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**Public Safety Committee Emergency Preparedness Kits
Resources List and Links**

Each Go-Bag or Emergency Kit should be unique to the person/family as well as to the reason for the need of the Kit. When starting a new kit or adding to an existing kit – please consider how you will use this kit and who will it serve.

SHELTERING AT HOME KITS

If your home or office is lightly damaged and you are able to shelter there – make sure you know where the emergency items are located and can access during low-visibility conditions.

- “Under the Bed Kit” – leather gloves, boots/clothes, eye glasses/goggles, small crow bar, flashlight, whistle
- “Family Home Kit” – extra potable water & food, hand tools, camp-style cooking tools, radio/batteries, solar or crank cell phone charger, medicine
- “Family First Aid Kit” – in a tool box have items to stop bleeding & small cuts (Band-Aids, 4x4 pads, roll gauze, tweezers, magnifying glass, anti-bacterial ointment, alcohol wipes, non-latex gloves/goggles), cold packs, mylar blanket
- “Pet Kit” – extra food & water, treats, bowls, leashes, toys and medicines

EVACUATION KITS

If evacuating to a Shelter stay, you won’t need a ton of food, water or 1st Aid supplies because the Shelters will have that. But will need comfort items like a book, ex glasses, medicines, small cash, x-clothes, personal hygiene items, flash drive with important documents or photos.

- Pet Kit – Carrier, enough food for 3 days, treats, bowls, leashes, toys, medicines

If evacuating to an unknown area, take all of the “Shelter at Home Kits” above with you.

The above suggestions represent a simple starter list for any kit. Additional items for consideration can be found in other Checklists. The kits should be unique and personal to the needs of every human or pet in the family. See below for additional Kit options.

Wide array of checklists, in no particular order:

www.SocalPrep.US → click on the “Resources” Tab

www.ShermanOaksNC.org → click on “Committees”, “Public Safety”

www.RedCross.org - Red Cross – “21 Days to Prepare”

www.RocketRules.org - Free & fun emergency preparedness books for kids

www.cert-la.com – Official LAFD CERT website with many resource links

www.SOSproducts.com → bottom of page click on “Resources”, “Checklists”