

**New York State Office of the Attorney General
Charities Bureau**

Hurricane Sandy Relief Information

Name of Organization: Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies (FPWA)

1.	What is the approximate dollar amount of donations and pledges that your organization has received to date in response to Hurricane Sandy?
<p>To date, Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies (FPWA) has received a total of \$98,397.14 in contributions for Hurricane Sandy Relief. The FPWA in its capacity as a partner agency of The New York Times Neediest Cases Fund has received Hurricane Sandy relief monies from The Neediest Cases Hurricane Sandy Relief Fund. The breakdown is as follows:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">New York Times Company - \$71,428.00 New York Times Company - \$24,569.14 Individual contributions to FPWA- 2,400.00</p>	
2.	Will these funds be used solely for Hurricane Sandy relief? If not, approximately what portion will be used for Hurricane Sandy relief and what other purposes will funds be used for?
<p>All of the aforementioned funds will be used to assist FPWA member agencies that sustained storm damage in some of the hardest hit areas: the Rockaways, Staten Island, Coney Island, Red Hook, and the Lower East Side. FPWA has issued an RFP to its member agencies and will be issuing grants on a rolling basis beginning in late December.</p>	
3.	Approximately how much has your organization spent to date on Hurricane Sandy relief?
<p>No funds have been spent to date. Funds will be allocated via grants to FPWA member agencies that are selected through our RFP process.</p>	
4.	What services has your organization provided to those affected by Hurricane Sandy? What populations or geographical areas are being served by your organization in response to Hurricane Sandy? What services does it expect to provide in the future?
<p>All in-kind resources related to the storm have been directed to a Hurricane Sandy</p>	

	<p>emergency relief site in Far Rockaway. The contact person there that FPWA has been working with is Valerie Close [REDACTED], [REDACTED]</p>
5.	<p>Has your organization provided funding to other organizations for Hurricane Sandy relief efforts? If so, which organizations have received those funds and what is the approximate dollar amount provided to them? How does your organization determine the need for funding?</p>
	<p>N/A</p>
6.	<p>Has your organization provided, or does it intend to provide, direct financial assistance to individuals, families or businesses for Hurricane Sandy relief? If so, what is the approximate dollar amount that your organization has provided to date and approximately how much direct financial assistance does it expect to provide in the future? How does your organization determine the need for assistance?</p>
	<p>FPWA will not provide any direct financial assistance to individuals for Hurricane Sandy Relief. FPWA has issued an RFP to its member agencies and will be issuing grants on a rolling basis beginning in late December.</p>
7.	<p>Does your organization have a plan in place on how to use any surplus funds not spent for Hurricane Sandy relief? If so, please describe that plan.</p>
	<p>We will be using all funds donated to Sandy relief through our own campaign first. Therefore, any resources remaining after a complete response to these crises would be funds received from the New York Times. In that event, we would confer with the New York Times about the most appropriate use of the surplus in accordance with their policies.</p>

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Date

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