



Hurricane Katrina Relief Listserv

Working in Partnership Regionally to Best Serve Hurricane Katrina Evacuees

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The Hurricane Katrina Listserv is a vehicle by which people and organizations looking to provide evacuee relief can post and receive breaking news and information, as well as ask questions that will be made available to a number of public, private and non-profit organizations working to provide aid to evacuees.

If you're sending out press releases, have breaking news or other information, or would like to post a question, please forward to them to crisis.response@uwsem.org.

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Metro Detroit Katrina Response Meeting set for October 11

As a follow-up to the September 7 Katrina Relief meeting at the Ramada Inn, a community-wide meeting will be held on October 11 at the Southfield Public Library located at 26300 Evergreen Road. The meeting is intended to update community stakeholders on the relief efforts that have been undertaken to date, and to discuss how coordination of response

efforts can be strengthened in the future.

[Click here for directions to Southfield Public Library.](#)



Evacuee center to open in Pontiac

A hurricane reception and assessment center, originally set to open adjacent to the Pontiac Silverdome this week, has been rescheduled to open this coming Monday at the Welcome Missionary Baptist Church in Pontiac. People looking to donate specific items or volunteer time can do so at the Silverdome site, which is scheduled to open for limited hours on Saturday.

[Click here for more information.](#)



Washington debates ways to address evacuee health care

The Bush administration and the Senate each have their own plan to provide health care for the victims of Hurricane Katrina. This morning, a National Public Radio feature outlined the differences in their plans.

[Click here to listen to feature.](#)



UWSEM offers relief fund to help evacuees

In an effort to help support the needs of evacuees in Metro Detroit, United Way for Southeastern Michigan will begin distribution of the Metro Detroit Hurricane Katrina Response Fund, which is a limited, last resort, one-time fund to help evacuees with utility costs, security deposits and transportation. All applications must be completed by a human service professional on behalf of clients.

[Click here to access application.](#)

Quick Links

- [UW Metro Detroit Katrina Relief Website](#)
- [City Airport Intake Chart](#)
- [United Way TelHelp/2-1-1 Resource Listing - Daily Update](#)

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