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RHODE ISLAND DEMS JOIN STATE'S PUERTO RICO RELIEF EFFORT

Urge Financial Donations to [American Red Cross Hurricane Relief](#) and Support for Local Drive

WARWICK, R.I. – “There is an urgent need to rescue people and restore lives and property in Puerto Rico, in the aftermath of two of the harshest hurricanes ever,” said Rhode Island Democratic Party Chair Joseph M. McNamara. “Our many friends and extended family members in that region will need emergency aid as quickly as possible; and to help that recovery process we are urging Rhode Islanders to support the extraordinary efforts of the [American Red Cross](#) as they tackle what seems like an endless string of devastating storms.”

In addition to the call for donations to the [American Red Cross](#), a fundraiser will be held Saturday at Armando & Sons Meat Market in Providence, where they will be accepting canned goods and bottled water. The state Party office will also accept canned foods and bottled water at its Warwick office, 200 Metro Center Blvd., for the local organizers.

*****COVERAGE INVITED*****

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