



THE SALVATION ARMY METROPOLITAN DIVISION

SERVING THE GREATER CHICAGO AREA, NORTHERN ILLINOIS, AND NORTHWESTERN INDIANA

NEWS RELEASE

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SALVATION ARMY PARTNERS WITH OTHER DISASTER RESPONSE AGENCIES IN CREATING MULTI-AGENCY RESOURCE CENTER (MARC)

Residents impacted by the Prospect Heights fire can visit this one-stop resource center in Northbrook.

CHICAGO – The Salvation Army, one of the largest direct providers of social services across Illinois, is partnering with other disaster response agencies, including The American Red Cross to set up a one-stop resource center for those impacted by the recent fire. This “one-stop shop” maximizes the use of joint resources and expedites the ability of organizations to provide services by eliminating the need for the participating organizations to set up separate assistance centers, and enabling coordination and information sharing between participating organizations. Residents will be able to meet with trained counselors for resources, obtain housing and insurance information, emotional and spiritual care, as well as other health and mental health services and other assistance from team representatives.

Where:

Lutheran Church Charities, 3020 Milwaukee Ave., Northbrook

When

Saturday, July 21, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Meals, snacks and beverages will be provided to clients. Translators on site.

How to Help:

The quickest and easiest way to support The Salvation Army’s Disaster Services is to make a monetary donation.

Monetary Donation:

To support The Salvation Army’s Disaster Services, visit our website at: www.salarmychicagoeds.org/. Click on the red donate button and gifts from that site will be used to support recovery and emergency assistance to the families affected by the fire.

Donations of Household Goods, Clothing & Disaster Items (Gifts in-kind):

In-kind donations will not be accepted at the MARC. Clothing will be accepted at the following location:
River Trails Condominium Association, 811 Apple Drive, Prospect Heights on Monday and Tuesday from 9a.m. – 3p.m.

ABOUT THE SALVATION ARMY CHICAGO METROPOLITAN DIVISION

In 2015, The Salvation Army celebrated its 150th worldwide anniversary and 130 years of service in Chicagoland. As one of the largest direct providers of social services in the state of Illinois, The Salvation Army operates 29 corps community centers, as well as other facilities in neighborhoods across the greater Chicago area, offering shelter, meals, child care, disaster relief, after-school programs, recreational activities, music education and more.

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