



### DISASTER SUPPLIES: SOURCES

You may need to find supplies at more than one location. In general, these kinds of stores are the best sources for most supplies. Consider looking at more than one store before making any large purchases. These types of stores may stock the following supplies:

#### Disaster Specialty Stores:

- Nonperishable Food\*
- Nonperishable Water\*
- Mylar blankets
- Flashlights
- Light Sticks
- Emergency Radios
- Whistles
- First Aid Kits
- Rain gear

#### Sporting/ Camping Stores:

- Nonperishable Food\*
- Whistles
- Mylar blankets
- Batteries
- Flashlights
- Light Sticks
- Bandanas
- Emergency Radios
- Rain gear

#### Hardware Stores:

- Dust/Face Masks
- Flashlights
- Batteries
- Pocketknives
- Duct Tape
- Garbage Bags
- First Aid Kits
- Emergency Radios
- Light Sticks
- Bandanas

#### Groceries/ Pharmacies/General

- Food
- Plastic-bottled Water
- Batteries
- Flashlights
- Toilet Paper/ Tissue
- Garbage Bags
- Sealable Sandwich Bags
- Extra Medication
- First Aid Kits
- Bandanas

\* There is no such thing as truly non-perishable food or water. This term refers to exceptionally long shelf-lives, typically about five years.

**Food Banks** are an excellent source for disaster food supplies for poor or low income residents. Please consider donating extra food products – before they expire – to local food banks.