

# MNA Disaster Response

Charles H. Jones Family Relief Center



## Cleaning /Flood Bucket Contents – Value \$65

- One 5-gallon bucket with re-sealable lid  
New buckets are preferred and can be purchased at Lowes, Home Depot, Ace Hardware, etc. Used buckets from food service or restaurants are permissible if properly washed. Buckets which have stored chemicals, paint, pool chemicals, etc., are not permissible.
- 5 scouring pads. Remove from packaging. No stainless steel, no Brillo or SOS pads- no soap built in.
- 7 sponges (dry only) Remove from packaging. No cellulose sponges due to mold issues.
- 18 cleaning wipes (reusable, non-linen); Handi-wipes types; no terry cleaning towels. Remove from packaging.
- Liquid laundry detergent 50 oz. (2-25 oz. or 1-50 oz.)
- 1 household cleaner, 12-16 oz. plastic bottle
- 1 disinfectant dish soap, 16-28 oz. plastic bottle
- 50 clothes pins
- Clothes line (two 50 ft. or one 100 ft.) Cotton or plastic
- 5 dust masks
- 2 pair heavy-duty reusable latex gloves
- 1 pair leather palm work gloves; cotton with leather palm or totally leather
- 24-bag roll of heavy-duty trash bags, 33-45 gallon size. Remove roll from box.
- 1 insect repellent spray, 6-14 oz. plastic bottle w/protective cap
- Air freshener, 8 or 9 oz. bottle w/protective cap

### Assembly

Place all liquid items in the bucket first. Place remaining items in the bucket fitting them around and between the liquid items. Sponges, scouring pads, clothespins and trash bags can be separated in order to fit all of the items in the bucket. Ensure the lid is closed securely.

### Notes:

All items must be new except for the bucket and lid. All cleaning agents must be liquid and in plastic containers. No powders, please. If you cannot find the requested size of a liquid item, use a smaller size. Including larger sizes of any item will prevent the lid from sealing.

## **Packing kits**

Box weight: Multiple buckets can be shipped in the same large box but the overall weight cannot exceed 65 pounds. Buckets weights vary, but typical weight 20lbs.

## **Delivery or Shipping Options**

Buckets may be delivered in person, coordinated with MNA Disaster Response Logistics Specialist Marty Huddleston ([mhuddleston@pcanet.org](mailto:mhuddleston@pcanet.org); 865-776-5919) or shipped by independent carrier to the warehouse. If delivered in person please schedule your arrival in advance by contacting Mike Kennamer, Warehouse Manager ([mkenamer@pcanet.org](mailto:mkenamer@pcanet.org); 256-899-4966).

1. Complete two contents lists and shipping labels – a set to retain for your records and a set to put on the shipping box. [Click here](#) to download a contents list and a label.
2. Paste the contents list and shipping label on the outside of each box you send. The shipping list helps our warehouse volunteers to quickly process kits.

## **Processing & Shipping Costs**

Please send at least \$1.50 for each bucket you send. This donation helps cover the transportation cost to ship the buckets into the disaster area to our staging areas. If delivering to the warehouse in person the donation can be given to the warehouse manager or mailed directly to MNA at the address below. You will receive a receipt for your donation.

## **Collection and Delivery Instructions**

- Items should be delivered in person or shipped to the MNA Warehouse in Rome GA via MNA Disaster Response Logistics Specialist Marty Huddleston ([mhuddleston@pcanet.org](mailto:mhuddleston@pcanet.org); 865-776-5919), or by independent carrier.
- Notify us in advance of your collection campaign as needs change daily.
- Once your collection efforts are complete and before departure for the MNA Warehouse, please prepare an summary list of your collection and send to us electronically at [mnawarehouse@pcanet.org](mailto:mnawarehouse@pcanet.org) so that we know what you will be bringing and that we can coordinate your arrival. This is important so that we can plan accordingly. Be prepared to let us know the exact day and time of arrival so that we can coordinate delivery.
- Mid-size U-Haul or Rider type trucks, pickup trucks, flat bed and enclosed trailers work best for deliveries. Tractor-trailers are also okay; a loading dock, fork truck and pallet jacks are on site.
- Volunteers should accompany the delivery of the relief kits and be prepared to help unload once arriving at the MNA Warehouse
- If you anticipate needed overnight accommodations while you are making a delivery at the MNA Warehouse please notify us in advance; we may be able to arrange lodging. Please know that housing may be limited and a morning delivery may work best so you can get back out the same day if at all possible, especially in times of new disaster responses.

- [Google Map & Directions](#)
- MNA Disaster Response Warehouse  
4063 Martha Berry Highway (US-27)  
Rome, Georgia 30165

### **Purchase Supplies**

If you would prefer giving a financial gift toward purchase of relief kit contents rather than locally buying, assembling and shipping them, you can give online by clicking here:



To donate by check, please mark your check for 'MNA Disaster Response Warehouse' and mail to:

**Mission To North America  
P. O. Box 890233  
Charlotte NC 28289-2033**