



**IF YOU WERE AFFECTED BY HURRICANE SANDY
THE FOLLOWING FREE SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE TO YOU:**

HOPE Coalition America's free financial services include:

- Preparing a Disaster Recovery Budget
- Paying a Mortgage on a Destroyed Home
- Managing Home Inspections and Repair Contracts
- Assistance Working with Your Creditors
- Assistance Obtaining Copies of Destroyed Documents
- Assistance Filing Insurance Claims
- Referrals to Government and Private Agencies
- Disaster Recovery and Preparedness Seminars
- Financial Case Management

For assistance call: 1-888-388-HOPE (4673)

HOPE Coalition America is the national emergency preparedness and assistance division of Operation HOPE, Inc., America's leading provider of economic empowerment tools and services. The coalition is a collaboration of senior executives and professionals from the banking, financial services, and insurance industries (with occasional participation from the higher education, social service, and community services sectors) which provide financial and economic guidance and assistance to individuals and small businesses affected by emergencies and disasters.

Two of our principal products, the Emergency Financial First Aid Kit (EFFAK) and the Personal Disaster Preparedness Guide (PDPG), are documents which assist people in creating detailed listings of their important personal or business financial information and guides them through the survival and recovery steps they should take prior to an emergency. The documents are available as a free download from our website www.operationhope.org.

The United States has a strong network of first responders to address immediate health, safety, and infrastructure needs after disasters through agencies such as the Red Cross and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). HOPE Coalition America strengthens that network by assisting individuals and small business owners with the short, medium, and long-term economic and financial challenges they face following disasters and emergencies.

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