need to bring your own bedding, buckets, feed, hay and webbing for the front of the stall. Call 281-807-8700 to arrange for someone to open the gate.

ACCEPTING DONATIONS FOR ANIMALS & LIVESTOCK:

o Circle S Hardware will be accepting donations for FEED & SUPPLIES for all the animals displaced by the wildfires. 281-356-7970 located at 27206 Fm 2978. They are not accepting monetary donations.

o WD Feed and Supply is taking any and all cat, dog, horse, cow, bird and any other animal feed you can donate. Also taking monetary donations. They have an account specifically for fire victims. We are coordinating with all evacuation sites to get items where they are most needed. They can be contacted at 832-454-2515.
o WALLER FAIRGROUNDS IS REQUESTING ASSISTANCE WITH DONATIONS.

(SEE DOC LINK FOR MORE INFO)

Austin Disaster Relief Network
Key Phone Numbers for ADRN
Victim Hotline: 512-331-2600
Volunteer/Donation/Questions Hotline: 512-331-2200
https://www.facebook.com/ADRNTX

UPDATED: Bastrop County fires forcing evacuations
Sunday, September 4, 2011 (SEE FULL DETAILS AT:
http://bastropadvertiser.com/2011/09/04/bastrop-county-fires-forcing-evacuations

The county has two information lines for citizens to call and ask about the extent of the damage in their areas. The numbers are 332-8856 and 332-8814.

RED CROSS
Bastrop Fire Information Line (512) 332-8814 OR (512) 332-8856
Pedernales One Fire (512) 753-2180

Texas Road Closures
http://www.txdot.gov/travel/road_conditions.htm

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

SAFE & WELL (Register)
https://safeandwell.communityos.org/cms/index.php

DONATIONS food, clothing listed-

DONATION DROP–OFF POINTS: (CHECK for volunteer Opportunities)
http://renewbastrop.com/id4.html

Help Our County –
Montgomery and Liberty County
http://helpourcounty.org/
* BOY SCOUTS –
http://www.bsacac.org/firerelief
* RED CROSS –
http://www.centex.redcross.org/index.asp?IDCapitulo=F9ZLZNZ3KD
* Lists How to help –
http://www.kvue.com/news/Austin–area–wildfire–donations–129263013.html
* Distribution Center for Victims of Bastrop County Fires –
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Distribution–Center–for–Victims–of–Bastrop–County–Fires/186233514781271
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September 05, 2011
* Wildfire relief in Central Texas (updated)
http://blue–dot–blues.blogspot.com/2011/09/wildfire–relief–in–central–texas.html

OTHER LISTS AT:
> ADRN
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6442
> other areas
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8887

FACEBOOK (Index Links collection)
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8889

COVERAGE –
http://austin.ynn.com/content/central_texas_wildfires/
http://bastropadvertiser.com/
http://www.texas–fire.com/
http://www.ksla.com/category/220492/arklatex–wildfires

FEMA Defends No More Help Over Texas Wildfires
May 4, 2011
http://www.nbcdfw.com/news/politics/Perry–White–House–Denies–Disaster–Status–for–Wildfires–121226234.html?dr

Tornadoes leave destruction in East, Central Texas
April 26, 2011
http://www.statesman.com/news/texas/tornadoes–leave–destruction–in–east–central–texas–1434428.html

http://governor.state.tx.us/news/press–release/16010/
...
Additionally, volunteer organizations including the American Red Cross, Salvation Army and Southern Baptist Disaster Relief have been providing resources, supplies and shelter to first responders and fire victims in the impacted areas.

The State Operations Center has been partially activated and continues to work closely with the Texas Forest Service, National Weather Service and other state and local entities to monitor this severe wildfire threat.

SALVATION ARMY –
http://www.salvationarmytexas.org/news/the–salvation–army–providing–round–the–clock–support–at–wildfire–locations–in–texas/

Monetary donations to support The Salvation Army Texas Wildfire Relief can be made by mail to P.O.Box 36607, Dallas, TX 75235, by phone at 1–800–SAL–ARMY or online at www.salvationarmyusa.org.

http://facebook.com/salvationarmytexas

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RED CROSS –
http://www.centex.redcross.org/noticias.asp?SN=14296&OP=14299&IDCapitulo=F9ZLZNZ3KD

Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM)
http://www.txdps.state.tx.us/dem/index.htm

ROAD CLOSURES –
For information on road closures please go to http://www.dot.state.tx.us/travel/road_conditions.htm or call 800 452–9292.

MAPS –

FIRE (sitrep) google map –
http://ticc.tamu.edu/Response/FireActivity/default.aspx

BURN BAN – counties shown
http://tfsfrp.tamu.edu/wildfires/decban.png

INCIWEB – (includes Map & sitrep)
http://www.inciweb.org/unit/4502/

COVERAGE –

Already–Massive Texas Wildfire Grows –
April 19, 2011
http://www.kwtx.com/home/headlines/Already–Massive_Texas_Wildfire_Grows_120204709.html
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Wildfire Evacuations: Are You Ready?How to Prepare a Wildfire Action Plan For Your Family –
http://www.ktxs.com/news/27590097/detail.html
note –
Usually evacuations are ordered by a county judge, but they say it's challenging to get the word out. You may receive word from law enforcement and firefighters who go door to door, but you can also get the warning from local media and even NOAA weather radios.
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Wildfires causing breathing problems –
April 18, 2011
http://www.wfaa.com/news/health/Wildfires–can–cause–breathing–problems–120129454.html
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Fires continue in the Big Country –
April 18, 2011
http://www.reporternews.com/news/2011/apr/18/fires–continue/?partner=yahoo_feeds
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CNN –
Fires burn across Texas with no end in sight
April 18, 2011
http://www.cnn.com/2011/US/04/18/texas.forest.fires/index.html?hpt=T2

IREPORTS –
Have you been affected by wildfires? Send photos, videos
http://ireport.cnn.com/ir–topic–stories.jspa?topicId=16940

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Official: Texas crews rush to fend off 'perfect storm for wildfires'
April 17, 2011
http://www.cnn.com/2011/US/04/17/texas.forest.fires/index.html

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FATALITY –
http://www.wfaa.com/news/local/DPS–now–investigating–death–of–Eastland–firefighter–119984919.html

TEXAS FIRE DEPARTMENTS –
http://www.firefightingnews.com/fdDirectoryList–US.cfm?statecodeID=TX

NEWS –
http://www.firefightingnews.com/statesDetails–US.cfm?statecodeID=51&statename=Texas&abrev=TX

SITUATION REPORTS –
http://txforestservice.tamu.edu/main/default.aspx?dept=news&news_coll=otherHeadlines

INCIWEB – (includes Map & sitrep)
http://www.inciweb.org/unit/4502/

>Texas Forest Service
FEMA Fire Management Assistance Declarations Update –
email (4/19/11)
Texas Tire Fire
New Mexico Tire Fire (#2897)
Tue, 19 Apr 2011 09:46:12 –0500
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14079
Fire Management Assistance Declaration number 2897 declared on Apr 17, 2011
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Texas Bryson Fire Complex
Tue, 19 Apr 2011 09:45:35 –0500
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14078
Fire Management Assistance Declaration number 2896 declared on Apr 17, 2011
> BRYSON COMPLEX, Jack County
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Texas PK East Fire
Tue, 19 Apr 2011 09:44:02 –0500
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14077
Fire Management Assistance Declaration number 2895 declared on Apr 16, 2011
>PK COMPLEX, Stephens and Palo Pinto Counties.
The PK West, PK East, Hohertz and Jackson Ranch fires all merged into one large, 63,000–acre fire renamed the PK Complex.
http://www.reporternews.com/news/2011/apr/18/fires–continue/?partner=yahoo_feeds
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Texas East Sidwynicks Fire
Tue, 19 Apr 2011 09:43:32 –0500
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14076
Fire Management Assistance Declaration number 2894 declared on Apr 16, 2011
>EAST SIDWYNICKS, Eastland County
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Texas Hohertz Fire
Tue, 19 Apr 2011 09:42:57 –0500
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14075
Fire Management Assistance Declaration number 2893 declared on Apr 16, 2011
> HOHERTZ, Palo Pinto County.
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Texas Wildcat Fire
Tue, 19 Apr 2011 09:42:12 –0500
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14074
Fire Management Assistance Declaration number 2892 declared on Apr 15, 2011
>WILDCAT, Coke County
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Texas Wichita Fire Complex
Tue, 19 Apr 2011 09:40:58 –0500
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14073
Fire Management Assistance Declaration number 2891 declared on Apr 15, 2011
> WICHITA COUNTY COMPLEX, Wichita County.

>Texas Forest Service
(unsure if on FEMA listings)
Source: sitreport at:
http://txforestservice.tamu.edu/main/popup.aspx?id=12888

The 100–acre Pinnacle Fire

COOPER MOUNTAIN RANCH, Kent, Stonewall, Scurry and Fisher counties. 152,000 acres, 80 percent contained. A wind shift yesterday pushed the fire south towards Camp Springs. Four homes have been destroyed. TFS task forces and TIFMAS strike teams have been actively fighting this fire.

ROCKHOUSE, Presidio and Jeff Davis counties. 191,066 acres, 75 percent contained. Twenty–three homes and two businesses were destroyed in the Fort Davis area. Burnout operations continued on the west side of the fire. Ten 20–person hand crews continue to work the fire. Eight TIFMAS Type 1 engines and four water haulers are assisting with the fire, as well as numerous airtankers and helicopters. A base camp for hundreds of firefighters has been set up at the Fort Davis State Park.

SWENSON, Stonewall, King, and Knox counties. 122,500 acres, 90 percent contained. The fire is burning near Swenson. A large slopover occurred yesterday on the southeast side of the fire.

PIPELINE, Tyler County. 7,000 acres, 75 percent contained. Forty homes are threatened on the fire burning in pine plantation 10 miles northeast of Kountze. Two National Guard Blackhawks from San Antonio are assisting.

SMITH, Young County. 2,000 acres, 85 percent contained. The fire is burning 6 miles northeast of Graham. No other information was received.

CR 104, Eastland County. 2,000 acres, 85 percent contained. The fire is burning 2 miles north of Cisco. 1,850 homes were threatened in the city of Cisco, as well as a church camp. Five homes and one vehicle destroyed.

WICHITA COUNTY COMPLEX, Wichita County. 11,785 acres, 90 percent contained. The complex is made up of three fires – Iowa West, Holiday, Missile – burning around Wichita Falls. Shepard Air Force Base was threatened, as were hundreds of homes and apartment complexes around the area. Seven homes are destroyed.

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FRYING PAN RANCH, Andrews County. 80,907 acres, 80 percent contained. This fire is located 25 miles northwest of Andrews. Numerous homes were threatened, but none have been lost.

CANNON FIRE COMPLEX, Pecos County. The complex of three fires is burning 50 miles east of Fort Stockton. The Cannon Fire is 9,248 acres and 80 percent contained. The DRH Fire is 26,284 acres and 80 percent contained. The Little Smokey Fire is 27,895 acres and 80 percent contained.

McPHERSON, Sutton County. 1,600 acres, 80 percent containment. The fire is located 20 miles southwest of Sonora. Two homes were saved.

SUTTON, Crockett County. 31,120 acres, 60 percent contained. The fire is burning 20 miles southwest of Ozona.

YATES FIELD (formerly Iraan), Pecos County. 300 acres, 80 percent contained. The fire is burning 10 miles southwest of Iraan.

ENCINO, Tom Green County. 12,659 acres, 90 percent contained. This fire is 13 miles west of San Angelo. Ten homes threatened and saved. Two homes were threatened and received damaged.

HICKMAN, Midland County. 16,500 acres, 98 percent contained. 34 homes were destroyed, 62 homes were damaged on this fire south of Midland.

MIDDLE PEASE, Motley County. 400 acres, 90 percent contained. Single–engine air tankers responded. Located two miles northwest of Matador.

DAD'S CORNER, Archer County. 6,100 acres, 70 percent contained. Located 15 miles south southwest of Wichita Falls. Fifteen homes are threatened.

JOSSERAND SOUTH (Livingston 254), Trinity County. 1,369 acres, 75 percent contained. The fire is burning 20 miles northwest of Livingston in pine plantation.

FACEBOOK –
Fire Fighting News –
https://www.facebook.com/pages/FireFightingNews/200246968638
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7858

Department of TX Insurance – Free Insurance Help for Texas Wildfire Fire Victims – HOTLINE

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX

Phone 800.252.3439
Web www.tdi.texas.gov
Service Temporary

Wildfire Resource Page –
http://www.tdi.texas.gov/consumer/storms/cpmdisfire.html
Last updated: 09/08/2011

Instructions
Current Conditions, Information, and Resources (Links)

The State Fire Marshal's Office has initiated a 24–hour toll–free Arson Hot Line to report suspected arson fires and county burn ban violations.

1–877–4FIRE45 (434–7345)

Tips, Tips, Tips
Repairing Your Home

from website:
http://rebuildbastrop.com/?p=39

If your home is damaged or you have suffered complete fire loss, you may not know where to begin filing an insurance claim in the aftermath of the Bastrop County wildfires.

Don't have your insurance policy documents? Not to worry. You can call the Texas Department of Insurance Consumer Help Line, at 800.252.3439. Or, log on to www.tdi.texas.gov

The Help Line can connect you with your insurance agent. You can get the home insurance or fire insurance documents you need to file a claim to help you get your home rebuilt after the Texas wildfires.

You'll gain peace of mind and make a step toward rebuilding your life after the widespread fire loss.

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Government, State Government Department/Agency
Updated Sep 12, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8936

DISTRIBUTION SITES – 2011 TX WILDFIRES – INDEX (DIST: FOOD/SUPPLIES)

Supply POD · Open

Various, TX
Service Temporary

This record is a compilation list/index of sites that are distributing to folks impacted by the 2011 Tx Wildfires. It is an ongoing work in progress, so check back often for updates and additions.

Bastrop Church of Christ
287 FM 20
Bastrop, TX
512-303-4597

This site is distributing:

Clothes (all sizes)
Undewear (new)
Socks (new)
Non-perishable food
Diapers
Baby Items
Pillows
Pillow Cases
Sheets (all sizes)
Blankets
Cleaning Supplies
Brooms
Mops
Livestock/Horse Feed

Austin Disaster Relief Network (ADRN)

These sites are distributing:

Gift cards
Non-perishable food
Water
Gatorade drinks
Baby items including Diapers and Formula
Dog food
Small toys
Sheets
Blankets
Toiletries
Walkers and Canes

DISTRIBUTION (AND DONATION DROP) LOCATIONS:

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
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

See this Citizen Command Center Relief Database facility record for further information:
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6442

FOOD DISTRIBUTION:

Bastrop County Emergency Food Pantry and Support Center, Inc.—9/8/11
External Source: Tresha Sanders–Silva–Director of Bastrop County Emergency Food Pantry
Summary: Bastrop County Emergency Food Pantry and Support Center, Inc. is open
County: Bastrop
Location: Bastrop County Emergency Food Pantry 806 Fayette Street, Bastrop, TX
Phone: 512–303–0033
Web Site: http://www.bastropfoodpantry.org

Description: Because of the Bastrop Fires the Bastrop Emergency Food Pantry and Support Center; hours each day will vary and families needing assistance should call to confirm hours. A caseworker will assist families with disaster needs as resources become available.

Food Pantry is located at 806 Fayette Street, Bastrop, TX

Will assist with Toiletries & Non–Perishable Food & Fans for qualifying elders/seniors (Call ahead to inquire about eligibility)

Smithville Food Pantry
107 SW 2nd Ave.
Smithville, TX 78957
Phone: 512–237–5197
Open: Wednesday, 9am - 12 noon
* For Smithville residents.

St. Vincent De Paul Society
302 W. 11th St.,
Elgin, TX 78621
Phone: 512–285–3882

American Red Cross Mobile Meal Service 9/14/11
External Source: American Red Cross Terry Faglie, 830–688–3535
Details
Summary: Mobile feeding site offering lunch and dinner meal service to those affected by the Bastrop wildfires
County: Bastrop
Location: Tiger Tote Parking Lot 4104 Highway 71 Bastrop, TX 78602 Tahitian Village 140 Tahitian Dr. Bastrop, TX 78602 Bastrop High School 9th Grade Academy 1602 Hill Street Bastrop, Texas 78602 Terry's Corner on Hwy 21, Circle D 1148 Highway 21 E Paige, TX 78659
Web Site: http://twitter.com/#!/CenTexRedCross
Description: UPDATE 9/14/11
American Red Cross is providing meal service for those affected by the Bastrop Wildfires.

LOCATIONS:
Tiger Tote Parking Lot
(Located next to Exxon gas station, across from Tahitian Village)
4104 Highway 71
Bastrop, TX 78602
Open until Sunday 9/18

Tahitian Village
(Church of Latter–Day Saints Parking Lot, huge HEB truck there as well)
140 Tahitian Dr.
Bastrop, TX 78602
Open only Wed 9/14, Thur 9/15, and Fri 9/16

Bastrop High School 9th Grade Academy
(Located next to the FEMA trailer onsite)
1602 Hill Street

Bastrop, Texas 78602
Open until Sunday 9/18

Terry's Corner on Hwy 21, Circle D
1148 Highway 21 E
Paige, TX 78659
Open until Sunday 9/18

TIMES:
Meals served daily
lunch 11:30pm – 2:00pm
Dinner 4:30pm – 6:00pm

Subject: SNAP–Food Stamps Benefits for Bastrop County—9/13/11
External Source: Deborah Ballard – TIRN–HHSC
Details
Summary: SNAP–Food Stamps Benefits for Bastrop County
County: Bastrop
Location: HHSC 3809 Loop 150 E Bastrop, TX 78602
Phone: 211
Description: The HHSC SNAP staff are currently providing assistance with replacement SNAP BUT NOT Disaster SNAP. They are open at their main location at 3809 Loop 150 E Bastrop, TX 78602.
Phone number: 512–321–3995 ; this line did not answer when we called this am, but Elgin HHSC office confirmed the office in Bastrop was open.

Callers to 2–1–1 Option 2 for replacement benefits will be served over the phone. Callers will be warm transferred and their applications will be processes while they are on the phone. AS YOU CAN IMAGINE THE HHSC LINES ARE JAMMED. ENCOURAGE CALLERS TO BE PATIENT.

Callers with questions regarding replacement benefits should always be referred either to the local office or to Option 2 to request same because individual circumstances may or may not indicate replacement and eligibility wants to be sure that all requests are considered and logged.

FOUNDATION CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES
177 E. Union Chapel Road, Bastrop, TX 78602
512–718–0000
http://www.MyFCM.org

(WORKING ON LIST OF AVAILABLE ITEMS FOR SURVIVORS)

Spicewood Fire Relief Center:
http://www.spicewoodtx.us/firerelief.html

NOW HAS TWO LOCATIONS TO ASSIST AND RECEIVE DONATIONS

Grace Outreach Center
COMMAND INFORMATION CENTER
20808 Hwy 71 W.
Spicewood, TX 78639
Operation Hours 10 am – 5 pm

Spicewood Community Center
7901 CR 404
Spicewood, TX 78639
Operation Hours 1 – 7 pm

SOURCE –
http://bastroprelief.org/update/new–bastrop–disaster–recovery–distribution–center

New Bastrop Disaster Recovery Distribution Center

Monday, Sept. 19: the Bastrop Rundell Distribution Center is now closed. All wildfire relief distribution activities have transferred to a new warehouse. The Settlement Distribution Center, 150 Settlement Rd. Bastrop is open seven days a week from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. People affected by recent wildfires in Bastrop County are encouraged to pick up materials they need at this new location. Smithville Distribution Center, 210 Main St., will continue donation and distribution hours of 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Distribution Center for Victims of Bastrop County Fires
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Distribution–Center–for–Victims–of–Bastrop–County–Fires/186233514781271

Disaster Relief Donation Distribution Centers

The Settlement Distribution Center, 150 Settlement Rd. in Bastrop is open seven days 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. People affected by recent Bastrop County fires are urged to pick up materials they need at this new location. Smithville Distribution Center, 210 Main St., will continue donation and distribution 7 days 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Settlement Distribution Center Smithville Distribution Center
150 Settlement Rd., Bastrop 78602 210 Main Street, Smithville 78957
Open 7 days a week 9 am. – 6 pm. Open 7 days a week 9 am. – 7 p.m.

Donations for Bastrop County may be made in Austin:
South: Loop 360 Drop Off, 1905 S. Capitol of Texas Hwy, Austin Monday thru Saturday 9am – 6pm
North: Georgetown Drop Off, 610 N. Austin Avenue, Georgetown Tuesday and Thursday 9am – 6pm
Donations via these sites will be sorted and returned to Bastrop County for distribution as needed

For additional information, please visit bastroprelief.org or call 501–593–7901

Subject: Salvation Army's Central Texas Wildfire Relief Center—9/14/11
External Source: Diedre Conley, KXAN, (512) 476–2863
Details
Summary: Salvation Army's Central Texas Wildfire Relief Center
County: Bastrop
Location: 12317 Technology Blvd, Suite 300, Austin, TX 78727
Description: The Salvation Army will open its Central Texas Wildfire Relief Center on Friday, September 16, in Austin.

The center will serve as the main distribution point for donated household items, toiletries, non–perishables and clothing to wildfire survivors.

The Salvation Army plans to distribute donated items to those individuals who have been directly affected by the wildfires in Central Texas. Those affected can visit the center and pick up what they need. People who have lost their homes are asked to bring proof of residence in order to qualify for assistance.

LOCATION:
12317 Technology Blvd, Suite 300
Austin, TX 78727
Exit McNeil Drive from 183, Technology Blvd intersects with McNeil.

HOURS OF OPERATION:
Friday, September 16, 2011
9:00 am to 4:30 pm
and
Monday, September 19 through Saturday, September 24
8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Penning for Jesus Cowboy Church located at 1252 Highway 20, Red Rock,
between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 p.m. and 3 p.m. and 6 p.m., Monday
through Friday, and 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Saturday

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
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DONATIONS – 2011 TEXAS WILDFIRES (DROP LOCATIONS) – INDEX

Donor · Open

Various, TX
Service Temporary

To make a donation to to survivors of the Sept. 2011 TX Wildfires, the following is a list of drop locations. Please call ahead before making a donation drop. As the response to this disaster shifts, many places are winding down their collection operations and the specific needs change quickly. Clothes ARE NOT NEEDED at this time. They are overwhelmed with clothing donations in TX!

SPICEWOOD:

Spicewood, TX 78669 The Legacy Fund has been established by the Lions Club and are accepting donations and asking for assistance at the location listed.

Spicewood Fire Relief Center:
http://www.spicewoodtx.us/firerelief.html

NOW HAS TWO LOCATIONS TO ASSIST AND RECEIVE DONATIONS

Grace Outreach Center
COMMAND INFORMATION CENTER

20808 Hwy 71 W.
Spicewood, TX 78639
Operation Hours 10 am – 5 pm

Spicewood Community Center
7901 CR 404
Spicewood, TX 78639
Operation Hours 1 – 7 pm

NEEDS:

FIRST AID KITS
DUST MASKS
SALINE SPRAY
EYE DROPS
BABY WIPES
DIAPERS
BABY FOOD
DENTURE CREAM
PAPER PLATES
PLASTIC FORKS–SPOONS–KNIVES
NON PERISHABLE FOOD
DOG & CAT FOOD
COSMETICS
COSMETICS BAGS
CLIPPERS
SIZE 13 SHOES
100FT EXTENSION CORDS
100FT GARDEN HOSES (12 GAUGE OR BETTER)
HAND TOOLS
CLEANING SUPPLIES
NOTE PADS FOR COMMAND CENTER
BLADE SHARPENERS (ALL KINDS OF BLADES)
BOXES (GOOD ONES)
SILT FENCE
FLASHLIGHTS

Saint William Catholic Parish St. William Catholic Church
620 Round Rock West Dr

Round Rock, TX 78681 Donations will be accepted at St. William Catholic Church in the church Pavilion, starting September 6, between 7:30am - 9pm.

Scouts & Public with more info:
http://www.bsacac.org/firerelief

Montgomery & Surrounding Counties –
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1gQLxMLl7Ty334mpAZtGRjCvQaTzc0lEGNZ611rG651A/edit?hl=en_US&pli=1

REALTOR COMPANY DONATION DROP SITES:

The GoodLife Team: The GoodLife Team is accepting bottled water, sports drinks, canned food and clean clothing. Donations are accepted 8:30 a.m. –6:30 p.m. at 1114 E. Cesar Chavez. For more information, call 512–892–9473

Urbanspace: Urbanspace is accepting bottled water, canned goods, toiletries, etc. at 801 W. 5th St., Suite 100

Coldwell Banker United, REALTORS®: The Coldwell Banker Lake Travis office is collecting donations at 907 RR 620 S, on the second floor of the building. They have offered to pick up donations, as well. For more information, call Lisa Jacobson at 512–983–0040

The Carvajal Group: Donations of toiletries, baby items, pet food, bedding and more are being accepted by The Carvajal Group at 2217 Hancock Dr. Contact Eric Carvajal at 512–786–1515 with any questions.

Stanberry & Associates: Stanberry Bastrop is collecting donations at 111 Hasler, across the street from the HEB in Bastrop. They will also accept donations at Stanberry office locations in Westlake, Dripping Springs and Cedar Park. Suggested donations include gift cards, non–perishable food, clothing, pet food, diapers and toiletries.

Texas Renter Blog (List of drop sites):
http://www.texasrenterblog.com/uncategorized/help–with–fires/

AUSTIN:

Catholic Charities of Central Texas:
Accepting monetary donations as well as items such as blankets, pillows, toiletries and medical supplies from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 1817 E. Sixth St., Austin, and 7–10 a.m. and 4–7 p.m. at 6225 U.S. 290 East. www.ccctx.org

Giving City Austin Blog (List of drop sites):
http://www.givingcityaustin.com/2011/09/06/how-to-help-victims-of-central-texas-fires/

Church of the Resurrection (2008 Justin Lane, Austin), M–F, 9AM–6PM

Austin Christian Fellowship, 6401 Riverplace Drive, Austin M–F, 10AM–8PM

OASIS on Travis Lake 6550 Comanche Trail Austin, TX 78732 512.266.2442
The OASIS on Lake Travis will be a drop site for Steiner Ranch evacuees. Austin Christian Fellowship is asking for bottled water, flashlights with batteries, tolietries (toothbrush, toothpaste, shaving products, shampoo, etc.), heavy trash bags, and work gloves.

The Episcopal Church of the Resurrection 2008 Justin Lane, Austin, TX 512–459–0027 The Thrift Shop at the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection is accepting donations of clothing, housewares, and toiletries for victims of the Austin–area wildfires. Between 9am and 6 pm someone will be here to receive donations personally. After hours use the drop box at the back end of our parking lot at 2008 Justin Lane, or leave donations at the front door of either the Thrift Shop building or the Parish Hall building.

KVUE News List of Donation Drop Sites (BEST I've seen!):
http://www.kvue.com/news/Austin-area-wildfire-donations-129263013.html

WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TX:

E–mail faithfamilyhomes @yahoo.com or call 210–334–1708 to donate clothing or food to Faith Family Services in Hutto.
http://www.faithfamilyservices.org/

OPERATION SUPPLY DROP
Texas 4H & Development:

TEXAS 4–H IS CALLING ON ALL 4–H MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS AND PARENTS TO HELP! TEXAS IS EXPERIENCING WILDFIRES BEYOND ANYTHING OUR STATE HAS EVER SEEN. IT IS 4–H'S TIME TO HELP!
You can help by taking the following items to your local County Extension Office or a designated drop location! These vital supplies will help in the safety, health, and morale of those protecting us on the frontlines of wildfires.
County Extension Offices will work with local fire departments and the Texas 4–H Headquarters to ensure delivery of donations!

CASES OF WATER
LIP BALM
GATORADE (Any Size – Any Flavor)
HIGH PROTEIN SNACK (Peanut Butter Crackers, Protein Bars, Trail Mix, Etc)

DROP OFF LOCATIONS:

Your local County Extension Office
To find yours go to: http://agrilife.tamu.edu/locations-window/?KeepThis=true&TB_iframe=true&height=400&width=600#counties

Bryan/College Station Area:
Texas 4–H Headquarters at 4180 State Hwy 6 South, College Station, TX 77845

Brownwood Area:
Texas 4–H Conference Center at 5600 FM 3021, Brownwood, TX 76801–0006

Listing sites at:
http://www.epicenter.org/texas-wildfires/ways-to-donate-in-austin-area/

Thorndale Distribution Center for Victims of Bastrop County Fires
Unfortunately, we are no longer taking any donations, unless they are gift cards, gas cards or monetary. Bastrop and Smithville are no longer allowing any donations to come in, which means we have no where to take them. What we have collected will be going to 2 different churches in Bastrop. Thank you to our Community for your outpouring of love and support this week!!!

Subject: Salvation Army's Central Texas Wildfire Relief Center—9/14/11
External Source: Diedre Conley, KXAN, (512) 476–2863
Details
Summary: Salvation Army's Central Texas Wildfire Relief Center
County: Bastrop
Location: 12317 Technology Blvd, Suite 300, Austin, TX 78727
Description: The Salvation Army will open its Central Texas Wildfire Relief Center on Friday, September 16, in Austin.

The center will serve as the main distribution point for donated household items, toiletries, non–perishables and clothing to wildfire survivors.

The Salvation Army plans to distribute donated items to those individuals who have been directly affected by the wildfires in Central Texas. Those affected can visit the center and pick up what they need. People who have lost their homes are asked to bring proof of residence in order to qualify for assistance.

LOCATION:
12317 Technology Blvd, Suite 300
Austin, TX 78727
Exit McNeil Drive from 183, Technology Blvd intersects with McNeil.

HOURS OF OPERATION:
Friday, September 16, 2011
9:00 am to 4:30 pm
and
Monday, September 19 through Saturday, September 24
8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

SOURCE –
http://bastroprelief.org/update/new–bastrop–disaster–recovery–distribution–center

New Bastrop Disaster Recovery Distribution Center

Monday, Sept. 19: the Bastrop Rundell Distribution Center is now closed. All wildfire relief distribution activities have transferred to a new warehouse. The Settlement Distribution Center, 150 Settlement Rd. Bastrop is open seven days a week from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. People affected by recent wildfires in Bastrop County are encouraged to pick up materials they need at this new location. Smithville Distribution Center, 210 Main St., will continue donation and distribution hours of 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.

GEORGETOWN:

Celebration Church (1202 Rabbit Hill Trail, Georgetown), M–F, 9AM–5PM

Caring Place 2000 Railroad St.
Georgetown, TX 78627 512–869–4735 Looking for non–perishable donations.

Burnet/Georgetown Area:
Burnet County Extension Office, 1701 East Polk Street, Suite 12, Burnet, TX 78611

ROUND ROCK:

Round Rock Serving Center 1099 East Main St.
Round Rock, TX 78664 512–244–2431 Looking for non–perishable donations.

Round Rock Express 3400 East Palm ValleyRound Rock, Texas 78665 512.238.2217 Beginning Wednesday at 10:00 a.m., The Dell Diamond, home of the Express, will become a central drop–off point for household items and clothing intended for victims of the fires.All items can be dropped off at The Railyard, the official team store of the Express, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. weekdays and during upcoming playoff games.

LIBERTY HILL:

The Independent 14251 W. SH 29, Suite Liberty Hill, TX (512) 778–5577 Food, water, personal hygiene and household items will be accepted from 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily.

Disaster Relief Donation Distribution Centers

The Settlement Distribution Center, 150 Settlement Rd. in Bastrop is open seven days 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. People affected by recent Bastrop County fires are urged to pick up materials they need at this new location. Smithville Distribution Center, 210 Main St., will continue donation and distribution 7 days 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Settlement Distribution Center Smithville Distribution Center
150 Settlement Rd., Bastrop 78602 210 Main Street, Smithville 78957
Open 7 days a week 9 am. – 6 pm. Open 7 days a week 9 am. – 7 p.m.

Donations for Bastrop County may be made in Austin:
South: Loop 360 Drop Off, 1905 S. Capitol of Texas Hwy, Austin Monday thru Saturday 9am – 6pm
North: Georgetown Drop Off, 610 N. Austin Avenue, Georgetown Tuesday and Thursday 9am – 6pm
Donations via these sites will be sorted and returned to Bastrop County for distribution as needed

For additional information, please visit bastroprelief.org or call 501–593–7901

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location
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Service Temporary

This record was created to provide folks with an Index to Facebook pages and groups related to the Sept. 2011 TX Wildfires. We are covering the entire state as there are over 60 wildfires burning in TX at this time.

GENERAL:

Texas Storm Chasers:
https://www.facebook.com/TxStormChasers

Texas Hill Country:
https://www.facebook.com/TexasHillCountry

Dallas/Fort Worth (DFW) Police Scanner:
https://www.facebook.com/DFWPoliceScanner

Support the Communities affected by the Texas Wildfires 2011:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Support-the-Communities-affected-by-the-Texas-Wildfires-2011/204954189539323

Help for fire victims:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Help-for-fire-victims/120262678074503

Texas Fire Support:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Texas-Fire-Support/245118645532336

Central Texas Wildfire Recovery:
https://www.facebook.com/centexrecovery

Central Texas Fires:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Central-Texas-Fires/171905062886822

East Texas Fire Info:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/East-Texas-Fire-Info/243356972374108

Thank You To All Our Firefighters:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Thank-You-to-All-Our-Fire-Fighters/216822178372889

Texas Firefighters:
https://www.facebook.com/TexasFireFighters

Texans Taking Care of Texans:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Texans-Taking-Care-of-Texans/130191383745994

Austin Disaster Relief Network:
https://www.facebook.com/ADRNTX

Southeast Texas Interfaith Organization:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Southeast-Texas-Interfaith-Organization/157447684281326

Central Texas Wildfire Recovery (hosted by Statesman):
https://www.facebook.com/centexrecovery

Clothing Donations For Families affected by the Wild Fires:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Clothing-Donations-For-Families-affected-by-the-Wild-Fires/280241112002404?sk=info

Austin Christian Fellowship:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Austin-Christian-Fellowship/372238228607

SPECIFIC TX COMMUNITIES:

Red Rock Texas Wildfire Info:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Red-Rock-Texas-Wildfire-Info/256833484348314

ColoVista Community – Bastrop Fire:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/ColoVista-Community-Bastrop-Fire/266590310032647

Cedar Creek Texas Wildfire Info:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Cedar-Creek-Texas-Wildfire-Info/190407454362698

Austin Fire Department:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Austin-Fire-Department/130114050364084

VFW Post 2527, Rockne Texas:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/VFW-Post-2527-Rockne-Texas/243109849060285

Magnolia TX Fire and Evacuation Information
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Magnolia-TX-Fire-and-Evacuation-Information/278194012191912

Waller/Grimes/Montgomery County Fire Evacuees
https://www.facebook.com/pages/WallerGrimesMontgomery-County-Fire-Evacuees/279278962097873

Creation Flame:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Creation-Flame/162676173797834

WALLER COUNTY, TEXAS:

Waller County Fire Info:
https://www.facebook.com/WallerCountyFireInfo

Montgomery County Fire Watch
https://www.facebook.com/montgomerycountyfirewatch

Waller County Fire Volunteers and Donations –
https://www.facebook.com/wallercountyvolunteers

UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS:

Upshur County Emergency Citizen Communications:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Upshur-County-Emergency-Citizen-Communications/157600587657730

Upshur County Citizens Volunteering Evacuation Assistance:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Upshur-County-Citizens-Volunteering-Evacuation-Assistance/110986282339790

BASTROP, TEXAS:

City of Bastrop:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/City-of-Bastrop-Fire-Victims/249647015074162

Bastop Fire:
https://www.facebook.com/groups/152131204873896/?id=152872824799734

Bastrop Fire Share Your Story:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-Fire-Share-Your-Story/152582508161959

Distribution Center for Victims of Bastrop County Fires:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Distribution-Center-for-Victims-of-Bastrop-County-Fires/186233514781271

Help Bastrop, Texas (INDIVIDUAL NEED)
https://www.facebook.com/groups/230220830361849/

Pine Forest Bastrop Fire:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Pine-Forest-Bastrop-Fire/158183147598588?sk=wall

Bastrop County Weather:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-County-Weather/188244027909222

Rebuild Bastrop, TX:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/ReBuild-Bastrop-TX/148085151948269

CORPUS CHRISTI HELPS REBUILD BASTROP (9/7-9/30/11):
https://www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=210566585670983

Bastrop County Sheriff's Office:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-County-Sheriffs-Office/277261223850

Prayers for Bastrop:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Prayers-for-Bastrop-TX/244979085544271

Circle D Estates- Bastrop Wildfire Info:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Circle-D-Estates-Bastrop-Wildfire-Info/157206791031767

Georgetown helps Bastrop Victims:
https://www.facebook.com/groups/243793778997056/?id=244446382265129

Bastrop County Emergency Services District No. 2:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-County-Emergency-Services-District-No-2/120053614755134

Bastrop Housing:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-Housing/165690663512409

Bastrop Fire – Adopt a Family:
https://www.facebook.com/groups/259827437382435/

City of Bastrop Fire Victims:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/City-of-Bastrop-Fire-Victims/249647015074162

Bastrop Church of Christ (DONATIONS DROP/DISTRIBUTION):
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-Church-of-Christ/64085627046

Bastrop Disaster Relief for Special Needs Families:
https://www.facebook.com/groups/bdrsn/

We Are Okay In Bastrop:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Austin-Fire-Department/130114050364084

Bastrop Fire Information and Help:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-Fire-Information-and-Help/284897838194470

Help Bastrop Homeschoolers Affected by Wildfire:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Help-Bastrop-Homeschoolers-Affected-by-Wildfire/147704288652581

Foundation Christian Ministries:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/FOUNDATION-Christian-Ministries/327948628611?sk=wall

Bastrop Wildfires 2011:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-Wildfire-2011/279843075375388

Bastrop Wildfire Volunteer Reception Center:
http://www.facebook.com/BastropWildfireVolunteer

TAHITIAN VILLAGE:

Tahitian Village Fire:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Tahitian-Village-Fire/285106558169627

Tahitian Village, Bastrop TX UPDATES:
https://www.facebook.com/groups/137391903022787/

SMITHVILLE, TEXAS:

Smithville, Texas:
https://www.facebook.com/smithvilletx

Smithville Texas Wildfire Info:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Smithville-Texas-Wildfire-Info/268475523177656

We Are Okay in Smithville:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/We-are-ok-in-Smithville/209222629137071

ANIMALS:

Bastrop Fires/Animal Victims Emergency links
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-FiresAnimal-Victims-Emergency-links/211382932256933

Bastrop Fire Find Your Pet:
http://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-Fire-Find-Your-Pet/271095376242030

Bastrop Found Pets:
https://www.facebook.com/BastropFoundPets

Bastrop Area Pets:
http://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100002932654331&sk=wall

Bastrop Co Fire Large Animal Info:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-Co-Fire-Large-Animal-Info/229040790477605

Bastrop Lost and Found Pets:
https://www.facebook.com/BastropLostAndFoundPets

Bastrop Homeless Animals – September 12, 2011:
http://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.10150294365059504.344775.710984503

Bastrop Fire – Homeless Pets – September 9, 2011:
http://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.10150290616114504.343872.710984503

LOST Bastrop Fire Animals Housed at AHS:
http://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.10150306074828396.363367.48805778395&type=1

LOST animals at BASTROP SHELTER:
https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.10150312406338396.364817.48805778395&type=1

Austin Pets Alive:
https://www.facebook.com/austinpetsalive?ref=ts

Pawsitively Texas:
https://www.facebook.com/PawsTexas

Austin Humane Society:
https://www.facebook.com/austinhumanesociety

Lost and Found Pets From Texas Wildfires:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Lost-and-Found-Pets-From-Texas-Wildfires/110680239037485

Donations to Help Animals of Bastrop, TX Fire:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Donations-to-Help-Animals-of-Bastrop-TX-Fire/234970726553961

Lost Pets in Montgomery County Texas:
https://www.facebook.com/LostPetsMC

Assistance Information for Animal Displaced by Wildfires:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Assistance-Information-for-Animal-Displaced-by-Wildfires/157094197709383

Williamson County Regional Animal Shelter:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Williamson-County-Regional-Animal-Shelter/371509239233

Urgent Animals at Bastrop County Animal Shelter:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Urgent-Animals-at-Bastrop-County-Animal-Shelter/158355190888568?sk=wall

Texas Lost Pines Riding Club (Elgin, TX):
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Texas-Lost-Pines-Riding-Club/177689116760?sk=wall

Horse Evacuations East:
https://www.facebook.com/HorseEvacuationsEast

Equine Connect Texas:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Equine-Connect-Texas/152310024855681

Shifting the Odds:
https://www.facebook.com/ShiftingTheOdds?sk=wall

Lost Pets in Montgomery County Texas:
http://www.facebook.com/LostPetsMC

Town Lake Animal Center (Austin):
http://www.facebook.com/pages/Town-Lake-Animal-Center/115505368695

Lost and Found Pets From Texas Wildfires:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Lost-and-Found-Pets-From-Texas-Wildfires/110680239037485

Valley of Refuge Horse Rescue:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Valley-of-Refuge-Horse-Rescue/397193260596

Waller County Animal Control Program:
https://www.facebook.com/wallercountyanimalcontrol

Waller, Grimes, Montgomery Fire – Lost Pets and Livestock:
https://www.facebook.com/WallerAnimalRescue

TX GOVERNMENT/STATE/CITY/COUNTY AGENCIES:

Bastrop County Office of Emergency Management:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop-County-Office-of-Emergency-Management/193202960708177

Texas Forest Service:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Texas-Forest-Service/283145907175

Texas Parks and Wildlife:
https://www.facebook.com/texasparksandwildlife

Texas.gov:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Texasgov/117263931626845?sk=wall

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If you have been impacted by the 2011 Central TX Wildfires, this is a list of sites that are offering free FAX services:

Community Renaissance Market
6800 West Gate Blvd (@ Wm. Cannon)
South Austin, Texas
NOTE: Has a free public computer lounge with free fax.

Bastrop Copier:
1002 Main St. in Bastrop –
There is a large sign in their store front and as long as that sign is there the service will be available. Their hours are: 9 am to 5 pm Mon.–Fri. and closed on weekends. Fire survivors must ID themselves to receive this free service.

Bastrop Public Library
1100 Church Street
Bastrop, TX 78602

HOURS
Mon–Wed–Fri: 10am–6pm
T & Th: 1pm–9pm
Sat: 10am–4pm

512–321–5441

NOTE: Free unllimited internet and copy access. Faxing resource not being advertised but if you ID yourself as a fire survivor and request to fax for free the service will be provided.

Services offered: Services, Tech, Fax Access (to USE a fax machine); Services: Tech, Internet, Wi–Fi Access (FREE)
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HOUSING FOR EVACUEE'S (FREE OR DISCOUNTED) – 2011 TX WILDFIRES – INDEX

Shelter · Open

Various, TX
Web renewbastrop.com/id1.html
Service Temporary

VIA KVUE:
www.TheDriftInn.net offering free housing to evacuees and their pets. Free pet boarding at 512–731–9386. Also donations being accepted at Wimberley Fitness. 14500 Ranch Road 12, Suite 14 Wimberley, TX 78676 (512) 847–8026 Thanks!!

State searchable database for reduced rate housing:
http://hrc–ic.tdhca.state.tx.us/hrc/VacancyClearinghouseSearch.m

Vacation Rentals Available for TX Wildfire Evacuees:

With the news this weekend about the Texas wildfires – particularly in the Austin area – HomeAway has been contacted by dozens of vacation rental owners and Bed & Breakfasts, offering their properties to local residents who have been displaced by the disaster.

Below is a list of vacation rentals and Bed & Breakfasts that owners are offering for free or at discounted rates:

http://community.homeaway.com/docs/DOC–2067

Bastrop Housing (List your need/offer for Housing):
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bastrop–Housing/165690663512409

Hill Country Bible Church:
http://www.hcbc.com/centex–fires

If you have been impacted by the fires and need housing or any other type of assistance, email communityimpact @ hcbc.com. Please let us know the best way to contact you and your current location so that we can quickly respond to your need.

SOURCE: http://governor.state.tx.us/news/press–release/16580/ (to read the complete press release)
Gov. Perry Announces Emergency Hotel Voucher Program for Victims of Bastrop County Fire / Texas Disaster Relief Fund, TDHCA providing assistance to individuals and families / Friday, September 09, 2011 • Austin, Texas • Press Release

Gov. Rick Perry today announced that up to $250,000 from the Texas Disaster Relief Fund will be distributed through Combined Community Action Inc. to provide seven–day emergency hotel vouchers for individuals and families whose homes have been destroyed in the Bastrop County fire. Combined Community Action will also administer flexible assistance cards using up to $350,000 from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs to cover essential expenses for these individuals and families.

Volunteers from Combined Community Action will be at each Bastrop County shelter beginning at 10 a.m. on Saturday to take applications for hotel vouchers from those who are currently living in the shelters. These vouchers will allow those whose homes

were destroyed to move from makeshift shelters into motels while the state awaits President Obama's approval of an extension of the state's Major Disaster Declaration.

Austin Disaster Relief Network (ADRN):

Citizen Command Center Relief Database facility record: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6442

Website: http://www.adrntx.org/

Fire Victim Assistance Hotline 512.331.2600 for immediate help finding a place to stay, longterm support services, & resources.

Douglas Vogelsass' Blog/Housing help for those affected by Central Texas fires:

LINK: http://www.trulia.com/blog/douglas_vogelsass/2011/09/housing_help_for_those_affecte_by_central_texas_fires

Friends –

As we are all aware, many, many families have been and will be affected by the recent outburst of wildfires in Central Texas, including Bastrop, Steiner Ranch, Pflugerville and near Perdenales. Businesses, churches, non–profit organizations and individuals are organizing relief efforts to collect donations of goods, services and money. Very soon, there will be hundreds of families in need of temporary housing as well.

The Austin Board of Realtors is initiating a program to assist those in need by asking Realtors to add certain tags and search terms for properties offering housing to fire evacuees – sometimes at free or discounted pricing. If you know anyone who is or will be in need of temporary housing, Twila and I are offering our assistance – at absolutely no cost – to help them find a place to stay while they determine their longer–term options.

The demand for this type of housing will be strong in the near future, and currently the supply is very low. As of right now (2:30 PM on September 8) THERE ARE ONLY 3 UNITS AVAILABLE within a 35 mile radius of downtown Austin that are tagged in the Austin Multiple Listing Service as available to fire evacuees.

IF YOU KNOW ANYONE who is willing to offer housing for lease on a short–term basis, please call Doug or Twila Vogelsass at 512–588–2242 or info@ myagentsforchange.com and we will help them discuss options for offering this kind of housing. Again, Twila and I will list and market these properties at no cost.

For those in need of housing, please contact your insurance agent or company and ask about additional living expenses (ALE) coverage. It is very common for homeowner's and renter's policies contain this coverage. For tips and advice from the Texas Department of Insurance, click here: http://www.tdi.texas.gov/consumer/storms/cpmdisfire.html

Please forward or re–post this as you feel appropriate.

Special thanks to Michael Binns of Farmers (http://www.farmersagent.com/mbinns) and Peter Berardino of MetLife (pberardino@metlife.com) for taking their time to help me gather some of this information.

Peace in your home,

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www.myagentsforchange.com

Freedom Creek Properties is helping fire victims find a place to stay, be it temporary or a lifetime. They are charging no fees for their services. Call Lucas Cullers at (512)779–3969.

Next Horizon Senior/Military Housing Locators:
http://www.nexthorizonlocators.com/

Service Description:
We are a housing locator service that provides for our young military men and women as well as our 55 plus groups. We place in Independent Living, Assisted Living, Alzheimer, Nursing, Residential Care Homes, Respite Care, Senior Apts., Apts for the younger militarFree Evaluation and y, We do the "legwork and "research" for you. We also recommend and help with finding new physician(s), nurses assistants, legal help/advice, medical insurance coverage (Medicare & Medicaid, legal advice and more. We go out to the client and provide a Free Evaluation. We cover all of Texas and place outside the state. Our clients become our family.... trust, integrity, military spouse for 30 years

There is a Apartment Complex in N Round Rock who is working with the Fire victims They will be accepting the Fema Vouchers. Melagrano at Teravista 512–930–5577. Pets are allowed.

Bastrop Churches of Christ: We are keeping a list of people who have RVs, Travel Trailers, Rooms, or other living spaces for those in our church family, etc., that have lost their homes. We have 12 families so far we know of in our own church family that lost their homes. If you have space to put one or have one you can loan out, I am organizing that. Call me at 512/922–3377. Most have pets.

VIA KVUE: Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Elgin is taking donations, handing out supplies to fire victims, and even HOUSING them if need be. They are also serving fire victims hot meals. The church is located at 302 W. 11th St., Elgin, TX 78621. Call 512–281–6281 with questions.

TX Dept. of Housing / Vacancy Clearinghouse – Searchable Database:
http://hrc–ic.tdhca.state.tx.us/hrc/VacancyClearinghouseSearch.m

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Housing, Free Houses for Local Residents in Need; Housing, Listings for Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 16, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8908

LEGAL RESOURCES – FREE – 2011 TX WILDFIRES – INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX
Web trlatimes.wordpress.com/2011/09/07/free–legal–resources–for–victims–of–texas–wildfires–txfire–centraltxfire
Service Temporary

This facility record index of FREE legal resources for Texans impacted the 2011 Wildfires may have changed or been added to so check the website link for any updates:

Free Legal Resources for Victims of Texas Wildfires #txfire #centraltxfire
LAST UPDATED: SEPTEMBER 7, 2011 5:45pm

There are numerous organizations offering free legal resources to help victims of the Texas wildfires with the legal issues they face in the aftermath of this disaster. Below is a list of resources we hope you find helpful:

Texas RioGrande Legal Aid Disaster Assistance Hotline: 1–866–757–1570
For help with legal issues related to the disaster such as insurance claims, price gouging, landlord–tenant disputes, replacing important legal documents, or obtaining disaster–related public benefits. Hotline is staffed Monday through Friday. When lines are busy, callers will be able to leave their information and a TRLA staff member will return their call within 24 hours.

State Bar of Texas Disaster Assistance Hotline: 1–800–504–7030

Austin Bar Association Legal Clinics
Ascension Catholic Church (802 Pine Street)
Bastrop Christian Outreach (1096 Hwy 71 W.)
Celebration Christian Church 107 Longhorn St, Bastrop, TX
First Assembly of God 609 Pecan St, Bastrop, TX
Premerica Baptist Church 308 Paul C Bell, Bastrop, TX
Sears Hometown Store 735 Old Austin Hwy., Ste. B, Bastrop, TX

From 9am to 9pm, September 7th through September 9th
From 9am to 5pm on September 10th
To serve as a pro bono attorney for these clinics, contact David Courreges (512–615–2787) or Amy Welborn (512–825–3390)

Texas Law Help: Disaster Relief
Texas Law Help provides free online legal resources

Texas Health and Human Services Commission Benefits Replacement
1602 Hill Street, Bastrop (Bastrop High School — near the old football field)
To help families eligible for replacement benefits for SNAP food stamp assistance

HHSC also has staff in four shelters to help evacuees: First Baptist Church of Smithville, 300 Hudgins St., Smithville Indoor Recreation Center, 106 Gazley St., Grace Lutheran Church of Smithville, 308 Byrne St., Bastrop Intermediate School, 509 Old Austin Hwy

We're trying to keep this list as up–to–date as possible. If you need to correct information or would like to provide information on additional resources, please add it to the comments below.

Subject: Austin Bar Legal Clinics—9/6/11
External Source: David Correges, Austin Bar Association
Details
Summary: The Austin Bar Association is providing legal clinics for people
County: Statewide
Location: Wildfires
Phone: 512–472–0279
Description: The Austin Bar Association is providing free legal counseling for people effected by the Texas wildfires. People can call 512–472–0279 for assistance in applying for federal benefits and other disaster–related legal information.

Subject: Legal Line – Lone Star Legal Aid—9/15/11
External Source: Saundra Brown, Lone Star Legal Aid
Details

Summary: Legal line and legal consultation available to victims of wildfires.
County: Statewide
Location: Harris, Montgomery, and Grimes counties
Phone: (800) 733–8394
Description:
Lone Star Legal Aid is available to help those working or impacted by the wild fires with Home Repair Fraud, replacement of important documents and Renters Rights. You can call their toll free line for more information and services: 800.733.8394 .

Subject: Legal Line – Houston Bar Association
External Source: Tara Schockley, Houston Bar Association
Details
Summary: Legal line and legal consultation available to victims of wildfires.
County: Statewide
Location: Harris, Montgomery, and Grimes counties
Phone: (713) 225–9455
Web Site: http://hba.org/
Description: Houston Lawyers Set Up Hotlines, Clinic to Answer Legal Questions For Those Affected by Wildfires

The Houston Bar Association (HBA) and the HBA's Houston Volunteer Lawyers Program have volunteer attorneys ready to answer legal questions from residents of Harris, Montgomery, Grimes and surrounding counties affected by the wildfires. Volunteer attorneys will be available to answer questions regarding insurance, landlord/tenant law, records and documents, and other disaster–related legal issues at the following:

September 21 LegalLine – The public can call 713–759–1133 between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. and speak to volunteer attorneys who will answer their legal questions related to the recent wildfires, as well as general legal questions.

October 1 Legal Clinic – Volunteer attorneys will be available to meet with residents who have legal questions related to the wildfires at the Saturday, October 1 clinic sponsored by the HBA's Houston Volunteer Lawyers Program and the HBA's Consumer Law Task Force. The clinic will run from 9:00 a.m. until noon at Ripley House, 4410 Navigation, Houston, TX 77011. No appointment is necessary; please bring any related documents.

Disaster Hotline/E–mail – The HBA's Houston Volunteer Lawyers Program has set up a disaster hotline and an email where those affected by the fires can email questions to disaster.assistance@hvlp.org or call 713–225–9455 and leave a message, which will then be answered by a staff attorney or volunteer attorney.

For more information on disaster relief efforts, please visit www.hba.org.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Online Networking, Blog; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8907

Lone Star Legal Aid – 2011 TX Wildfires (FREE Legal Aid)

Info/Hotline · Open

Disaster Recovery
Various, TX

Phone	Legal Aid Hotline: 1(800) 733–8394
Web	www.lonestarlegal.org
Serves	Angleton, Beaumont, Bellville, Belton, Bryan, Galveston, Houston, Conroe, Longview, Nacogdoches, Paris, Texarkana, Tyler & Waco, Texas
Eligibility	Folks that need Legal Advice – Impacted by Hurricane Ike
Service	Temporary

See press release regarding legal assistance for people impacted the 2011 TX Wildfires at: http://www.lonestarlegal.org/wildfires.pl

This site has very specific legal advice for hurricane survivors including:

Disaster Unemployment Assistance
What Can FEMA Do For Me?
How to Replace Important Documents Lost
Public Benefits Available
Renters Rights
How To Entroll Your Child Back In School
Disaster Food Stamp Application
FEMA Help After a Disaster
Homeowner Repair Frauds

The information is provided in English, Spanish & Vietnamese languages

Useful TX State Hotline Numbers:

http://www.lonestarlegal.org/Hotline%20Numbers.html

SOURCE: http://texaslawyer.typepad.com/texas_lawyer_blog/2008/09/hurricane-ike-v.html
September 19, 2008
Hurricane Ike: Volunteer opportunity

Lone Star Legal Aid is looking for pro bono lawyers willing to work with its staff attorneys in assisting those affected by Hurricane Ike. Paul Furrh, LSLA's chief executive officer, says a training program for lawyers and other volunteers is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Sept. 22 in the Houston offices of Baker Botts. The Houston Bar Association, Volunteers Lawyers and LSLA are jointly sponsoring the three-hour to four-hour training program, which will provide CLE credits to participating lawyers. As part of an outreach program to its 29-county service area walloped by Ike on Sept. 12, LSLA plans to send two-lawyer teams to shelters housing storm evacuees, Furrh says. Referring to Ike's devastation, Furrh says, "This is going to have a huge impact on poor folks." Furrh says low-income citizens who lived in the storm-ravaged areas probably have lost their jobs and their homes. Helping storm victims with their legal needs likely will take years, Furrh says. "We're still doing Rita cases," he says. Hurricane Rita swept through much of LSLA's service area on Sept. 24, 2005.

-- Mary Alice Robbins

Services offered: Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Legal Advice & Counsel (Disaster Survivors); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services, Document Replacement for Disaster Survivors; Services, Legal Assistance; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3777

Lutheran Social Services – 2011 TX WILDFIRES

Info/Hotline · Open

Faith-Based Disaster Recovery & Relief
Lutheran Social Services of the South, Inc.; 8305 Cross Park Drive,; Austin, TX 78754, Various, TX
Web www.lsss.org/page.aspx?pid=318
Service Temporary

FROM THE SITE:

LSS Disaster Response: Texas Wildfires

Many of you have asked how you might help our local fire victims in Central Texas. The LSS Disaster Response team is working diligently to identify affected families through our network of community partners, the Red Cross, and Central Texas VOAD (Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster).

LSSDR is grateful for any financial assistance to support the following relief efforts:

Short-term, we are addressing the immediate, emergency needs for food/shelter/clothing of individuals and families.
Long-term, we will assist low-income families and renters without insurance who lost their homes and possessions.
We are available for spiritual and emotional care for those in need of support, on an ongoing and long-term basis.

LSSDR's history of long-term recovery help following disasters in Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas has equipped us with the experience to perform these services as effectively and expediently as possible. As funds allow, we will address this demand as long as it takes and are here for the "long haul."
Additionally, we are asking for your prayers for the hundreds of families whose lives have been devastated, and the firefighters who are risking their lives battling the firestorms.

Services offered: Case Management, Disaster Survivors; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Long Term Recovery Support
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Sep 24, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8919

MEDIA, Texas, Online Media Resources – INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

Media
Various, TX
Service Temporary

For 2011 Central TX wildfire shelter info:

http://weareaustin.com/fulltext/?nxd_id=176387

This is a list of good online media resources for Hurricane Ike disaster zones in Tx. They provide vital updates to hurricane impacted communities, volunteer opportunities, distribution sites, shelter updates, road closures, disaster resources, etc.:

Houston Chronicle:
http://www.chron.com/

My Fox Houston:
http://www.myfoxhouston.com/

abc 13 – Houston:
http://abclocal.go.com/ktrk/index

Channel 11 News:
http://www.khou.com/

Guidry News (Galveston):
http://www.guidrynews.com/

Galveston County – The Daily News:
http://galvestondailynews.com/

Woodlands Online:
http://woodlandsonline.com/

Beaumont Enterprise:
http://www.beaumontenterprise.com/

Killeen Daily Herald:
http://www.kdhnews.com/default.aspx

Victoria Advocate:
http://www.victoriaadvocate.com/

Bay City, The Tribune:
http://baycitytribune.com/index.lasso

KWTX – Channel 10 News:
http://www.kwtx.com/

abc Channel 12 – KBMT News:
http://www.kbmt12.com/

KFDM News:
http://www.kfdm.com/

Directory of Texas Newspapers:
http://www.refdesk.com/tx.html

Services offered: Media Coverage; Media, Online News Reports; News Source, Online, Disaster Coverage
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Sep 12, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3789

N95 Respirator Safety Instructions – 2011 TX Wildfires

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX
Service Temporary

From the Bastrop Cty. Website:

WHO SHOULD NOT WEAR RESPIRATORS?

• People with heart or lung disease should consult with their doctor before using a respirator.

• N–95 masks are not designed for children, who are in a critical period of development when toxic exposures can have profound effects. Children should not be in the area with ash and damaged structures until cleanup is completed.

• People with facial hair in the area where there respirator touches the face (unless they shave those areas)

USING THE RESPIRATOR (FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED WITH THE MASK)

• Choose a size that will fit over your nose and under your chin. It should seal tightly to your face.

• Place the respirator over your nose and under your chin, with one strap below the ears and one strap above. If you are wearing a hat, it should go over the straps.

• Pinch the metal nose clip tightly over the top of your nose.

• Discard the respirator when: (1) it becomes more difficult to breathe through it or (2) if the inside becomes dirty. Use a fresh respirator each day.

COMPLICATIONS AND HAZARDS

• It takes more effort to breathe through a respirator. It can also increase the risk of heat stress. If you are working outside while wearing a respirator, take frequent breaks, especially if you are working in the heat or doing heavy work.

• If you feel dizzy, lightheaded, or nauseated, tell someone, go to a less smoky area, remove your respirator, and get medical attention.

GENERAL POINTS

• Respirators may help reduce exposure to airborne contaminants, but they do not eliminate the risk of exposure, symptoms and sickness.

• Anyone with asbestos, lead, or mold in their house and might be exposed to these toxic substance and/or other hazardous materials should consult a professional.

• N–95 respirators or other particulate respirators are not designed or certified for use against hazardous levels of gases and vapors, such as carbon monoxide, or for areas with low oxygen levels.

• Masks have been obtained from different manufacturers. Please follow instructions provided with mask.

Services offered: Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 12, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8938

Prescription Drugs Access for Bastrop Residents – 2011 TX Wildfires

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, TX
Service Temporary

Subject: Access to Prescription Drugs for Bastrop Residents
External Source: Deborah Ballard, TIRN
Details
Summary: Access to Rx Prescription Drugs for Bastrop Residents
County: Bastrop
Location: Participating pharmacies: H–E–B, Store #475 Elgin 1080 E. Hwy 290 Elgin, Texas 78621 512) 285 – 4719 H–E–B,Store #582 Bastrop 104 Hasler Bastrop, Texas 78602 (512) 321 – 1033 Walgreens, Store #09143 504 Hwy 71 W Bastrop, Texas 78602 (512) 321 – 4008 CVS, Store #01037 1671 Hwy 71 East Bastrop, Texas 78602 (512) 308 – 0234 Smithville Pharmacy 1404 Northeast Loop 230 Smithville, Texas 78957 (512) 237 – 5216
Description: The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) has established a mechanism for citizens of Bastrop County to access prescription medications prescribed by their health care provider. This process allows residents to use local participating pharmacies to obtain necessary medications.

Participating pharmacies:

H–E–B, Store #475 Elgin
1080 E. Hwy 290
Elgin, Texas 78621
512) 285 – 4719

H–E–B,Store #582 Bastrop
104 Hasler
Bastrop, Texas 78602
(512) 321 – 1033

Walgreens, Store #09143
504 Hwy 71 W
Bastrop, Texas 78602
(512) 321 – 4008

CVS, Store #01037
1671 Hwy 71 East
Bastrop, Texas 78602
(512) 308 – 0234

Smithville Pharmacy
1404 Northeast Loop 230
Smithville, Texas 78957
(512) 237 – 5216

For insured residents:

Your local health care provider and pharmacy will bill your insurance company directly when filling drugs. You will still be responsible for any copayments required by your insurance.

HHSC will work with all contracted pharmacies processing claims for Medicaid, CHIP, KHC and CSHCN clients impacted by the fires. Pharmacies should continue to call the Pharmacy Resolution Help Desk for assistance to meet the medication needs of these clients

For uninsured residents:

Your local health care provider needs to include the words “Bastrop Wildfire” on the paper prescription or indicate “Bastrop Wildfire” in electronic or phone call prescriptions to be filled at participating pharmacies.

General info:

Pharmacies are working with Red Cross and FEMA to fill prescriptions. Individuals must have a valid prescription in order to receive medications. Pharmacies can contact doctor’s office for valid prescription if needed. At minimum, a 30 day supply of medication will be provided.
Individuals will be responsible for their regular co–payments. Red Cross and FEMA can assist those individuals not able to pay the co–pay fees.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 17, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8960

SHELTERS, MEDIA LIST – Sept. 2011 TX Wildfires (per KUT/NPR Media) – INDEX

Shelter · Open

Various, TX

Web www.kvue.com/home/Fire–Evacuations––129237203.html
Service Temporary

THERE ARE TWO LISTS HERE. Scroll down to see the second.

http://www.kvue.com/home/Fire–Evacuations––129237203.html

Central Texas fire evacuation locations

by KVUE News
kvue.com
Posted on September 5, 2011 at 4:55 PM
Updated Wednesday, Sep 7 at 12:27 PM

Bastrop evacuees should go to:

– Bastrop Middle School
– Grace Lutheran Church
– First Baptist Church in Smithville
– Smithville Rec Center
– Ascension Catholic Church
– Family Worship Center in Elgin –– 2425 FM 1704 –– 512–281–5146
– Giddings Middle School gym –– 1.5 miles north on Highway 77 from Route 290 in Giddings
– Bastrop Christian Outreach Center –– Pets welcome as long as they are on a leash or crated –– 1096 Highway 71 W., Bastrop, TX 78602
– Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Elgin –– 302 W 11th St.
– Oasis Christian Church –– 121 East 2nd St., Taylor, TX 76574 –– 512–945–9158
Leander evacuees should go to:

Rouse High School –– 1501 CR271, Leander, TX

Spicewood evacuees should go to:

– Spicewood Community Center –– 7901 CR 404 –– 830–613–6536
– Bee Creek United Methodist Church
– Briarcliff Community Center
– Pedernales River Fellowship
– Grace United Fellowship

Steiner Ranch evacuees should go to:

St. Thomas Moore –– 10205 N. FM 620

Additional locations:

–HomeAway, Inc.: offering vacation rental sites at reduced rates or for free to evacuees in need of a home. They are available for short–term or long–term stays. If interested, you should contact the owners directly. Here's the link to their to check out available homes.

http://weareaustin.com/fulltext/?nxd_id=176387

Monday, September 05 2011
– Celebration Community Church,107 Longhorn Street, Bastrop 512–332–2537
– Ascencion Catholic Church, 802 Pine Street, Bastrop 512–321–2452
– Smithville Recreation Center, Hwy 95 and 1st Street, Smithville 512–237–3282
– Elgin Sacred Heart, 302 West 11th Street, Elgin 512–281–3536

Services offered: Hotline, Shelter, Evacuation/Shelter Information & Updates; Hotline, Shelter Hotline (Find Help); Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates; Shelter, Updates, Locations
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8885

Texas Dept. of Licensing & Regulation (TDLR) – 2011 TX Wildfires

Info/Hotline · Open

State
Various, TX
Web www.license.state.tx.us/wildfire.htm
Service Temporary

Texas Wildfires Information
TDLR is providing information regarding license renewal, expiration and compliance to evacuees displaced by the effects of wildfires in Texas. TDLR is following Governor Perry's proclamation and implementing expedited reciprocity for licensed services necessary to aide in the response to this disaster. More information will be provided as it becomes available.

TDLR's Initiatives to help Texans
Governor Perry's Disaster Proclamation
TDLR is responding to the Texas Wildfire Disaster in three phases. More information and specifics will be posted soon.

Disaster Phase

Fast track services for persons and businesses impacted by the wildfires:

Expedite renewals and business licenses including waiving late renewal fees.
Grace period for expired licenses, penalties, continuing education, and examination.
Suspend compliance inspections in affected areas.
Waive cost for duplicate licenses.
Recovery Phase

Expedite Architectural Barriers inspections and Industrialized Housing and Buildings plan reviews and inspections.
Execute emergency license provisions (Section 51.408).
Quickly license electricians, air conditioning contractors and tow truck operators to assist in recovery.
Waive cost of duplicate licenses.
Existing Resources Available for Persons Affected by the Wildfires

Online renewals.
Listserv to keep displaced licensees informed of services available.
Facebook / Twitter to allow for immediate dialogue between the agency and licensees.
Executive Director created a strike team to coordinate and expedite all licensing matters related to those affected by the disaster.
Governor Perry's Disaster Proclamation – September 1, 2011 (more information available on the Governor's web site)
TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

I, RICK PERRY, Governor of the State of Texas, issued an Emergency Disaster Proclamation on December 21, 2010, as extreme fire hazard posed a threat of imminent disaster in specified counties in Texas.

WHEREAS, the extreme fire hazard continues to create a threat of disaster for the people in the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, record high temperatures, preceded by significantly low rainfall, have resulted in declining reservoir and aquifer levels, threatening water supplies and delivery systems in many parts of the state; and

WHEREAS, these exceptional drought conditions have reached historic levels, posing an imminent threat to public health, property and the economy; and

WHEREAS, this state of disaster includes all 254 counties in the State of Texas;

THEREFORE, in accordance with the authority vested in me by Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code, I do hereby renew the disaster proclamation and direct that all necessary measures, both public and private as authorized under Section 418.017 of the code, be implemented to meet that disaster.

As provided in Section 418.016 of the code, all rules and regulations that may inhibit or prevent prompt response to this threat are suspended for the duration of the state of disaster.

In accordance with the statutory requirements, copies of this proclamation shall be filed with the applicable authorities.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and have officially caused the Seal of State to be affixed at my Office in the City of Austin, Texas, this the 1st day of September, 2011.

RICK PERRY
Governor

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Replace Destroyed Documents; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Businesses; Information Resource, Resources Available to Businesses Impacted by Disaster; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8942

Texas Extension Disaster Education Network (EDEN) – 2011 TX Wildfires

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX
Web texashelp.tamu.edu
Service Temporary

This website is a part of the Texas Extension Disaster Education Network (EDEN).

Texas EDEN provides credible and reliable information related to disaster preparedness, mitigation and recovery.

Texas Extension Disaster Education Network (EDEN) is a collaborative educational network dedicated to educating citizens about disaster mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery. Texas EDEN is a part of the Texas AgriLife Extension Service and is affiliated with National Extension Disaster Education Network.

This site is intended to accommodate Texas AgriLife Extension agents and all Texas citizens by sharing education resources to reduce the impact of natural and man–made disasters for individuals, families and communities.

The primary goals of Texas EDEN are to:

Provide credible and reliable information relating to disaster preparedness and recovery for individuals, families, and urban and/or rural communities.

Reduce the impact associated with disaster by disseminating educational materials related to disaster mitigation, preparedness and recovery.

Services offered: Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Information Resource, Insurance Advice and Guidelines for Disaster Survivors; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8890

TEXAS FOREST SERVICE INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORTS – 2011 TX WILDFIRES

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX
Web ticc.tamu.edu
Service Temporary

Get daily Texas Forest Service situation reports at the Texas Interagency Coordination Center site.

9/7/11 – : http://ticc.tamu.edu/Documents/Home/tx_sitrep.pdf
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8900

Tri County Service (MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS HOTLINE) – 2011 TX WILDFIRES

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX
Phone 1–800–659–6994
Service Temporary

Tri–County Service:

Crisis Hotline: 800.659.6994 – Speak with a Mental Health Counselor or get Emergency Mental Health Services

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Crisis Hotline (For Survivors of Disaster)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8935

VOAD – CTX (Central Texas)

Info/Hotline · Open

VOAD
Various, TX
Web www.centraltexasvoad.org
Service Temporary

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Central Texas VOAD Member Organizations

Advocacy, Inc.
American Red Cross
AAIM (Austin Area Interreligious Ministries)
Austin Disaster Relief Network
Austin Free–Net
Capital Area Council of Governments
Capital Area Food Bank of Texas
Caritas of Austin
Catholic Charities of Central Texas
CERT – Austin
CERT – Bastrop County
Church of Scientology
Church World Service
City of Austin, Office of Emergency Management
City of Lakeway
Civil Air Patrol, Grp. III, Texas Wing
Community Action Network
Coordinated Assistance Network (CAN)
Dept. State Health Services (DSHS)
Evangelical Lutheran Church of America (ELCA), Southwestern Synod
Foundation for the Homeless
Helping the Aging, Needy, and Disabled
Indigent Care Collaboration
Jewish Community Association of Austin
Lower Colorado River Authority
Lutheran Social Services, Disaster Response
Mennonite Church
OneStar Foundation
Paws of Austin
Pets America
Refugee Services of Texas
Safe Place
Salvation Army
Shepherd of the Hills Presbyterian Church
Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Southern Baptist Convention
St James Episcopal Church
Texas A&M University Center on Disability & Development
Texas Appleseed
Texas Baptist Men Region 21 Disaster Relief Team
Texas Conference of Churches
Texas Department of MHMR
Texas Department of Public Safety, DOEM
Texas Dept State Health Services – Community Preparedness
Texas Federation of Animal Care Services (TFACS)
Texas RioGrande Legal Aide
Travis County Amateur Radio Emer. Serv.
Travis County Health & Human Services
Travis County OEM

Travis County REACTS
Travis County Sheriff's Office
United Methodist Committee on Relief
United Way – Capital Area – 211
United Way Capital Area
United Way Capital Area – Hands on Central Texas
USHeroes
Volunteer Mobile Emergency Response Unit
WIN (Wimberly LTRC)

Minutes from Dec 2010 meeting: http://www.centraltexasvoad.org/minutes/CTXVOADMinutesDec2010.doc

Services offered: Services, Disaster Response, Recovery, Preparedness & Mitigation; Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates; Shelter, Updates, Locations; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Adventist Community Services Disaster Relief; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.); Catholic Charities; CERT (Community Emergency Response Team); CWS ~ Church World Service; Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response; Mennonite Disaster Service; Salvation Army; Society of St. Vincent de Paul; Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief; Texas Baptist Men Disaster Relief; UMCOR Relief Network; United Way; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1719

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – 2011 TX WILDFIRES – INDEX

Volunteer Camp · Open

Various, TX
Service Temporary

This record is an index of compiled Volunteer Opportunities to be in service to those impacted the 2011 TX Wildfires. The list will be edited and updated frequently so check back often for changes.

Volunteer Reception Center (VRC)–
http://bastoprelief.org/volunteer
https://www.facebook.com/BastropWildfireVolunteer
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8974

MONTGOMERY COUNTY (Volunteers needed)
DATE: September 10, 2011
http://www.mctxoem.org/go/doc/1945/1190063/Info–for–People–wanting–to–volunteer

ANIMAL VOLUNTEERS:

Texas Lost Pines Riding Club
186B Hwy 95S, Elgin, TX 78621
512–350–9566
Website: http://www.tlprc.org/

Volunteers are still welcome! Please come to the tent area to find out how you can help. With close to 100 horses, we are especially in need of folks who are comfortable hand walking horses. Feeding times are 7am and 5pm. There are water buckets to fill throughout the day, stalls to clean, hay and feed to organize and many other activities. Thank you!

Spicewood Fire Relief Center:
http://www.spicewoodtx.us/firerelief.html

NOW HAS TWO LOCATIONS TO ASSIST AND RECEIVE DONATIONS
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Grace Outreach Center
COMMAND INFORMATION CENTER
20808 Hwy 71 W.
Spicewood, TX 78639
Operation Hours 10 am – 5 pm

Spicewood Community Center
7901 CR 404
Spicewood, TX 78639
Operation Hours 1 – 7 pm

FACEBOOK – SOCIAL MEDIA VOLUNTEER:

SPANISH TRANSLATOR NEEDED: The admin for the Bastrop Co Fire Large Animal Info page is seeking a Spanish translator to help – if that's you and you have time, please contact via this link:

https://www.facebook.com/firelargeanimals

9/14/11:
New Wildfire Relief Volunteer Center with call center to open this week in Calvary Baptist Church, 3001 Loop 150 E, Bastrop, TX. Recently arrived FEMA / Americorps volunteers will be assisting Bastrop County residents in managing volunteer support for rescue, relief and rebuilding after Texas' largest wildfire. Center will be open daily Monday through Saturday. Sheila Lowe, Support Coordinator (volunteers & donations) – Ministerial Alliance Donation/Volunteer Lines (512) 332.8977 and 332.8611

The contact for Rockpointe Church is Tina Morgan and her cell number is 512–627–2235. Here is what she said "They are looking for homeowners who need helping "tearing things down" or rebuilding things". Minor or major it doesn't matter.

Bastrop Public Library
1100 Church Street
Bastrop, TX 78602
512–321–5441
http://www.bastroplibrary.org/

The Bastrop Public Library can use computer–savvy volunteers as number of users increase at the newly opened free Internet Cafe and Fire Information Center. See Mickey Duvall, Library Director.

Rundell Business Park Distribution Center, 704 Hwy 71 W, Bastrop (near the Bluebonnet Electric building), it's after 969, before 20, just about across 71 from Home Depot and the RV park.

Volunteers are currently needed to assist in wildfire disaster relief throughout the Bastrop area. Individuals or groups interested in volunteering must sign–up in advance by calling the Bastrop Ministerial Alliance Volunteer Hotline Monday through Saturday between 9AM–7PM and Wednesdays from 9AM–5PM at 512–332–8977 or 332–8611 Volunteers may also registering online at bastroprelief.org. Those interested in volunteering on Sundays should coordinate ahead of time due to limited opportunities.

Services offered: Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8916

VolunteerTX.org – 2011 TX Wildfires (VOLUNTEER COORDINATION)

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX

Web www.volunteertx.org
Service Temporary

People can enter personal information into an online database that appears to be used by the government to manage volunteers. The site does not provide any privacy policies or info about the group that runs the site. But we did find it linked to the Texas government site:

http://www.governor.state.tx.us/wildfires

Not sure if the state's privacy policies apply, or if the personal info is shared with fundraisers.

Services offered: Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Volunteer, Long–Term, Volunteer(s); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Reception Center, VRC; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 21, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8971

Wildfire Pet Rescue – Reuniting Pets and Owners – 2011 TX Wildfire

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, TX

Service Temporary

Was your pet lost in the wildfires? Have you found a pet near the wildfires? Let us know at help @ wildfirepetrescue.com and we'll track down the owner!

Services offered: Registry, Animals, Lost and Found Pets
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 17, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8959
