



## Mission to Eastern North Carolina

### Frequently Asked Questions

- 1) Q: What is a good source of information on Hurricane Florence?
  - a. [https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hurricane\\_Florence](https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hurricane_Florence)
- 2) Q: Who are our hosts and partners in Eastern NC?
  - a. Pamlico Disaster Recovery Coalition
  - b. Mt Zion Free Will Baptist Church
  - c. The Call to Build
- 3) Q: What is the address to use for mailing items:
  - a. 1019 Colleton Way, Trent Woods, NC 28562
- 4) Q: Describe the volunteer housing and costs. We have several options:
  - a. Our primary housing location is at Mt Zion Free Will Baptist Church, 1912 Lynchs Beach Loop, Bayboro, NC. Mt Zion is located in Pamlico County east of New Bern, NC (effective 5/6/2021).
    - i. Registration fee is \$100/week/person to cover room, orientation dinner, breakfast and lunch foods, and miscellaneous volunteer expenses as well as limited construction expenses. We prefer you register online at <http://fullercenter.org/disaster-rebuilders/> including paying your registration fee. If you'd prefer to write a check, mail to:

Fuller Center Disaster Rebuilders  
201 West NASA Pkwy  
Webster, TX 77598
    - ii. We have capacity for 15 volunteers at this time but facility can house up to 30 individuals.
    - iii. Dinners will be the responsibility of the volunteer group. The church has a full kitchen and dining area.
    - iv. We expect most of the worksites to be within 10 miles of your housing.
    - v. Shower trailer is located outside the building.
    - vi. We are working on adding a washer and dryer at the location.
  - b. We have other options in Pamlico County where reservations and payments will need to be made directly to those facilities. Contact Emily Hill at 252-548-1276 or [eesmailes@gmail.com](mailto:eesmailes@gmail.com) to help with those reservations. In additions to our direct payment to the locations there will be a registration fee paid to Fuller Center Disaster Rebuilders of \$25/week/person to cover orientation dinner, miscellaneous volunteer expenses as well as limited construction expenses. Checks should be written to Fuller Center Disaster Rebuilders per above. The other locations options in Pamlico County are:

- i. Camp Caroline. Limited summer availability. 3398 Janiero Road, Arapahoe, NC
  - ii. Camp Vandemere. Limited summer availability. 177 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Vandemere, NC
  - iii. River's Edge Family Campground. 149 Tempe Gut Road, Bayboro, NC
- c. New Hope Village at Neuse Forest Presbyterian Church, 2011 Od Cherry Point Road, James City, NC in Craven County just south of New Bern, NC.
  - i. Registration fee is \$175/week/person to cover room, orientation dinner, and miscellaneous volunteer expenses as well as limited construction expenses. Breakfast, lunch and dinners will be the responsibility of the volunteer group. Checks should be written to:
    - Fuller Center Disaster Rebuilders
    - 201 West NASA Pkwy
    - Webster, TX 77598
  - ii. We have capacity for 15 volunteers. There may be other volunteer groups staying at this facility as it can house up to 60 individuals.
  - iii. The church has a full kitchen and dining area.
  - iv. We expect most of the worksites to be within 25 miles of your housing.
  - v. Showers and washer/dryers are located in the building.

5) Q: What are the requirements for volunteers?

- a. You must be at least 16 years old to volunteer with Fuller Center Disaster ReBuilders. Volunteers under 18 years old are permitted to work on the construction site, but must be supervised by a parent or legal guardian at all times. You must also complete our "Minor Permission Consent Form."
- b. Team leaders will be required to certify on behalf of their sponsoring organization (church, etc.) that all team members have successfully completed a "Sex Offender Registry Check."
- c. Volunteers will be expected to keep the housing where they are staying clean.

6) Q: What is the daily **schedule**?

a. The schedule is as follows:

6:30-7:00 AM	Breakfast
7:00-7:30 AM	Brief devotions/morning announcements
8:30 AM	Start at worksite
12:00ish	Lunch at worksite
4:30ish	Depart worksite 6:00 - 7:00 PM
	Dinner

7) Q: Will there be an orientation on Sunday night?

- a. Yes, the mandatory Sunday night orientation is accomplished in conjunction with the 6:00 PM dinner. Orientation location will vary depending on where volunteers are staying.

8) Q: What is the closest **airport**? Is airport pick-up available?

a. The closest airport is the New Bern NC airport. We do not provide airport pick-ups.

9) Q: Are there **vehicles** available to get to the worksite?

a. No, you'll have to provide your own transportation.

10) Q: Is **WiFi** available?

a. Dependent on site.

11) Q: Do you provide **bedding, linens and towels**?

a. Plan to sleep on a bunkbed with a mattress, so bring a sleeping bag or linens and pillows. Bring your own towel.

12) Q: Is there a **washing machine and dryer** available?

a. Dependent on site

13) Q: What type of **construction** will we be doing?

a. We'll be doing rehabs— On the exterior, you'll be repairing/replacing roofs, siding, windows and doors. For interior damage, you'll be insulating, drywalling, floors and doors, cabinets and vanities, trimming, painting, etc.

14) Q: Should we bring **tools**?

a. Not necessary. We have two tool trailers. If you can bring your personal items: tape measure, utility knife, hammer, pencil, tool belt, and gloves.

15) Q: Are there **volunteer opportunities** other than construction?

a. Not at this time.

16) Q: Are there nearby **hotels**?

a. There are numerous hotels in the area if you're more comfortable there.

17) Q: Are there **restaurants** nearby? Are there local **attractions** we should consider visiting?

a. We can provide you a list of local restaurants and attractions upon your arrival.

18) Q: Do you have **t-shirts** for this mission?

a. Your registration fee includes one t-shirt; additional t-shirts will be \$15 per shirt.

19) Q: Are there parking locations for **RVs**?

a. There are RV hook up available at Camp Caroline, Camp Vandemere and River's Edge Family Campground. We are working on some special rates for these facilities.

20) Q: How do I register and pay the registration fee?

a. Please register online at: <http://fullercenter.org/disaster-rebuilders/>

21) Q. Whom do I **contact for additional information**?

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