



INDIAN RIVER COUNTY
SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL DISTRICT
BOARD MEMORANDUM



Date: May 15, 2017

To: Jason E. Brown, County Administrator

Thru: Vincent Burke, P.E., Director of Utility Services
John King, Director of Emergency Services

From: Himanshu H. Mehta, P.E., Managing Director, Solid Waste Disposal District
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Subject: Public Announcement for Hurricane Preparedness- Are You Ready?

June 1, 2017, is the official beginning of hurricane season; therefore, annual preparation for the season is encouraged. The Solid Waste Disposal District (SWDD) and the Indian River County Department of Emergency Services want our residents to be prepared. Here are a few ways to get ready before there is an imminent threat:

- Trim your trees now and clear away debris from your home, work or school;
- Remove and store outdoor items that may become dangerous in high winds;
- Build a disaster supply kit, make a plan, and stay informed.

We would like to remind all visitors and residents of Indian River County that hurricane preparedness help is available online at www.irces.com or www.ready.gov. A hardcopy of the Disaster Preparedness Guide is available in the Administration Building lobby, or it can be downloaded here:

<http://www.irces.com/EM/documents/Disaster-Preparedness.pdf>.

Stay informed by subscribing to Indian River County emergency alerts at www.alertindianriver.com to receive pertinent notifications via text message, email or phone. For more information, contact Indian River County Emergency Services at 772-567-2154.

ATTACHMENT:

1. Public Advertisement & Preparedness Guide Coversheet