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Hurricane Preparedness Week – Complete A Written Plan

SAVANNAH, GA (May 12, 2018) Hurricane Preparedness Week is almost over, however, community preparedness is never over. Chatham Emergency Management Agency encourages everyone to complete a written plan for this hurricane season! Take the time now when there's no pressure document plans and get supplies. When hurricanes hit, and it's time to evacuate, no need to scramble your plan is in place.

CEMA Director Dennis Jones says, "Preparedness is a year round responsibility and applies to every one of us. Only through our level of preparedness can our community be more resilient to the threats of natural or man-made emergencies. It all starts with the individual, and your participation this week will certainly help to strengthen our community. Thank you for making Chatham County strong and thank you for participating in this year's Hurricane Preparedness Week!"

What to include in your Emergency Plan:

- An Evacuation Plan
- Out of area contact information and other important phone numbers
- Location of important documents to take with you
- Financial and pertinent medical information
- Emergency supply list and location
- A plan for your pet

For more information on creating an Emergency Plan visit: <https://www.ready.gov/make-a-plan>

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