

# **EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS CHECKLIST** **FOR YOUR FAMILY AND HOME**



- Emergency contact phone numbers**
- Fire extinguisher**
- Clean containers to store drinking water**  
**\*\*1 gallon per person per day\*\***
- 3-day supply of food (canned and dried goods are best)**
- Manual can opener**
- Hand tools: hammer, nails, ax, knife, pliers, handsaw, screwdrivers**
- Cordless drill with screwdriver bits to install bolts for window protection**
- Unscented household bleach to purify water, 8 drops per gallon of water**
- Soap and plastic container**
- At least one flashlight per person with spare batteries**
- Spare batteries for other needs**
- Fill gas tank**



**Battery-operated radio, with weather band**



**First-aid kit: bandages, gauze, scissors, petroleum jelly, antiseptic spray, hydrogen peroxide, antacids, aspirin, thermometer & rubbing alcohol**



**Extra prescription medicine**



**Matches (wooden ones are best)**



**Disposable eating utensils and plates**



**Hygiene and personal care items**



**Mosquito repellent**



**Whistle or air horn**



**Disinfectant**



**Gas grill or Sterno stove with extra fuel  
“Do not take gas grills indoors”**



**Large trash bags**



**Rope or heavy cord, 100 feet**



**Tarpaulin, canvas or anything to make a temporary roof repair or to cover electronics in the case water damage may occur**



**Copies of important documents**



**Duke Tape**