



NJVOAD

New Jersey Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster

April 22, 2016



NJVOAD FURRY CONFERENCE FRIENDS!

Welcome to NJVOAD

Dear Kelly,

We had a great conference last week! Thanks to all who attended and contributed to its success.

MEETINGS AND CONFERENCE CALLS

Tue Apr 26

9:00am - 10:00am

Bergen VOAD - Bergen Volunteer Center, 64 Passaic St, Hackensack, NJ 07601

Thu Apr 28

11:30am - 12:30pm

Donations & Volunteer Management Working Group - Lutheran Social Ministries of New Jersey, 3 Manhattan Dr, Burlington, NJ 08016



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2016 Region II Individual Preparedness Activities

A key element to successfully responding to and recovering from a major disaster is the overall preparedness of individual citizens and their families. With that in mind, we invite you to participate in a series of 'What would you do?' scenarios with your loved ones in order to assess your level of preparedness. These tabletop activities are intended to be low-stress conversation starters to be discussed, as the name implies, around your dinner table.

[CLICK HERE TO GO TO THE WEBSITE.](#)

Thu May 5

10:00am - 12:00pm

Ocean County LTRG General Meeting - Elks Lodge - 600 Washington Street, Toms River, NJ

Please check the [NJVOAD calendar](#) for updates to this schedule!

[Click Here for Minutes from the NJVOAD Conference](#)

[Call \(3/18/2016\)](#)

Please submit posts for the next newsletter to [Themba](#) by Wednesday, May 4th.



NJVOAD 2016 Conference

Expanding NJ's Capacity:
Next Steps

Thank you to keynote speaker Jerome Hatfield, FEMA Region II Regional Administrator, for setting the tone for a great conference. Thank you also to the presenters, exhibitors, planning committee and all who attended. 100% of those who completed an evaluation indicated they would attend a future event, so we look forward to seeing you at next year's conference!

[Please click here to access conference presentations.](#)

National VOAD MINI GRANTS AVAILABLE

NVOAD is offering mini grants (\$500-\$5000).

Made possible by a generous donation from the UPS Foundation, all National Voluntary Organizations, Organizations Active in Disaster, (VOAD) members, including State VOADs and National Active in Disaster Members, who are providing recovery services for undeclared disasters in 2014 and 2015 are eligible to apply.

[Click here for the application.](#)

Applicants should mail completed applications to: minigrant@nvoad.org with subject

line "2014-2015 Undeclared Disaster Recovery Mini Grant Application".

Applications must be submitted between April 5 - April 27th.

Good luck!



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