



Robert J. Schillerstrom, DuPage County Board Chairman

## How To Help ACCEPTING MONEY

American Red Cross  
800-HELP NOW (435-7669)

America's Second Harvest  
800-344-8070

Operation Blessings  
800-436-6348

United Way of the DuPage Area  
[www.uwdupage.org](http://www.uwdupage.org)

## DONATIONS & VOLUNTEERS

Adventist Services- 800-381-7171

B'nai B'rith International  
888-388-4224

Catholic Charities 800-919-9338

Christian Disaster Response  
941-956-5183

Christian Reformed World Relief  
800-848-5818

Convoy of Hope 417-823-8998

Feed the Children 800-525-7575

Lutheran Disaster Response  
800-638-3522

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance  
800-872-3283

Salvation Army 800-SAL-ARMY

Southern Baptist Disaster Relief  
800-462-8657 ext.6440

United Methodist Relief Committee  
800-554-8583

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DuPage County Office of Homeland Security  
& Emergency Management

## National Resource Registry Facilitates Product Donations

### DOT Provides Massive Support Operation

Due to overwhelming inquiries about how the private sector can aid in Hurricane Katrina recovery efforts, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security has activated a nation-wide mechanism to facilitate donations.

The National Resource Registry can be accessed via the web at [www.swern.gov](http://www.swern.gov) and will allow America's companies to donate products or services which can be vital to the government's on-going recovery efforts in the Gulf Region.

The U.S. Department of Transportation is coordinating a

massive support operation to get supplies and food into the hurricane stricken region involving planes, trains, buses and trucks. DOT is also overseeing the largest airlift in operation in history to move supplies into the region and to evacuate residents out of New Orleans and surrounding areas.

DOT has secured more than:

- 25 million Meals Ready to Eat (MREs)
- 31 million liters of water
- 56,400 tarps
- 215,000 blankets
- 19 million pounds of ice

## DuPage County Plans For Evacuees

"All County departments stand ready to help our partners welcome families relocating from the Gulf Coast," stated Chairman Schillerstrom. DuPage County is continuing to provide assistance to the victims of Hurricane Katrina by

working with the Red Cross and United Way as they establish housing for soon to be arriving families. The Health Department is providing immunizations and physicals for incoming students with evacuee families. "We can never do enough, but we must do what we can."

For more information go to <http://www.citizencorpsdupage.org>