SNUG HARBOR EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT 2022 Bullet Points

Number one: the purpose of this committee is to gather and disperse pertinent information that will be helpful to our residents in an emergency. As we know there are many disasters, so we have gathered information on not only hurricanes but on other hazards such as lighting, flooding, tornadoes, wildfires, etc. This year we contacted numerous agencies, these are just a few: FEMA, Brevard County Emergency Management, Fire Rescue, and The Sheriff's Office, NOAA, Our County Commissioner, The Red Cross and others.

Now for some bullet points:

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- 2. Please remember we are not security guards, police, the Sheriff, or vigilantes. Law enforcement is best handled by those trained for that purpose.
- 3. Please remember you are responsible for your own safety and property
- 4. The clubhouse is not a shelter, it is not fortified to be a shelter, please do not use it for that purpose.
- 5. Make prior arrangements; be prepared, so you will know what shelter/family member/friend/hotel you will be staying at if you must evacuate. Make sure you notify family members, friends, and the Snug Harbor office, where you will be staying prior to your departure. Please provide updated contact phone numbers so you can be reached, or your designated contact person can be reached.
- 6. For those who will not be here during the storm season please make sure your contact information is also updated and available at the Snug Harbor office. Make sure prior to leaving, your property is cleared of any objects that may become projectiles during the storm
- 7. If we do have major storm board members, office staff, and volunteers will be concentrating on getting roads cleared, dealing with damage to the Snug Harbor clubhouse, the office, and coordinating with state and federal agencies, helping the injured. If you need your individual property checked, please contact a neighbor or friend as the board and office must concentrate on many other concerns of the community first. We will help as best we can but remember your property is your responsibility.

We will always as a community pull together to help each other the best we can so we asked your cooperation.

- 8. Re-entering the Snug Harbor community after a major hurricane: If you do not have the ID pass to place on your car mirror you can get one at the Snug Harbor office, if your address on your Drivers License is not this home address. Keep this ID in your glove compartment till needed. You may be asked for other ID information by the police as you enter the community after a major storm. Please cooperate; the police are trying to protect our community and us. The police are trying to identify those attempting to enter our community belong in Snug Harbor. The police are a first line of defense.
- 9. Special needs shelters: If you or a neighbor has special medical needs and need to go to a shelter you must contact Brevard County emergency management special needs department and register NOW. This must be done in advance of a pending hurricane as space is limited at these facilities and if you have not registered this year, you will not have access to their services. Even though you might have registered last year you must register this year as medical conditions change and needs change from year to year. Please remember a shelter is not a cruise ship it a rowboat for you safety.
- 10. Pets: Make sure you have a plan for your pet if you need to evacuate.
- 11. Vile of Life: Thanks to one of our residents Christine DeFelice and our boards we have this program in our community. Chris can be contacted if you do not have a vile.

Please remember the paramedics and emergency services use this information in the vile to help administer lifesaving procedures for you or a loved one. They are there to save your life or that of a loved one by having this information available for them as instructed in the vile of life container, it may save a life.