

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

Hurricane Sandy Relief Information

Name of Organization: Gleaning For The World (GFTW)

1.	What is the approximate dollar amount of donations and pledges that your organization has received to date in response to Hurricane Sandy?
\$194,035.59 in individual donations or sponsorships.	
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?
Yes. The funds received for Sandy are considered restricted funds by GFTW for sole use in the relief effort only.	
3.	Approximately how much has your organization spent to date on Hurricane Sandy relief?
We have spent approximately \$188,295.85 for supplies, shipping and fees for storm relief. GFTW works in high volume products and ships tractor trailer loads of supplies.	
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?
GFTW has supplied 32 confirmed tractor trailer loads of blankets, water, personal care, pet supplies, non-perishable food and cleaning supplies to various churches and non-profits in the New York and New Jersey area. We will continue to work with groups who agree to receive and distribute our product. These groups will determine the need for their area. We submit a load manifest that they approve before shipping to ensure the proper supplies are being sent into the area.	

5.	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?
No, we do not operate in this manner. We do not send funding, only relief supplies.	
6.	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?
No, our organization works with churches and other groups within the disaster area to provide humanitarian relief supplies. We screen the groups receiving our supplies and rely on them to ensure the distribution is only for those affected by the storm. However, our partners must not discriminate based on race or religion.	
7.	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.
Our goal is to use the funds restricted for Sandy for solely for Sandy relief efforts. We plan to continue with the relief efforts as long as funds and product are available. GFTW makes every effort possible to honor the requests of the donors whether they donate product or money.	

Rev. Ronald T. Davidson, President and COO
Name and title of representative

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Date

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