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Storm Assistance Questionnaire

The best way to "weather" a winter storm or power outage any time of year is to be prepared. Village volunteers can help you prepare for, endure, and recover from these events. Please take a few moments to complete and return this questionnaire to the above address. That will help us plan, too.

I would	like the Village to help me (check all that apply):
	Stay informed
	• Sign up for <i>Alert! Montgomery</i> for info about severe weather, major traffic disruptions significant power outages, and flooded areas
	• Review safety information (downed wires, emergency contact numbers, etc.)
	Identify my support network – someone who will:
	Stay in daily contact with me during an emergency
	 Keep a spare set of my keys
	Know where to find my emergency supply kit
	 Know how to operate my special medical or mobility equipment
	 Help me evacuate or shelter in place in an emergency
	 Stay in contact with local and out-of-state friends or relatives
	Charge a laptop or cell phone
	Make a plan in the event I have to evacuate (e.g., if I have no heat)
	 Written information on medications, medical conditions, doctors, etc.
	 Packing list of clothes I would take to a shelter or friend's house
	Where to go if I have to evacuate
	 Transportation options if I have to evacuate
	Prepare a kit of supplies I will need to survive for 72 hours
	• Water, non-perishable food, non-electric can opener, etc.
	 Medications, hygiene items, important documents, clothes and shoes
	 Radio and batteries, flashlight and batteries, first aid kit
	Important documents
After the	e storm, I would like a Village volunteer to help me:
	Clear snow and ice
	Replenish groceries and/or emergency supplies
	Inspect my property for storm damage
	Refer me to qualified service providers if a Village volunteer cannot solve the problem