Types of All-Hazards Events









DeKalb County has the potential for being struck with various types of natural hazards. Heat waves, severe thunderstorms, flooding, and hazardous winter weather just to name a few.

Regardless of the type of event individuals, families, and businesses should be mindful of what to do before, during, and after an all-hazards event.

Prepare by following these steps:

- BE INFORMED
- MAKE A PLAN
- ASSEMBLE A KIT
- MAINTAIN YOUR PLAN

DEMA

Emergency Preparedness is what we do here at DEMA. Our team stands ready to deploy 24 hours a day in support of DeKalb County first responders, to any all-hazards event.



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DeKalb Emergency Management Agency <u>DEMA</u>



Preparedness for Tomorrow, Starts Today



ABOUT US

OUR MISSION

The DeKalb County Emergency Management Agency (DEMA) exists to serve the citizens of the County through effective planning, response, and mitigation of natural and man-made disasters.

OUR RESPONSIBILITIES

To maintain the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) for DeKalb County and incorporated cities of Avondale Estates, Brookhaven, Chamblee, Clarkston, Decatur, Doraville, Dunwoody, Lithonia, Pine Lake, Stone Crest, Stone Mountain, Tucker and the sections of the City of Atlanta that reside within DeKalb County.

To manage the CodeRED citizen warning system. This is the warning system DeKalb County uses for emergency notifications and weather warnings.

To maintain and develop all local emergency management programs, projects and plans required by state and federal government.

To act as a liaison with local, state, and federal authorities during major emergencies and disasters.

To provide 24-hour coordination of resources for emergencies and disasters.



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<u>Preparedness</u> <u>Steps</u>

Be Informed



Make a Plan

Visit Ready.gov to make a plan today.



Build a Kit



Emergency Checklist





FLASHLIGHT, 1 per family member



EXTRA BATTERIES



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CASH

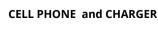
CANNED GOODS, 1 per person, per day







NOAA Weather Radio w/ batteries





WRENCEH or PLIERS, to turn off utilities