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AUSTIN DISASTER RELIEF NETWORK RESPONDS TO SURVIVOR NEEDS

Austin, TX – The Austin Disaster Relief Network (ADRN) will be mobilizing their Emotional and Spiritual Care response teams to offer financial aid and emotional support to survivors impacted by the Hill Country Floods at the Multi-Agency Resource Center (MARC) in Llano (JLK Arena & Events Center, 2200 W. Ranch Rd 152, Llano TX), Monday-Tuesday from 8AM-8PM and Kingsland (Kingsland Community Center, 3451 Rose Hill Dr., Kingsland TX 78639), Wednesday and Thursday from 8AM-8PM. ADRN's trained teams are also preparing to support the long-term recovery efforts, meeting the emotional, spiritual and physical needs of survivors.

ADRN is working with local congregations from the Highland Lakes and Llano area, preparing them to sponsor survivor families through ADRN's Disaster Relief Shepherd program. "When disaster strikes, it is important to raise up a support teams around every survivor and/or family impacted by a disaster, to assist them in getting back on their feet. We find more families bouncing back faster when they have this support team walking with them through the recovery process," said Daniel Geraci, ADRN Director

Warehouse & Distribution:
ADRN continues to receive donated goods at their two warehouse locations in order to provide relief to the Hill Country area and for the Austin area survivors in the coming days. Locations include:

1. **ADRN Heatherwilde Warehouse**, 1201 S. Heatherwilde, Austin, Texas 78660
   DROP OF TIMES: Friday, Oct 19th (1PM-6PM); Saturday-Friday, 10AM-6PM (CLOSED Sat, Oct 27th)

2. **Hope Family Thrift Store** @ ADRN Headquarters, 1122 E. 51st Street, Austin, Texas 78723 **DROP OFF TIMES:** Monday-Saturday, 10AM-5:30PM

Specific in-kind donations needed are stated below. Disaster supplies and goods will be delivered to multiple sites in the Hill Country affected areas.

Items needed include:
- New undergarments (all sizes for adults)
- New socks (all sizes for adults)
- New bed pillows and New blankets
- Inflatable mattresses
- Box fans
- Baby bottles, formula and diapers

Debris Clean-Up Supplies:
- Brooms
- Shovels
- 30 gallon contractor black trash bags
- Heavy duty mops and mop buckets
- Utility knives and leather work gloves

Care Kit Survivor Backpack
We are asking families to either build the care kit at home before dropping it off or go online to order supplies to ship directly to ADRN for distribution at our new online registry. Go to www.adrn.org/give and select the **"Survivor Supply Registry"** button. Items are listed online to build care kits at home. **For more info, visit our #HillCountryFlood Response page on our site: https://adrn.org/disaster- relief/hillcountryfloods/.**

FINANCIAL DONATIONS
Donations in the form of monetary are greatly needed for the repair and rebuilding of homes. Dollar for dollar can be given when a donation is made to help the survivors of the Hill Country Floods through a $200,000 Match Fund received. To give online, go to adrn.org/give and make a donation to the 'Hill Country Flood Relief Fund.'

SURVIVOR HOTLINE
Families seeking support and volunteers/donors wishing to support survivors should call **ADRN's Survivor Hotline at 512-806-0800.**

ABOUT ADRN

Austin Disaster Relief Network (ADRN) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization comprised of more than 185 greater Austin churches and thousands of trained volunteers. ADRN's network enables church members to organize, prepare and respond quickly in the event of a disaster, large or small. ADRN network churches, volunteers, business partners, local agencies and community organizations provide in-kind and monetary donations and additional volunteer assistance that enable ADRN to fund the rebuild/repair of survivor homes and provide immediate assistance to those in crisis. Since 2009, ADRN has brought emotional, physical and spiritual relief to more than 41,500 individuals, sponsored more than 2,750 families and given more than $15 million in disaster relief funds. Learn more at **ADRN.org**.

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