# DISASTER RELIEF HOW TO REPLACE IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS

## **HOW CAN I REPLACE MY:**

#### DRIVER LICENSE

- In person: Visit any CA DMV Office. Schedule an appointment at www.dmv.ca.gov
- Online: Apply for a replacement card at www.edl.dmv.ca.gov/apply

#### SOCIAL SECURITY CARD

- Online: Create can a free account and apply online at www.ssa.gov/myaccount (You will need to submit proof of your identity.)
- **In Person:** Visit your local Social Security Office. (You will need to complete Form SS-5 and show proof of identification.) To find your local office, call 1-800-772-1213 or visit https://secure.ssa.gov/ICON/main.jsp
- **Phone:** For more information, call S.S.A. at 1-800-772-1213.

### EBT CARD (CALFRESH/FOOD STAMPS)

- **Phone:** You can apply for a replacement card by calling the CalFresh Customer Service line at 877-328-9677.
- Online: Apply for a replacement card at www.ebt.ca.gov/caebtclient/lostcard.jsp

#### **DEBIT CARD**

- **Phone:** Call your bank. The bank will tell you how to replace your card. If you do not know how to contact your bank or credit union, call the FDIC's toll- free number at 1-877-275-3342 for contact information.
- If you keep papers in a bank safety deposit box, you should ask if the boxes are unharmed.

#### **LOST CHECKS**

Call your bank to report lost checks and request replacements.



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#### **CREDIT CARD**

Call the bank or credit union that issued the card. Call your credit card company if your credit card was not issued by your bank. Major credit card companies include:

American Express: 1-800-528-9800, www.americanexpress.com

Discover: 1-800-347-2683, www.discover.com MasterCard: 1-800-627-8372, www.mastercard.us

VISA: 1-800-847-2911, www.usa.visa.com

You should contact the bank or your credit card company to let them know that you have been impacted by the disaster, even if you do not need a replacement card. Many banks and credit card companies are willing to waive some fees and payments for victims of disasters.

### MARRIAGE/ DEATH/ BIRTH CERTIFICATE

State of California

**Phone:** Call Department of Public Health at 916-445-2684. **Online:** Order a certificate online at www.vitalchek.com

Outside the State of California

Visit the National Center for Health Statistics at www.cdc.gov/nchs/w2w.htm.

#### WHAT ELSE CAN SERVE AS PROOF OF IDENTITY?

Passport Military ID Employer ID card Adoption record School ID card

Life insurance policy
Marriage or divorce record

Health insurance card (not a Medicare card)



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