

Martin County, Florida Growth Management Department DEVELOPMENT REVIEW DIVISION

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Hurricane Surge Zone Evacuation Plan Requirements

If the property is located within a Hurricane Surge Zone a submitted evacuation plan must be submitted documenting the agreement or evidence that the owner or manager has the ability to:

- 1. Distribute timely notices to evacuate the area if an evacuation order has been issued to all residents and commercial lease owners.
- 2. Annually distribute information to residents of the location of local shelters.
- 3. Provide all residents with Special Needs the information available to register for the Special Needs Shelter.
- 4. Distribute annual public emergency preparedness information including information about emergency evacuation routes.
- 5. Provide direction to residents and tenants to secure outside equipment and furniture, if any, in the case of high winds.
- 6. Relocate emergency supplies where they can be controlled.
- 7. Prepare rooms, outside areas, windows and guest facilities to minimize possible injury and/or damage.

Management Companies or Owners can contact the Emergency Management Division each year for publications including the Road to Readiness guide for updated annual information.

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