

EVACUATION NOTICE

NO PETS LEFT BEHIND!

NOTE TO FIRST RESPONDERS

This Residence Has Been Completely Evacuated.

Please mark the home appropriately.

Thank you for checking in!

Stay Safe!

Resident Comment Box

Please use this box only if you need to let first responders know of a hazardous condition pertaining to your home or property.

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To be filled out by first responders only!

**PLEASE KEEP THESE CARDS CLOSE TO AN EXIT SO THAT
IN TIMES OF NEED YOU CAN READILY ACCESS THEM.**

Dear Pet Owner,

This door tag is to be used **ONLY** in the event you receive a voluntary or mandatory evacuation order from the authorities. The tag will let first responders know what they can expect to find on the residence premises.

Rover Respond'R is a strong supporter of the NO PETS LEFT BEHIND policy adopted in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina in 2005. Please remember that since hurricane Katrina, various rescue organizations are working closely with government authorities to provide shelter to pet owners. The PETS Act of 2006 makes provisions to ensure that pet owners are taken care during these types of emergencies.

This card should be your FIRST OPTION!

The reason we do not recommend leaving pets behind is due to the lack of forecasting accuracy authorities have when it comes to estimating when you will be allowed back into your neighborhood. Depending on how things evolve, threats might change and it might take weeks before you are allowed back. Pets left behind are therefore placed at risk of disease, getting lost, starvation, drowning, injury and death. Hurricane Katrina has been quite a stark example of how situations can quickly change to your disadvantage. Please remember that roaming pets can pose a threat to others, including first responders.

Thank you for taking your pets with you!

Before filling out the card, please find a way to laminate it.

If you **MUST** use this card, please take a minute on your way out to fill it out. Please use a Sharpie to fill out **ALL** sections. Please make sure that your latest contact information is included to ease the reunion process.

Once filled out, affix (nail, staple, duct tape, etc) all sides of the card to the top of your door, or bottom of the roof of your house (if applicable). The higher the better to ensure that flood waters cannot easily prevent it from easy viewing by first responders.