

Davis EMERGENCY Information

Preparing for Emergencies: Make a Plan and Build a Kit

During a large scale disaster city and regional resources may be overwhelmed handling emergencies. You may need to take care of yourself and your family for several days. Plan to sustain yourself, your family and pets for three days. Create a family preparedness plan and put together an emergency kit (for home and for your car).

A Family Preparedness Plan Should Include:

- An agreed upon meeting place if family members are separated
- A plan for how to contact one another during an emergency
- The name of a friend or relative (preferably one who live out of the area) to serve as central contact point

Websites to Assist You in Creating a Plan and Building a Kit

American Red Cross “Be Red Cross Ready” – www.redcross.org/BeRedCrossReady

The Council for Excellence in Government’s “What is your RQ” - www.whatsyourrq.org

Homeland Security and Citizen Corps’ “Ready.gov” – www.Ready.gov

FEMA’s “Are You Ready” – www.fema.gov/areyouready

UCD Health System’s “Are You Prepared” Guide - www.ucdmc.ucdavis.edu/areyouprepared/

Humane Society of the United States – www.hsus.org/hsus_field/hsus_disaster_center/

City of Davis’ “Emergency Preparedness” – www.cityofdavis.org/emergency-information

How to Deal with an Intersection when the Traffic Lights are Out

Pursuant to the California Vehicle Code, if the power goes out and traffic signals are not working, ALL intersections normally controlled by a traffic signal IMMEDIATELY become FOUR-WAY STOPS. ALWAYS stop at a darkened intersection, and then proceed with caution. Be extra alert since normal traffic patterns will be disrupted. Use extra caution when approaching railroad crossings.

Please be patient and courteous to ensure safe driving.

Become a CERT Member

CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) members are trained to help themselves, their families, and neighbors during large scale emergencies.

To find out more about the program call the Ron Zoghbi, CERT Program Director at the City of Davis Fire Department, (530) 757-5684.

During a disaster; don’t forget to check on your neighbors!

Important City of Davis Phone Numbers

For Emergencies Dial: 9-1-1

For Emergencies Cell Phone Users Dial: 530-756-3400 or 530-758-3600

Reporting Non-Emergency Events or for Questions 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday

Downed trees:	530-757-5656
Traffic Lights Out:	530-757-5686
City Management:	530-757-5602
Fire Department:	530-757-5684 (8:30 – 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 – 5:00 p.m.)
Police Department:	530-747-5400
Public Works Department:	530-757-5656

After Hours Dial: 530-747-5400

How to Stay Informed During an Emergency

If a disaster occurs in Davis, public safety information will be made available through any or all of the following outlets:

- 1300 AM – City’s AM Radio Station
- The city’s website- www.cityofdavis.org/emergency-information
- Community Television, Channel 16 (Government Channel)
- KDRT 95.7 FM
- The Emergency Alert System – EAS broadcast on your television and radio
- Local newspapers, television and radio stations