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Have an emergency plan in place that includes an evacuation or power outage plan. Create a safety kit that includes:

- Bottled water (at least one gallon per person per day, three to seven days supply)
- Canned goods and nonperishable foods that do not require cooking (three to seven days supply) and a manual can opener
- Cell phone and charger. A car adapter/charger may be useful
- Prescription medication (two-week supply)
- Pet food
- Water purification tablets (halazone)
- Disposable plates, cups, utensils
- Infant care: disposable diapers, baby wipes, formula, baby food
- Duct tape
- Flashlight or lantern and extra batteries and bulbs
- Battery-operated radio and extra batteries
- Cooler
- Matches
- Canned heat (Sterno)
- Portable outdoor camping stove or grill with fuel
- Plastic trash bags
- Plastic sheeting or drop cloth
- Fire extinguisher (ABC type)
- 100 feet of rope or heavy cord
- Toilet tissue and paper towels



- Bleach for cleaning and for purifying water
- Spare set of keys
- First-aid kit including: adhesive bandages, gauze pads and rolls, scissors, hydrogen peroxide, aspirin, antacid tablets, hypoallergenic adhesive tape, tweezers, antiseptic spray, ointments for burn and cuts, latex gloves, extra glasses, hearing-aid batteries

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Paperwork and important legal documents. Keep in a sealed plastic bag:

- Birth certificate(s)/adoption papers
- Marriage license
- Divorce papers
- Social Security card(s)
- Passport/green card/naturalization documents
- Will
- Power(s) of attorney (personal/property)
- Mortgage or real estate deeds of trust
- Vehicle registration/ownership papers

TAX STATEMENTS

- Previous year's tax returns
- Property tax statement
- Personal property tax (i.e. car tax)

FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS

- Bank/credit union statements
- Credit/debit card statements
- Retirement accounts (401K, TSP, IRA)
- Investment accounts (stocks, bonds, mutual funds)

SOURCES OF INCOME/ASSETS

- Recent pay stubs for all sources of income
- Government benefits (e.g. Social Security)
- Alimony income
- Child support income
- Professional appraisals of personal property
- Rewards accounts (e.g. hotel rewards)



FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS

- Mortgage statements
- Lease
- Utility bills (electric, water, gas)
- Car payment
- Student loan
- Alimony payments
- Child support payments
- Elder care facilities

INSURANCE

- Property insurance
- Rental insurance
- Auto insurance
- Life insurance

MEDICAL

- Health insurance ID card(s)
- Dental records/child identity cards/DNA swabs
- Record of immunization/allergies
- List of necessary medications
- Disabilities documentation
- Living will

