Get Ready,
Get Connected,
Get Strong!

45 Minutes to
Family Emergency Preparedness*

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In partnership with Anacortes Fire Department
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*Follow-through required!
Why are you here?

Does this describe you?

- I want to protect my family
- I want to be ready for “the big one”
- I want to be prepared to help my neighbors in a disaster
- I want to face disasters with courage
YOUR Family Preparedness Plan

My Family Preparedness Plan
Steps I Will Take to Prepare My Family

Step 1 Make the Commitment!
The people I am acting for are: ____________________________
________________. I am committed to get ready, get connected, get strong – for them!
Sign here: ____________________________

Step 2 Decide on Your Disaster!
We live in a small community on an island. The disaster I am most concerned about will
shape my decisions about how to prepare. I am preparing for:

  __ Earthquake
  __ High winds
  __ Winter storm
  __ Other (be specific) ____________________________

Step 3 Plan!
Based on the disaster[s] checked above, decide on the following:
Where will you meet if you cannot get home? ____________________________
Who is your out-of-state contact and how will you connect? ____________________________

What will you do to prepare for the disaster? I will

  __ Prepare a three-day disaster kit (minimum) now
  __ Conduct a home hazard hunt now, and
  __ Learn now how – and when – to turn off utilities
    including water, gas, and electricity

Step 4 Prepare Your Kit(s)!

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     Date completed: ________

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     (including sanitation) – due dates: ________
     Date completed: ________

Step 5 Connect!

  1) Support your new “preparedness buddy” by reaching out at least once after today to offer support and celebrate success.
     Name: ____________________________
     Contact info: ____________________________
     Date completed: ________

  2) Between now and Halloween, talk to at least one neighbor on your block about what you are doing to get ready through household preparedness.
     Name: ____________________________
     Date completed: ________

Notes:

  1) Disasters are survivable – with planning and preparation
  2) Know the risks, make a plan, prepare kits
  3) Disasters bring people together – get together before the disaster

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Emergency Solar Hand Crank AM/FM/NOAA Radio, Flashlight, and Cell Phone Charger
YOUR FAMILY PLAN: STEP #1

Step 1 Make the Commitment!

The people I am acting for are: __________________________________________________________

___________. I am committed to get ready, get connected, get strong – for them!

Sign here: ___________________________________________
Tonight’s Goals

1. Give you perspective
   *Disasters are survivable – with planning and preparation*

2. Challenge you to prepare
   *Know the risks, make a plan, prepare a kit*

3. Connect you to others
   *Disasters bring people together – get together before the disaster*
Connect Now: Pair Up

1. Families/households should pair up
2. Doesn’t matter how many people are in the combined pair
3. Raise your hand if you need to be paired up
Connect Now: Share

1. Introduce yourself
2. Say which neighborhood you live in
3. Share *why* you are here. What motivated you to take the important step of getting prepared?
Goal 1: Perspective

Disasters are survivable – with planning and preparation
Disasters: Natural and Human Caused

- Earthquakes
- Floods
- Volcanic activity
- Winter/wind storms
- Heat advisories
- Wildland fires
- Tsunamis
- Terrorism
- Industrial accidents
- Pandemic diseases
A healthy and realistic mindset

- Realize disasters are survivable
- Believe that your actions make a difference
- Learn what to do
- Teach others
- Work together to build capacity to respond and recover from the disaster
Preparedness Pyramid

- Personal Preparedness
- Family Preparedness
- Neighborhood Preparedness
- Community Preparedness
Why Prepare Now?

- Disasters can strike quickly and without warning.
- Emergency personnel will be overwhelmed.
- You will be on your own for days, if not weeks.
Why Prepare Now? (continued)

• You will be more confident and comfortable in the event of a disaster.
• Everyone in the family will know what to do.
• You may be separated from one another.
• You will be better able to help your friends and neighbors.
Goal 2: Prepare!

Know the risks,
make a plan,
prepare a kit
Know the risks.  
Know our region.

• The consequences of disasters can be similar, but knowing the risks in our region can help you better prepare.

• Determine what risks your family is most exposed to.
Know the Risks.
City of Anacortes Priority Risks

1. Earthquake
2. High winds
3. Winter storm
Hazards

1. People injured
2. Fire
3. Water supply cut off
4. Loss of electricity
5. Loss of communications
6. Roads blocked/damaged
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My Family Preparedness Plan

*Steps I Will Take to Prepare My Family*

**Step 1 Make the Commitment!**

The people I am acting for are: *Skipper, Mary Ann, Ginger, the Howells, the Professor*. I am committed to get ready, get connected, get strong – for them!

Sign here: __Gilligan___________________

**Step 2 Decide on Your Disaster!**

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- [✓] Earthquake
- [ ] High winds
- [ ] Winter storm
- [✓] Other (be specific) *Shipwreck*__________________________
Make a Plan.

• You aren't prepared — until you make a plan
• Photocopy your plan
• Keep copies of your plan in safe and memorable places
Your Plan Should Include

1. Where will you meet?
2. How will you connect? (out-of-area contact)
3. How can you stay self-sufficient?
YOUR Family Preparedness Plan

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Prepare a Kit.

• To prepare for an emergency that could last 72 hours or more, what would you put in a kit?
• Pre-packaged kits can get you started
• Your kit can be expanded: 2 weeks is ideal
• Mini-kits for the car and office
Kit Checklists

Pet Preparedness

Before a disaster
- Decide on safe locations in your house where you could leave your pet in an emergency. Consider easy to clean areas such as utility rooms or bathrooms. Avoid rooms with hazards such as windows, hanging plants and pictures.
- Plan to set up a separate location for each animal. Animals stress animals. Even a gentle pet can exhibit distressed behaviors.
- If your pet is on medication or a special diet, find out from your vet what you should do in case you have to leave it alone for several days. Try to get an extra supply of medications.
- Make sure your pet has a properly fitted collar that includes the current license and rabies tags, and your name, address, and phone number.

Emergency supplies for pets
- Fiber glass carrier for each pet with an envelope taped to the top of the carrier containing a photo with your pet’s name on it, vaccination records, information about prescription medications, and your vet’s name and phone number
- Train your pet to become comfortable being in the carrier
- Food should be dry and relatively unappealing to prevent overeating
- Towels or blankets for warmth
- Water sufficient for three days
- Zip-lock baggies for cleanup
- Spray disinfectant and latex gloves in addition, cats need:
  - plastic litter box
  - jug of clumping kitty litter and a scoop

During a disaster
- Bring your pets inside immediately. Animals have instincts about severe weather changes and will often isolate themselves if they are afraid. Bringing them inside early can stop them from running away. Never leave a pet outside or tied up during a storm.
- If you evacuate and have to leave your pet at home, prepare a safe location for it.
  - leave a three-day supply of dry food, even if it is not your pet’s usual food
  - Moistened food can turn rancid or sour. Put the food in a sturdy container the pet cannot overturn.
  - leave water in a sturdy, no-spill container. If possible, open a faucet slightly and let the water drip into a big container.
  - replace a chem “choker” collar with a leather or nylon collar. Make sure the collar has tags and identification.
- Separate dogs and cats. Even if they normally get along, the anxiety of a disaster situation can cause pets to act unpredictably.
- If you evacuate and plan to take your pets, remember to bring your pets medical records and medicines.

For health and safety reasons, pets will not be allowed in public emergency shelters.

After a disaster
- In the first few days after the disaster, leash your pets when they go outside. Maintain close contact. Familiar scents and landmarks may be altered, and your pet may become confused and lost.
- The behavior of your pets may have changed. Normally quiet and friendly pets may become aggressive or defensive. Leash dogs and place them in a fenced yard with access to shelter and water.
Calendar-based Lists

Preparedness Calendar: 24 Weeks of Activities to Get You Prepared

This calendar is intended as a tool to help you take appropriate preparedness actions and create a 3-5 day disaster supply kit for your household before the next emergency happens. Using the calendar, your family can assemble an emergency kit in small steps over a six-month period. Check off each of the items you collect or the actions you take during the week. Supplies may be stored together in a large plastic garbage can with wheels, storing the heavy items at the bottom. Remember to rotate your supplies every six months. Review this Calendar every six months.

### WEEK 1
- **Grocery Tackle**
  - Can-made food, canned fruit, vegetables, milk, eggs, bread, rice, flour, sugar, cooking oil, and spices.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Prepare a weekend plan with your family, and include everyone in the planning process.
- **Action Steps**
  - Print out the activity guide and plan a family meeting to discuss the plan.

### WEEK 2
- **Grocery List**
  - utensils, plates, cups, bowls, spoons, plastic bags, and garbage bags.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Review the previous week's plan and make adjustments as needed.
- **Action Steps**
  - Revisit the activity guide and update the plan as necessary.

### WEEK 3
- **Grocery List**
  - toiletries, shampoo, conditioner, soap, toilet paper, and tissues.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Discuss the emergency plan with your family and address any concerns.
- **Action Steps**
  - Confirm the availability of specific items and plan for any potential shortages.

### WEEK 4
- **Grocery List**
  - flashlights, batteries, first aid kit, and water purification tablets.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Practice the emergency plan with your family.
- **Action Steps**
  - Check the emergency kit and ensure all items are in good condition.

### WEEK 5
- **Grocery List**
  - portable radio, spare batteries, and emergency blanket.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Review the emergency plan with your family and discuss any adjustments.
- **Action Steps**
  - Test the emergency kit and replace any expired or damaged items.

### WEEK 6
- **Grocery List**
  - water bottles, pet food, and pet supplies.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Revisit the emergency plan and address any new safety concerns.
- **Action Steps**
  - Update the emergency plan to include pet needs.

### WEEK 7
- **Grocery List**
  - cooking oil, dried fruit, and non-perishable food.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Practice the emergency plan with your family and discuss any areas for improvement.
- **Action Steps**
  - Review the emergency kit and prepare for potential changes in the plan.

### WEEK 8
- **Grocery List**
  - milk, eggs, bread, rice, flour, sugar, and cooking oil.
- **Weekend Plan**
  - Revisit the emergency plan and make any necessary adjustments.
- **Action Steps**
  - Check the emergency kit and replace any expired items.

The Prepare in a Year Calendar helps you take action to be prepared for disasters whenever they occur.

www.emd.wa.gov/preparedness/prep_prepara_year.shtml


A complete list of local offices of emergency management can be found on our website at: www.emd.wa.gov/preparedness/prep_neighborhoods.shtml
All the Info Resources You Need

RESOURCES
for My Family Preparedness Plan

1) COMPLETED PLAN
Carry out the steps you committed to in “My Family Preparedness Plan”!

2) LOCAL RISKS
- Skagit CodeRED emergency alert sign up, Anacortes tsunami walking map, and posters www.skagitcounty.net/Departments/EmergencyManagement/

3) KIT CHECKLISTS
“Grocery list”-style checklists:
- 72-hour Disaster Preparedness Kit www.cityofanacortes.org/DocumentCenter/View/7169/72-Hour-Disaster-Preparedness-Kit
- Multiple checklists, including for pets (scroll to “Disaster Kits”) https://mil.wa.gov/publications

Calendar-type checklists, by week or month:
- Prepare in six months, one week at a time: www.co.thurston.wa.us/em/PA/24_WeekCalendar.pdf
- Prepare in a year, one hour a month: https://mil.wa.gov/personal

4) PLANS AND GUIDES
- Ready.gov www.ready.gov/make-a-plan
- Washington State Emergency Management Division plans, checklists, and advice for preparing mil.wa.gov/preparedness
- Home hazard hunt (earthquake) www.fema.gov/media-library/assets/documents/1261

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Kit Basics

- Water
- Food
- Clothing, blankets
- Sturdy shoes
- Toiletries
- Radio
- Flashlights
Emergency Solar Hand Crank AM/FM/NOAA Radio, Flashlight, and Cell Phone Charger
Kit Specialty Items

- Extra eyeglasses
- Prescription medications
  - No running water
  - No electricity
  - No refrigeration
- Comfort and inspiration
- Photographs
Other Essentials

- Cash money
- Emergency contacts
- Important documents
  - Medical information
  - Bank information
  - Insurance
Earthquake Home Hazard Hunt

Recommendations for reducing earthquake hazards in your home are presented on the other side of this poster.

- Strap down computers
- Secure ceiling fans and hanging light fixtures
- Brace or replace masonry chimneys
- Brace water heaters and ensure that gas models have flexible connections
- Secure cabinets to wall studs; use latches to keep cabinet doors from flying open during an earthquake
- Ensure that gas appliances have flexible connections
- Upgrade unbraced crawlspace walls (or other foundation problems)
- Strap bookcases and shelves to walls to prevent tipping
- Strap down televisions and other expensive or hazardous electrical components
- Security fasten or relocate heavy pictures and mirrors over beds and furniture
- Know how and when to shut off utilities
- Strengthen garages that have living space above them
Learn How – and When – To Turn Off Utilities

Learn through Map Your Neighborhood or CERT
YOUR FAMILY PLAN: STEP #3

**Step 3 Plan!**

Based on the disaster(s) checked above, decide on the following:

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Who is your out-of-state contact *and* how will you connect? ____________________________

What will you do to prepare for the disaster? I will

___ Prepare a three-day disaster kit (minimum) *now*  

___ Conduct a home hazard hunt *now*, and  

___ Learn *now* how – and *when* – to turn off utilities  

including water, gas, and electricity  

Date completed: ______

Date completed: ______

Date completed: ______
Step 3 Plan!

Based on the disaster(s) checked above, decide on the following:

Where will you meet if you cannot get home? _The Minnow Inn_________

Who is your out-of-state contact and how will you connect? _Uncle Bob in Denver using 1) message in a bottle and 2) text 303-555-1234_________

What will you do to prepare for the disaster? I will

✔ Prepare a three-day disaster kit (minimum) now   Date completed: ______

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   Date completed: 

   Kit #2, Kit #3, Kit #4: prepare additional kits for work, car, two weeks at home (including sanitation) – due dates: 10/30
   Date completed: 
Goal 2 Summary: Prepare!

Task 1: Know the risks.
   Know our region.

Task 2: Make a plan.

Task 3: Prepare a kit(s).
Goal 3: Connect!

Disasters bring people together – get together before the disaster
Preparedness Pyramid

- Community Preparedness
  - Community Emergency Response Teams
  - Map Your Neighborhood
- Neighborhood Preparedness
- Family Preparedness
- Personal Preparedness
What is Map Your Neighborhood (MYN)?

- Purpose: build disaster preparedness at the neighborhood level (15-30 houses in urban settings)
- Core is 9-Step Neighborhood Response Plan that starts at home and then reaches out to neighbors
- Creates a contact list of neighbors
- Identifies skills and equipment to use in a disaster
Define Your Neighborhood
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Meeting Reminder:

"MYN"
Map Your Neighborhood

What is a disaster?
Disasters, by definition, are events that overwhelm police, fire, and medical 911 emergency responders. The most likely disaster in our area is a major earthquake.

Why MYN?
MYN helps us organize a timely response to disaster when 911 is unavailable. All of us, working together, can reduce the serious consequences of disaster in our neighborhood.

What will we do?
- We will have a 9-step Neighborhood Response Plan that immediately helps us know what to do — both at home and in the neighborhood — to respond to injuries, leaking natural gas, and assuring people who may be alone and frightened. The process is proven, fast, and easy.
- We will identify the skills and equipment each neighbor has that are useful in an effective and timely disaster response.
- We will map our neighborhood's natural gas meters and propose tank locations so we can quickly respond to leaking gas and reduce the threat of fire.

DATE: Thursday, October 6, 2016
TIME: 7 – 9 p.m.
PLACE: Your neighbor

RSVP and for more info:
email

Also available in Spanish
What are Community Emergency Response Teams (CERTs)?

Trained volunteers who:

- Manage utilities and put out small fires,
- Provide basic medical aid,
- Search for and rescue victims safely,
- Organize themselves and spontaneous volunteers to be effective, and
- Collect disaster intelligence to support first responder efforts.

“The greatest good for the greatest number.”
CERT Sign Up

Two identical courses, each six weeks long

• Shelter Bay, Tuesday, October 1
• Skyline Beach Club, Thursday, October 3

Rick Wallace
West Skagit CERT Instructor
360-202-3106
skagitcocert@gmail.com
**YOUR FAMILY PLAN: STEP #5**

*Step 5 Connect!*

1) Support your new “preparedness buddy” by reaching out at least once after today to offer support and celebrate success.
   
   Name: ____________________________________________________________
   
   Contact info: ______________________________________________________
   
   Date completed: _____

2) Between now and Halloween, talk to *at least one neighbor on your block* about what you are doing to get ready through household preparedness.
   
   Name: ____________________________________________________________
   
   Date completed: _____
1) Have you completed Your Family Preparedness Plan?

2) Have you and your disaster buddy communicated at least once to support each other? (Step 5)
YOUR FAMILY PLAN: STEP #5

EXCHANGE plans to fill out part 1

1) Support...
2) Better...

Name: ____________________________ Date completed: __________

Write CLEARLY
Write CLEARLY
WRITE CLEARLY
Step 5 Connect!

1) Support your new “preparedness buddy” by reaching out at least once after today to offer support and celebrate success.

Name: _Carol and Mike Brady__________________________________________

Contact info: _marciamarciamarciamarcia!@suburbia.com_____________________

Date completed: ____

2) Between now and Halloween, talk to at least one neighbor on your block about what you are doing to get ready through household preparedness.

Name: _Theodore Cleaver__________________________________________ Date completed: ____
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ENTER TO WIN EMERGENCY RADIO/FLASHLIGHT/CELL PHONE CHARGER

NAME: ___________________________________________________________

EMAIL: __________________________________________________________

PHONE: _________________________________________________________

WRITE CLEARLY ONE ENTRY PER HOUSEHOLD PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY

Write CLEARLY
SUMMARY

1. Given you perspective
   *Disasters are survivable – with planning and preparation*

2. Challenged you to prepare
   *Know the risks, make a plan, prepare a kit(s)*

3. Connected you to others
   *Disasters bring people together – get together before the disaster*
Three Pieces of Paper

1) YOUR Family Preparedness Plan – completed with decisions made!
2) Resource list
3) Kit checklist – choose and take one as you leave (you can download the other later but pick one now)
Get Ready, Get Connected, Get Strong

This is what I will do:

• I will protect my family
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