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The PEP-C Alert

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Editors Comments.

Welcome to the new look of the PEP-C Alert.

It is our goal to send out helpful information to better prepare ourselves and others in times of emergencies. We only publish in times of emergencies or when we have something really important to get out. In non emergencies this may be 1-4 times a year.

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We appreciate any comments you have; good, bad, or indifferent. All we ask is you try and be constructive so we can improve our mission.

I think with all the public & private entities that we have in the area and all their missions, I think we have a very under utilized platform here. Our medical entities for instance could use this medium to better inform residents on proper protocol for using those facilities in an emergency.

By the way, there is an Editors job open for the PEP-C Alert.Â Neat thing is; no deadlines, and you can live anywhere.Â Doesn't pay anything, but you will find rewards money can't buy from the joy of helping people.



Marvin Nauman
Temporary Editor.

Another Wake up Call

Once again we have a wake up call called Hurricane Sally.Â Â Having worked some 30 Federal Disasters I can tell you that it doesn't matter what type of Disaster it is.

It impacts everybody in the area and every thing we do.Â The long gas lines, destroyed buildings, no food, water, or utilities are a shocking reality and way of life.Â I always shake my head when I drive by log gas lines because they rarely needed to be real.Â But that's another story for another time.Â BTW, just where do you think you will be able drive to anyway? And what pray tell, do you think you'll be able to do once you get there? The reality is probably nothing.

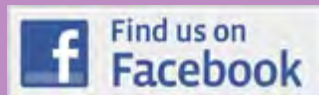
The best you can do is to pre prepare long in advance.Â Our PEP-C site is full of ways that will help you survive.Â Review our site and you will find many ways to pre survive with things like food, water, medical supplies, first aid, making temporary shelters, what to do if injured, what to do and not do, when to not call for help and why, and when to call (lots of luck).

I simply can not stress enoughâ€¦ YO-YO (You're On Your Own).Â People died in Katrina waiting to be rescued. I know, I was there. I helped recover some of the the foolish people that stayed and weren't prepared. And sometimes no amount of preparing will save you. You should always leave when Emergency Personal recommends/orders you to leave.

Major Earthquakes can come without warning.Â You truly will be YOYO.Â Our site will help you be better prepared and more survivable.



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