

HOW YOU CAN HELP THE PEOPLE OF HAITI

- The Haiti Earthquake Task Force has set up the following number for Americans seeking information about American citizens in Haiti: 1-888-407-4747. Some callers may receive a recording because of the heavy volume of calls.
- The Embassy is working to identify U.S. citizens in Haiti who need urgent assistance and to identify sources of emergency help. **U.S. citizens IN Haiti** have been urged to contact the Embassy via email at ACSPaP@state.gov to request assistance. U.S. citizens in Haiti have been asked to call the Embassy's Consular Task Force at 509-2229-8942, 509-2229-8089, 509-2229-8322, or 509-2229-8672.
- The Department of State is receiving a high volume of calls concerning the welfare of American citizens in Haiti. To better handle these requests, the Department has established an e-mail address for people who are trying to contact their American Citizen friends and relatives in Haiti. It is: Haiti-Earthquake@State.Gov
- State Department worked with The mGive Foundation, Mobile Accord, CTIA (CTIA-The Wireless Association) and The American Red Cross to set up the keyword "Haiti", and the short code number "90999" to turn on mobile giving and help channel \$10 donations directly to the Red Cross with 100% pass through. 100% of contributions are being passed through to aid relief efforts in Haiti. As of this evening, this effort has raised over \$1.3 million.
- At this current time the Administration is urging Cash donation. Please visit www.whitehouse.gov and www.USAID.gov for more information.
- Floridians and neighbors across the country can contribute to "Neighbors to the Rescue" by going to www.FLADisasterRecoveryFund.org – or by calling 1-800-825-3786.
- You can text "HAITI" to the number 90999 (\$10 will be charged to your cell phone bill and donated to the Red Cross and Mercy Corps towards relief efforts Haiti).
- You can direct constituents looking to donate time or supplies to the Center for International Disaster Information (CIDI) at 703-276-1914, or online at <http://www.cidi.org/incident/haiti-10a/>.
- If your constituents are still looking for family members, you can direct them to the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) website, www.icrc.org/familylinks.