

# Hurricane season checklist

## Understand your risks

- Assess potential dangers to assets
- Stay informed on forecasts for protection
- Plan ahead for resilience against storms

## Develop an emergency action plan

- Establish clear communication strategies
- Stock up on supplies and consider disruptions
- Prepare shutdown protocols for safety
- Ensure backup systems and data security

## Prepare ahead of time

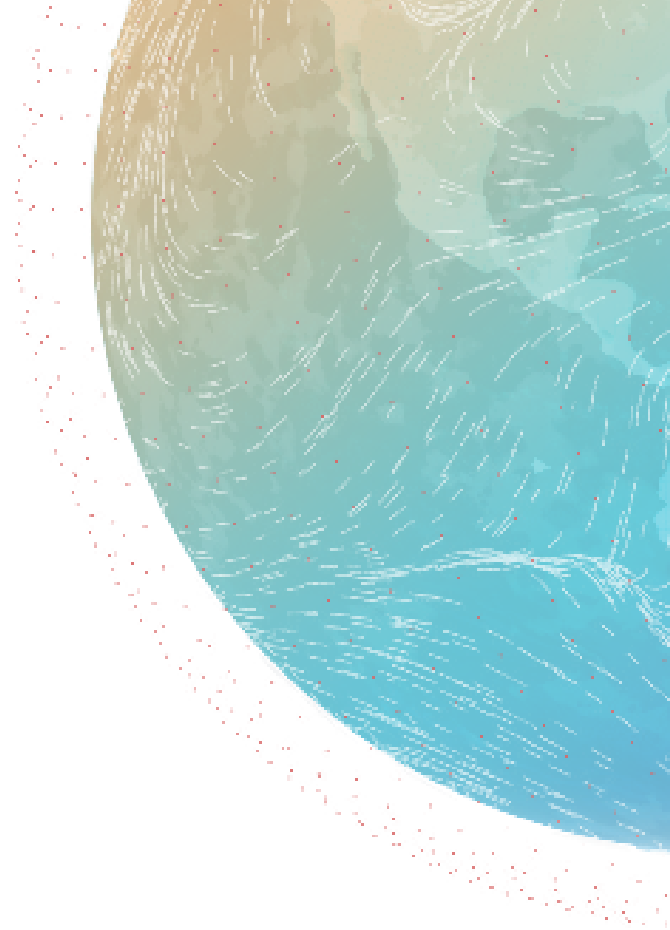
- Gather emergency supplies before hurricane season
- Test and maintain generators regularly
- Review insurance coverage and update as needed
- Conduct drills to ensure readiness among employees
- Establish partnerships with local authorities and emergency services

## Know what's coming

- Track hurricane forecasts for operational insights
- Utilize risk mitigation tools like DeepVision™

## Take action to protect your business

- Board up windows and doors
- Use sandbags for flood prevention
- Secure loose items and reinforce structures
- Evacuate if ordered, safeguarding equipment and documents



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## Ensure continuity of essential services

- Plan staffing and resource allocation
- Monitor storm impacts for resource adjustments
- Establish backup power sources and secure fuel supplies
- Coordinate with local authorities for emergency support

## Prioritize employee safety

- Keep essential staff informed
- Rely on trusted information sources
- Ensure access to emergency supplies, including first aid

## Prepare for infrastructure failures

- Establish redundancy where possible
- Stay informed about potential disruptions
- Secure critical systems against power surges and outages

## Address security challenges

- Protect premises from theft or damage
- Remain vigilant, especially for targeted facilities
- Enhance physical security measures, such as reinforced entry points
- Deploy surveillance systems to monitor vulnerable areas

## Implement real-time decision-making

- Stay proactive in response to evolving conditions
- Utilize professional weather risk communication services for precise guidance
- Empower leadership to make swift decisions based on the latest data



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## Damage assessment

- Quickly evaluate physical and infrastructural damage
- Prioritize repairs and recovery efforts
- Document all damage with photos and detailed reports

## Resuming operations

- Implement swift strategies for restarting operations
- Consider temporary solutions and alternative locations
- Assess supply chain impacts and adjust procurement as needed
- Communicate reopening plans with employees and stakeholders

## Insurance claims and financial recovery

- File insurance claims promptly and accurately
- Manage cash flow challenges due to disruptions
- Keep meticulous records of all losses and expenses

## Employee support and communication

- Provide financial and mental health support
- Communicate clearly about business status and roles
- Offer flexible work arrangements during the recovery phase
- Ensure employees have access to necessary resources and counseling

## Reputation and customer relations

- Update customers on operational status and delays
- Maintain trust and loyalty through transparent communication
- Highlight steps taken to improve resilience against future events

## **Utilize Spire Weather & Climate solutions this hurricane season**

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