

**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: YWCA of the City of New York

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	\$28,359.99
	Outstanding pledges	0.00
	Value of goods and services (in-kind) donated to your organization	\$200,053.00
(b)	<p>Description of in-kind donations: We received an assortment of in-kind donations from individuals, including new and gently-used adult and children's clothing and blankets, non-perishable food items, personal hygiene products, flashlights, and cleaning supplies.</p> <p>We also received in-kind donations from companies, including the Food Bank for New York City, AmeriCares, Turn 2 Foundation, Weil Gotshal and Manges, Wieden + Kennedy, and students from two local schools. These donations included: 1,755 units of Cole Haan items (boots, coats, and winter accessories); personal hygiene and cleaning supplies; school supplies; baby formula; candles and flashlights; feminine hygiene products; and metrocards.</p>	
(c)	<p>Explanation of how in-kind donations were valued: The in-kind value reported is based on the value provided by donors, totaling \$199,353, and a conservative estimate of market value for other items. The full list is available upon request.</p>	
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.	
	Yes, the amounts reported above were used solely for Hurricane Sandy relief.	
3.	How much has your organization spent or disbursed on Hurricane Sandy relief to date?	
(a)	Amount: \$12,656.10	
(b)	Please detail the above amount by completing the categories below:	
	Category	Amount to Date
	Direct expenditures by your organization on supplies and/or	\$10,856.10

	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)	
	Grants or funding provided to other organizations for Hurricane Sandy relief	\$0.00
	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)	\$1,900 in gift cards (Thanksgiving: \$150 gift cards given to 12 staff in affected areas; 2 \$50 gift cards)
	The value of any goods or services donated (in-kind) to your organization that were disbursed in response to Hurricane Sandy.	\$200,053.00
	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?	
	The YWCA of the City of New York focused relief efforts on individuals in Coney Island, as we offer multiple services in that community. We held general distributions to aid individuals and families, and we have also worked with our clients in Coney Island to help them find alternative childcare services while our site has been closed.	
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?	
	Not applicable.	
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.	
	The YWCA provided 12 \$150 gift cards to staff members who lived in the affected areas during Thanksgiving. Need was based on their supervisors' recommendations, which was determined by the area in which the staff member resided.	
7.	What is your organization's plan for using any surplus funds not spent for Hurricane Sandy relief?	

	We anticipate additional expenses to arise when our early learning center in Coney Island re-opens, including replacing miscellaneous lost and damaged items. We also plan to spend \$5,000 to hire activity specialists at our Roberta Bright Early Learning Center when it reopens.
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.
	The YWCA of the City of New York has received the following assistance from other organizations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$10,000 from the United Way of New York City Sandy Recovery Grant • \$5,000 from the Allstate Foundation • \$1,500 from All Sector Technology Group • \$1,414.47 from the YWCA of Minneapolis
9.	Is your organization still conducting fundraising for relief efforts? If so, please describe the methods by which you are raising funds.
	We are no longer conducting fundraising for relief efforts.
10.	Is your organization still conducting relief efforts? If so, please describe how individuals, businesses or organizations seeking assistance can contact your organization.
	The Allstate Foundation has provided \$5,000 in Sandy Recovery assistance, which we will use to hire activity specialists to conduct therapeutic and play activities for children at our Coney Island-based Roberta Bright Early Learning Center upon its reopening. Otherwise, we are not actively conducting relief efforts.

Print Name and Title of Representative

Date

Jerome Grant VP
Signature of Representative

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