

# THINGS TO KNOW AFTER AN EVACUATION

BE PREPARED THIS HURRICANE SEASON



## CHECK WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS.

If you've evacuated for the storm, be sure to check with local officials on where you are staying and back home before you begin traveling.



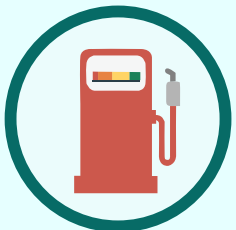
## BE PREPARED WHEN RETURNING.

Residents returning to disaster-affected areas after significant events should expect and prepare for disruptions to daily activities, and remember that returning home before storm debris is cleared is dangerous.



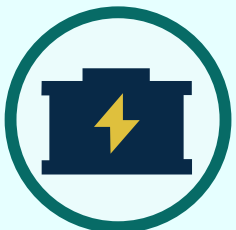
## CHARGE UP.

Charge up your devices and consider getting back up batteries in case a power outage happens again.



## FILL UP.

Fill up your gas tank and consider downloading a fuel app to check for outages along your route. Avoid downed power or utility lines; they may be live with deadly voltage.



## DON'T USE GENERATORS AT HOME.

Only use generators away from your home and NEVER run a generator inside a home or garage, or connect it to your home's electrical system.

For more tips, go to [www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov).

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