

# !! IMPORTANT



## Phone Numbers

### Immediate emergency

# 911

#### **Suffolk County Police Second Precinct**

1071 Park Avenue -  
Huntington  
Non-emergency: 631-854-  
8200

\* "911" is only for emergencies.  
Do not dial "911" for  
information!  
Dial "631-852-COPS for *non-*  
*emergencies*.

**Town of Huntington  
Department of Public Safety**  
631-351-3234

#### **State Emergency Management Office (SOEM)**

(24-Hour State Emergency  
Coordination Center)  
518-292-2200

**Suffolk County Fire Rescue and  
Emergency Services (FRES)**  
631-852-4900

**PSEG LI Hotline** (to report  
outages, emergencies, or a  
downed wire)  
1-800-490-0075

**National Grid** (gas safety emergency and  
outages)  
1-800-490-0045



## TOWN OF HUNTINGTON

### 2025

### EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS



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## BE AWARE. BE PREPARED.

# Supervisor Edmund J. Smyth

Dear Neighbors,

As the National Weather Service predicts an aggressive hurricane season nearing, the Town of Huntington wants to encourage all its fellow residents to stay aware and stay prepared. It is important to us that every family stays safe. We put this brochure together to see to it that every family in the Town of Huntington is as prepared for this upcoming season as possible. We are ready, are you? In this brochure you can find: Hurricane response plans What to put in a family "to go" kit Preparedness tips for small business owners Emergency supply checklist Winter powered equipment safety tips What to do after the storm clears Pet safety Local emergency and non-emergency hotlines Local weather information sources

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Also remember to check on the elderly and those with special needs. They may need your assistance during a weather emergency, especially if they live alone. And please don't forget about your pets. Be certain to have water, non-perishable food and any medications available for them, too. It is wise to keep cell phones charged at all times. However, you may not be receiving email, text messages and robocalls. It is important to have at least one battery operated or portable radio available to help you stay informed.

Be ready for any weather emergency. Plan ahead! Be aware, be prepared, be safe.

Thank you,

Edmund J. Smyth Supervisor



## ***LOCAL EMERGENCY AGENCIES***

### **Huntington Manor Fire Department**

1650 New York Avenue  
Huntington Station  
Emergency: 631-385-  
3434  
Non-emergency: 631-  
427-1629

### **Long Island Red Cross**

195 Willis Avenue  
Mineola  
516-747-3500

### **Melville Fire Department**

531 Sweethollow Road  
Melville  
Emergency: 631-547-  
4121  
Non-emergency: 631-  
423-2635

### **Northport Fire Department**

204 Main Street  
Northport  
Emergency: 631-757-1111  
Non-emergency: 631-  
261-7504

### **Commack Volunteer Ambulance Corps**

P.O. Box 819  
Commack  
Emergency: 911  
631-499-9342 (Non-emergency  
number)

### **Huntington Community First Aid Squad**

2 Railroad Street  
Huntington Station  
Emergency: 911  
Non-emergency: 631-421-1263

### **Suffolk County Department of Fire, Rescue, and Emergency Services (FRES)**

P.O. Box 127 — Yaphank Avenue  
Yaphank  
631-852-4900

### **Joint Emergency Evacuation Program**

JEEP provides assistance to  
disabled or  
frail residents who would need  
emergency evacuation  
assistance when disaster strikes.  
631-852-4900 (TTY: 631-853-  
5658)

# YOUR FAMILY'S HURRICANE RESPONSE PLAN CONT.

- Know how and when to turn off water, gas, and electricity in your home. Fuel your vehicles.



- Determine if your family has any special needs and make a plan for meeting those needs. Example: If you have a family member on a life-support system, does your electric utility and local emergency responders know about it?

- Post emergency telephone numbers by phones. Be sure that all these numbers are regularly updated. Make sure your cell phones are charged.



- Inventory household items with photographs. Make sure you have some cash on hand.



- Teach all family members, including children, how and when to call 911 for fire, police, and/or emergency assistance. If you happen to have a corded, phone do not use it if you hear thunder or see lightning because electricity can travel through the cord.



- Check your insurance coverage. Flood damage is not usually covered by homeowners insurance. Consult FEMA's Web site, [www.fema.gov](http://www.fema.gov), for more information about flood insurance.



## LOCAL EMERGENCY AGENCIES

### Centerport Fire Department

9 Park Circle  
Centerport

Emergency: 631-757-4444  
Non-emergency: 631-261-5916

### East Northport Fire Department

1 Ninth Avenue  
East Northport

Emergency: 631-261-1110  
Non-emergency: 631-261-0360

### Cold Spring Harbor Fire Department

2 Main Street

Cold Spring Harbor  
Emergency: 631-692-4747  
Non-emergency: 631-692-6772

### Eaton's Neck Fire Department

55 Eaton's Neck Road  
Northport

Emergency: 631-757-5700  
Non-emergency: 631-852-2677

### Greenlawn Fire Department

23 Boulevard Avenue  
Greenlawn

Emergency: 631-261-1616  
Non-emergency: 631-261-9103

### Commack Fire Department

6309 Jericho Turnpike  
Commack

Emergency: 631-499-5777  
Non-emergency: 631-499-6690

### Halesite Fire Department

1 North New York Avenue  
Huntington

Emergency: 631-427-7250  
Non-emergency: 631-427-1910

### Dix Hills Fire Department

115 East Deer Park Road  
Dix Hills

Emergency: 911  
Non-emergency: 631-499-8836

### Huntington Fire Department

1 Leverich Place  
Huntington

Emergency: 631-423-3131  
Non-emergency: 631-427-3030



# FAMILY EMERGENCY SUPPLY CHECKLIST

- ☐ **Flashlights with extra batteries. Keep flashlights with extra fresh batteries beside your bed and in several other locations. Do not use matches,**
- ☐ **Portable radio with extra batteries. Most telephones (including cell phones!) will be out of order or limited to emergency use. The radio will be the best source of emergency information.**
- ☐ **First aid skills. Keep your first aid kit well stocked and in a central location. Take basic first aid and CPR courses. Keep your current skills.**
- ☐ **Food. Store a fourteen (14) day supply for food for each person. Include items such as canned or dehydrated food, powdered milk, and canned juices. Also include food for infants or the elderly, snack foods, and items such as a non=electric can opener, cooling utensils, paper or plastic plates, and plastic utensils. Include food for your pets.**
- ☐ **Water. Store a fourteen (14) day supply of water (one gallon per person per day). Store in air-tight containers and replace them every six months. Keep a disinfectant such as iodine tablets to purify water, if necessary. Include water for your pets .**
- ☐ **Extra blankets and clothing may be required to keep warm. Wear sturdy shoes to protect feet from broken glass and debris.**

## FAMILY "GO KIT"

Every household should consider assembling a "GO KIT", a collections of important papers and personal items that you may need in the event of an evacuation. The items should be stored in a sturdy easy to carry container such as a roll-a-way piece of luggage, back pack or duffle bag.

\_\_\_\_ Copies of important documents in plastic bag (insurance cards, birth certificates, marriage certificates, deeds, photo ID, social security cards, tax and other vital info.).

\_\_\_\_ Extra set of house and car keys, maps

\_\_\_\_ Credit /ATM cards and adequate cash for your emergency needs.

\_\_\_\_ Bottled water and non-perishable food items, for three days, preferably not requiring cooking

\_\_\_\_ Flashlight, battery operated AM/FM radio, extra batteries.

\_\_\_\_ Medications for a least one week. Maintain list of all medications for each member of your household, the dosages or copies of the prescriptions, doctor's name and phone number.

\_\_\_\_ Sturdy, comfortable shoes, 2 days of clothing, rain gear, sleeping bags and pillows.

\_\_\_\_ Supplies for children, elderly and special needs individuals

\_\_\_\_ First Aid Kit.

\_\_\_\_ Paper plates, plastic eating utensils

\_\_\_\_ Pet care supplies.

\_\_\_\_ Toys, books, games

**DESIGNATED EMERGENCY SHELTERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED BY THE HUNTINGTON EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM (SMART 911) AND THE MEDIA. QR CODE AND LINK TO SIGN UP IS ABOVE.**

## FAMILY EMERGENCY SUPPLY CHECKLIST CONT.

- ☐ An alternate cooking source. Store a barbecue, charcoal, starter fluid, and matches, or a gas propane grill, in case utilities are out of service. Do not use these methods of cooking within the home, or even near an open window, the carbon monoxide given off by these devices can kill.
- ☐ Special items for infant, elderly, or disabled family members. Have at least one week supply of current medications and food for infants and those on special diets.
- ☐ Tools. Have a crescent or pipe wrench to turn off gas and water if necessary and know the location of the shut-off valves.
- ☐ Secure important documents in a waterproof container. Examples: insurance policies, medical records, bank account numbers, social security card, checkbook, cash, credit/ATM cards. Consider keeping a list of included items.
- ☐ Miscellaneous: sunscreen, toiletries, bug spray, aspirin, etc.

# YOUR FAMILY'S HURRICANE RESPONSE PLAN

**Prepare for your family and loved ones in advance of an emergency by developing your own family response plan. It is important that you do not wait until a warning has been issued.**

Here are some suggestions....

- Listen to local media reports and for directions from government officials and emergency personnel. Know the Emergency Alert System radio and television stations in your area that will carry official information.



- Know where your local shelter is + prepare a "To Go Kit" with supplies you will need should you have to evacuate.



- Secure any construction supplies + outdoor furniture and pick-up loose items, such as hanging plants, around your property.



- Contact family and friends to let them know your situation + your plans. Select a "key contact person" who everyone in your family can call to check-in with should you become separated.



- **Make a plan now for what to do with your pets if you need to evacuate.**



- Turn your refrigerator and freezer to the coldest settings. Freeze water in plastic jugs to keep food cold if the electricity goes out.





**Finding yourself unable to provide food for you and your family? Whether it is due to a natural disaster or not, Island Harvest is here to help put food on your table.**

**Follow**

**<https://www.islandharvest.org/emergency-response-resources/find-a-food-pantry/> to find a food distribution site near you.**

**Are there any programs I can apply for to help me?  
Yes! You might be eligible to apply to SNAP.**

**The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) helps individuals and families with limited income access nutritious food.**

**By providing an electronic benefit card, SNAP makes it easier to buy groceries at most stores, ensuring that everyone can enjoy a balanced diet.**

**To learn more about eligibility and how to apply, visit <https://mybenefits.ny.gov/mybenefits/begin>.**

Interested in volunteering? Go to  
<https://www.islandharvest.org/ways-to-give/volunteer/>

Information from Islandharvest.com



New Town of Huntington Communications System  
Registration URL:

<https://www.smart911.com/smart911/ref/reg.actionpa=nytownofhuntington>

You may also text SEAGIRT to 67283 from your mobile phone. You will receive a welcome message with a link to complete your public safety 9-1-1 profile with pertinent information.

On your mobile device, you will be asked to download the Smart 911 app. This is a green logo with a padlock icon. It is advised to download this app to your mobile device. The profile you create and the information entered will assist the 9-1-1 operator should you require 9-1-1 assistance.

In either case, you will be asked to enter personal information for your profile, when asked for a group code (optional) – DISREGARD THIS.

This system is now the primary means of alerts, messaging, and emergency communication for the Town of Huntington. The previous messaging platform CodeRed has been discontinued. You may also follow the Town's social media accounts on Instagram and Facebook. Several of our departments such as the Police, Fire, and Beach Patrol maintain their own Instagram, Facebook, and or Twitter accounts as well for information.

Should you have any questions or need assistance please contact The Office of Emergency Management at 732.449.9335 x 603 or email [tharmon@seagirtboro.com](mailto:tharmon@seagirtboro.com). You may also contact Borough Hall with any questions 732.449.9433.

# HELPFUL LINKS

TOWN OF HUNTINGTON  
WWW.HUNTINGTONNY.GOV

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA)  
WWW.FEMA.GOV  
WWW.FEMA.GOV/SPANISH  
WWW.FEMA.GOV/KIDS

NOAA - NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE  
WWW.NWS.NOAA.GOV

STATE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (SOEM)  
WWW.DHSES.NY.GOV/OEM

SUFFOLK COUNTY FIRE & RESCUE EMERGENCY SERVICES  
WWW.SUFFOLKCOUNTYNY.GOV/HOME/DEPARTMENTS/FIRERESCUE

PSEG LONG ISLAND (STORM CENTER)  
WWW.PSEGLYNY.COM

Check our social media accounts to stay updated as well!  
Facebook: Facebook.com/townofhuntington  
Instagram- townofhuntington

**DON'T LEAVE PETS AT HOME ALONE  
DURING AN EMERGENCY, ESPECIALLY IF  
YOU LIVE IN AN EVACUATION AREA.**

## Pet Safety

**Make sure you have a Family  
Emergency Response Plan  
that includes your pets.**



- Plan ahead. Contact family and /or friends outside the flood zone to see who might be able to take your pets. Check with your Vet., kennel or animal hospital about possible shelter.
- Horses and other livestock need to be housed in a secure building with a 2 week supply of food and water.
- Check area hotels and motels to see if pets are allowed.
- Consider a permanent ID marking, either a tattoo or a microchip.



- Be sure to have your pets identification: license, rabies tag and personal identification tag with address, phone numbers and the phone number for a relative in case you get separated. Make sure all vaccinations are up-to-date. Provide you address and phone number to your animal shelter.

- Have current color photo of your pet, to assist identification.
- Use a pet carrier for each pet, one which is large enough for them to have a "PET GO KIT" ready if you will be evacuating to a kennel, designated pet shelter, or to family or friends. Include:

Water in gallon jugs, Medication (1 week)  
Pet food/ bowls leash, muzzle, harness  
Cat litter/ box Pet Photo/ family contact #'s  
Pet crate/carrier Plastic bags/disinfectant  
Treats and Toys



**Designated pet shelters will be announced  
by the Huntington Emergency Alert System  
and the media.**

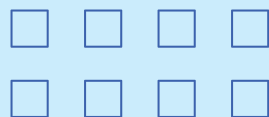




# PREPAREDNESS TIPS FOR SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS

Stay aware!  
Stay prepared!  
Stay safe!

- You should have a Family Emergency Response Plan and “Go Kit” for your family and encourage your employees to do the same.
- Complete inventory of business property with pictures should be stored in water proof containers or in safe deposit box.
- Review insurance policies and your coverage to avoid misunderstandings later. Take advantage of flood insurance. Separate policies are needed for protection against wind and flood damage.
- Turn off gas, electricity and water. Unplug small appliances and office equipment.
- Always turn off your computer whenever there is an electrical storm. Lightning can travel up to 20 miles from a thunderstorm and can travel phone lines. A lightning strike can destroy a computer no matter what kind of surge protector you have. Uninterruptible Power Supplies area a big help, but it is a good idea to turn off your computers, monitors and all other equipment.
- Backup your Data. This is the most important thing you can do. Your computers can be repaired or replaced, but not your data. If you put data on something physical, like a hard drive, secure it in a plastic bag. If you do not already, have a cloud system set up for your business documents, payroll information and customer relationship management accounts. Paper files should be digitalized to be made available at any time. For servers, it is advisable to have a backup server offsite in case onsite servers get destroyed with flooding or other types of destruction.
- Move all computers away from the windows. If unable to move computers, cover them with plastic sheeting and seal with tape. Unplug computer from the wall. Do not try to restart computer if it gets wet. Have professionals service computers.
- If you are prone to flooding, place your computers and other equipment in high, dry area, preferably to the second floor.
- Turn Servers and monitors off. If possible, move to high, dry area.
- Call your local Internet Service Provider for additional computer safety tips.



# Winter Powered- Equipment Safety Tips

**It is important to make sure that powered equipment, such as snow blowers are properly grounded to protect from electric shocks or electrocutions. When performing maintenance or cleaning, make sure the equipment is properly guarded and is disconnected from power sources.**

**Never attempt to clear a jam by hand. First, turn the snow blower off and wait for all moving parts to stop, and then use a long stick to clear wet snow or debris from the machine. Keep your hands and feet away from moving parts. Refuel a snow blower prior to starting the machine; do not add fuel when the equipment is running or when the engine is hot.**

**The primary hazards to avoid when using a generator are carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning from the toxic engine exhaust, electric shock or electrocution, and fire. Follow the directions supplied with the generator.**

- **To avoid electrocution, keep the generator dry and do not use in rain or wet conditions. Operate it on a dry surface under an open canopy-like structure, such as under a tarp held up on poles. Do not touch the generator with wet hands.**
- **Be sure to turn the generator off and let it cool down before refueling. Gasoline spilled on hot engine parts could ignite.**
- **Never try to power the house wiring by plugging the generator into a wall outlet. Known as “backfeeding,” this practice puts utility workers, your neighbors and your household at risk of electrocution.**
- **Remember, even a properly connected portable generator can become overloaded, resulting in overheating or generator failure. Be sure to read the instructions.**
- **If necessary, stagger the operating times for various equipment to prevent overloads.**

**Store fuel for the generator in an approved safety can. Use the type of fuel recommended in the instructions or on the label on the generator.**



# LOCAL WEATHER INFORMATION

## INTERNET

[www.weather.com](http://www.weather.com)

## TELEVISION

Optimum (Altice): Channels 12 & 61

FiOS: Channels 1 & 49

The Weather Channel: Channel 62  
(Optimum)

## RADIO

WCBS – 880 AM

WINS – 1010 AM

WWSK – 94.3 FM


WRCN – 103.9 FM

WALK – 97.5 FM

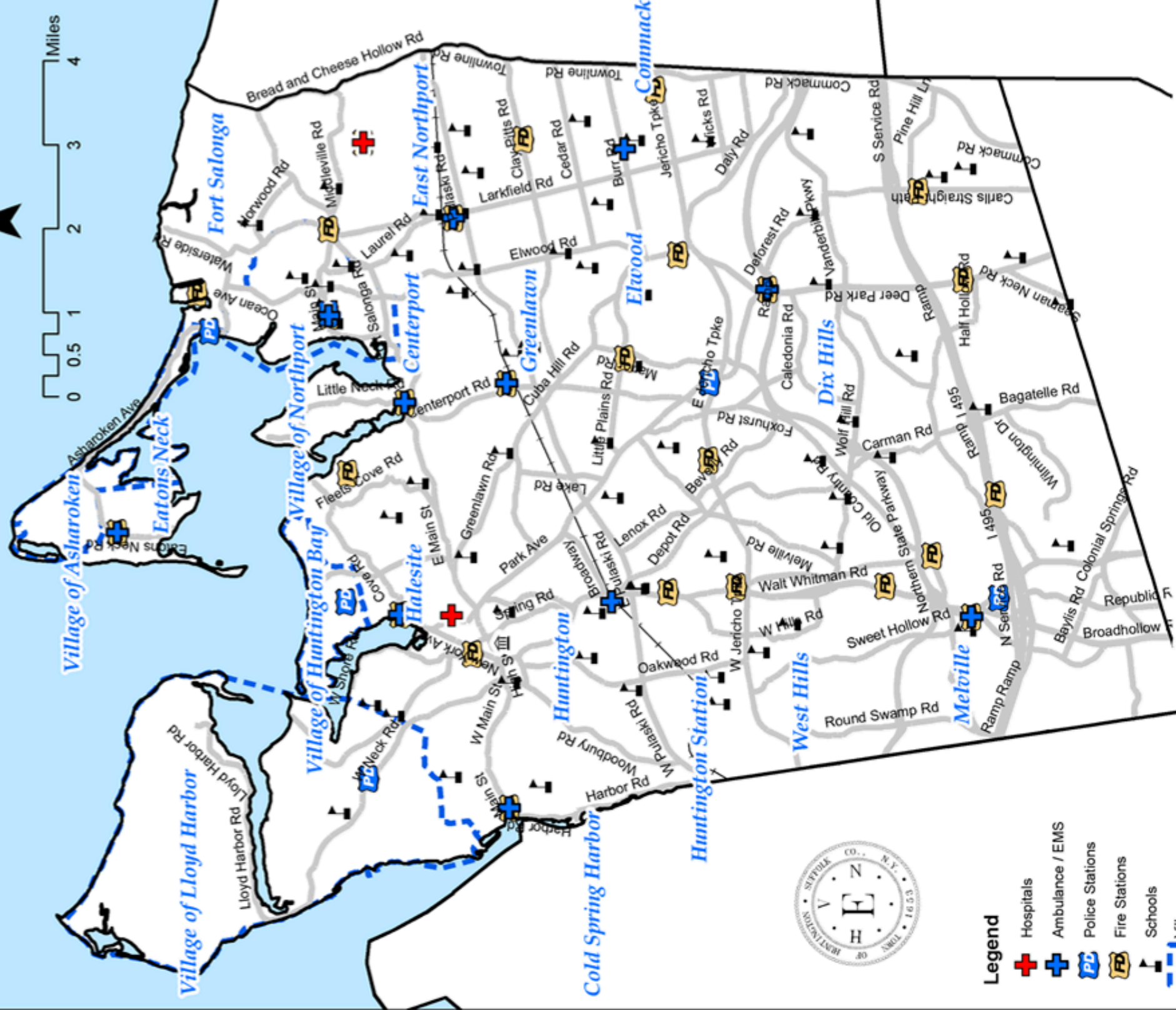
WBZO – 103.1 FM

WBAB – 102.3 FM

# After The Storm

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- An illustration at the bottom of the page shows four people cleaning up debris on a grassy area. A man in a white shirt and blue pants is bending over, picking up trash. A woman in a red shirt and blue pants is also bending over. Another person in a blue shirt and white pants is standing nearby. In the background, there are stylized buildings and a bright yellow sun. The scene is set against a light blue sky with white clouds.
- Look out for animals that may have gotten loose.
  - Be careful where you step. Flood waters may have left sharp and/or dangerous objects on the ground, such as nails.
  - Walkways, floors, and steps may be slippery. *Use caution!*
  - If your power is out, make sure that your stove and other appliances are turned off so they will not become a hazard when the power is suddenly restored.
  - Be alert for gas leaks. Only use battery-powered flashlights to check for damage inside and outside of your home. *Never use open flames like candles.*
  - Take photos of your damage for your insurance company.
  - Make, or arrange for, minor repairs to protect your home from further damage. Cover holes in roofs or walls with plywood and cover broken windows.
  - Avoid unnecessary driving! Road conditions may be poor and traffic signals may be broken. Emergency vehicles need to have open access to the roads.
  - Keep informed of, and obey, any emergency curfews and regulations.
  - Determine any immediate medical needs. Keep in mind that emergency personnel will need to help those with pressing needs first.
  - Contact family members + let them know your situation.
  - Do not drink tap water until officials have announced that it's safe to drink. The area may be under a "boil water" order.
  - Do not walk through flowing water or attempt to drive through a flooded area. Water may be deeper than you anticipate. Stay home as long as you can.
  - Stay away from downed power, telephone, and cable TV lines and be alert for any downed power lines that may have fallen on trees. Electrical shock could occur.

# Town of Huntington



## Legend

- Hospitals
- Ambulance / EMS
- Police Stations
- Fire Stations
- Schools
- Villages
- Town Hall

**In the event of an emergency, additional shelters and evacuation sites may be Opened. These sites will be announced by the media and posted on the Town of Huntington website, [www.huntingtonny.gov](http://www.huntingtonny.gov) and the Town of Huntington Emergency Alert System**