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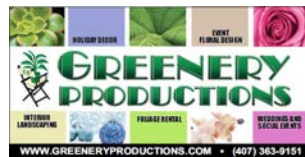
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HURRICANE IAN UPDATES

Our thoughts and prayers are with those across Central Florida and the state who have been impacted by Hurricane Ian. The devastation and destruction that occurred throughout our state is unprecedented.

A heartfelt thank you to the amazing Central Florida hospitality community for welcoming and sheltering evacuees from other areas of the state, as well as our neighbors, friends and co-workers, who sought refuge in the region. Additionally, we'd like to thank our incredible first responders and the other agencies who were responsible for saving lives and helping to restore our communities again after the storm.

On behalf of the Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association, we are thankful for your bravery and willingness to support our community that we call home.

Additionally, after careful consideration and in consultation with our members, stakeholders and community partners, we have decided to **postpone the upcoming CFHLA Membership Luncheon** on Wednesday, October 6th until **Thursday, November 3rd (NEW DATE)**. The location and program will remain the same, at the Hilton Orlando.

In the meantime, we will be focused on helping to aid our community and state in its recovery efforts. This includes the **CFHLA Cares Collection Drive** (that was to accompany the luncheon), **which will now be expanded to include donations to assist those impacted by Hurricane Ian**. We will be offering additional information regarding the CFHLA Cares Collection Drive, items needed, and its drop-off location next Monday, October 3rd.

Our community has shown repeatedly that we are resilient. We are confident that when we stay united, we will get through this together!

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[Florida Disaster Fund](#)

The Florida Disaster Fund is the State of Florida's official private fund

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Vista/Orlando](#)

[Homewood Suites By
Hilton Orlando Theme
Parks](#)

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established to provide financial assistance to our communities as they respond to and recover from times of emergency or disaster. In partnership with public, private, and other non-governmental organizations, the Florida Disaster Fund supports response and recovery activities.

If you're looking for ways to help Floridians, the Florida Disaster Fund deploys resources efficiently and effectively to Floridians directly impacted by Hurricane Ian. If you would like to contribute, please visit FloridaDisasterFund.org or **text DISASTER to 20222**.

Donations to the Florida Disaster Fund are made to the Volunteer Florida Foundation, 501(c)(3) charitable organization, and are tax-deductible.

Checks should be made payable to the Volunteer Florida Foundation and should include "Florida Disaster Fund" in the memo line.

Volunteer Florida Foundation
Attention: Florida Disaster Fund
1545 Raymond Diehl Road Suite 250
Tallahassee, FL 32308

Expedia Emergency Accommodations Module

Throughout Hurricane Ian, VISIT FLORIDA has activated its [Emergency Accommodations Module](#) with Expedia to provide real-time hotel availability to impacted travelers throughout the state. This module is automatically populated from Florida inventory information provided to Expedia.

If you haven't already, we encourage you to add your lodging property to Expedia, and keep your listing details and inventory as up to date as possible during the storm.

- **Join Expedia** - Listing your property on Expedia is FREE, and includes top travel booking websites such as Expedia.com, Hotels.com, Travelocity, and Orbitz. To learn more and sign up, [click here](#).
- **Update Your Expedia Listing** - Expedia's lodging partners can continue to use their regular process for managing and updating their listing information. To log into your Expedia partner account, [click here](#).

Pet Policies

It is estimated that 35% of Americans own a cat and that around 45% own dogs. With the US being a nation of pet lovers, it means tens of thousands of Floridians are seeking accommodation for the **ENTIRE** family. State officials are asking our hotel and vacation ownership partners to waive their no-pet policies for animals and their owners seeking shelter during and after Hurricane Ian (evacuees).

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Lastly, there are also a number of resources available, that you can utilize and share with your families and friends, your businesses, and your local communities, as we all work together to get through this devastating event.

Partners of the Month:**Executive Committee Meeting**[Spirides Hotel Finance Company](#)**Board of Directors Meeting**[Clean Tec Outsourcing](#)**Member Spotlight**[DMI Paving and Sealcoating](#)

As a result of the flooding/wind/water intrusion experienced by many of our members throughout the Central Florida, our team has compiled a list of member businesses that offer remediation and flood services. If you are in need of these services, please contact Erin Walsh at erin.walsh@cfhla.org and/or Melanie Anesh at melanie.anesh@cfhla.org, and they will be happy to provide this information to you.

Here are some additional resources.

CFHLA Hurricane Ian Resource Page

The Central Florida Hotel & Lodging Association (CFHLA) has created a **WEBPAGE** that provides information on local governmental operations as well as tips and resources.

FEMA Assistance

Florida homeowners and renters in Charlotte, Collier, DeSoto, Hardee, Hillsborough, Lee, Manatee, Orange, Osceola, Polk, Pinellas, Sarasota, and Seminole counties who were affected by Hurricane Ian are now eligible for Individual Assistance under FEMA's disaster assistance program. Please **CLICK HERE** to more information and directions on how to apply.

FLORIDADISASTER.BIZ

DEO is updating www.FloridaDisaster.biz with real-time information for business owners, families, and employees throughout the preparation, response and recovery phases of Hurricane Ian.

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HIRING OPPORTUNITIES

Job Fair

JW Marriott Orlando Bonnet Creek
Friday, October 7th, 2022; 10am - 2pm

Alfond Inn at Rollins

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Avanti International Resort

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Avanti Palms Resort and Conference Center

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

B Resort & Spa Lake Buena Vista

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Caribe Royale Orlando
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Citrus Club
Bartenders - [CLICK HERE](#) to apply
Banquet Servers - [CLICK HERE](#) to apply
Dishwashers - [CLICK HERE](#) to apply
Servers - [CLICK HERE](#) to apply
Banquet Chef - [CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Courtyard Orlando Airport
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view positions
[CLICK HERE](#) to view benefits

Courtyard Orlando Downtown
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Courtyard Orlando International Drive/Convention Center
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions
[CLICK HERE](#) to view benefits

Courtyard Orlando Lake Buena Vista - Marriott Village Orlando
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view this position

Crowne Plaza Orlando - Universal Blvd.
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Domino's
Multiple Positions Available
Delivery Experts, Customer Service Representatives, Management
[CLICK HERE](#) to view list of locations hiring
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

DoubleTree by Hilton Orlando at SeaWorld
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Element by Westin Orlando Universal
Director of Sales, [CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Evermore Resort Orlando
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view positions
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Fairfield Inn & Suites Orlando in Marriott Village Orlando
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Fairfield Inn & Suites Orlando at SeaWorld
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Floridays Resort Orlando
Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Gaylord Palms Resort & Convention Center

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Grande Lakes Orlando

Multiple Positions Available

(JW Marriott Orlando & Ritz-Carlton Orlando)

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information

Hilton Garden Inn Home2 Suites Downtown Orlando

Sales and Catering Coordinator

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Hilton Garden Inn Orlando at SeaWorld

Operations Manager

Please email your resume to ORLSE_GM@hilton.com
reference CFHLA in the subject line.

Hyatt Regency Orlando

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

JW Marriott Orlando Bonnet Creek Resort & Spa

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

JW Marriott Orlando, Grande Lakes

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view this position

Lake Nona Wave Hotel

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Marriott's Cypress Harbour

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Marriott's Grande Vista

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Marriott's Harbour Lake

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Marriott's Lakeshore Reserve

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Marriott's Vacations Worldwide

Coordinator, Citizenship - Corporate Citizenship

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Orlando World Center Marriott

Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Point Hotel & Suites
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Residence Inn Orlando at Millenia
Multiple Positions Available
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Residence Inn Orlando at SeaWorld
Multiple Positions Available
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Ritz-Carlton Orlando, Grande Lakes
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

Sheraton Vistana Resort
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Sheraton Vistana Villages
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Signia by Hilton Orlando Bonnet Creek
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Springhill Suites Orlando Convention Center
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

SpringHill Suites Orlando at Millenia
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions
[CLICK HERE](#) to view benefits

SpringHill Suites Orlando at SeaWorld
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions
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Springhill Suites Orlando Lake Buena Vista in Marriott Village
Multiple Positions Available
[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

The Grove Resort & Water Park
Repair and Maintenance Coordinator
[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

The Palms

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Tuscana Resort Orlando

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

[CLICK HERE](#) to apply

Waldorf Astoria Orlando & Waldorf Astoria Orlando Golf Club

Multiple Positions Available

[CLICK HERE](#) to view these positions

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Walt Disney World Dolphin

Multiple Positions Available

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Walt Disney World Swan

Multiple Positions Available

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