

**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: Episcopal Relief & Development

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	\$2,243,194
	Outstanding pledges	
	Value of goods and services (in-kind) donated to your organization	
(b)	Description of in-kind donations:	
(c)	Explanation of how in-kind donations were valued:	
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.	

3.	How much has your organization spent or disbursed on Hurricane Sandy relief to date?	
(a)	Amount: \$ <u>1,138,075</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)	\$173,075
	Grants or funding provided to other organizations for Hurricane Sandy relief	\$85,000
	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)	
	The value of any goods or services donated (in-kind) to your organization that were disbursed in response to Hurricane Sandy.	
	Other (please describe) -finalizing agreements with regional Dioceses for funds to be expended in 2013	\$880,000
4.	Please describe the types of assistance that your organization has 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?	
	Episcopal Relief & Development does not provide direct assistance. However, organizational expenditures have included personnel costs and travel.	
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?	
	The staff of our US Disaster Preparedness and Response team develops programming with Episcopal dioceses in the hurricane impacted areas that are designed to serve the most vulnerable local populations. Such programming includes evaluating local needs, determining priorities and capacity to respond, creating program budgets and timetables, providing ongoing monitoring and evaluation of programs, and assessing program impact. Currently, Episcopal Relief & Development has ongoing programs with dioceses in New York, New Jersey and Maryland, in addition to providing assistance	

	<p>immediately following Hurricane Sandy to partner dioceses in the Caribbean.</p> <p>Direct support has been provided to the following Dioceses, providing funding for relief efforts immediately following the hurricane:</p> <p>Diocese of Long Island: \$20,000 Diocese of New York: \$20,000 Diocese of New Jersey: \$20,000 Diocese of Dominican Republic: \$15,000 Primate's World Relief & Development Fund: \$10,000</p> <p>Memoranda of Understanding are being finalized with the following partners for 2013 programming:</p> <p>Diocese of Easton: \$250,000 for rebuilding in Crisfield, MD. Diocese of New York: \$250,000 for rebuilding in Staten Island. Diocese of New York: \$80,000 for support toward salary and expenses for regional volunteer coordinator, to work with volunteers in the dioceses of New York, New Jersey and Newark. Diocese of New Jersey: \$300,000 for rebuilding in New Jersey.</p>
6.	<p>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.</p>
	<p>Episcopal Relief & Development does not provide direct assistance to individuals, families or businesses.</p>
7.	<p>What is your organization's plan for using any surplus funds not spent for Hurricane Sandy relief?</p>
	<p>Episcopal Relief & Development does not anticipate having surplus funds not spent for Hurricane Sandy relief.</p>
8.	<p>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.</p>
	<p>N/A</p>

9.	Is your organization still conducting fundraising for relief efforts? If so, please describe the methods by which you are raising funds.
	Episcopal Relief & Development is not actively fundraising for relief efforts. However, any funds received that are designated for Hurricane Sandy response will be used for long-term Hurricane Sandy programming.
10.	Is your organization still conducting relief efforts? If so, please describe how individuals, businesses or organizations seeking assistance can contact your organization.
	Episcopal Relief & Development continues to work through local diocesan disaster response efforts. Individuals seeking assistance should contact their local Episcopal diocese of Long Term Recovery group.

Print Name and Title of Representative

Date

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 Signature of Representative *Carroll Cohen*

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