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Briarwood Park to serve as collection site for Louisiana flood victims

Donations accepted Aug. 25 through Sept. 9.

Brookhaven, GA, Aug. 23, 2016 – Briarwood Park will serve as a collection site for victims of the recent flooding in Louisiana.

“It is my belief the residents of Brookhaven will rise to the occasion as they have in the past and be very supportive of this truly worthwhile effort,” said District 4 Councilmember Joe Gebbia.

Baton Rouge, LA, and its surrounding areas have experienced a devastating loss of property – the Red Cross has stated that it’s the worst natural disaster to hit the United States since Hurricane Sandy. Some 20,000 people are without homes, at least 13 people have died, and numerous pets are lost and homeless. Donations will be accepted Thursday, Aug. 25, through Friday, Sept. 9, at Briarwood Park Community Center, 2235 Briarwood Way. The center is open Monday-Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m.; Friday-Saturday, 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.; and Sunday, 1-6 p.m.

Needed items include:

Water	Bleach	Spray disinfectant
Cleaning supplies	Antibacterial wipes	Toothpaste/toothbrushes
Kids underwear (new in unopened packaging)	Trash bags	Shampoo/soap
Adult underwear (new in unopened packaging)	Toilet paper	Pet supplies
Socks	Paper towels	Batteries
Baby products	Pillows	Khaki kids shorts for uniforms
Diaper/wipes	Food	School supplies
Women's sanitary items.	Sealable sandwich bags	Mosquito repellent
Gloves	Paper products	
	Towels and wash rags	
	Mops	

Financial donations can be mailed to Todd Hall, 929 Canterbury Lane, Atlanta, Ga. 30324.

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