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Hurricane Season 2022

FEMA - Prepare for Peak Hurricane Season

- ☐ Prepare for peak hurricane season at [Ready.gov](https://www.ready.gov) or [Listo.gov](https://www.listo.gov) (Spanish)
- ☐ Keep an **emergency disaster kit** at home, the supplies should last you several days, including a flashlight, extra batteries, copies of important documents (stored in waterproof bags), water and non-perishable food
- ☐ Always have an **evacuation plan** for your family, remembering that there could be utility outages
- ☐ Maintain current flood insurance and keep virtual or extra copies of your insurance documents
- ☐ Plan accordingly for the needs of family and pets
- ☐ Follow the applicable weather stations for information on storm development, and know the warning signs/signals of the Emergency Alert System
- ☐ If a disaster declaration has been declared, claim disaster assistance at [disasterassistance.gov](https://www.disasterassistance.gov), 1-800-621-3362, or on FEMA's app



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SBA - Let's Get Storm Ready

- ☐ **Assess your risk** – A back to business self-assessment can help you assess your risk following disasters
- ☐ **Create a plan** – Information at ready.gov/business can help you develop a plan, turn off all non-critical devices, and back up data
- ☐ **Execute your plan** – Practice and review the plan with staff
- ☐ **Survey all damage** following the storm and leave repairs to licensed contractors
- ☐ **Submit insurance claims** as soon as possible
- ☐ **Apply for a low-interest SBA loan** -- the first step to determine eligibility for the Public Assistance Program



disasterloanassistance.sba.gov

1-800-659-2955



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