

HURRICANE AND TROPICAL STORM OR OTHER EMERGENCY RECOMMENDED PREPARATION GUIDELINES

Hurricane season is June 1st through November 30th annually

HURRICANES AND TROPICAL STORMS

Owners are strongly encouraged to follow the recommended Hurricane Preparedness Guidelines below when an announcement has been made indicating a Hurricane or Tropical Storm Warning is in effect for the local area covering Nettles Island, or when the occupant leaves Nettles Island for one (1) week or more during hurricane season.

- Golf carts, motorcycles, bicycles, boats, trailers, lawn furniture, planters, flowerpots, and other loose items should be secured, tied down or stored inside the dwelling.
- Trash cans should be removed from in-ground container and stored indoors, and trash can lids secured.
- Hurricane shutters are recommended.
- Watercraft should not be left either in the water or on boat lifts.
- Recreation vehicles, trailers, and boats not properly tied down should be removed from Nettles Island and brought to a safe location.
- Flags, flag poles, satellite dishes, and antennas should also be taken down and either secured or stored in the dwelling.
- Owners should be aware that they could be held responsible for any damage or loss to others due to their negligence in not preparing for the weather event.

PANDEMIC

During a pandemic, owners should take precautions:

- Keep a mask handy. Wear a mask in enclosed spaces, when you shop or go to into the Rec Hall, Office, or Cafe and anytime you are in close contact with people outside your household.

- Practice social distancing—staying six (6) feet apart---when you are with people who live outside your household. Keep social activities outdoors.
- Wash hands frequently, and be mindful about touching public surfaces (elevator buttons, handrails, doorknobs, and other high-touch areas)
- Adopt stricter quarantine practices if you or someone in your circle is at higher risk.

FIRE OR ACTIVE SHOOTER EVACUATION.

In a fire or active shooter scenario:

- Know the escape routes in your home and in all Common Element buildings.