

## University Student Emergency Preparation

## STUDENT INFORMATION CHECKLIST

- Ensure that all of your emergency contact information is accurate in the Panther Alert System. You will find instructions to update your information at <u>www.pvamu.edu/PAS</u>.
- Communicate with your family regarding your status and location.
- Monitor local radio and TV stations for updates.
- Contact the Student Affairs Office at (936) 261-3550 if you need additional information or assistance with student related activities or schedules.
- If you require any information for disability-related accommodations, please contact the PVAMU Office of Disability Services at (936) 261-3585.
- If PVAMU is evacuating, you will not be allowed to remain on campus, and it is highly recommended that you leave the city. <u>Do not go towards costal locations</u>.
- Take your driver's license, student ID, and a copy of your housing lease, medical insurance and other important documents when you evacuate.
- If you bank with a local bank or credit union whose infrastructure may be damaged by the storm, withdraw some funds as you may not have access to them once you leave the area.
- International students must take passports with a valid student visa inside, I-20, I-94, student ID card and class schedule.
- If using personal transportation, take as many of your valuable or irreplaceable items as you are able.
- Plan your method of evacuation and your destination before a storm enters the gulf (see attached map, other locations can download evacuation maps from www.txdot.gov).
- If driving, make sure all roads on which you are traveling are open and safe. Call the Department of Transportation at 1-800-452-9292 or check online conditions at <u>www.txdot.gov</u>.
- Follow baggage limits if participating in an assisted evacuation program.
- If you take medication take a 30-day supply of medications in original pharmacy containers.
- Make a record of valuables left behind (description, serial numbers, etc). Take pictures of all belongings.
- Do not return until Prairie View A&M University has been cleared (monitor media and University website).



## PREPARING YOUR ROOM

- Unplug all electronics and cover them with plastic.
- Shut and lock windows and close blinds.
- Store items off the floor and away from the windows.
- Take all items off balconies and out of yards.
- Follow any additional instructions by housing employees.
- Empty refrigerators.
- Take valuables with you.
- Turn off lights and electrical appliances.

