

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

Hurricane Sandy Relief Information - March 2013 Update

PLEASE NOTE: In answering the questions below, please update the information you provided in response to our earlier questionnaire. If there has been no change in the information previously provided in response to any question, please indicate "no change." However, where financial information is requested, please provide aggregate amounts to date, rather than since the date of your earlier response.

Name of Organization: National Firefighters Endowment

1.	What is the dollar amount of donations and pledges that your organization has raised to date in response to Hurricane Sandy? If your organization has received any donated (in-kind) goods or services, please describe those in-kind donations and explain how you determined their value in sections (b) and (c).	
(a)	Category	Raised to Date
	Cash/cash equivalents	\$5,337.53
	Outstanding pledges	\$0
	Value of goods and services (in-kind) donated to your organization	\$200,560
(b)	Description of in-kind donations: Equipment: Radio Equipment (\$125,000 value) 2 fire engines (\$25,000 value) Firefighting tools and equipment (\$35,000 in kind) Medical equipment and cleanup supplies (\$20,000) Services: Towing, mechanical and debris removal (\$9,560) Shipping of fire engine from MI (\$6,000)	
(c)	Explanation of how in-kind donations were valued: New equipment was valued at retail cost Used equipment was valued at current market value based upon comparable sales Services were valued at the FEMA schedule Shipping was valued by competitive bid	
2.	Are the amounts reported above being used solely for Hurricane Sandy relief? If not, please indicate the portion of those funds that have or will be used for other purposes and describe those purposes.	

	All funds and donations have been designated solely for Hurricane Sandy Relief for fire departments directly impacted.	
3.	How much has your organization spent or disbursed on Hurricane Sandy relief to date?	
(a)	Amount: \$ <u>3,268.33</u>	
(b)	Please detail the above amount by completing the categories below:	
	Category	Amount to Date
	Direct expenditures by your organization on supplies and/or services (please only include any expenditures paid by your organization for direct Hurricane Sandy relief and not grants or funding provided to individuals, businesses or other organizations)	\$3,268.33
	Grants or funding provided to other organizations for Hurricane Sandy relief	\$0
	Grants or funding provided to individuals, families or businesses for Hurricane Sandy relief (please include any items such as emergency cash grants, loans, gift/debit cards or similar assistance)	\$0
	The value of any goods or services donated (in-kind) to your organization that were disbursed in response to Hurricane Sandy.	\$200,560
	Other (please describe)	
4.	Please describe the types of assistance that your has organization provided to those affected by Hurricane Sandy. What populations or geographical areas have been (or will be) served by your organization in response to Hurricane Sandy?	
	NFE worked with fire departments directly impacted by the storm to assess their immediate needs and obtain equipment to get back to functional status. Our focus was on replacing equipment damaged or lost in the storm that is vital to their ability to respond to emergencies.	
5.	Has your organization provided grants or funding to other organizations for Hurricane Sandy relief efforts? If so, which organizations have received those funds, what is the	

	dollar amount provided to them and what is the intended use of the funds? What policies and procedures does your organization follow to determine the need for such funding and to monitor the use funds?
	NFE worked with Broad Channel Volunteer Fire Department, Rockaway Point Volunteer Fire Department, Breezy Point Volunteer Fire Department, and West Hamilton Beach Volunteer Fire Department, each of which is a 501c3 that responds to medical and fire emergencies in their surrounding communities. We helped to replace lost or damaged equipment that is necessary for them to protect the residents in their communities. We were on scene days after the storm hit, met with the fire departments to inventory and assess and prioritize their needs. Equipment was delivered directly to those departments and services provided such such as mechanical, towing and debris removal was directed by the respective officers of those organizations according to their need.
6.	Has your organization provided direct grants or funding to individuals, families or businesses for Hurricane Sandy relief? If so, please describe the types of the assistance that your organization has provided to date. What policies and procedures does your organization follow to determine the need for such funding and to monitor the use funds? For the purposes of this question please include any items such as emergency cash assistance, loans, gift/debit cards or direct payment of expenses on behalf those impacted by Hurricane Sandy.
	no
7.	What is your organization's plan for using any surplus funds not spent for Hurricane Sandy relief?
	We continue to work with those departments regarding additional equipment they still need. All remaining funds will be used to fulfill those needs.
8.	Has your organization received funding from other organizations for Hurricane Sandy relief efforts? If so, please identify the organizations that provided the funds, the amount received and a description of how the funds have been or will be used.
	no
9.	Is your organization still conducting fundraising for relief efforts? If so, please describe the methods by which you are raising funds.
	We are not still conducting fundraising for Hurricane Sandy, however, we are still soliciting in-kind equipment donations from other fire departments and manufacturers.

10.	Is your organization still conducting relief efforts? If so, please describe how individuals, businesses or organizations seeking assistance can contact your organization.
	We are still in contact with those departments and continue to work to replace equipment that is still needed.

Print Name and Title of Representative

Date

Shane Parkins - President

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Signature of Representative

Please email this document with your responses to sandyresponse@ag.ny.gov by March 22, 2013. You may obtain an electronic copy of this document by emailing a request to that same address.