2009 Station Wildfire: Resource Guide

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Animal Acres

Animal Shelter · Open

Animal Rescue/Sanctuary

5200 Escondido Canyon Road, Acton, CA 93510

Phone 661–269–5404
Web www.animalacres.org
Serves Acton, Los Angeles County, CA (Station Wildfire)
Eligibility Farm Animals / Rescues
Checks payable to Animal Acres
Service Temporary

Per Jay Weiner from The Gentle Barn in Santa Clarita/Action, this site – Animal Acres – is on standby for evacuation from the Crown Fire 7/29/10

Animal Acres was founded by Lorri Houston, who is considered the "pioneer" of the farmed animal sanctuary movement. In 1986, Lorri co–founded Farm Sanctuary, which opened the country's first sanctuary for farmed animals. For 18 years, she directed the group's rescue and fundraising efforts.

Through her farm animal sanctuary efforts, Lorri has directly saved thousands of animals from the cruelties of factory farms, stockyards and slaughterhouses, and brought national attention to the plight of animals used for "food production." Lorri's work has been featured in hundreds of newspaper, television and radio news stories, including guest appearances on CBS This Morning, Animal Planet, and PrimeTime Live.

The sanctuary is a refuge for animals, and a sanctuary for the soul. Farmed animal sanctuaries are a place where cows, pigs, and chickens reach out and touch the human heart. The "animal ambassadors" gently teach people to extend compassion to ALL beings through one–on–one interaction. For many people, it is the first time they have ever looked into the eyes of pig or chicken, and it can profoundly affect the way people view and treat farmed animals.

Services offered: Advocacy, Animals, Community Outreach Programs; Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Farm Animal Sanctuary; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire

Updated Aug 1, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4456

Linda Blair Worldheart Foundation

Animal Shelter · Open

Animal Rescue/Adoption

Acton, CA 93510

Web lindablairworldheart.org
Serves Los Angeles County
Service Temporary

2nd Update on our Fire Situation

Dear Friends of LBWF,

I wanted to write a personal note to express my deep gratitude and thanks to all the volunteers who have come to our aid over the past few days. They waited and watched as flames raced across the top of the mountain. This has been an extremely unnerving time but we have been able to pull through with the help of all the kind souls that have come forward. Thank you to everyone who has responded to our pleas for manpower, crates, and willingness to wake up at a moment's notice to help us evacuate. Because of the overwhelming response we are prepared to take action should the need arise.

The latest update from fire officials is that the potential containment date of this horrific fire will fall some time after Labor Day. We will be on pins and needles until the fire is contained as it only takes one burning ember to float across the highway to send us packing.

I would like to send a special thanks to Donna, Renee, Cara, Margaret, Bjorn, Theresa, Kelli, Anthony, Ray and Gina for being there for me and the dogs.

We are not out of the woods yet and will continue to update the site with pertinent information regarding our potential evacuation. For those who have emailed with words of support and offers of help please bear with us as we answer you all. The support has been overwhelming.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart,
Linda

Update on our Fire Situation
Dear Friends of LBWF,

We simply can not thank you enough for all the phone calls, emails, and support we have received from all of you. It's so wonderful to know we have so many people on our side. The last 24 hours have been incredibly scary and we are no where near being out of the woods. We have been informed that the containment dates for this fire, at this time, are going past Labor Day. This means we've got a ways to go before we aren't on edge any more.

The fire has burned more than 100,00 acres and two firefighters have already lost their lives. This is no small deal. We send our love, support, and deep gratitude to our emergency responders. Without their hard work and dedication, our fear would be even stronger and this fire, taking over our foundation, an even bigger reality.

Many of you have asked how you can help and there are several things you can do to support LBWF through this crisis. Our first and biggest need are donations. We need financial donations to help us with the many costs that can/will arise from this crisis situation. We are also in need of donated crates, at least 42" in size as our doggies are large. We can always use blankets and dog bowls as well. If you are able to donate, you may do so here or if you would like more information on donations you can email worldheartdonations@gmail.com.

In terms of the evacuation itself – we are on pins and needles waiting for the word. Our biggest fear is getting the orders in the middle of the night when everyone is asleep. If you are willing to help load dogs in crates and transport to our evacuation spot and don't mind getting called in the middle of the night please let us know. You can email worldheartvolunteers@gmail.com for more information.

We will do our best to update you frequently on our status and again can't thank everyone enough for their support. It has meant the world to us. Below you will find some pictures of what we have been looking at over the past few days. It's pretty scary stuff.

Love,
Your LBWF Team

Linda Blair WorldHeart Foundation is a non– profit, 501c3 tax deductible organization dedicated to rescuing and rehabilitating abused, neglected, and abandoned animals from the harsh streets of the Los Angeles area, as well as from the overcrowded and overwhelmed city and county animal shelters.

Our Needs? Your participation! We are asking like–minded people to join LBWF and help take our work to the next level. Volunteers, sponsors, and donations (financial and in–kind) are the cornerstone to any non–profit organization. We are reaching out to your kind hearts to join us in this important journey. Our rescue cannot meet these goals of helping homeless pets without help from every one of you. You are the key!

Our Wish List
Wire Crates 42"–48"
Home Depot or Lowe's Gift Cards for Chain Link, Plywood, and other improvement needs
Chain Link
Recycled Plywood
PetSmart or Petco Gift Cards
Cargo Van for transporting animals
Energy and Water Efficient Washer (top loading) and Dryer
Trees for shade and wind protection
Dog food
Dog Treats
Dog Toys
Dog Beds
Blankets
Heavy Duty garbage bags
Paper towels
Collars and Leashes
Stainless Steel Water and Food Bowls

MAILING ADDRESS:

The Linda Blair WorldHeart Foundation
10061 Riverside Drive #1003
Toluca Lake, CA 91602

FACEBOOK: http://www.facebook.com/LindaBlairWorldHeartFoundation?sk=wall

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care, Rehabilitation (of Rescues); Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Animals, Rescue Organization; Demographic Served: Animals; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)

Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Oct 27, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4480

Agoura Animal Shelter

Animal Shelter · Open

County, Animal Services
29525 Agoura Rd., Agoura Hills, CA 91301
Phone 818–991–0071
Web www.animalshelter.org/shelters/Agoura_Hills_Animal_Shelter_rId333_rS_pC.html
Service Temporary

Hours:
Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday–Saturday 9 AM - 5 PM
Wednesday 9 AM - 7 PM
Closed Sundays and Holidays

Directions:
Exit the Ventura Freeway at Kanan Rd.
Go south to Agoura Rd.; turn right.

Proudly serving the cities/areas of:

Agoura (County Area)
Agoura Hills, City of
Agoura Hills (County Area)
Calabasas, City of
Calabasas (County Area)
Canoga Park (County Area)
Chatsworth (County Area)
Fernwood (County Area)
Hidden Hills, City of
Malibu, City of
Malibu (County Area)
Thousand Oaks, City of
Topanga Canyon (County Area)
Westlake Village, City of
Woodland Hills (County Area)

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2631

Jackson Elementary School

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Emergency Evacuation Shelter, School
593 W. Woodbury, Altadena, CA
Web redcrossla.org/blog/station–fire–evacuation–shelters
Serves Pasadena, Altadena, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Evacuees Impacted by the Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

This site was opened by the Red Cross late afternoon for Station Wildfire evacuee's living in the Pasadena and Altadena area.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; School, Elementary; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Sep 5, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4451

Loma Alta County Park

Animal Shelter · Standby

Pet Friendly Evacuation Shelter
3330 North Lincoln Avenue; (At Loma Alta), Altadena, CA 91001
Phone (626) 794–8811
Web www.lacountyparks.org/Parkinfo.asp?URL=cms1_033263.asp&Title=Loma%20Alta
Serves Altadena, Los Angeles, California
Eligibility Animal Evacuees – Station Wildfire 8/09
Service Temporary

You can bring your pets to this part for temporary shelter from the Station Wildfire. Be sure to bring a blanket or towel, their own food, and one of their special toys to give them some home comforts.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4449

Arcadia Mental Health Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

County Mental Health Services
330 E. Live Oak Ave., Arcadia, CA 91006

Phone 626) 821–5858 After Hours: (800) 854–7771
Hours 8–5 M–F
Serves Los Angeles County
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Triangle Complex, Sayre & Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

LTel 9/4/09: Once the 6 free sessions are exhausted, counseling cost is on a sliding scale based on income.

The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their feet and talk to their children about what happened. More information is available about these sessions by calling 1–800–854–7771.

For more information and after–hour services, contact the Department of Mental Health's ACCESS Center at (800) 854–7771. The ACCESS Center is open 24 hours a day, including holidays.

Services offered: Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health ; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3875

West Valley Mental Health Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery
7621 Canoga Avenue, Canoga Park, CA 91304

Phone (818) 598–6900 After Hours: (800) 854–7771
Hours 8–5 M–F
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Sayre Fire – 11/08
Service Temporary

9/09:

The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their feet and talk to their children about what happened. More information is available about these sessions by calling 1–800–854–7771.

The first six sessions are free. Thereafter fees are based on income/sliding scale.

The Los Angeles Department of Mental Health is offering free mental health crisis counseling services to victims of the Sayre Fire at two San Fernando Valley centers.

Those locations are:

San Fernando Valley Mental Health Center, 10605 Balboa Blvd., Suite 100, Granada Hills, (818) 832–2400; and

West Valley Mental Health Center, 7621 Canoga Ave., Canoga Park, (818) 598–6900.

Hours of operation for both centers are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information and after–hour services, contact the Department of Mental Health's ACCESS Center at (800) 854–7771. The ACCESS Center is open 24 hours a day, including holidays.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health ; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 7, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3873

Castaic Animal Shelter (1/10 Rain Storms – Large Animal Evacuations)

Animal Shelter · Open

County, Animal Services
31044 N. Charlie Canyon Rd., Castaic, CA 91384

Phone (661) 257–3191 or (818) 367–8065
Web animalcare.lacounty.gov
Hours Monday, Tuesday, Thursday - Saturday 9 AM - 5 PM Wednesday 9 AM - 7 PM Closed Sundays & Holidays
Service Temporary

1/19/10: This site is accepting large animal evacuations for the 1/10 mudslides/debris flows/flooding for La Canada–Flintridge, La Crescenta, unincorporated Glendale, and Acton (in the post burn area's of the Station Fire).

Hours:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday - Saturday 9 AM - 5 PM
Wednesday 9 AM - 7 PM
Closed Sundays and Holidays

Directions:
Take the 5 Freeway, exit on Parker Road and go east. Make right on Castaic Road merge onto Tapia Canyon Road and make a left on Charlie Canyon Road.

SERVES:

Acton (County Area)
Agua Dulce (County Area)
Bouquet Canyon (County Area)
Canyon Country (City Area)
Canyon Country (County Area)
Castaic (County Area)
Gorman (County Area)
Green Valley (County Area)
Kagel Canyon (County Area)
Lang (County Area)
Newhall (City Area)
Newhall (County Area)
San Fernando, City of
San Fernando (County Area)
Santa Clarita, City of
Saugus (City Area)
Saugus (County Area)
Stevenson Ranch (County Area)
Tujunga (County Area)
Valencia (City Area)
Valencia (County Area)

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Database, Registry, Online Lost/Found/Adoption Pet Database; Animals, Medical, Spay / Neuter Program; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Equine (Horses), Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Livestock/Large Animal Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All" Disasters; 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)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Jan 20, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3013

West Valley Care Center

Animal Shelter · Open

County, Animal Services
20655 Plummer Street, Chatsworth, CA 91311

Phone 888–4LAPET1 or 888–452–7381, FAX 818–756–9111
Web www.laanimalservices.com/wval_carecenter.htm
Hours See Notes
Serves Zip Codes Serviced: 91302* 91307 91325 91343 91367 91303 91311 91326 91344 91406 91304 91316 91330** 91356 91436 91306 91324 91335 91364
Eligibility Animals
Service Temporary

West Valley has just come through a major expansion project, more than doubling the size of the facilities to 50,000 square feet. With a large cat population in the West Valley, the new Care Center features multiple cat rooms and special cat play areas, in addition to increasing the number of cages by 68. The dog kennels have an outdoor feel, but dogs will have access to enclosed

air–conditioned spaces because of the extreme heat of the West Valley in summer. The number of dog kennels has increased from 56 to 152

HOURS OF PUBLIC OPERATION:
Monday (Closed)
Tuesday (8AM – 7PM)
Wednesday (8AM – 5PM)
Thursday (8AM – 7PM)
Friday (8AM – 5PM)
Saturday (8AM – 5PM)
Sunday (11AM – 5PM)

SERVES:

Beverly Glen
Canoga Park
Chatsworth
Encino
Fox Hills
Granada Hills
Northridge
Reseda
Tarzana
West Hills
Woodland Hills

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Database, Registry, Online Lost/Found/Adoption Pet Database; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; 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); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; VOAD, ENLA (Emergency Network Los Angeles – VOAD Chapter)
Updated Nov 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3006

Civic Auditorium

Animal Shelter · Standby

Animal Evacuation Shelter Services
1401 N Verdugo Rd., Glendale, CA 91208

Serves Glendale, La Crescenta, La Canada–Flintridge, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Animal Evacuees Impacted by the Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

8/30/09 L. Teltoe 3:53 pm:

Per the Pasadena SPCA, this site will be closing 8/30/09. They are no longer accepting pets but you can take them to the Pasadena SPCA for sheltering if you have evacuated due to the Station Wildfire

August 29, 2009 – 9:06pm

The mandatory evacuation order is still in effect for all residences within the following area of Glendale: north of Santa Carlotta between Pennsylvania and Lowell. Glendale officials announced this evening that the mandatory evacuations will remain in effect throughout the night and will be reevaluated Sunday morning.

An overnight evacuation center has been set up at Crescenta Valley High School – 2900 Community Avenue, La Crescenta

The Red Cross is providing food and water at the shelter. Also, the Humane Society has set up an area at the Civic Auditorium for pets that have been evacuated. Pets will be able to stay at the Civic Auditorium overnight.

The City's Emergency Information Center (EIC) is now operational. Glendale residents who have questions about the fire can call (818) 548–3301

August 29, 2009 – 8:35pm
Shelter updates

The evacuation shelter at Crescenta Valley High School will house residents overnight. The shelter at the

Glendale Civic Auditorium will close at approximately 10:30 pm.

The Red Cross is providing food and water at both of those shelters. Also, the Humane Society has set up an area at the Civic Auditorium for pets that have been evacuated. Pets will be able to stay at the Civic Auditorium overnight.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; Humane Society of the United States, The
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4453

Emergency Operation Center (EOC), City of Glendale (Station Fire Updates)

Info/Hotline · Standby

EOC
Glendale, CA

Phone 818–548–3301
Web www.ci.glendale.ca.us
Serves Glendale, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Impacted by the Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

Latest Update: September 3, 2009 – 1:18pm
Dunsmore Park, New York Park and Montrose Park are OPEN for use.

Deukmejian Wilderness Park and the Sports Complex are CLOSED until further notice.

September 2, 2009 – 1:00pm
The City of Glendale has lifted all mandatory evacuation orders and residents may now return to their homes. Please provide proof of identification if asked.

If you live in a neighborhood adjacent to the fire boundaries, please be aware that fire officials and equipment may remain in the area for some time, ensuring that no flare–ups occur.

Trash pick–up will resume in the mandatory evacuation area on Thursday, September 3.

The City's Emergency Information Center will close as of 4:00 pm on September 2. After that time, go to the City's website: www.ci.glendale.ca.us, or watch the City's government access Channel, GTV6 on Charter Communications or call the City's hotline at (818) 548–6464.

September 2, 2009 – 11:08am
The City of Glendale will lift the mandatory evacuation order for all remaining neighborhoods at 12 pm, Wednesday, September 2.

Residents of these neighborhoods should have identification available, if they are asked to provide this prior to entering the area.

September 2, 2009 – 8:35am
Crescenta Valley High School evacuation shelter is now closed.

The final mandatory evacuation order affecting the following streets is expected to be lifted sometime today. Watch for announcements.

Skyridge Drive north of Markridge
Brittany Lane
Arnell Place
Skyview Lane
Boston, north of Markridge
The following parks will remain closed until further notice (see map)

Deukmejian
New York
Dunsmore
Montrose
The Sports Complex

The City of Glendale Emergency Operation Center (EOC) has been activated in response to the Station Fire in the La Canada Flintridge area. Please tune in to GTV6 and continue checking this page for updated information. Glendale residents may also call the Emergency Information Center (EIC) at 818–548–3301 for fire related information.

August 30, 2009 – 12:45pm
The Animal Evacuation Center at the Civic Auditorium has been closed. Glendale residents can call the Pasadena Humane Society at 626–792–7151 for instructions on where to bring their animals.

The Glendale Humane Society may also have some limited space available. The phone number for GHS is 818–242–1128.

La Crescenta residents that have a county address will need to contact the LA SPCA in Baldwin Park at 626–962–3577.

Pets should be kept indoors as much as possible until the air quality improves

August 30, 2009 – 12:15pm
The Parks Department has closed New York and Dunsmore Park until further notice.

August 30, 2009 – 10:35am – UPDATED (11:44am)
ALERT: All schools in the Glendale Unified School District will be closed on Monday, August 31 due to the poor air quality.

Glendale Community College will hold its regularly scheduled classes on Monday, August 31.

August 30, 2009 – 9:00am
The mandatory evacuation order for the neighborhoods north of Santa Carlotta between Pennsylvania and Lowell Avenues has been lifted. Residents may begin returning to their homes at 9:00 am on Sunday, August 30. However, proof of identification with an address will need to be presented in order to enter these neighborhoods.

The emergency evacuation center at Crescenta Valley High School will remain open until further notice.

Glendale residents are advised that the air quality will remain poor for several days.

August 29, 2009 – 9:06pm
The mandatory evacuation order is still in effect for all residences within the following area of Glendale: north of Santa Carlotta between Pennsylvania and Lowell. Glendale officials announced this evening that the mandatory evacuations will remain in effect throughout the night and will be reevaluated Sunday morning.

An overnight evacuation center has been set up at Crescenta Valley High School – 2900 Community Avenue, La Crescenta

The Red Cross is providing food and water at the shelter. Also, the Humane Society has set up an area at the Civic Auditorium for pets that have been evacuated. Pets will be able to stay at the Civic Auditorium overnight.

The City's Emergency Information Center (EIC) is now operational. Glendale residents who have questions about the fire can call (818) 548–3301

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Shelter updates

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August 29, 2009 – 8:00pm
Station Fire Update

Press Release: http://www.ci.glendale.ca.us/StationFire8pm.pdf

City's Emergency Operations Center (EIC) is now operational, call (818) 548–3301 with questions about the fire.

August 29, 2009 – 5:57pm
Click here (pdf) to view the approximate perimeters for the station fire from last night and today. (see map)

August 29, 2009 – 5:46pm
A second emergency shelter has been established at Crescenta Valley High School, 2900 Community Avenue in La Crescenta.

August 29, 2009 – 2:16pm
The City of Glendale has ordered mandatory evacuations of all residences within the following area:

Santa Carlotta North between Pennsylvania and Lowell (See Map.)

The Civic Auditorium at 1401 N. Verdugo Road is now open as an emergency shelter.

The Red Cross is providing food and water for those using this shelter. The Humane Society has also set up an area for any pets that have been evacuated.

August 29, 2009 – 1:58pm
The Station Fire has moved West into the area above Deukmejian Park. Residents of the area should stay tuned to GTV6 or visit the City of Glendale website at www.ci.glendale.ca.us for information, as mandatory evacuations will be ordered soon. More information to follow on affected neighborhoods and an emergency evacuation shelter. Please have your family assembled and belongings packed.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Disaster Updates, Community (Local); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter, Updates/Status
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4454

Glendale Civic Auditorium (Shelter Opened 1/20/10 A.M. – Mudslides/Floods/Debris Flows)

Shelter · Open

Red Cross Evacuation Shelter
1401 No. Verdugo, Glendale, CA 91208

Phone (626) 799–0841 (Red Cross – San Gabriel Pomona Valley Chapter)
Web www.sgpvarc.org/Default.aspx
Serves Glendale, La Crescenta, La Canada–Flintridge, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Evacuee's – 1/10 Slides/Debris Flows/Floods – Post Station Fire Burn Area's
Service Temporary

This site opened early a.m. 1/20/10 to shelter evacuee's of the post Station Fire burn area's (La Canada–Flintridge, Glendale, La Crescenta).

The mandatory evac's became effective for approximately 700 homes this morning at 9 a.m. and will last as long as up to Mon. 1/25/10.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Water, ** Bottles, Single Servings, Cases (ANY/ALL cases of single serve sizes)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Jun 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5080

Glendale Humane Society

Animal Shelter · Open

Non–Profit – SPCA No Kill Shelter
717 W. Ivy Street, Glendale, CA 91204
Phone 818.242.1128, Fax: 818.242.4565
Web www.glendalehumane.org
Serves Glendale, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Animals
Service Temporary

The Glendale Humane Society is a private non–profit 501(c)(3) humane rescue and education organization, founded in 1924. For more than 80 years, the GHS has worked to find safe, loving homes for lost, unwanted and abandoned companion animals in Southern California.

We are a no–kill facility. The majority of our animals come from city and county shelters that routinely euthanize adoptable animals due to over–crowded conditions. Once at Glendale Humane Society, these animals remain in our care until placed in loving, permanent homes.

Email: info@glendalehumane.org

Hours:

Office and Kennels: Tuesday – Friday 10 AM – 4 PM, Saturday & Sunday 11:30 AM–5:30 PM

Cat Room and Kitten Nursery: 12 PM – 4 PM

Closed on Mondays and most major Holidays

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animal Adoption Events; Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care, Foster Homes, Dogs & Cats, Volunteer; Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Database, Registry, Online Lost/Found/Adoption Pet Database; Animals, Medical, Medical Care for Animals; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Animals, Dog Obedience Training; 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)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; EScrip
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3012

La Canada High School – South Gym (Opened 2/6/10 – Debris Flows/Mudslides/Rain Storms – Post Station Fire Burn Areas)

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Emergency Evacuation Shelter, School
4463 Oak Grove Drive, La Canada Flintridge, CA 91011
Phone (818) 952–4200
Web www.sgpvarc.org/Default.aspx
Serves La Canada/Flintridge, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Mudslide/Flood/Debris Flow Evacuees
Service Temporary

All but 60 homes at the top of Oceanview were released from the mandatory evac. p.m. 2/6/10.

OPENED approx. 11:30 a.m. 2/6/10 – "more facilities for shelter being opened – phase II of evac's – 400–500 residents in La Canada–Flintrdige – Oceanview area of the foothills"

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Feb 9, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4443

Crescenta Valley High School

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Emergency Evacuation Shelter, School
2900 Community Ave., La Crescenta, CA 91214

Web redcrossla.org/blog/station–fire–evacuation–shelters
Serves La Crescenta, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Evacuees Impacted by the Station Wildfire 8/09
Service Temporary

Red Cross has opened another shelter at this site for evacuees of the Station Wildfire.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Sep 5, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4452

Hansen Dam Park & Rec. Area – Station Wildfire Incident Command Center

Info/Hotline · Standby

Various
11770 Foothill Blvd., Lake View Terrace, CA 91342

Serves La Canada–Flintridge, Alta Dena, Angeles National Forest, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Station Wildfire Incident
Service Temporary

This is the same site utilized as the Incident Command Center for the Sayre and Marek Wildfires and is now being used for the Station Wildfire 8/09.

Local County Fire Departments and firefighters from all over the state of California, Los Angeles County Sherriff's, L.A. County Animal Services, Dept. of Forestry, Utility companies, Conservation Corp., OES, Disaster Communications and many more entities are present and efficiently established.

It's an impressive and orderly sight to see. State of the art technology and equipment is in place to support fire fighting efforts, several hand washing stations and showers are set up. A large kitchen is available with covered eating area, plenty of outdoor bathrooms and small tents are in place.

The mood is calm and deliberate.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Incident Command Post
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; CERT (Community Emergency Response Team); Government, State/County; Government, State Government Department/Agency
Updated Jun 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4447

Lancaster Animal Shelter

Animal Shelter · Open

County, Animal Services
5210 W. Avenue I, Lancaster, CA 93536

Phone 661–940–4191
Serves Lancaster, Acton, Los Angeles County, California
Service Temporary

8:15 pm PST 9/1/09 LTel – Call to site:

Officer Dibene reports they have plenty of room at this time and are accepting Station Wildfire evacuated animals, both large and small (despite online/news sources stating "small pets only"). They do not need any bedding because it's just too warm right now. They are fine on food and other supplies, but he took my number in the event that anything comes up and they need help. He said what is critical right now is "Juniper Hills". They are watching that area of the fire carefully.

Hours:
Monday - Thursday 12:00 PM - 7 PM
Friday - Saturday 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Closed Sundays and Holidays

Directions:
Exit 14 Freeway at Ave. I,
Go West to shelter.

Proudly serving the cities/areas of:

Lake Elizabeth (County Area)
Lake Hughes (County Area)
Lake Los Angeles (County Area)
Lancaster, City of
Lancaster (County Area)
Leona Valley (County Area)
Llano (County Area)
Palmdale, City of
Palmdale (County Area)
Pearblossom (County Area)
Quartz Hill (County Area)
Valyermo (County Area)

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Livestock/Large Animal Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; Government, State/County
Updated Aug 1, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4458

California Department of Insurance

Info/Hotline · Open

Governmental
Consumer Services Division; 300 South Spring Street, South Tower, Los Angeles, CA 90013
Phone 800–927–HELP (4357)(Calling from within Ca.), 213–897–8921 (Outside California), 800–482–4833 (TDD)
Web www.insurance.ca.gov/wf–con–info/index.cfm
Serves Los Angeles County
Eligibility Impacted by the '09 Station Wildfires

Consumer Services

Consumer Communications Bureau (Hotline)
The Department's statewide toll–free consumer Hotline, 800–927–HELP (4357), provides callers with immediate access to current information on insurance issues. The Hotline is staffed by knowledgeable insurance professionals who can answer questions, give direction, and provide assistance to consumers who are experiencing insurance related problems or concerns. By calling the Hotline, a consumer can ask questions on insurance claims and underwriting practices as well as check the license status of his/her insurance company, agent, or broker.

Hotlines

Consumer Hotline
1–800–927–HELP (4357)
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. M–F

Producer Hotline
1–800–967–9331
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. M–F

California Low Cost
Auto Insurance Program
1–866–60–AUTO–1

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 5, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2372

ENLA (Emergency Network Los Angeles – Los Angeles County VOAD)

Info/Hotline · Open

Non Profit – Disaster Prepardness/Response/Recovery (VOAD)
900 West James Wood Blvd. (9th St.), Los Angeles, CA 90015
Phone (424) 421–4349, (213) 629–1974
Web www.enla.org

2025 fire response:
https://www.laworks.com/2025fires
NOT accepting supply donations, need money and volunteers

info@enla.org

3/1/10
2010 CHILE EARTHQUAKE
http://www.enla.org/breaking_news.htm

LTel 11/25/08:

ENLA had their first meeting which included the VOAD member representatives and registered FEMA families on 11/24/08.

The next meeting is closed and will be the first LTRC Planning meeting on 12/04/08 at 6:30 pm. The location is TBA.

Emergency Network Los Angeles, Inc. (ENLA) is a network of Los Angeles County, non profit, community based organizations (CBOs) that provide assistance to individuals, families, and organizations following emergencies and disasters. ENLA works in coordination with government agencies and the private sector.

ENLA is recognized by the Los Angeles County Operational Area and the City of Los Angeles as the networking agency for community based oganizations.

ENLA is the Los Angeles County VOAD (Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters), and is recognized by Southern California VOAD and National VOAD.

ENLA is incorporated as a 501(c)(3) organization under the laws of the State of California.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Health; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, First Response, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Training Classes, First Response, Search & Rescue
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; 2010 Chile Earthquake; 2025 California Wildfires; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Catholic Charities; Childrens Hunger Fund; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; Humane Society of the United States, The; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response; Salvation Army; Society of St. Vincent de Paul; Tzu Chi Foundation; United Way; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Jan 9, 2025 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2257

Goodwill Southern California

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief
342 San Fernando Road, Los Angeles, CA 90031

Phone Toll Free: (888) 4–GOODWILL or (888) 446–6394 Local: (323) 223–1211
Web www.goodwillsocal.org
Serves Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, CA
Eligibility Needy, Disaster Impacted Communities
Service Permanent

Aug. 31, 2009 — Goodwill is now accepting donations of used clothing and household items on behalf of Southern California wildfire victims who are being assisted by the American Red Cross of Greater Los Angeles. Donations will enable victims of the current wildfires to obtain free vouchers that can be redeemed at Goodwill's retail stores.

To donate items for individuals affected by the wildfires, please go to any one of the Goodwill Southern California's more than 100 locations located throughout Los Angeles (north of Rosecrans), Riverside and San Bernardino counties and specify that the donation is for Red Cross wildfire relief efforts. To locate the Goodwill drop–off location nearest to you, please call (888) 4–GOODWILL or visit http://www.goodwillsocal.org/. Goodwill cannot accept food or water.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Household Item Vouchers; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Goodwill
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2339

KNX 1070 NEWSRADIO

Info/Hotline · Open

Media
5670 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite #200, Los Angeles, CA 90036

Web www.knx1070.com
Serves Los Angeles County, Orange County, Ventura County, Riverside County, San Bernardino County, San Diego County
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Information Resource, Weather Updates/Warnings; Information Resource, Wildfire Incident Information & Updates; Media, Broadcast Media; Media, Online News Reports; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Oct 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4465

L.A. Works

Info/Hotline · Open

Volunteer Registry
570 W. Ave 26, Suite 400, Los Angeles, CA 90065
Phone (323) 224-6510
Web www.laworks.com
Serves Los Angeles County
Service Temporary

9/09 from the website:

Many people want to volunteer in response to the fires burning in Los Angeles County. The most important thing you can do, however, is to not self-deploy to a fire-affected area, shelter, or other area where fire response or recovery is taking place. The situation remains unpredictable and extremely dangerous, and trained first-responders continue to struggle to get a handle on the fires.

11/08 From the website:

Los Angeles County Fire Response

Now that firefighters and other emergency first-responders have contained the L.A. area fires, the long and challenging work of recovery in fire-affected areas has begun. Volunteer assistance is most often needed during the long-term recovery period after an incident takes place. L.A. Works, in partnership with the Volunteer Center of Los Angeles, have created a L.A. County Fire Response Team to be ready to respond to the need for volunteers during this period. Please join this team to be notified of how you can help when the call goes out for volunteers.

Volunteering with L.A. Works
L.A. Works offers a variety of ways for volunteers to get involved, whether for just a couple of hours or as an ongoing commitment to service. You must register and/or log in to sign up for projects.

Types of Volunteer Opportunities
Calendar Opportunities
If you only have a few hours, consider signing up for a one-time project on our volunteer calendar. Most of these projects take place on evenings during the week or during the day on the weekends and only require a few hours. The majority of these projects are managed by L.A. Works for our non-profit partners and are led by trained volunteer Project Leaders. Click the "SIGN ME UP" button and you'll receive confirmation and further information immediately via email.

Ongoing Opportunities
L.A. Works also lists ongoing opportunities for partner agencies needing volunteers on a long-term or ongoing basis. These opportunities are all referrals and have a "HAVE AGENCY CONTACT ME" button that you can click if you are interested. Partner agencies should respond to your inquiry within 72 hours with more information.

Long-Term Opportunities
L.A. Works also manages long-term opportunities such as "Let's Read" and "TeamWorks" that provide a richer, more cohesive volunteer experience for you and the agencies we work with. These projects happen periodically and are featured on our homepage when they occur.

Project Leadership
Are you interested in assuming a more active role in your community? If so, become an L.A. Works Project Leader and lead on an issue that you care deeply about! Find out about becoming a Project Leader.

Group Opportunities
L.A. Works makes it easy to create a club or family team. Click here to learn more about creating a volunteer team and signing it up for projects.

Corporate Opportunities
Our BusinessWorks program is the leader in corporate community service and volunteering in Los Angeles. Follow the link to find out about the different ways that your company can get involved.

Services offered: Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer, Long-Term Volunteer Opportunities; Volunteer Opportunities, Holiday; 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(s); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility)

Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; Hands On Network
Updated Aug 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3879

Los Angeles County Disaster Communications (DCS)

Info/Hotline · Open

County
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department; Emergency Operations Bureau; Disaster Communications Service; 1275 North Eastern Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90063

Phone (323) 980–2246
Web www.lacdcs.org
Serves Los Angeles County
Service Temporary

Founded in 1951, the Los Angeles County Disaster Communications Service
(DCS) is a volunteer organization administered by the Sheriff's Department Emergency Operations Bureau for the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. Our main function, authorized under County Ordinance, is to provide disaster relief communication for the citizens of Los Angeles County.

Over 800 Members donate over 100,000 man–hours a year at no cost to the Taxpayer!

Each City in the County has chosen amateur radio as their government communications back–up system. During major incidents our members serve as a critical link that allows information and ultimately resources to get to their destination. Our members coordinate, transmit and receive command and liaison traffic while staffing locations and shadowing key personnel. This allows County Government and City Governments; Law Enforcement and Fire Agencies and other disaster relief agencies to coordinate and communicate their efforts in real time.

The Disaster Communications Service is headquartered at the County Emergency Operations Center. DCS operates at each Sheriff Station in addition to Emergency Operations Centers in 56 Cities, Fire Stations and with other agencies throughout Los Angeles County.

The Amateur Radio equipment installed at each Sheriff Station is owned by the County, as is a mountain–top repeater station and mobile command units. All other equipment is owned by individual members or by a volunteer organization formed by the members.

In our ongoing effort to provide excellent service, DCS members must participate in ongoing drills and training programs.

Our Rapid Deployment Team is staffed by members assigned to each Station and is capable of activating and providing services anywhere in the County in two hours or less. This Team has additional qualifications and training requirements.

DCS members have fully integrated into the emergency response plan, local stations; hospital's and regularly work alongside Law Enforcement and other agencies including County and City Fire, Red Cross, the FBI and FEMA.

When all else fails; Amateur Radio works.

The Disaster Communications Service proudly serves the County of Los Angeles.

If you would prefer to speak with us voice to voice please call our office at (323) 980 – 2246.

You may also reach us via mail at:
Los Angeles County Emergency Operations Bureau
County Emergency Operations Center
Attn: Jeff Jablonsky, DCS Coordinator
1275 North Eastern Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90063

Services offered: Communications, Equipment, Radio, Ham Radio; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, West Coast Region; Services, Disaster Response; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Incident Staging, Training; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Training Classes, Disaster Response; Training Classes, Traffic Control; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; Government, State/County
Updated Sep 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3014

North Central Care Center (Los Angeles County Animal Services Headquarters)

Animal Shelter · Open

County, Animal Services
3201 Lacy Street, Los Angeles, CA 90031

Phone 888–4LAPET1 or 888–452–7381, FAX 213–847–0555
Web www.laanimalservices.com/nc_carecenter.htm
Serves Zip Codes Serviced: 90004 90015 90023* 90029 90038 90057 90071 90012 90017 90026 90031 90039 90063* 90013 90020 90027 90032 90041 90065 90014 90021 90028 90033 90042 90068
Eligibility Animals
Checks payable to http://www.laanimalservices.com/volunteer.htm

Service Temporary

In emergency evacuation situations, donations such as pet food for example, should be delivered directly to this headquarters site so they can distribute to their other facilities efficiently.

North Central opened its new major expansion on October 5th, 2006, increasing kennels from 73 to 246, and adding behavior assessment areas and a pasture. Phase II, renovations of the remaining portions of the facility, will start after completion of the other new Care Centers complete major construction.

HOURS OF PUBLIC OPERATION:
Monday (Closed)
Tuesday (8AM – 7PM)
Wednesday (8AM – 5PM)
Thursday (8AM – 7PM)
Friday (8AM – 5PM)
Saturday (8AM – 5PM)
Sunday (11AM – 5PM)

Fixnation Cat Spay/Neuter Clinic
Phone: 818–524–2287

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animal Adoption Events; Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Database, Registry, Online Lost/Found/Adoption Pet Database; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Livestock/Large Animal Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters; 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)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3010

Red Cross, Greater Los Angeles (CROWN/BRIGGS WILDFIRE EVAC UPDATES – 7–29–10)

Info/Hotline · Open

Red Cross
11355 Ohio Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90025

Phone 310–445–9900 OR Public Inquiries, Call (310) 943–5268 HOTLINE for general hotline / 1(866) GET–INFO (438–4636)
Web www.redcrossla.org
Serves Los Angeles, Agoura Hills, Bell, Beverly Hills, Burbank, Calabasas, Carson, Cudahy, City of Commerce, Compton, Culver City, El Segundo, Gardena, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Hidden Hills, Huntington Park, Inglewood, Lawndale, Lynwood, Malibu, Manhatten Beach
Service Temporary

Wildfire in Acton, Palmdale forces thousands to evacuate; Red Cross opens shelters

(Updated July 29, 10:00 pm) There are two fires burning in the Acton and Agua Dulce area of Los Angeles County. The Briggs Incident and Crown Incident broke out in the Acton area this afternoon.

The Crown fire has burned approximately 500 acres, with 0% containment, and is burning towards portions of Leona Valley.

The Briggs fire has burned approximately 450 acres, with 0% containment. Strike teams, air tankers, and 400 personnel have responded to the fires

The fire forced the evacuation of Leona Valley, an unincorporated town of 2,200 people west of Palmdale.

Anne Ambrose, City of Palmdale says that they are evacuating 4,000 people in Palmdale — not including Leona Valley and Quartz Hill.

Animal Care and Control has deployed animal emergency response teams to the scene to assist with animal evacuations, if needed.

In Response the Red Cross Los Angeles Region has opened up three shelters for those needing shelter tonight at the following locations:

Acton Community Center, 3748 Nichels Street, Acton, CA 93510

Agua Dulce Elementary School, 11311 W. Frascati, Santa Clarita, CA 91390 (near Agua Dulce)

Marie Kerr Recreation Center, 2730 West Rancho Vista Blvd, Palmdale, CA 93551

The Los Angeles Chapter of the Red Cross discontinued their services and participation in the San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group (serving Sesnon/Marek/Sayre Wildfire Survivors) on 4/24/09

The American Red Cross provides emergency food, clothing, shelter, and medical assistance to individuals and families affected by a disaster.

The “SAFE andWELL” List provides a way to register online as “safe and well.” From a list of standard messages, you can select those that you want to communicate to your family members, letting them know of your well–being.

Areas Served Continued from Above:

Maywood/Pacific Palisades/Palos Verdes Estates/Rancho Palos Verdes/Redondo Beach/Rolling Hills/Rolling Hills Estates/San Fernando/Santa Clarita/South Gate
Torrance/Vernon/West Hollywood/Westlake Village/North Hollywood/Shadow Hills
Sun Valley/Studio City/Toluca Lake/Tujunga

Main Contact: 310–445–9900
Info Center (Emergency Disaster Response): 310–445–2666

Red Cross Los Angeles County Locations:

Chapter Headquarters
and West Los Angeles Service Center
11355 Ohio Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Phone: (310) 445–9900

Burbank Service Center
101 South First Street, Suite 204
Burbank, CA 91502
Phone: (818) 842–5295

East Los Angeles Service Center
2227 S. Atlantic Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90040
Phone: (323) 780–7660

Inglewood Service Center
9800 S. La Cienega Blvd, Suite 101
Inglewood, CA 90301
Phone: 310 642–0230

Koreatown/Wilshire Service Center
501 Shatto Place, Suite 100
Los Angeles, CA 90020
Phone: (213) 351–6765

Santa Clarita Valley Service Center
23838 Valencia Blvd., Suite 120
City of Santa Clarita, CA 91355
Phone: (661) 259–1805

Torrance Service Center
1995 W. 190th Street, Suite 100
Torrance, CA 90504
Phone: (310) 225–2900

Van Nuys Service Center
6850 Van Nuys Blvd., Suite 110
Van Nuys, CA 91405
Phone: (818) 376–1700

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, Emergency/Evacuation Shelter Operations; Training Classes, Red Cross, Disaster Action Team Training; Training Classes, Safety Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Salvation Army; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Jul 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2244

Salvation Army, Los Angeles Area

Info/Hotline · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Disaster Response/Recovery, Community

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DIVISION; 900 West James M. Wood Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90015

Phone (213) 389–6774 / (213) 896–9160
Serves Los Angeles County
Eligibility 2008 California Wildfire Survivors
Service Temporary

The Salvation Army is currently providing case management services to Sayre, Sesnon & Marek Wildfires survivors through the San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group

To register for survivor assistance, go to:

www.rebuildsylmar.org

Services offered: Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; CARe, Inc. (Community Assisted Recovery); Catholic Charities; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Hope Coalition America (A Division of Operation Hope); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Salvation Army; Tzu Chi Foundation; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)

Updated Aug 29, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3930

United Way of Greater Los Angeles

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community Outreach/Disaster Recovery/Relief

523 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, CA 90014

Phone (213) 808–6220
Web www.unitedwayla.org/Pages/default.aspx
Hours 8:30–5 M–F
Serves Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Impacted by Poverty/Substance Abuse, In Need of Community Services / Impacted by the 11/07 Sayre Wildfire
Service Permanent

United Way's of Southern California have set up a fund to help the victims of the recent devastating wildfires. The fund will focus primarily on the aftermath to ensure community–wide healing. Questions can be directed to 1–866–571–7193 or by email to socalfund@unitedwayla.org or donate online at:

https://donor.united–e–way.org/?campaign=uwscff

Donor services
For information on your gift, please call (866) 366–7335, or e–mail donorservices@unitedwayla.org

Tocqueville Society
For inquiries about major gifts, please contact Jeffrey Janis, Director of Major Gifts, 213.808.6246 or e–mail jjanis@unitedwayla.org

Media contact
For media inquiries, please contact Taulene Ayoub, Director of Communications, 213.808.6436 or e–mail tayoub@unitedwayla.org

Center for Community Research Solutions
For research and social reports enquires, please e–mail research@unitedwayla.org

Regional Offices
Antelope and Santa Clarita Valleys
42442 10th Street West, Suite A
Lancaster, CA 93534
Phone: (661)874–4285

San Fernando & San Gabriel Valleys
5121 Van Nuys Boulevard, Suite #206
Sherman Oaks, CA 91403
Phone: (818) 574–3910

Harbor Area
3515 Linden Avenue
Long Beach, California 90807
(562) 472–2140

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Homelessness Relief Services; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; United Way
Updated Feb 8, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3888

EDIS – Emergency Digital Information Service

Info/Hotline · Open

Emergency Communications
Governor's Office of Emergency Services; EDIS Program; 3650 Schriever Avenue, Mather, CA 95655

Phone (916) 845–8610
Web edis.oes.ca.gov
Service Temporary

The Emergency Digital Information Service (EDIS) delivers official information about emergencies and disasters to the public and the news media in California.

EDIS has been in continuous operation since 1990. In 1999 the statewide EDIS network was upgraded to add image and sound capabilities and to use an advanced satellite datacast technology for reliable statewide service.

You can receive EDIS messages in your e–mail or on your wireless cell phone or pager by going to About EDIS on website!

Services offered: Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; Government, State Government Department/Agency
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4464

Northeast Animal Shelter (Opened to Sm. Pets – 1/20/10 – Slides/Debris Flows/ Floods)

Animal Shelter · Open

County, Animal Services
15321 Brand Blvd., Mission Hills, CA 91345

Web animalcare.lacounty.gov/locationbycity.asp
Serves Sunland–Tujunga, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Post Station Fire Burn Area Pet Evacuees
Service Temporary

Small animals can be taken to the Northeast Animal Shelter, the Los Angeles County Animal Care and Control Shelter, the Pasadena Humane Society and the Baldwin Park Shelter

Services offered: Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Jan 20, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5081

World Vision, Los Angeles Storehouse

Warehouse · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
800 W. Chestnut Ave. Mail Stop #744, Monrovia, CA 91016

Phone (323) 888–2121
Web www.worldvision.org/losangeles
Eligibility Eligible org's must be 5013c's serving disaster related needs AND/OR serving ongoing community needs (ie. homeless shelter, community programs, etc.).
Checks payable to World Vision
Service Permanent

NOTE: Items listed as available, are strictly the typical that is available. This is not a guarantee that 100% of the time those items are available. Check with the storehouse to confirm the types of donations on hand.

Services offered: Bags, Backpack; Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Bra's, All Sizes * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; * KITS, SCHOOL BAG KITS, NEW Items ONLY; School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); School, Supplies, Backpacks (For School Children); Sports Equipment, Balls * (ANY/ALL Types); Sports Equipment, Balls, Basketballs; Support for "All" Disasters; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – Ages 4–7 (ANY/ALL

Types); Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Do Your Part; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Salvation Army
Updated Oct 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2614

Do Your Part

Info/Hotline · Open

Non–Profit Disaster Recovery/Relief
15835 Bahama Street, North Hills, CA 91343

Phone	Schlene Boundy: 818–326–5037
Web	www.doyourpart,org
Serves	Southern California (Los Angeles County) currently
Eligibility	Residents impacted by the '07 & '08 SoCal Wildfires / Organizations/Agencies needing Disaster Response/Recovery Support & Coordination
Checks payable to	Do Your Part (PayPal Online available at website)
Service	Permanent

FACEBOOK: https://www.facebook.com/DYPCommunity/

TWITTER: @doyourpartorg

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Drive, Fundraising Drives, Backpacks; First Responder, West Coast Region; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Management, Supply Chain Management Advice; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Support for "All" Disasters; 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); Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire; 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2010 Haiti Earthquake, Orphanages/Childrens Homes; 2011 Japan Earthquake/Tsunami/Nuclear Disasters; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; 2013 Oklahoma Tornadoes; 2013 Philippines Super Typhoon Haiyan–Yolanda; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; America's Disaster Relief; CARe, Inc. (Community Assisted Recovery); Catholic Charities; CERT (Community Emergency Response Team); Do Your Part; Fuel Relief Fund; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Hope Coalition America (A Division of Operation Hope); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response; MMRC (Materials Management Relief Corp); Salvation Army; True Love Live; VOAD, ENLA (Emergency Network Los Angeles – VOAD Chapter); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member); World Cares Center
Updated Sep 11, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/583

CARe, Inc. (Community Assisting Recovery)

Info/Hotline · Open

Non Profit – Disaster Prepardness/Response/Recovery
19360 Rinaldi Street, PMB 220, Northridge, CA 91326

Phone	888–216–8264 OR 800–748–9791 (leave a message)
Web	www.carehelp.org
Serves	Poway, Rancho Bernardino, Lakeside and East County, Los Angeles County, Orange County, Santa Barbara County
Eligibility	Impacted by Disaster/Wildfires
Service	Permanent

CARe, Succeeds in Additional $46 Million Sayre Fire Insurance Recovery

CARe worked in conjunction with Los Angeles city councilman's office, Richard Alarcon, to identify and resolve insurance settlement issues that resulted in the California Department of Insurance announcement of $46,000,000 in additional insurance funds for at least 360 residents of the Oakridge Mobile Park community.

Read the full press release here:

http://www.carehelp.org/hot_topics/pressreleases/090421SayreFirePR.pdf

See news coverage here: http://abclocal.go.com/kabc/video?id=6773445

CA Dept. of Insurance Fact Sheet here:

http://www.insurance.ca.gov/0400–news/0100–press–releases/0080–2009/upload/AIGFactSheet042409.pdf

Tea Fire, Sayre Fire and Triangle Complex Fire Survivors

If you have a neighbor, friend or other loved one who lost (or had partial loss of) their home in a recent fire, please email them a link to our website, or print out this flyer and give it to them:

http://www.carehelp.org/downloads/handouts/CAReFlyer.pdf

We are in your neighborhood our information is in your recovery centers. Please register on this website or call us to get into the information loop and for up to date recovery information and assistance!

Online registration link for survivors is at:

http://www.carehelp.org/register.php

WELCOME to CARe! Providing free disaster recovery help, information and guidance for over ten years. Groups are currently forming in Poway, Rancho Bernardino, Lakeside and East County. We are looking for volunteers in other effected areas. We also have ongoing work in Lake Tahoe.

Be aware that any successful recovery process takes time, and requires complete awareness of your actual damages and knowledge of ALL the benefits of your insurance policy(ies).

We have three ways we can assist you. Handouts and educational materials, meetings and lectures and one on one appointments.

Purpose
Community Assisting Recovery, CARe, is a grass roots non–profit, tax–exempt 501c3 corporation working to restore and strengthen damaged buildings following a disaster (or single event) by educating residents, property owners and construction professionals in the disaster recovery process.

CARe's volunteers are SURVIVORS of natural disasters, and are dedicated to making your path to a normal life after a disaster shorter and easier because of their caring and expertise. Our pages are filled with helpful tips and web links. Have a look around.

History
CARe, with a grant from Fannie Mae, originated in Los Angeles in response to the Northridge Earthquake. Since April 1994, CARe has assisted thousands of homeowners, at no cost to them, to obtain information and resources to rebuild their earthquake, and more recently, wind, fire and flood damaged properties.

CARe has brought to the communities it has served in excess of 3 billion dollars in insurance funds and other resources. For more than eleven years, often through questions raised by property owners at these workshops, CARe has developed a unique understanding of damage detection in, and repair options for, residential and commercial structures.

CARe has provided:

* Damage and loss documentation for mediation and litigation.
* Consultant in disaster victim tax relief legislation
* Testimony at public insurance and disaster hearings
* Participation in successful suite against 20th Century Insurance Company petitioned to the US Supreme Court.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Central Pacific Coast Jesusita Wildfire; 2009 Station Wildfire; CARe, Inc. (Community Assisted Recovery)
Updated Aug 29, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2330

Marie Kerr Park Rec. Ctr. (CLOSED 7/31/10 – CROWN/BRIGGS WILDFIRE – RED CROSS SHELTER)

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Evacuation Shelter, Community Ctr.
2723 A Rancho Vista Boulevard, Palmdale, CA 93550

Web redcrossla.org/blog/station–fire–evacuation–shelters
Serves Acton, Palmdale, Santa Clarita, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Evacuees impacted by the Floods/Slides/Debris Flows related to the 1/10 Rain Storms – Post Station Fire Burn Areas
Service Temporary

7/31/10 UPDATE FROM THE RED CROSS LOS ANGELES CHAPTER SITE:

Red Cross Closes Marie Kerr Shelter

Mandatory evacuation orders have been lifted for areas affected by the Crown fire in Palmdale and Leona Valley. In response, the American Red Cross has closed the last of it's shelters opened due to the fires — the Marie Kerr Park shelter.

The Crown fire scorched almost 14,00 acres in Northern Los Angeles and was estimated at being 82% contained Saturday afternoon.

During the fire, the American Red Cross set up three shelters:

* Acton Community Center
* Agua Dulce Elementary School
* Marie Kerr Park

Because the fire is still burning, the Red Cross remains on watch for any new response requests.

At the height of the crisis, which began late Thursday afternoon, almost 200 people sought shelter at an American Red Cross shelter in Palmdale's Marie Kerr Park.

(NOTE: The RC info below quotes "500 acres burned" – that was hours ago – it is over 4500 acres at this point at 10:57 p.m.)

From the Red Cross L.A. Chapter Site:

Wildfire in Acton, Palmdale forces thousands to evacuate; Red Cross opens shelters

(Updated July 29, 10:00 pm) There are two fires burning in the Acton and Agua Dulce area of Los Angeles County. The Briggs Incident and Crown Incident broke out in the Acton area this afternoon.

The Crown fire has burned approximately 500 acres, with 0% containment, and is burning towards portions of Leona Valley. FROM THE L.A. Red Cross Chapter site 7/29/10 – 10 p.m.:

The Briggs fire has burned approximately 450 acres, with 0% containment. Strike teams, air tankers, and 400 personnel have responded to the fires

The fire forced the evacuation of Leona Valley, an unincorporated town of 2,200 people west of Palmdale.

Anne Ambrose, City of Palmdale says that they are evacuating 4,000 people in Palmdale — not including Leona Valley and Quartz Hill.

Animal Care and Control has deployed animal emergency response teams to the scene to assist with animal evacuations, if needed.

In Response the Red Cross Los Angeles Region has opened up three shelters for those needing shelter tonight at the following locations:

Acton Community Center, 3748 Nichels Street, Acton, CA 93510

Agua Dulce Elementary School, 11311 W. Frascati, Santa Clarita, CA 91390 (near Agua Dulce)

Marie Kerr Recreation Center, 2730 West Rancho Vista Blvd, Palmdale, CA 93551

This shelter site was opened on 1/20/10 to house evacuee's in the Acton area where the post burn regions of the Station Fire due to Mudslides, Floods and Debris Flows.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Aug 1, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4472

Red Cross, Antelope Valley Chapter (SERVING CROWN FIRE 7/29/10)

Info/Hotline · Open

Red Cross
2715 E Avenue P, Palmdale, CA 93550
Phone (661) 267–0650
Web antelopevalley.redcross.org/index.html
Service Temporary

As of 11:49 p.m. 7–29–10 no updates on the site were noted on the site for the Crown Fire (See the Red Cross Greater Los Angeles Chapter for updates) – LTel

Services are provided 365 days per year – 24 hours per day. Programs include, but are not limited to:

Service to the military, veterans, and their families
Disaster preparedness and relief
Health and safety education and training
Youth programs
Blood
Community networking

The Antelope Valley Chapter serves the cities of:
Acton
Boron
California City
Gorman
Inyokern
Johannesburg

Lake Elizabeth
Lake Los Angeles
Lake Hughes
Lancaster
Littlerock
Llano
Mojave
Palmdale
Pearblossom
Quartz Hill
Randsberg
Red Mountain
Ridgecrest
Rosamond
Sandberg
North Edwards
Valyermo

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, Red Cross, Disaster Action Team Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First-Aid Certification; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth Program
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Jul 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2258

Volunteer Center of Los Angeles (Assistance League of So. California)

Info/Hotline · Open

Volunteer Registry
8134 Van Nuys Blvd., #200, Panorma City, CA 91402
Phone 818.908.5066 Fax: 818.908.5147
Web www.vcla.net/home.htm
Hours 9.00am -5.00pm M-Fri.
Serves Los Angeles County, CA / Impacted by the 11/07 Sayre Wildfire

Many people want to volunteer in response to the fires burning in Los Angeles County. The most important thing you can do, however, is to not self-deploy to a fire-affected area, shelter, or other area where fire response or recovery is taking place. The situation remains unpredictable and extremely dangerous, and trained first-responders continue to struggle to get a handle on the fires.

Updates on the fires, including evacuation notices and road closures, can be found at the L.A. County Fire Department website as well as the California Emergency Management Agency website.

The best way for you to help is to be part of an organized response. L.A. Works, in partnership with the Volunteer Center of Los Angeles, has created an L.A. County Fire Response Team to be ready to respond to volunteer needs as they are identified. We have begun surveying the situation in coordination with emergency response professionals, and as a member of the L.A. County Fire Response Team, you will be the first to be notified when the call goes out for volunteers.

To join the L.A. County Fire Response Team:
If you are already a registered L.A. Works Volunteer with an account on this site, Click here to log-in and join the team: http://www.laworks.com/MemberCenter/index.php?_mode=MyTeams_Detail&entityID=66263

If you are not already registered on this site, please follow these instructions (the entire process will take no more than three minutes).
1) Create a member account.
2) You will be sent an activation email. (If it's not there, check your spam/junk folder.)
3) Return to this page by clicking on the L.A. Works logo on the upper left.
4) Complete by clicking here to join the team.

VCLA is the premier agency promoting volunteerism in Los Angeles County, which has a geographical area four times that of Rhode Island and a population four times that of Utah. VCLA's main office is in Panorama City, with satellite offices serving Burbank, Van Nuys, Glendale, San Fernando, Santa Clarita Valley, Antelope Valley, Hollywood, and parts of greater Los Angeles.

VCLA refers more than 60,000 volunteers annually to over 2,500 agencies in need of volunteer support. Traditional volunteers are referred through the Volunteer Involvement Program (VIP) and the Volunteers in Service to America Program (VISTA). Seniors, defined as individuals over 55 years old, have several avenues through which to volunteer such as Foster Grandparents, Retired and Senior Volunteers Program (RSVP), and Senior Companions. VCLA also refers volunteers through a number of restorative justice programs.

In addition to its volunteer referral programs, VCLA operates curriculum–based programs for middle and senior high schools, as well as other youth programs including Project Teen Reach , Points of Light Leadership Institute , School Police Partnership Mentoring Program (SCCP) , Juvenile Community Service Program (JCSP) , Madison Community Collaborative Mentoring (MCC) , West Athens AmeriCorps Tutoring Program , Social Responsibility training, and others. VCLA has a training Program for non–profit managers and other professionals, and also offers several job training programs, such as English as a Second Language (ESL), First and Second Careers, and the Job Readiness Program.

VCLA is one of the nation's leading volunteer–referral organizations and works closely with the Points of Light Foundation (POLF), which acts as an umbrella organization for more than 400 of the nation?s volunteer centers. Based in Washington DC, POLF advocates community service through a partnership with the Volunteer Center National Network. This network reaches millions of people in thousands of communities to help mobilize people and resources to deliver solutions that address community needs.

Services offered: Community Service Program; Services, Senior Programs; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, ESL (English as a Second Language); Training Classes, Non–Profit Managers; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; 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 Handicapped Volunteers (This facility accomodates Handicapped Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility); Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; AmeriCorps; Americorp VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Points of Light Foundation; RSVP (Retired & Senior Volunteer Program); United Way
Updated Aug 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2205

Daybreak Counseling Service

Walk–in Resource · Open

Private Business – Disaster Recovery
183 N. Hill St. #202, Pasadena, CA

Phone 310–995–1202
Web www.daybreakservices.com
Serves Tujunga, Acton, Altadena, Pasadena, Sierra Madre, Sunland, La Canada, Flintridge, or La–Crescenta
Eligibility Impacted by the Station Wildfire
Bring Valid ID – Proof of residence in Station Fire impacted locations
Service Temporary

Free anger management classes for victims of the Station Fire:

Anger is a secondary emotion. The fear and stress of loosing property or life can trigger episodes of aggression and rage.

All those affected by the devastation of the Station Fire can be at risk of doing or saying something out of their normal character due to the extraordinary pressure cause by this disaster.

Daybreak Counseling Service an anger management center in Pasadena, California is offering 3 free sessions of anger management for residents affected by the fire. This is a service valued at $150.

If you need to manage your anger regarding the Station Fire and you live in the following cities: Tujunga, Acton, Altadena, Pasadena, Sierra Madre, Sunland, La Canada, Flintridge, or La–Crescenta. Please contact the offices of Daybreak Counseling Service at 310–995–1202.

All interested in attending these 3 free anger management classes must provide a valid identification proving you live with the fore mentioned cities.

This courtesy is offered for the entire month of September. A special class has been added Tuesday evenings at 6pm until 7pm.

For more info: Daybreak Counseling Service is located at 183 N. Hill St. #202, Pasadena California

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4479

Pasadena SPCA (Accepting Pets/Sm. Animals – 1/10 Rain Storm Evacuations)

Animal Shelter · Open

Animal Rescue – Pet Evacuation
361 So. Raymond Avenue, Pasadena, CA

Phone (626) 792–7151
Web www.phsspca.org
Serves La Canada Flintridge/Alta Dena, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Station Wildfire Pets/Wildlife/Livestock Evacuees
Service Temporary

This shelter is accepting small household pets for evacuation shelter due to the floods/mudslides/debris flows taking place in the foothills of La Canada–Flintridge, La Crescenta and unincorporated Glendale.

Update provided Kinship Circle Disaster Aid Network:

361 S Raymond Ave. / Pasadena, CA 91105–2687
626–792–7151 / http://www.pasadenahumane.org/site/PageServer

ON THE GROUND:
Pasadena Humane Society is the primary local agency for companion animals.
"As of 9/1/09, we had already taken in more than 360 frightened and confused animals from evacuated areas. Staff remains available round the clock to accept these evacuees." They need monetary donations to feed, shelter and care for animals affected by the Station fires.

SEND MONETARY DONATIONS TO:
https://secure3.convio.net/phs/site/Donation2?1340.donation=form1&df_id=1340
361 S Raymond Ave. / Pasadena, CA 91105–2687

DROP OFF OR SHIP SUPPLIES TO:
361 S Raymond Ave. / Pasadena, CA 91105–2687

SUPPLY NEEDS:
* Wet and dry cat food
* Wet and dry dog food

VOLUNTEER NEEDS:
No volunteers are needed at this time.

On 8/30/09 Do Your Part/CAT volunteers delivered 400 bedding items to this site including sheets, towels, pads, blankets, comforters, dog/cat treats, feed bowls that were urgently needed. They said "this should take us through this entire disaster" and were very grateful.

They have 309 sheltered animals as a result of this Wildfire and things are running very efficiently and calmly.

They actually have a bobcat and a few other wild animals they are treating and sheltering at this time. They were willing to accept a small number of wildlife is the need arises.

10:44 am 8/30/09 – Per call to facility they are in urgent need of 4 sided collapsible metal kennels for dogs and cats. They are running out of room. They also want to be able to give these kennels away to owners if they are displaced when they take their pet back from the shelter. They are okay on food/towels for now but can never have enough of those kinds of supplies.

They are serving Glendale, Pasadena and La Canada communities impacted by the Station Fire.

They are trying to shut down the Civic Auditorium for pet sheltering at this time and are encouraging folks to bring pets to the Pasadena SPCA location in Pasadena.

A place for pets in Pasadena during raging firestorm
By Caroline An, Staff Writer
Posted: 08/28/2009 06:35:28 PM PDT

PASADENA – For the second time, a female bobcat with the Clear Creek Educational Center, found herself locked up inside the Pasadena Humane Society.

Just like her first visit, she's back because of a raging wildfire.

The "edu–cat" along with several other animals from the center found refuge from the Station Fire at the shelter, Humane Society officials said.

Evacuated residents can house their four–legged felines, dogs to lizards, free–of–charge at the Pasadena Humane Society.

About 1,000 residents in the La Canada Flintridge area have been evacuated, and many of them have no place to put their pets, said Steve McNall, president and CEO of the Humane Society.

With residents forced to flee their homes, and with the possibility of hotels or relatives not taking in animals, PHS has "lots of space, water misters and food," said Hillary Gatlin, the community resource assistant.
So far, 30 doves, one bobcat, a red–tailed hawk, turkey vulture, seven dogs and three cats found refuge from the smoke caused by the Station Fire. The exotic animals don't end up there, Gatlin said, adding she was surprised to see a variety of wildlife.

"We transferred a horse and three alpacas to a nearby stable," she said.

As of Friday afternoon, the red–tailed hawk and the bobcat got their appetites back and the 30 doves, brought in Thursday night by the Clear Creek Educational Center were fluttering around in their cages or standing on wooden logs.

For families who need to find temporary shelter, PHS officials said expect a surge this weekend, and encourage people to bring blankets, food and toys to make their pets stay an enjoyable one.

The shelter is at 361 S. Raymond Ave. For more information, call (626) 792–7151

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Community Outreach Programs; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Wildlife Disaster Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; Humane Society of the United States, The
Updated Jan 20, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4446

Red Cross, San Gabriel Pomona Valley Chapter

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross Chapter
430 Madeline Drive, Pasadena, CA 91105

Phone (626) 799–0841
Web www.sgpvarc.org
Serves San Gabriel, Pomona Valley (Alta Dena/La Canada Flintridge, Los Angeles County, California)
Eligibility Station Fire Evacuees
Service Temporary

This chapter of the Red Cross is responsible for opening the La Canada High School shelter to serve evacuees of the Station Fire.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Aug 29, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4445

California Emergency Mobile Patrol (C.E.M.P.)

Info/Hotline · Open

First Responder
P.O.Box 924, Reseda, CA 91337

Phone (800) 491–3916
Web www.cemp.org
Serves Station Fire Impacted Communities
Service Permanent

C.E.M.P. went on official standown status 9/3/09 for the Station Fire

C.E.M.P. had an active role and deployment in the massive Station Fire, one of the largest in California. The team was primarily involved in evacuating residents from the areas around Sunland and Little Tujunga Canyon. The team joined the mutual aid effort under the umbrella of the LAPD's Mission and Foothill Divisions during the event.

C.E.M.P. provides Search and Rescue skills to various agencies, such as the LAPD, LAFD and Park Rangers. Besides offering emergency and disaster response, we also offer stand by medical services for special events. C.E.M.P. is an all–volunteer corporation, based at the LAPD Devonshire Station

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, West Coast Region; Medical, Services, Emergency Medical Services; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Volunteer, First Response, Volunteer Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, Disaster Recovery; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2181

Gentle Barn Foundation, The

Animal Shelter · Open

Non–Profit Animal Rescue/Animal Therapy Programs
15825 Sierra Highway, Santa Clarita, CA 91390

Phone (661) 600–2132
Web www.gentlebarn.org
Hours every Sunday from 10:00am – 2:00pm
Serves All area's impacted by the Station Wildfore
Eligibility Displaced Animals
Checks payable to The Gentle Barn Foundation http://www.gentlebarn.org/id17.html
Service Permanent

10:30 p.m. Facebook update 7/29/10 – CROWN FIRE:

We want to assure everyone that The Gentle Barn is no longer in danger of the Agua Dulce fires, it came close but the wind turned at the last minute. Our hearts go out to the people and animals north of us. We have been contacted by the animal shelters and other organizations who have asked for our help should they need us, so we will be ...up all night ready to go with our horse trailer at a moments notice. We will keep you posted.

Leslie spoke with Jay Weiner from Gentle Barn tonight. He has a very large trailer at the ready and advised both the Brittany Foundation & Villalobos are safe for now.

9/14/09 Facebook Update:

A lot of our guests from the fires went home today, it was definitely bitter sweet. We are grateful that our own horses are back in our barn, but we miss them already. Morning Star looked much more alive than when she came in. We also made a lot of r...ecommendations, so hopefully her people are going to continue what we were doing. It was such an honor to be part of her journey!

9/1/09 Update:

This morning six fire evacuees settle in at The Gentle Barn. One of them was recently rescued by Animal Acres and is in poor shape. we will not only give them refuge from the fire until they can return home, but we will continue their rehabilitation ...as if they were still home. Animal Acres took all of us in two years ago when we had to flee the fires, we are grateful to return the favor to them.

8/30/09 5:23 pm PST LTel:

Per Jay Weiner at the Gentle Barn Foundation, he is able to help transport any kind of livestock, horses, pets, no matter how easy or difficult they are to handle. They are highly experienced in handling difficult animals in trauma.

They are currently on standby to take on any evacuated pets/livestock/horses as the Station Wildfire is moving in their direction, but are on call to assist with transport once their own danger passes.

They can accept up to 50 corralled horses or 16 individually stalled horses.

Founder and Educational Outreach Director:

Ellie R. Laks
ellie@gentlebarn.org

Main Contact:
Director of Development
Jay L. Weiner
jay@gentlebarn.org

Phone: (661) 252–2440
Fax: (661) 251–2440

Services offered: Animals, Sanctuary, Animal Sanctuary; Animals, Therapy, Pet Therapy/Companion Program; Animals, Transport, Animal Transport, Volunteer; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Equine (Horses), Emergency/ Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Farm Animal Sanctuary; Shelter, Animals, Livestock/Large Animal Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Trailer, Horse Trailer
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Aug 1, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2256

Golden Valley High School

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Emergency Evacuation Shelter, School
27051 Robert C Lee Pkwy, Santa Clarita, CA 91350

Web redcrossla.org/blog/station–fire–evacuation–shelters
Serves Acton, Palmdale, Little Rock, Santa Clarita, Pacoima, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Evacuees Impacted by the Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

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Verdugo Hills High School
10625 Plainview Avenue
Tujunga, CA 91042

At approximately 04:00, Wednesday morning (9/3/09), the L.A. County Sherriff's Department ordered the evacuation of 15 to 20 residences in the Dillon Divide Area. The residents were told to evacuate their homes before 0:700. Dillon Divide is located 6 miles north of Highway 210 on Little Tujunga Canyon Road. A shelter was established at the Golden Valley High School in Santa Clarita.

Evacuations were necessary when strong down slope winds caused a significant increase in fire behavior. Operations Chief, Don Will ordered the all resources off the fire line (division F) when fire behavior became erratic.

Fire conditions on the Station Fire are constantly changing. Be sure to check for changes in evacuations by dialing 211.

This shelter opened on 8/30/09

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Sep 10, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4459

Animal Shelters, Los Angeles County, Non–City Shelters – INDEX

Animal Shelter · Open

Los Angeles Animal Services
See Notes, See notes, CA

Phone See notes
Serves Los Angeles County
Eligibility Animals
Service Temporary

NON–CITY SHELTERS

HUMANE ORGANIZATIONS

SPCALA Administrative Office
5026 W. Jefferson Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90016
(213)–730–5338
www.spcala.com
No animals for adoption at this location

SPCALA P.D. Pitchford Animal Adoption and Educational Center
7700 E. Spring St. Long Beach, CA 90815
(562) 570–7722
www.spcala.com

SPCALA Topanga Pet Adoption Center
Westfield Promenade
6100 Topanga Canyon Blvd. Woodland Hills, CA 91367
(818) 932–7988
www.spcala.com

SPCALA South Bay Pet Adoption Center
12910 Yukon Avenue, Hawthorne, CA 90250
(310)–676–1149 / (213) 678–2839
www.spcala.com
Closed for construction. Stray dog claims only–no adoptions.

GLENDALE HUMANE SOCIETY
717 W. Ivy Street Glendale, CA 91204
(818)–242–1128
www.glendalehumane.org

PASADENA HUMANE SOCIETY & SPCA
361Soutn Raymond Avenue, Pasadena CA 91105

(626)-792-7151
www.phsspca.org

INLAND VALLEY HUMANE SOCIETY & SPCA
500 Humane Way, Pomona CA 91766
(909)-623-9777
http://www.ivhsspca.org

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
AGOURA SHELTER
29525 W. Agoura Rd., Agoura CA 91301
(818) 991-0071
http://animalcontrol.co.la.ca.us/

BALDWIN PARK SHELTER
4275 N. Elton Avenue, Baldwin Park CA 91706
(626) 962-3577
http://animalcontrol.co.la.ca.us/

CARSON/GARDENA SHELTER
216 W. Victoria Street, Gardena CA 91248
(310) 523-9566
http://animalcontrol.co.la.ca.us/

CASTAIC SHELTER
31044 N. Charlie Canyon Rd., Castaic, CA 91384
(805) 257-3191
http://animalcontrol.co.la.ca.us/

DOWNEY SHELTER
11258 S. Garfield Ave. Downey, CA 90242
(562) 940-6898
http://animalcontrol.co.la.ca.us/

LANCASTER SHELTER
5210 West Avenue I, Lancaster, CA 93536
(661) 940-4191
http://animalcontrol.co.la.ca.us/

OTHER REGIONAL CITIES

BURBANK ANIMAL SHELTER
1150 N. Victory Place, Burbank, CA 91502
(818) 238-3340
http://www.ci.burbank.ca.us/police/animal_shelter.htm

CITY OF COMMERCE
(323) 722-4805 ext. 236
http://www.ci.commerce.ca.us/animalcontrol.htm

DUARTE ANIMAL CONTROL
1040 E. Huntington Drive, Duarte, CA 91010
(626) 357-7938

GLENDORA ANIMAL CONTROL
150 South Glendora Avenue, Glendora, CA 91704
(626) 914-8275
http://www.ci.glendora.ca.us/police/animal_control.html

HERMOSA BEACH ANIMAL CONTROL/POLICE
1035 Valley Drive, Hermosa Beach, CA 90254
(310) 318-0360

HUNTINGTON PARK ANIMAL CONTROL
(323) 582-6161

LONG BEACH ANIMAL CONTROL
7700 E. Spring St. Long Beach, CA 90815
(562) 570-7387
http://www.longbeach.gov/health/organization/animal_control/default.asp

MANHATTAN BEACH ANIMAL CONTROL
1400 Highland Avenue, Manhattan Beach CA 90266
(310) 545-5621
http://www.ci.manhattan-beach.ca.us/police/pacspublish/animal_control_index.htm

MONTEREY PARK ANIMAL CONTROL
320 West Newmark Avenue, Monterey Park CA 91754
(626) 307-1201 or (626) 307-1217
http://www.ci.monterey-park.ca.us/home/index.asp?page=674

ORANGE COUNTY ANIMAL CARE CENTER
561 City Drive South, Orange, CA 92868
(714)-935-6848
http://www.ocpetinfo.com/

SANTA MONICA ANIMAL SHELTER
1640 9th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90401
(310) 458-8594
http://santamonicapd.org/AnimalShelter/Shelter.htm

SEAL BEACH ANIMAL CARE CENTER
1700 Adolfo Lopez, Seal Beach, CA 90740
(562) 430-4993
http://www.sbacc.org

SOUTH EAST AREA ANIMAL CONTROL AUTHORITY (SEAACA)
9777 Seaaca Street, Downey CA 90241
(562)-803-3301
http://www.seaaca.org

TEMPLE CITY ANIMAL CONTROL
(626) 285-7187
http://www.ci.temple-city.ca.us/animal.asp

DIRECTORY OF
California Animal Shelters
https://www.animalshelter.org/shelters/California.asp

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre - California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Jan 14, 2025 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3007

Sunland Recreation Center/Sunland Park - 1/10 Rain Storm Evacuations (Opened 1/18/10)

Shelter · Open

Community Run Storm Shelter
8651 Foothill Blvd., Sunland, CA 91040

Phone (818) 352-5282
Serves Sunland-Tujunga, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Evacuee's of the 1/10 Rain Storms
Service Temporary

About 700 homes within the communities of Alpine Village, Seven Hills, Blanchard Canyon Road, Tujunga and Riverwood in the Southern Tujunga area were ordered to leave their homes.

1:30 pm PST 1/20/10: The Haines Cyn. debris basin is rising dramatically and will spill over soon according to Corp of Engineers.

On 1/18/10 the Sunland Rec. Ctr. in Sunland Park was opened to mandatorily evacuated residents of Sunland/Tujunga.

Snacks/Food is being requested to serve folks from local merchants.

Services offered: Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Jan 20, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5046

STATION FIRE POST BURN DEBRIS/MUD FLOW RESOURCES/NEWS/EVAC ORDERS - 2/10

Info/Hotline · Open

Sunland, Tujunga, La Cresenta, La Canada-Flintridge, CA
Service Temporary

Sunland–Tujunga Neighborhood Council – Disaster/Debris Flow Updates/Links/Resources: http://www.stnc.org/

STNC Blog:
http://stncnews.blogspot.com/

LAFD Twitter Reports:
http://twitter.com/lafd

Councilman Paul Krekorian's Twitter Reports:
http://twitter.com/PaulKrekorian

The Foothills Forum:
http://www.thefoothillsforum.com/forum/

Predicted Mud Flow Maps – L.A.E.M.A.:
http://www.stnc.org/documents/safety/PredictedMudFlows.pdf

GOES Weather Satellite:
http://www.ssd.noaa.gov/goes/west/nepac/flash–rb.html

ABC7 Weather Doppler:
http://abclocal.go.com/kabc/doppler?id=5750133&mapnum=1&anim=true

SAND BAGS:
Sand bags are available at the following locations:
–– CD 2 Office, 7747 Foothill Blvd., Tujunga In Rear Parking Lot off Wyngate Ave.
–– Fire Station 24, 9411 Wentworth Street, Sunland
–– Fire Station 77, 9224 Sunland Blvd, Sun Valley
–– Riverwood Ranch, Inside the community at the Conover Fire Road.

Services offered: Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Maps, Flood Maps; Information Resource, Online Networking, Blog; Sandbags
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Feb 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5293

Hansen Dam Equestrian Center (Accepting Livestock/Horses)

Animal Shelter · Standby

Animal Services – County
11127 Orcas Ave, Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone (818) 896–6514 / Hotline: 818–837–2609
Serves La Canada–Flintridge, La Crescenta, Sunland, Tujunga, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Animals/Livestock Evacuee's – Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

9/4/09 LTel: This site serves as a 'layover' for livestock/horses. Horses are transported to Pierce College for sheltering. Livestock is transported to other available large animal Los Angeles County Animal Services facilities for sheltering.

It's not confirmed but I am guessing since evac's are lifted this facility is now on standby.

8/29/09 LTel 3:33 pm PST:

The fire has jumped Big Tujunga Canyon and they are evacuating area's of Sunland/Tujunga.

This facility is now open and accepting livestock. Not sure about pets yet.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Equine (Horses), Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Livestock Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3812

San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group (Sayre/Sesnon/Marek Wildfires '08)

Info/Hotline · Open

LTRG
Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone 1–888–SFV–LTRG
Web www.rebuildsylmar.org
Serves Sylmar, Granada Hills, Lake View Terrace, Los Angeles County
Eligibility Impacted by the Marek//Sesnon/Sayre Wildfires '08
Checks payable to San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group
Service Permanent

The San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group is here to serve Marek, Sesnon and Sayre Wildfire surivors.

Sub–committee's include:

Case Management
Donations/Finances
Volunteers
Government Agencies
Clean Up
(Legal is on all committee's)

To make a contribution, please go to: www.rebuildsylmar.org

To register online for survivor assistance, or to volunteer, go to:

www.rebuildsylmar.org

For announcements of events, disaster information, and a disaster resource assistance guide, go to the web site at: www.rebuildsylmar.org

LTRG Organization Members include:

Alicia–Broadus Duncan Multipurpose Senior Center
American Red Cross of Greater Los Angeles
Cal–Pac Conference of United Methodists Church
CARe, Inc. (Community Assisted Recovery)
California Southern Baptists Convention Disaster Relief
Catholic Charities of Los Angeles (Partnered with St. Didacus Church in Sylmar)
Citizen Action Team
Do Your Part
FEMA
Hope Coalition America (A division of Operation Hope)
Los Angeles Emergency Preparedness Foundation
Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest
Neighborhood Legal Services
Providence Health Services (Sr. Outreach Program)
Salvation Army of Los Angeles
Sylmar Neighborhood Council
Tzu Chi Foundation (USA)
Volunteer Center of Los Angeles
World Vision

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.); Catholic Charities; CWS ~ Church World Service; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Salvation Army; Tzu Chi Foundation; VOAD (this org is not a member, but is "affiliated")
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3988

North Valley City Hall (1/10 Rain Storms – Station Fire Burn Area)

Info/Hotline · Open

Sattelite Police Station
7747 Foothill Blvd., Tujunga, CA

Serves Sunland–Tujunga, Los Angeles County, CA
Service Temporary

L.A.P.D. is using this site for their Satellite Communications Operations to coordinate emergencies and evacuations.

Services offered: Communications, Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Jan 18, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5047

Tujunga United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry, Clothes Closet
9901 Tujunga Canyon Blvd, Tujunga, CA 91042

Phone 818–352–1481
Web www.tumc.net
Serves Tujunga, Sunland, La Crescenta, La Canada, Montrose, CA
Eligibility Photo ID (Accepting Sayre Wildfires families)

Service Temporary

Bailey Human Care Center

We serve people in need of food every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

For clothes, we open our clothes closet every Friday from 10:00 A.M to 11:30 A.M.

Holidays are not open, yet we open every 4th Saturday from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM for the people who work during the week for food and clothes.

Photo ID required

(Also see CAT Facility record for Emergency Food Bank Index for So. Calif. Wildfires '08 at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3938)

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Dec 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3962

Verdugo Hills High School

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Emergency Evacuation Shelter, School
10625 Plainview Ave., Tujunga, CA 91042

Web redcrossla.org/blog/station–fire–evacuation–shelters
Serves La Canada–Flintridge, Big Tujunga, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Evacuees Impacted by the Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

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Tujunga, CA 91042

LTel 8/30/09:

I visited this shelter site today. There were very few people populating it though they had 17 people stay overnight.

At the time I was there, mandatory evacuations had gone into effect and over the next hours it was expanded further. This is a very active part of the fire at this time.

Right after I arrived, Verizon showed up to set up a mini–internet cafe. The shelter residents and RC volunteers (and me) all cheered and thanked them for this great service to these folks.

The shelter was well staffed, equipped, air–conditioned and comfortable and the mood was positive.

Flames in many different spots and a very apocolyptic cloud of smoke could be seen from the location just about a half mile away but air drops were hitting it hard.

The volunteer staff was thrilled to take down our information to help with pet sheltering referrals for evacuee's. Many people didn't know where to take their animals and County Animal Services is about maxed out.

This shelter is urgently seeking RED CROSS TRAINED ONLY VOLUNTEERS in the following capacities:

Public Affairs
Shelter Service Associates
Shelter Supervisors

Health Services
Disaster Mental Health
Govt Liaison
Canteen

8/29/09 7:11 pm LTel:

Another shelter serving evacuee's of the Station Wildfire is being opened by the Red Cross this evening.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; School, High School; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Salvation Army
Updated Sep 10, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4450

East Valley Care Center

Animal Shelter · Open

County, Animal Services
14409 Vanowen Street, Van Nuys, CA 91405

Phone	888–4LAPET1 or 888–452–7381, FAX 818–756–9110
Web	www.laanimalservices.com/About_Us/Shelters_East_Valley.htm
Hours	See Notes
Serves	Zip Codes Serviced: 91040 91340 91401 91411 91601 91606 91042 91342 91402 91423 91602 91607 91214* 91345 91403 91504 91604 91608* 91331 91352 91405 91505 91605
Checks payable to	http://www.laanimalservices.com/donate_online.htm
Service	Temporary

On May 21, 2007, after decades operating from a converted dairy farm on Sherman Way, the staff of the East Valley Animal Care Center moved to new quarters on Vanownen Street. East Valley is one of the busiest facilities in the Department. Now we will be welcoming San Fernando Valley residents to a beautiful new facility with lavish landscaping, many trees, and relaxing fountains. The new facility increases dog kennels from 60 to 165, and features the largest community room of our new Care Center system.

HOURS OF PUBLIC OPERATION:
Monday (Closed)
Tuesday (8AM – 7PM)
Wednesday (8AM – 5PM)
Thursday (8AM – 7PM)
Friday (8AM – 5PM)
Saturday (8AM – 5PM)
Sunday (11AM – 5PM)

FIND A LOST PET:
http://www.laanimalservices.com/General_Info/Lost_Pets.htm

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animal Adoption Events; Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Database, Registry, Online Lost/Found/Adoption Pet Database; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Nov 4, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3008

InciWeb (Incident Information Center) – Station Fire

Info/Hotline · Open

U.S. Forestry
Various, CA

Web	inciweb.org/incident/1856
Serves	Angeles National Forest
Service	Temporary

This site is updated daily with complete incident/situation overview reports including road closures, fire maps, video, links, containment, evac orders, community meeting on fire announcements, etc.

You can look up any active/inactive fire in CA (as well as multiple states).

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Maps, Fire Maps; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Information Resource, Road Closures/Conditions; Information Resource, Wildfire Incident Information & Updates; Support for "All" Disasters

Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4477

Insurance Tips/Contacts, INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

Private Business
Various, CA
Phone SCROLL DOWN TO NOTES
Service Temporary

Policyholders who have suffered losses as a result of wildfires should contact their insurance agents at the following phone numbers:

Allied Insurance:
(800) 282–1446

AllState Insurance:
(800) 54–STORM

Auto Club:
(800) 67–CLAIM

Farmers Insurance:
(800) 435–7764

Fireman's Fund Insurance Company:
(866) 456–3108

Geico:
(800) 841–3000

GMAC Insurance:
(800) 468–3466

Liberty Mutual:
(800) 2–CLAIMS

Mercury Insurance:
(888) 313–6372

Nationwide Insurance:
(800) 421–3535

Safeco:
(800) 332–3226

State Farm:
(800) SF–CLAIM

Travelers:
(800) CLAIM–33

Wawanes:
(800) 57–CLAIM

INSURANCE TIPS: If you have a home that has been destroyed or damaged, here are some tips to start the process of rebuilding:

Contact your insurance company and review your policy. – Set up an appointment with a claims adjuster once the full extent of damage is known.

Make a detailed list of all contents and features of your home.

Be patient, insurance companies prioritize claims depending on severity. If your home has suffered minor damage, it may take longer to fulfill your needs.

Make temporary repairs to property and save receipts.

Beware of contractors, use only licensed or bonded ones and check references. To verify a contractor's license and for more contractor information, go to www.cslb.ca.gov.

If you have a mortgage, your bank's name may be included on the settlement check. Be sure to contact lenders about mortgage relief programs.

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 5, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2418

Kinship Circle Disaster Aid Network (Station Fire Response)

Animal Shelter · Standby

Animal Rescue – Pet Evacuation
Various, CA

Web www.kinshipcircle.org/disasters
Serves Los Angeles County, Station Fire Evacuation Communities
Eligibility Animals in need of Evacuation Transport and Care
Service Temporary

9/3/09 LTel: This org is on standby to assist when the fire is 95% contained. They will help with getting the animals back home when it's safe.

AS OF 7:15PM, MONDAY, 31 AUGUST 2009...

...EVERY SINGLE ANIMAL IS OUT OF ANIMAL ACRES!

All of them have been moved to the main evacuation site (located in Palmdale, California).

Frank Allen (Animal Acres manager) has asked me to extend to all of you his sincere thanks and appreciation for those who showed up to help or who tried to show up to help.

I wish to extend that to those of you who stayed in touch with me in regard to helping spread the word, and oh so much more. My alerts could be only what I was given, so thanks for your patience.

All your contact information will remain on our Animal Acres Emergency Evacuation list for any future events.

TO BECOME AN ANIMAL ACRES STANDBY EVACUATION VOLUNTEER:

Email info@kinshipcircle.org the following...

– FIRST AND LAST NAME:
– PHONE NUMBERS:
– EMAIL ADDRESS:
– FULL ADDRESS:

8/29/09 – 8/30/09, PRESENT SITUATION / NOTES:

The strongest part of the Station fire burning in Angeles National Forest and La Canada Flintridge area is moving northwest of the park toward Acton, California, said Jennifer Sanchez of the U.S. Forest Service. [ANIMAL ACRES IS LOCATED IN ACTON]. Evacuations for some Acton residents are in place... Since it began 8/26/09, the Station fire has burned 35,200 acres and prompted mandatory evacuations of 10,000 homes, according to Forest Service.

8/30/09 – AUTHORIZED BY FRANK ALLEN, ANIMAL ACRES / Susie Kaufman, Evacuation Coordinator

A mandatory evacuation is underway on the northeast side of Acton. Animal Acres has begun the evacuation process. Horses and donkeys are in the initial process of being moved from Animal Acres to Evacuation Site #2.

The following is still only POSSIBLE: The next to be moved will be cows, followed by sheep, goats, and pigs, then birds. They will be moved to Evacuation Site #1. I know nothing about the emus.

2. Be On Emergency Standby With Animal Acres
CONTACT ANIMAL ACRES. PLEASE DO NOT JUST SHOW UP.
8/30/09 – Susie Kaufman, Animal Acres Evacuation Coordinator, writes: To be added to Animal Acres evacuation alert spreadsheet, email susie@jarrettlennon.com

• YOUR FULL NAME
• ALL PHONE NUMBERS
• EMAIL ADDRESS
•WHAT TYPE HELP YOU CAN OFFER (i.e., transport, handling, soothing, tem shelter, food/water [and containers]...)

To be included in a special list of others to contact in case of such an emergency evacuation, please let me know that, as well. The more who can be involved quickly, the better for our animal friends: susie@jarrettlennon.com

3. Supplies/Equipment/Volunteers Needed For Animal Acres
8/30/09 – SUSIE V KAUFMAN, ANIMAL ACRES EVACUATION COORDINATOR, WRITES:

This list is incomplete, because Frank Allen is physically herding the donkeys and horses right this minute...

URGENT NEEDS FOR ANIMAL ACRES

• Trucks
• Trailers

• Pickup trucks with camper shells (for the birds)
• Carriers for the birds (chickens, turkeys, etc.)
• Large water bowls
• People good with herding (we don't want hysterics)
• Animal soothers
• Bedding
• Food
• Water hoses

CALL BEFORE SHOWING UP AT ANIMAL ACRES – 661–212–4647

Animal Acres
5200 Escondido Canyon Rd
Acton, CA 93510

http://animalacres.org • 661–269–5404 •info@animalacres.org

• Interstate 5 North to Highway 14 North (Antelope Valley Hwy towards Lancaster/Palmdale)
• Take the RED ROVER MINE ROAD exit
• The short exit will curve hard to the right
• Take the first immediate LEFT (you will be on Ward Road, which is only a block in length)
• Ward Road dead–ends at ESCONDIDO CANYON ROAD
• Turn LEFT onto ESCONDIDO CANYON ROAD
• Animal Acres is the first farm on the left. Look for buildings with red tiled roofs and mailboxes in front of dirt driveway.

Services offered: Animals, Rescue, Animal Handlers, Volunteer; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Animals, Rescue, Transportation, Transporting Rescues, Volunteer; Demographic Served: Animals; Support for "All" Disasters; 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)
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4463

Los Angeles County Fire Department

Info/Hotline · Open

County, First Responders
Various, CA

Phone For non–emergencies and Fire Department information call (323) 881–2411
Web www.fire.lacounty.gov
Serves Los Angeles County
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Information Resource, Road Closures/Conditions; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Information Resource, Wildfire Incident Information & Updates; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter, Updates/Status; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; 2025 California Wildfires; CERT (Community Emergency Response Team); Government, State/County
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4478

Sandbags, Available Locations – INDEX (Post Station Fire Burn Areas)

Info/Hotline · Standby

County, Disaster Response
See Notes, Various, CA

Serves Burn Areas, Los Angeles County
Eligibility Residents living in the post Station Fire Burn Areas
Service Temporary

This is a link to a PDF of which fire stations residents can pick up sandbags in the post burn area's:

http://dpw.lacounty.gov/wrd/Fire/file/sandbags.pdf

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Sandbags
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated May 19, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3881

SHELTERS: Animal Evacuation Shelters, Station Wildfire – INDEX

Animal Shelter · Standby

Animal Evacuation Shelter Services
Various, CA

Serves Los Angeles County impacted by the Station Wildfire

Eligibility Animals
Service Temporary

PRIVATE Facilities (Call Ahead to check if there is a fee and capacity to accept your animal):

VCA Animal Hospitals FREE PET BOARDING for Station Fire evacuees: http://findavet.us/blog/2009/09/vca-animal-hospitals-offer-free-boarding-to-station-fire-evacuees/

Emergency Pet Clinic of San Gabriel Valley
(626) 579-4550

Valley Animal Services
(626) 442-3824

Bastet Cat Hospital, Inc.
www.catbastet.com
(818) 846-8600

Non-Profit Rescues/Sanctuary's:

The Gentle Barn
15825 Sierra Highway
Santa Clarita, CA 91390
(661) 600-2132 (Jay Weiner – Founder)
(818) 585-1481 Mechelle Bollon (Evac. Coord.)

2nd Chance Pet Rescue
33324 Aqua Dulce Canyon Road
Acton, CA 91390
Kevin/Jill Purnam
661-269-1041
(Capacity: Up to 20 dogs – Call ahead)

Wildwings of California
www.wildwings.org
(Specialized care for wild native birds)
(909) 592-4900

WILDLIFE VICTIMS OF THE STATION FIRE. Wild deer have been spotted in various residential areas seeking refuge and food from the Station Fire's damage. PLEASE contact one of the shelters listed on this site which are specifically equipped to humanely deal with wildlife and larger animals AND have available space. Thank you.

Police Departments: Animal Control
(562) 940-6898

L.A. COUNTY Animal Services / Pet Evacuation Centers:

For large animals:

Pierce College
6201 Winnetka Ave.
Woodland Hills, CA 91371

(Horses, donkeys and mules only)
Hansen Dam
11127 Orcas Rd.
Lake View Terrace, CA 91342

Antelope Valley Fairgrounds
2551 West Ave. H
Lancaster, CA 93536

Lancaster Animal Shelter (Lg. & Sm. animals)
(Update 6:30 pm 9/2 & 9/3 – Still room – no needs)
5210 W. Ave I
Lancaster, CA 93536

LA Equestrian Center
480 W. Riverside Dr.
Burbank, CA 91506
(818) 840-9063

SPCA: For small and large animals:

Humane Society
401 N. Verdugo Rd.
Glendale, CA 91206

SPCA: For small animals:

(Pet Rescue Station – Animals are transferred to Pasadena SPCA)
La Canada High School
4463 Oak Grove Ave.
La Canada, CA 91011

Lancaster Animal Shelter (Lg. & Sm. animals)
(Update 6:30 pm – Still room – no needs)
5210 W. Ave I
Lancaster, CA 93536

Agoura Animal Shelter
29525 Agoura Rd.
Agoura Hills, CA 91301
For Altadena and Pasadena residents in evacuated areas:

Pasadena Humane Society
361 S. Raymond Ave.
Pasadena, CA 91105

Baldwin Park Shelter
4275 Elton St.
Baldwin Park, CA 91706
626–962–3577

Loma Alta County Park
Lincoln and Loma Alta
Altadena, CA 91001

For Tujunga residents in evacuated areas:

East Valley Shelter
13131 Sherman Way
North Hollywood, CA 91605
888–452–7381

Sunland Park (small animals only)
8651 Foothill Blvd.
Sunland , Shadow Hills, CA, 91040

Services offered: Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Equine (Horses), Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Livestock/Large Animal Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/ Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; Government, State/County; Humane Society of the United States, The
Updated Oct 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4461

United Animal Nations (Grants for Pets)

Donor · Open

Non–Profit – Animal Disaster Relief
Various, CA
Web www.uan.org
Service Temporary

PROGRAMS:

UAN's main programs serve animals directly by providing financial assistance or volunteer support.

Emergency Animal Rescue Service (EARS):
Shelters and cares for animals displaced by natural disasters and other crises, such as criminal seizures and hoarding cases, in the United States and Canada.

Humane Education Ambassador Readers (HEAR):
A unique community–based literacy program that helps children develop empathy and critical thinking skills through stories and discussion.

LifeLine Grants:
Provides funding to Good Samaritans, animal rescuers, non–proft organizations and pet owners to help them care for animals in life–threatening situations.

Zig Zag Reward:
Helps local agencies prosecute animal abusers by offering financial incentives to individuals who witness cruelty and choose to speak up.

Services offered: Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Pets (Impacted by Disaster)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 5, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2502

Verizon (Station Fire Response)

Info/Hotline · Open

Private Business – Disaster Recovery
Various, CA

Phone Residential Customers: 1–800–483–1000; Business Customers should call 1–800–483–2000
Web www.reuters.com/article/pressRelease/idUS272972+03–Sep–2009+PRN20090903
Serves Communities Impacted by the Station Fire
Eligibility Verizon Customers
Service Temporary

9/3/09 Reuters Article:

Verizon Adds Free Service Restoral to Relief Efforts for Southern California Wildfires

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Firefighters, Evacuees Depend on Network Performance, Free Communications Services to Remain Connected During Emergency

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif., Sept. 3 /PRNewswire/ –– Verizon has expanded wildfire relief efforts to include free service restoral for customers who have lost their home in the fires, which have burned more than 150,000 acres across Southern California.

As part of ongoing assistance for fire victims, Verizon is waiving charges for home–phone customers who move service to a new house or who re–establish service at their original location after they have rebuilt. These customers can also opt for free call forwarding or free voice mail service for up to 12 months, as can customers who have been forced to temporarily evacuate because of the wildfires. Verizon is making similar free services available to businesses that have to relocate because of the fires. Residential customers who need these services should call Verizon at 1–800–483–1000; business customers should call 1–800–483–2000.

Meanwhile, Verizon continues to provide emergency responders with access to its wired and wireless networks, helping firefighters to coordinate their attacks on the wildfires and allowing evacuees to remain in touch with loved ones during the crisis.

To date, Verizon's network support for firefighters and evacuees has included the provision of 171 wireless handsets, 98 Mobile Broadband cards, seven wireless–enabled laptops, two wireless network enhancers, 62 wired phone lines and six high–speed Internet connections.

In addition, the Verizon Foundation has contributed $10,000 to the Greater Los Angeles Chapter of the American Red Cross to further its relief efforts for the wildfire evacuees.

Keeping Customers Connected

After fire officials have determined it is safe to do so, Verizon technicians have entered the burned areas and are assessing and repairing network damage, which so far has been relatively limited. Meanwhile, Verizon Wireless technicians have ensured sufficient capacity in area cell sites to keep customers connected as mandatory evacuations of residential and commercial neighborhoods generate spikes in call volume. Backup batteries and generators have powered several wired sites during intermittent commercial power interruptions caused by the fires.

Support for Emergency Responders

Currently, Verizon is providing the following support:

STATION FIRE:

-- Fifteen wireless handsets and three Mobile Broadband cards for the American Red Cross Greater Los Angeles Chapter.
-- Ten wireless handsets for the American Red Cross San Gabriel Pomona Valley Chapter.
-- Six wireless handsets and two Mobile Broadband cards for the American Red Cross Claremont Chapter.
-- Thirty wireless handsets, 10 Mobile Broadband cards, 35 wired phones and two High Speed Internet connections for the Hansen Dam Support Center.
-- Thirteen Mobile Broadband cards and 15 wireless handsets for the California Incident Management Team.
-- Four Mobile Broadband cards for the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

-- Laptop computers, wireless handsets and Mobile Broadband cards for evacuee centers in La Canada, Palmdale, Tujunga and Santa Clarita.

OAK GLEN/PENDLETON FIRES:

-- Twenty-seven wired phone connections and four High Speed Internet connections for the combined incident command post for the two fires.

-- Ten wireless handsets and four Mobile Broadband cards for the California Incident Management Team.

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"Verizon's wired network exceeds 99.9 percent reliability, and we want our customers to know they can count on us to keep them connected anytime, especially during a crisis," said Margaret Serjak, vice president of Verizon's California operations.

Luis Cruz, Verizon Wireless regional president, said, "The devastation caused by these wildfires is heartbreaking. It's affecting our customers, communities and employees. We are committed to making a difference for those who've been affected by these fires."

Verizon Communications Inc. (NYSE: VZ), headquartered in New York, is a global leader in delivering broadband and other wireless and wireline communications services to mass market, business, government and wholesale customers. Verizon Wireless operates America's most reliable wireless network, serving more than 87 million customers nationwide. Verizon's Wireline operations provide converged communications, information and entertainment services over the nation's most advanced fiber-optic network. Wireline also includes Verizon Business, which delivers innovative and seamless business solutions to customers around the world. A Dow 30 company, Verizon employs a diverse workforce of more than 235,000 and last year generated consolidated operating revenues of more than $97 billion. For more information, visit www.verizon.com.

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Services offered: Communications, Equipment, Cell Phones; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 6, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4481

Pierce College

Animal Shelter · Standby

Animal Evacuation Shelter Services – Equine
6201 Winnetka Ave., Woodland Hills, CA

Phone 818-8372609
Serves Sylmar, Granada Hills, Knollwood Areas
Eligibility Horses Needing Evacuation – Sayre Fire
Service Temporary

9/4/09: Confirmed they are only taking horses, donkeys & mules.

Pierce College can take up to 200 horses. Some reports say they only take horses, but I saw a news broadcast on 8/30/09 and they had a few llamas, sheep, goats, etc. I think they prefer to take horses though.

Citizen Action Team has been instrumental in supporting County Animal Services in coordinating horse trailer transport as their resources have been stretched thin due to the wide scope of this Wildfire.

The SPCA has also kicked in with equipment and is assisting with horse transport at this time.

Hansen Dam is the 'layover' stop for horses/livestock being transported ultimately to Pierce College.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Equine (Horses), Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Livestock Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; Government, State/County; Humane Society of the United States, The
Updated Oct 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3811

211 Los Angeles County

Info/Hotline · Open

Community Services
CA

Phone 211 (local) or 1(800) 339-6993
Web www.infoline-la.org
Serves Los Angeles County
Service Temporary

211 is an easy to remember three-digit dialing code that enables a caller to access over 28,000 health and human service programs throughout Los Angeles County 24 hours per day, 7 days per week and is TTY accessible. 211 LA County, formerly known as INFO LINE of Los Angeles, has been providing these services since 1981.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals, Youth Services; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Special Needs; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Demographic Served: Teens; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Media, Online News Reports; News Source, Online, Disaster Coverage; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); United Way; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 3, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2266

CAL FIRE – Department of Forestry and Fire Protection

Info/Hotline · Open

Government Agency
CA

Web www.fire.ca.gov/index.php
Serves California Statewide
Service Temporary

Current Fire Information
Click on more information for specific details and contact information:

http://cdfdata.fire.ca.gov/incidents/incidents_current

This site provides regularly updated information on all fire incidents happening statewide, as well as preparation for fire info and details about state programs.

You can also call their hotline for the Station Fire updates: (626) 821-6700

Services offered: Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Wildfire Incident Information & Updates; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Jul 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4462

California Department of Social Services

Info/Hotline · Open

Government
CA
Phone 800–759–6807
Web www.cdss.ca.gov

The two programs that the Disaster Services Section are responsible for are supporting counties' mass care and shelter programs in California and State and federal grant recovery programs for individuals and households. These program responsibilities are delegated to the Department by an Administrative Order from the Governor's Office of Emergency Services, issued under the authority of Executive Order W–9–91.

The Disaster Services Section of the California Department of Social Services supports local emergency agencies in order to provide temporary shelter for those who cannot safely remain in their homes due to a disaster or emergency. Shelters are generally opened and operated by the American Red Cross, assisted by local or county employees. Meals are provided at the shelters and also are provided for disaster victims who have been able to remain in their homes or are living in their recreation vehicles, but are unable to prepare meals. The mass care and shelter disaster response function is delegated to the Disaster Services Section of the California Department of Social Services through the Administrative Order of the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (OES).

California Grant Assistance for Individuals and Families

The California Department of Social Services, Disaster and Client Services Bureau, can provide grant assistance through two programs. They are the Individuals and Households Program (IHP) and the State Supplemental Grant Program (SSGP).

Individuals and Households Program (IHP)

The Individuals and Households Program (IHP) is a joint Federal and State program. The program can provide assistance following a Presidentially–declared disaster. Under IHP, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) can award up to $28,800 in the form of rent, home repair or replacement, transportation repair or replacement, funeral expenses, personal property, medical, dental or other miscellaneous expenses. FEMA disaster assistance covers basic needs, but does not normally compensate disaster victims for their entire loss. Each situation is unique and is handled on a case–by–case basis. Anyone who suffers damage in a Presidentially–declared disaster can register for assistance by calling the FEMA registration line, 1–800–621–3362. For the speech– or hearing–impaired, the number is 1–800–462–7585.

For general information or to make changes to an existing application, the FEMA disaster information Helpline number is 1–800–621–3362 or TTY 1–800–462–7585.

State Supplemental Grant Program (SSGP)

California's State Supplemental Grant Program (SSGP), administered by California's Department of Social Services, Disaster and Client Services Bureau, may provide grants up to $10,000. The SSGP is 100 percent State funded. The grant may assist with any eligible items not already addressed by the Individuals and Household Program (IHP). However, individuals must have applied to FEMA and maximized the IHP award in order to be eligible for SSGP. State grants cover disaster–relief needs in the same categories as the IHP.

If you have reached the maximum IHP assistance, FEMA will automatically transmit your application to SSGP. There is no separate application process for SSGP. If you have questions about the State Supplemental Grant Program, you may contact the SSGP at 1–800–759–6807, or for the speech– or hearing–impaired, the TTY number is 1–800–952–8349.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Financial Assistance, Food Stamp Program; Financial Assistance, Food Stamps, Emergency Food Stamps; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Nov 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2414

California Southern Baptist Convention (SCBC)

Info/Hotline · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Clean Up Services
CA

Phone	(714) 636–9425
Web	www.csbc.com
Serves	Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA (Oakridge Mobile Home Park)
Eligibility	Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire & 9/09 Station Wildfire
Checks payable to	California Southern Baptist Convention
Service	Temporary

California Southern Baptist Convention (CSBC) will help uninsured homeowners with site cleanup at no cost, preferably with a family member on site in case personal valuables are found.

Phone: (714) 636–9425
Web site: www.csbc.com

CSBC provides disaster areas with immediate and long–term recovery services, including clean water, hot showers, water purification, electricity chainsaws, cleanup and mud–out, repairs,vacuum cleaners, food, child care, chaplaincy, and communications.

Services offered: Cleanup, Ash & Fire Debris, Volunteer Services; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Jan 9, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4012

Department of Mental Health, Los Angeles County

Info/Hotline · Open

County Mental Health Services
CA

Phone 1–800–896–4042
Serves Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Impacted by the 2007 & 2008 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

LTel 9/4/09: Once the 6 free sessions are exhausted, counseling cost is on a sliding scale based on income.

The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their feet and talk to their children about what happened. More information is available about these sessions by calling 1–800–854–7771.

For more information and after–hour services, contact the Department of Mental Health's ACCESS Center at (800) 854–7771. The ACCESS Center is open 24 hours a day, including holidays.

Several Dept. of Mental Health professionals from DMH for L.A. County are presenting at the 4/28/09 SFV LTRG Mental Health Workshop and will continue to provide mental health support for fire Sayre Wildire survivors.

California Department of Mental Health (www.dmh.ca.gov) can
assist individuals to get information on mental health issues
that may arise due to the evacuations.

1–800–896–4042

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2639

L.A. County Online

Info/Hotline · Open

County
CA

Web lacounty.gov
Serves Los Angeles County
Service Temporary

This site provides vital community links for social services, disaster relief resources, animal services, etc., as well as Public Announcements.

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Maps, Fire Maps; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Road Closures/Conditions; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; 2025 California Wildfires
Updated Jan 23, 2025 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2242

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES/CRISIS COUNSELING – INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

Crisis Counseling
SEE NOTES, CA

Phone SEE NOTES
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

Eligibility Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire & 8/09 Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

CRISIS COUNSELING/MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

* Los Angeles Department of Mental Health

The Los Angeles Department of Mental Health is offering free mental health crisis counseling services to victims of the Sayre Fire at two San Fernando Valley Centers.

Location: San Fernando Valley Mental Health Center
Address: 10605 Balboa Blvd., Suite 100, Granada Hills, CA 91344
Phone: (818) 832-2400

Location: West Valley Mental Health Center
Address 7621 Canoga Ave., Canoga Park, CA
Phone: (818) 598-6900

Hours of operation: Both centers are open 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

The first 6 sessions are at no cost. Sliding scale is available therafter.

For more information and after-hour services, contact the Department of Mental Health's ACCESS Center at 1(800) 854-7771. The ACCESS Center is open 24 hours a day, including holidays.

* American Red Cross

Red Cross disaster relief focuses on meeting people's immediate emergency disaster-caused needs. When a disaster threatens or strikes, the Red Cross provides shelter, food, and health and mental health services to address basic human needs. In addition to these services, the core of Red Cross disaster relief is the assistance given to individuals and families affected by disaster to enable them to resume their normal daily activities independently.

Eligibility Requirements: Disaster Victims
Areas Served: All areas
Hours: 24/7 365 days a year
Phone: (866) GET-INFO
Web site: http://redcrossla.org/

* Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest/Lutheran Disaster Response

Professional case management services to disaster survivors with special emphasis on helping individuals and families establish their own personal "Long-Term Disaster Recovery Plan," which often includes securing resources, spiritual and emotional care, and acquiring financial support from a variety of sources. LSS-SWalso works with entire communities to facilitate and work with the formation of long-term disaster recovery committees to help maximize utilization of available resources and minimize duplication of services.

Phone: (323) 299-0729 or 1(877) 258-2059
Web site: http://www.lss-sw.org/

* Catholic Charities Counseling Services

The program provides access to affordable counseling services for individuals and their families, especially those who have limited or no financial resources, and provides support to Archdiocesan schools and parishes, especially in times of crisis. Counseling is available at four sites in Los Angeles and Santa Barbara counties: Pomona, San Pedro, Venice and Santa Barbara. Services include pre-marital and marital counseling, group therapy, crisis counseling, domestic violence counseling, assessment, information and referral.

Our Lady of the Angels Region - Western Area
211 3rd Avenue, Venice, CA 90291 (310) 399-1451

San Gabriel Region
Clinica de Salud - Sagrada Familia
1215 South Hamilton Street, Pomona, CA 91766 (909) 622-2824

San Pedro Region
461 West 6th Street, #202, San Pedro, CA 90731 (562) 862-5750

Santa Barbara Region
609 East Haley Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93103 (805) 965-7045

Web site: http://www.catholiccharitiesla.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=49&Itemid=53#counseling

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health ;

Mental Health Services
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Catholic Charities; Catholic Charities Community Services; Catholic Charities Social Services; Lutheran Disaster Response; Lutheran Episcopal Services of Mississippi; Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response; Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest
Updated Sep 7, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3932

Noah's Wish (On Standby for the Station Wildfire)

Animal Shelter · Standby

Animal Rescue/Disaster Relief
CA

Phone 916–939–9474
Web www.noahswish.info
Serves Nationwide
Eligibility Animals in Disaster
Service Temporary

8/30/09 6:42 pm LTel:

Noah's Wish is currently on standby after Los Angeles County Animal Services called them and asked them to assist if needed. There's been no go ahead order yet, but they are at the ready to respond to assist with rescuing in the Station Wildfire impacted region.

Services offered: Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Transportation, Transporting Rescues, Volunteer; Demographic Served: Animals; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Aug 31, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4457

Office of Emergency Services, OES, California (by Region), INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

OES – Office of Emergency Services
CA

Web www.oes.ca.gov/WebPage/oeswebsite.nsf/Content/1839F4335EAC5111882573FC00689BB6?OpenDocument
Serves California Statewide (by Region) ~ Inland/Coastal/Southern
Service Temporary

OES has three administrative regions, Inland, Coastal and Southern which are located in Sacramento, Oakland and Los Alamitos, respectively. OES regions have the responsibility to carry out the coordination of information and resources within the region and between the SEMS state and regional levels to ensure effective and efficient support to local response. The regions serve as the conduit for local and regional perspective and provide a physical presence for OES functions at the local level in all phases of emergency management.

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Martinez, CA 94553
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Del Norte County Office of Emergency Services
981 H Street, Suite 240
Crescent City, CA 95531
(707) 464-7255
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Humboldt County Office of Emergency Services
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Eureka, CA 95501
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(707) 445-7764 fax

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1220 Martin Street
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Redwood City, CA 94063
(650) 363–4790
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Santa Cruz, CA 95065–2121
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(NOTHING listed on the governor's website)

Services offered: Services, Emergency Services; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County
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Station Wildfire, INDEX (Road Closures/Evac Updates/Media Reports)

Info/Hotline · Standby

Various
CA

Serves La Canada–Flintridge, Alta Dena, Los Angeles County, California
Eligibility Impacted by the Station Wildfire 8/09
Service Temporary

9/7/09: All voluntary/mandatory evac's have been lifted for three days now. The only two shelters open are Golden Valley HS in Santa Clarita & Verdugo Hills HS in Tujunga. They only have a few people sheltering and it's expected those shelters will close anytime now.

Go to www.Inciweb.com for the latest in road closures and fire progress.

Inciweb is a very informative disaster update site that includes photo's, daily updates detailing evac's, road closures, fire stats, links and all kinds of important information:

http://inciweb.org/incident/1856/

Road Closures 9/1/09:

The following roads are closed due to the Station Fire:

ALL 3 AXLES OR GREATER COMBINATIONS ARE PROHIBITED ON
STATE ROUTE 2 LOS ANGELES COUNTY, Angeles Crest Highway between Interstate 210 (in the city of LA Canada) and Angeles Forest Highway
Highway 2, north of the La Canada Golf Course
Angeles Crest Highway, from La Canada to Clear Creek Junction
Highway 14 – off and on ramps that have been closed are: Soledad Canyon in Canyon Country, Agua Dulce Canyon Road, Escondido Canyon, Red Rover Mine Road and Crown Valley Road.
Little Tujunga Canyon Rd. from Placerita Canyon to LA City Boundary
Mt. Wilson Rd. from Angeles Crest Hwy. to Mt. Wilson Circle Rd.
Angeles Forest Hwy. from Big Tujunga Cyn Rd. to Angeles Crest Hwy.
Upper Big Tujunga Canyon Rd. from Angeles Forest Hwy. to Angeles Crest Hwy.
Video Rd. from Mt. Wilson Red Box Rd. to Audio Rd.
Audio Rd. from Mt. Wilson Red Box Rd. to Mt. Wilson Cr.
East Fork Rd. from Glendora Ridge Rd. closed to incoming traffic only
Red Rover Mine Rd. at Hwy 14
Soledad Canyon Rd. at Crown valley Rd.
Escondido Rd. at Hwy 14
Agua Dulce Canyon Rd at Hwy 14
Placerita at Sand Canyon Rd.
Big Pines at Hwy 2
Aliso Canyon at Soledad Canyon Rd.
Angeles Forest Hwy at Mt. Emma Rd.
Red Rover Mine Rd. at Escondido Rd.
Aliso Canyon at Ave Y–8
Little Tujunga at Ranger Station

Open to Residents Only:

Lake Blvd. to JPL and south of Cheyney Tr.
For more traffic information, people can phone Caltrans for updates at (800) 427–7623 or visit www.dot.ca.gov

This afternoon there are several new areas in the foothills of the San Gabriel Mountains that are under mandatory evacuation orders due to the Station Fire. While authorities cannot force people to leave their homes in these areas, heeding orders is seriously urged; this afternoon 5 people who opted not to leave Gold Canyon under orders two days ago are now in a situation too dangerous to allow a helicopter rescue.

Chantry Flats
Acton Area: Soledad Canyon Rd. between Agua Dulce Canyon Rd. and Crown Valley Rd. There is a mandatory evacuation of the area bounded by Soledad Canyon Rd, Aliso Canyon Rd. and Angeles Forest Highway.
National Forest: Soledad Canyon Rd./Bootlegger Canyon Rd. Area AND Little Rock Recreation Area Mount Emma Rd. and Cheseboro Rd; and Big Tujunga Canyon Rd. from Mount Gleason to Angeles Forest Highway; and Little Tujunga Canyon Rd. north of the Little Tujunga Ranger Station and Gold Creek.
La Crescenta: Vicinity of Rosemont, La Crescenta, and Ramsdell AND North of Rockdell, Pineridge, Mountain Pine, and Markridge Rd.; all streets north of Rockdell St. between Briggs Av. and Pine Glenn Rd; and all streets located west of Briggs Ave. and east of Pennsylvania Ave., in between Harmony Pl. and the foothills.
La Cañada Flintridge: all streets east of Ocean View Blvd. and north of Los Amigos St; all streets north of Jessen Drive and Palm Drive
Altadena: All streets north of Loma Alta Dr., located between Lincoln Ave. and Lake Ave; all streets located in "The Meadows" (all streets located above Loma Alta Dr. and west of Lincoln Ave. to Aralia Rd.)
Sunland–Tujunga/NE San Fernando Valley: Streets North and East of: Sevenhills Dr; Angeles; Hillhaven Ave; Dos Rios Dr; Lonzo St; Deliban Ave; Amidon Pl; Sevenhills Dr north of Hillrose St And Streets North and East of: Burland Av; Terecita Rd; Terecita Pl; Owens St; Samon Av; Samon Pl; Parsons; Grenoble St; Silverton St; Bellclaire St; Glory Ave; East of Fairgrove Ave; North East of Apperson x Fairgrove Ave

If you are unsure about evacuation orders for your area, dial 211 for assistance and information.

Evacuation Centers are located at: La Cañada High School (La Cañada Flintridge), Crescenta Valley High School (La Crescenta), Golden Valley High School (Santa Clarita), Verdugo Hills High School (Tujunga), Marie Kerr Park (Palmdale), Sunland Park (Sunland–Tujunga).

Animals are being accepted at the Antelope Valley Fairgrounds; Pierce College (horses, donkey and mules only); and Lancaster Animal Shelter and Agoura Animal Shelter (small animals only).

'On the Ground' Report from Citizen Action Team Volunteer Leslie Teltoe – 10:26 pm 8/29/09:

The Station Wildfire started at 3:30 pm on Thursday, August 26th, 2009 at Hwy. 2, 1.5 miles north of USFS Angeles Crest Station in the Angeles National Forest in Los Angeles County California. As of the evening of August 29th, 2009, it has scorched more than 9 square miles of forest (over 20,000 acres), 3–5 homes have been a complete loss and approximately 25 log cabin homes were destroyed by flames in Big Tujunga Canyon and thousands more are threatened. The fire has gone from 5% containment to 0% containment. Projections for full containment is as far out as Sept. 8th, 2009. There have been 3 reported burn injuries suffered by residents defending their homes. Ten thousand residents are on both voluntary and mandatory evacuations in the communities of La Canada–Flintridge, Big Tujunga Canyon, Altadena, Pasadena and Glendale. The fire has a good 20 mile front and is currently headed in the direction of Acton and a small part of Santa Clarita. Three shelters have been opened and several pet shelters have been made available to evacuees for their pets and livestock. There are only 750 fire personell on this fire, which is stretching thin the progress they are able to make with a multitude of other fires blazing across the state of California.

Citizen Action Team activated it's response to the Station Wildfire immediately by making contact with local first response agencies and organizations to provide aid, support and coordination wherever needed. After being on standby for a couple days, we were called to action to assist in coordinating horse trailer transport for mandatory evacuations when the blaze jumped Big Tujunga Canyon endangering the many residents with large animals. The Hansen Dam Equestrian Center was quickly filled to capacity and the overflow was transferred to Pierce College in Woodland Hills where they are able to take on up to 200 horses. A long lost of ranchers, animal rescue and community stakeholders continues to be on the ready to assist with any additional animal evacuations if the county asks for our support again. The San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group local volunteers (serving folks from the Sayre/Marek fires of last year), and a number of other volunteers and local first response partners will remain on call and will respond to supporting firefighters with food and drink supplies if the need arises. With county budgets stretched thin, it is our priority to make certain they are well fed, hydrated and able to continue to battle this wildfire to the best of their abilities.

After visiting the Command Post last night at the Hansen Dam Recreation Center in Lake View Terrace, we've discovered this afternoon that the already bustling, efficient and well equipped site has more than tripled in size and activity. City entities are are ready to be called on once the fire crosses over from county to city lines.

It's going to be a lonnng hot night folks!

SOURCE: http://latimesblogs.latimes.com/lanow/2009/08/evacuations–in–altadena–and–big–tujunga–canyon–officials–deal–with–two–burn–victims.html

Evacuations in Glendale, Altadena and Big Tujunga Canyon; two people treated for burns

August 29, 2009 | 3:41 pm

The Station fire was spreading rapidly to the east and west this afternoon, prompting evacuations in La Cañada Flintridge, Glendale, Altadena and Big Tujunga Canyon as temperatures reached triple digits.

Los Angeles County Fire Department dispatcher Melanie Flores told The Times that two people were being treated for burns at the Big Tujunga ranger station, though more details were not immediately available.

The Station fire has now burned more than 20,000 acres, according to fire officials.

The latest evacuation zone is in the remote upper reaches of Big Tujunga Canyon near the ranger station, according to the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. The city of Glendale also ordered evacuations north of Santa Carlotta Street between Pennsylvania and Lowell avenues. The city of Pasadena advised residents of the Florecita neighborhood in the far northwest of the city to evacuate their homes voluntarily.

Temperatures topping 100 degrees, single–digit humidity and the steep, rugged topography of the Angeles National Forest continue to make the fire a formidable foe despite low winds, fire officials said today.

"All of a sudden, it flared up," said Bruce Quintelier, a spokesman for the U.S. Forest Service. Earlier this morning the flames were creeping through canyons and hillsides. The flames are beginning to approach homes in both La Cañada Flintridge near Highway 2 and the Meadows neighborhood between two canyons on the northwestern tip of Altadena.

Massive and ominous–looking smoke plumes continue to envelop the area and have made for poor air quality, falling ash and smoky odors in the nearest communities, the San Fernando Valley and other parts of Los Angeles. Outside the fire command post today at the Hansen Dam Recreation Center in Lake View Terrace, the air is so choked with smoke that it resembles a London fog of decades ago.

Literally adding fuel to the fire is 20– to 30–foot–high brush that has not burned in 60 years, said Mike Dietrich, incident commander from the Forest Service.

"If there's a silver lining, there are no Santa Ana winds expected at this time," Dietrich said.

The latest mandatory evacuation zones include scores of homes in Altadena, including the Meadows neighborhood between El Prieto Canyon and Millard Canyon. Among the streets included are Canyon Crest, Rising Hill and Aralia roads.

In La Cañada Flintridge, evacuated areas include neighborhoods on the northern edge of the city closest to the Angeles Crest Highway, generally from La Cañada Boulevard to the La Cañada Flintridge Golf Course.

More than 2,000 homes and 52 other structures are threatened in the La Cañada Flintridge area. Fire has burned right up to homes, but no structures have been destroyed. About 750 firefighters are deployed. One suffered minor heat–related injuries and was hospitalized overnight. He is expected to be released today.

Today, the priority for firefighters is the so–called front country, the area closest to homes. Firefighters are attacking it with air tankers and shovels. Super Scooper planes are not expected until Thursday –– welcome but not essential, fire officials said.

"Super Scoopers are just another tool in the toolbox. If they're available, we'll take advantage of it," said Dietrich.

Firefighters are also keeping an eye on Mt. Wilson, which is six to eight miles east of the fire. "That's several days out. It gives us an opportunity to prepare and defend the Mt. Wilson site," said L.A. County Fire Department Deputy Chief Jim Powers, an incident commander.

As evacuations widen, residents along foothill communities are on edge.

One leg of the fire was moving southeast toward Altadena. Another leg was moving north, and officials said they are trying to prevent it from getting to the communications centers at Mt. Wilson. A western leg was moving toward Big Tujunga Canyon.

Authorities issued mandatory evacuation orders for scores of homes in the area of the La Cañada Flintridge Golf Course. The orders include Starlight Crest Drive, Greenridge Drive, Forest Green Drive and Ridge Court, said Sgt. Daniel Stanley of the county Sheriff's Department. The communities are east of the Angeles Crest Highway.

Residents were asked to assemble their families and leave the area. An evacuation center has been set up at La Cañada High School, at 4463 Oak Grove Drive, where the Red Cross will assist evacuees.

Donna Robinson, 60, has been preparing to be evacuated since Wednesday, packing up documents, clothes and baby dish mementos of her adult children. She also packed up two dogs and three cats.

"I'm not even afraid now. I think it's good we're just out of the house. Now I feel it's not under my control," said Robinson as she sat with her husband, Paul, 57, outside the gym of La Cañada High.

This morning, residents began to slowly stream into the high school.

The worry was evident on Sonia Castellon's face as she made her way into the makeshift evacuation center.

"I was trying to keep calm, keep it together. But the moment you leave your home it's hard," the 46–year–old dentist said as she began to tear up.

Castellon said she had packed a large amount of valuables throughout the day just in case, because the fire was getting worse near her Greenridge Drive home. She packed away pictures, jewelry, cash, and discs and cards with family memories –– things that cannot be replaced.

"We had two hours from when they called, and it was already after 11 [p.m.] when we got the call. I'm scared of not having a house when we go back."

Having to evacuate was especially tough for Castellon's daughter, Carla Torres. They were in the midst of preparing for her sweet 16 birthday party. Although she hopes the party at the Castaway Restaurant and Banquet Center in Burbank offers a temporary relief, Carla said she hadn't envisioned herself waking up on her birthday at her high school.

"It's really scary right now," Carla said.

In all, nearly 10,000 acres had burned in the four major Southern California fires by Friday evening. In addition to those wildfires, two separate blazes scorched about 1,000 acres in sprawling Camp Pendleton in San Diego County. Neither fire threatened structures.

An air assault through the night helped bring the Palos Verdes Peninsula fire under 90% containment. Expensive homes in Rolling Hills and Rancho Palos Verdes had been threatened, with flames lapping at the eaves of some residences.

The blaze consumed 230 acres.

In steep terrain above Hemet, a San Bernardino National Forest wildfire was just 10% contained but was not posing an immediate threat to structures, although 2,200 acres had burned. A mandatory evacuation order in the Willowbrook Road area was lifted, but voluntary evacuation advisories remained for Bee Canyon.

The Morris fire, which started five miles north of Azusa near San Gabriel Canyon Road, blackened more than 2,000 acres and was 85% contained, officials said. The fire was burning in mostly open mountain country, but voluntary evacuations were in effect for the North Fork of the San Gabriel River.

The Los Angeles County Public Health Department warned people to avoid outdoor activities. Air quality deteriorated throughout the day as temperatures climbed, becoming unhealthful in western San Bernardino and Riverside counties as well as in parts of the San Fernando Valley.

ONLINE NEWS:

CBS/K–Cal 9 News: http://cbs2.com/

ABC 7 Eyewitness News: http://abclocal.go.com/kabc/index

Pasadena Star News: http://www.pasadenastarnews.com/

Aug 29, 2009 8:59 am US/Pacific FireWatch: Information You Need, Evacuations

The Station Fire

Officials said the fire has burned about 5,500 acres.
The fire is 5 percent contained.
One firefighter was reportedly injured.
Mandatory evacuations for more than 500 homes on north of Vista del Valle Road, East of La Canada Blvd. and extending into La Canada Country Club area. Friday evening, officials added the Angeles Crest Highway north of Starlight Crest, as well as the Green Ridge, Forest Green and Bay Tree areas.
Fire officials ordered evacuations along Big Briar Way, off Haskell Street, and along La Canada Boulevard north of El Vago Street for:

–– Donna Maria Lane,
–– Indian Drive,
–– Alta Canyada Road north of El Vago Street,
–– Hacienda Drive,
–– Linda Vista Drive,
–– and Alta Canyada Road north of Linda Vista Drive.

Evacuation Center: La Canada High School, 4463 Oak Grove Drive, La Canada.
The fire crossed Highway 2 and is now in the Arroyo Seco area.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Information Resource, Road Closures/Conditions; Media, Online News Reports; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter, Updates/Status
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
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Tax Advice/Assistance, Index: California Wildfires

Info/Hotline · Open

State Agency
CA

Serves Sylmar/Lake View Terrace, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Marek/Sayre Wildfires 2008
Service Temporary

CALIFORNIA BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
For questions regarding sales and use, property and special taxes, contact the Board of Equalization (BOE) at:

Phone: 1(800) 400–7115 (TTY: (800) 735–2929)
Web site: www.boe.ca.gov

EDD EMPLOYER TAX SERVICES
Employers who are directly affected by a state of emergency may request up to a 60–day extension to file their state payroll reports and deposit state payroll taxes with the Employment Development Department (EDD). Visit the web site for additional information or call the Taxpayer Assistance Center at:

Phone: 1(888) 745–3886
Web site: www.edd.ca.gov

FRANCHISE TAX BOARD
The Franchise Tax Board provides guidance in obtaining tax relief for disaster casualty losses. Contact the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) at:

Phone: 1(800) 852–5711 (TTY/TDD for hearing or speech impaired: 1(800) 822–6268)
Web site: www.ftb.ca.gov

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (IRS)
For information on obtaining Federal tax relief for disaster casualty losses and questions regarding Federal income and payroll taxes, contact the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Phone: 1(800) 829–1040, (TTY: 18008294059)
Web site: http://www.irs.gov/

State Income Tax Returns:
To get a free copy of your lost or damaged California state returns, you should complete
Form FTB 3516, “Request for Copy of Tax Return.” Print “CAWildfires” in red at the top of the request. You may download the form at the Franchise Tax Board’s website or by calling to order one.

Web site: www.ftb.ca.gov
Phone: 1(800) 852–5711

NOTE: This extension unfortunately does not apply to Marek Fire families because the disaster was not federally declared.

California extends tax relief to Southern California wildfire victims

The California Franchise Tax Board (FTB) has announced special corporation franchise and income and personal income tax relief available to California taxpayers affected by the recent wildfires in Southern California. Taxpayers that have lost homes or suffered property damages as a result of the fires can quickly get some financial relief by immediately claiming their disaster losses on their tax returns. Also, the FTB can help replace tax records and other important paperwork lost in the fires.

The wildfires were declared a federal disaster, and affected taxpayers may claim their disaster losses in the current or prior tax year. Claiming the losses on a 2007 tax return will allow the FTB to issue refunds as quickly as possible. Counties included in the disaster area are: Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, and Santa Barbara. Fires specifically included in the disaster declaration are the Tea Fire in Santa Barbara County, the Sayre fire in Los Angeles County, and the Triangle Complex (formerly named Freeway Complex) fire in Orange and Riverside Counties.

Taxpayers claiming the disaster losses should write "Southern California Wildfires 2008" in red ink at the top of their tax returns to alert the FTB to expedite tax refunds. Taxpayers filing electronically should follow their software instructions to enter the disaster information. Original and amended return forms are available on the FTB's Web site at http://www.ftb.ca.gov/.

Taxpayers needing copies of lost or damaged state returns should complete Form FTB 3516, Request for Copy of Tax Return, and print "Southern California Wildfires 2008" in red ink at the top of the request. Disaster victims can receive copies of their tax returns for free.

Additional information about disaster losses can be found in publications FTB 1034, Disaster Loss, and IRS 547, Casualties, Disasters, and Thefts. Taxpayers who have questions about their accounts can call the FTB toll–free at 1–800–852–5711, Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. (Press Release, California Franchise Tax Board, November 19, 2008.)

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Directories, Financial Assistance Programs; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Tax Relief; Government, Board of Equalization; Government, Employment Development Department; Government, Franchise Tax Board; Government, Internal Revenue Service; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Central Pacific Coast Jesusita Wildfire; 2009 Station Wildfire
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Other locations

Citizen Action Team, Database Operations

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Anytown

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Service	Permanent

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Directories, Training Listings, News & Referrals; Disaster Relief System Development Guidance; Documentation, Disaster Planning; Documentation, Disaster Recovery Process; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Community Groups; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; First Responder, Gulf Region; First Responder, Mid–Atlantic Region; First Responder, MidWest Region; First Responder, Mountain States; First Responder, NorthEast Region; First Responder, NorthWest Region; First Responder, SouthEast Region; First Responder, SouthWest Region; First Responder, West Coast Region; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Businesses; Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Governments/Community Groups; Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Relief Workers; Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Information Resource, Katrina Related; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Management, Supply Chain Management Advice; Management, Volunteer Coordinator & Management, Volunteer; New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Intel/Mgmt; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Recycling, Computers & Electronics; Recycling, Household Items; Recycling Network, Database for Trading/Re–use (NO FEE); Registry, Wish List Registry, Online Registry; Resource Databases for Supplies/Services (NO FEE); Resource Website for "Green" (incl socially just) Products/Services; Software Tools, for Disaster Orgs/EMAs; Software Tools, for Disaster Orgs/EMAs, Construction/Rebuild Focused; Software Tools, for Disaster Orgs/EMAs, Donations Coord Focused; Software Tools, for Disaster Orgs/EMAs, Volunteer Coord Focused; Supplies, Online Supplies; Support for "All" Disasters; Tech, Data Solution Architects, Humanitarian; Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Warehouse, Local Disaster Relief Guidance

Campaigns: 2001 9–11; 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2005 Hurricane Rita; 2005 Hurricane Wilma; 2007 California Wildfires; 2007 Fernley, Nevada Flood; 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; 2007 Hurricane Dean; 2007 Hurricane Flossie; 2007 Midwest Floods; 2007 Pacific Northwest Flooding; 2007 South Mexico Floods; 2007 Tropical Cyclone Sidr; 2008 California Wildfires; 2008 Georgia Tornados; 2008 Hurricane Dolly; 2008 Hurricane Fay; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Hanna; 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2008 Hurricane Josephine; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2008 MidWest Floods; 2008 MidWest Tornado; 2008 Pacific Northwest Winter Snow Storm; 2009 American Samoa Tsunami; 2009 Australia Bushfires; 2009 Central Pacific Coast Jesusita Wildfire; 2009 Georgia Storms; 2009 Ice Storms; 2009 Indonesia–Asian Pacific Earthquakes/Storms; 2009 May Severe Storm & Tornado Support (KY/WV/MO); 2009 MidWest Floods; 2009 MidWest Floods Support (Closed/Standby); 2009 Pacific Northwest Flooding; 2009 SouthEastern Wildfires; 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; 2009 Station Wildfire; 2009 Tornadoes; 2010 /2011 Haiti Cholera Epidemic; 2010 April, Mississippi Tornado; 2010 Arkansas Campground Flood; 2010 Baja, Mexico Earthquake; 2010 Chile Earthquake; 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire; 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2010 Haiti Earthquake, Orphanages/Childrens Homes; 2010 Haiti, Hurricane Tomas; 2010 Hurricane Earl; 2010 Massachusetts Flooding; 2010 May Oklahoma/Kansas Tornado; 2010 Midwest Flooding, August; 2010 New England Flooding; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; 2010 Pakistan Floods; 2010 Pakistan – Humanitarian Support for Armed Conflict; 2010 Snow & Ice Storms; 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding; 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Australia Floods; 2011 Brazil Floods; 2011 China Earthquake; 2011 East Africa Famine; 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene; 2011 Japan Earthquake/Tsunami/Nuclear Disasters; 2011 Massachusetts Tornado; 2011 Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 New Zealand Earthquake; 2011 North Dakota Flood; 2011 Other Disasters; 2011 Philippines TS Sendong; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; 2011 Texas Wildfires; 2011 Tropical Storm Lee; 2012 Alabama Tornado; 2012 Colorado – High Park Wildfire; 2012 Colorado – Waldo Canyon Wildfire; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; 2012 Hurricane Sandy; 2012 (June) Minnesota – Floods; 2012 Oklahoma – Wildfires; 2012 Spring – Tornadoes; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Aidmatrix; American Rainbow Rapid Response; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Pollution; Environmental Sustainability; Gifts in Kind; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Homelessness Relief Services; International Relief & Development (IRD); United Way; VOAD (this org is not a member, but is "affiliated"); YouthBuild

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