



HURRICANE SANDY UPDATE
NOVEMBER 16, 2012

“TOWN STATE OF EMERGENCY” IS STILL IN EFFECT UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
(Orders Can Be Found On Our Website Homepage www.townofriverheadny.gov)

Assistance for Immediate Needs: If you have immediate needs, you may want to contact the American Red Cross at 877-733-2767 or the United Way by dialing 2-1-1 from a landline phone.

Federal Aid: Should you need federal assistance, you can contact FEMA at www.fema.gov.

FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) Disaster Assistance is financial or direct assistance to individuals and families whose property has been damaged or destroyed as a result of a federally-declared disaster, and whose losses are not covered by insurance. It is meant to help you with critical expenses that cannot be covered in other ways. This assistance is not intended to restore your damaged property to its condition before the disaster. Register for Disaster Assistance by calling (800) 621-3362 / TTY (800) 462-7585.

FEMA Disaster Recovery Centers Locations and Hours:

Hours of all fixed based FEMA Disaster Assistance Recovery Centers are 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. & run seven days a week.
Location: **Riverhead County Center**, 300 Center Drive, Riverhead, NY 11901

Those needing emergency housing can seek assistance and placement through the Suffolk County Department of Social Services. All Service Centers are open Monday through Friday 8:00AM-3:00PM and are closed on official county holidays:

Riverhead Center
893 E. Main Street
Riverhead, NY 11901-2542
Telephone: (631) 852-3500
EMERGENCIES (After 4:30PM & Weekends): (631) 854-9100

American Red Cross Food Distribution Center

Riverhead County Center, 300 Center Drive, Riverhead, NY 11901

Storm Debris-Residential Only: Please separate storm debris from loose leaves. Please see the Highway Department website or call them at 631-727-3200 x.389 for information.

Yard Waste Facility: Our yard waste facility is back to their regular hours, (5) days per week, Thursday through Monday 7AM to 3:30PM. For further information or questions, please see the Sanitation Department website or call them at 631-727-3200 x. 391.

LIPA: To report an outage or downed electrical lines, please call LIPA at 1-800-490-0075 or 631-755-6900. Please visit their website at www.lipower.org/stormcenter for the latest updates.

Price Gouging: Please contact the Suffolk County Department of Consumer Affairs at 1-800-909-5423 / 631-853-4600 or visit their website at www.suffolkcountyny.gov to complete a complaint form. Please be on the lookout and make sure that the companies you select are licensed professionals who must abide by the laws that protect you, the consumer.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE TO HURRICANE SANDY VICTIM, PLEASE CONTACT AREA CHURCHES, FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS THAT OFFER DISASTER ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.