



**United Way
of Rockland County**

What is the *RCVOAD*?

(Rockland County Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters)

The United Way of Rockland County in collaboration with the County of Rockland coordinates the *RCVOAD*. The *RCVOAD* is a coalition of organizations that collaboratively plan, coordinate and implement disaster/emergency preparedness and response, as well as identify and respond to the unmet needs of people impacted by disasters/emergencies in Rockland County.

The *RCVOAD* is a network for organizations active in disaster/emergencies. Members of the *RCVOAD* are not-for-profit organizations, faith communities, government agencies, businesses, and civic/community groups interested in disaster response and have resources to commit to meet the needs of people in Rockland County affected by disaster without discrimination. Each member organization maintains its own identity and independence while closely collaborating, cooperating, communicating and coordinating with other member organizations.

During times of Disaster or after Emergencies the *RCVOAD* is here to help by:

- Opening the Rockland County Disaster Relief Fund – collect money and work with a committee to disburse the dollars to people affected by the disaster/emergency.
- Collecting and distributing needed items (food, cleaning supplies, clothing, hygiene products, etc.)
- Coordinating volunteer efforts
- Providing information and referral services
- Offering support in accessing resources
- Connecting with counseling services
- Providing disaster/emergency related education

If you need assistance, would like to become a member of the *RCVOAD* or have questions, please call the United Way of Rockland at (845) 358-8929.

Members of the RCVOAD

All Bright Electric
American Red Cross
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Rockland
Blauvelt Free Library
BRIDGES
CANDLE
Catholic Charities of Rockland
Childcare Resources of Rockland
Concepts of Independence
Cornell Cooperative Extension of Rockland
Grace Episcopal Church
Haverstraw Kings Daughters Library
Headstart of Rockland
Hi-Tor
IBEW Local #363 RC Building Trades
Jawonio
Jewish Family Services of Rockland
Loeb House
Meals on Wheels of Rockland
Mental Health Association of Rockland
Mental Health Association of Westchester
Nyack Hospital
People to People
Rockland Community Foundation
Rockland County Department of Mental Health
Rockland County Department of Health
Rockland County Department of Social Services
Rockland County Fire and Emergency Services
Rockland County Office for the Aging
Rockland County Youth Bureau/CERT
Rockland Paramedic Services
Rockland Teachers Center
Salvation Army
TOUCH
United Hospice of Rockland
United Way of Rockland
United Way – Hudson Valley 211
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