

TOWN OF LEWISBORO



BE PREPARED!

EMERGENCY INFORMATION FOR LEWISBORO RESIDENTS

FOR EMERGENCY HELP

CALL 911

from cellular phones
dial 277-3651

www.lewisborogov.com

A message from the Town's Emergency Preparedness Task Force, (EPTF)
Councilwoman Jessica Bacal,
Chairman:

The EPTF was formed to study the Town's readiness to respond to emergency situations, for example severe storms, toxic spills, power outages, fires, etc.

We found a high level of training and readiness in our emergency services-- ambulance, fire and police. In Lewisboro the fire and ambulance personnel are all volunteers, and we thank them for their dedicated service to our Town. If you would like to learn more about becoming a member, call at the contact numbers on the following pages.

To assist our emergency services, the Task Force is considering the formation of a group of trained disaster volunteers. If you are interested in serving, contact the Town Clerk at 763-3511 or email to townclerk@lewisborogov.com. The volunteers would perform non-skilled important tasks during an emergency.

This brochure is designed to provide you with emergency contacts and information to help you deal with most emergencies.

To deal with power outages and weather-related emergencies every home should have:

Battery-operated lanterns, flashlights and radio plus extra batteries.

Bottled water (3 gals. per person per day), minimum of 3-day supply

Extra blankets, comforters, quilts

Non-perishable foods that can be eaten without heating such as peanut butter, canned tuna, cereal, canned or boxed milk (and a non-electric can opener)

Extra prescription medicines and over-the-counter medications such as aspirin, Tylenol, peroxide and topical ointments.

If you want a portable generator installed, be sure to use the services of a licensed electrician. Follow safety precautions for operation and storage of fuel. Your fire department will be happy to assist.

Helpful websites for more precautions are the Red Cross at www.redcross.org/services/disaster Federal Emergency Management Agency at www.fema.gov or www.fema.gov/kids

