

# HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS

Be ready for hurricane season. Today you can determine your personal hurricane risk, find out if you live in a hurricane evacuation zone, and review/update insurance policies. You can also make a list of items to replenish hurricane emergency supplies and start thinking about how you will prepare your home for the coming hurricane season. If you live in hurricane-prone areas, you are encouraged to complete these simple preparations before hurricane season begins.\*

**Hurricane Season: June 1 - November 30**

\* <https://www.noaa.gov/hurricane-prep>



## Determine Your Risk

Storm Surge; Strong Winds; Flooding & Rainfall;  
Rip currents



## Develop An Evacuation Plan

Find out if you live in an evacuation zone; Have a go bag for supplies; Follow evacuation orders if given; Plan several routes; Plan for your pets



## Assemble Disaster Supplies

- Food / Water  
*(enough for 3-7 days)*
- Clothing
- Bedding
- First Aid / Medicines
- Radio
- Important Documents
- Flashlight / Batteries
- Toiletries
- Telephones
- Cash
- Spare Keys
- Toys, Books & Games
- Special Items
- Tools
- Vehicle Fuel Tanks Filled
- Pet Care Items



## Strengthen Your Home

Cover Windows; Secure loose outdoor items; Move vehicles to a safe location; Trim trees; Secure all doors



## Help Your Neighbor

Help your neighbors prepare; Check-in after the storm passes; Help your neighbors evacuate



## Get An Insurance Check‡

Check with your homeowner's insurance agent;  
Know your policy; Keep documents with you



## Complete A Written Plan

Have a contact list; Have at least one contact outside of the impact area; Keep critical documents together for quick access; Share your plan

‡ Carrying both homeowner's insurance and title insurance plays an important role in keeping your investment protected. Old Republic Title does not sell homeowner's insurance. However, if you would like to purchase title insurance when you buy your home or learn more about title insurance, contact your local Old Republic Title agency representative today.