

FOR RESIDENTS

BUILDING YOUR SAFE HUB



Community Catastrophic Disaster Preparation & Self-Sufficiency

Salt Lake County's Safe Hubs program is built on the principle that self-reliance is the foundation of disaster readiness. In the event of a catastrophic disaster along the Wasatch Front, where local resources are likely to be overwhelmed, Safe Hubs is a robust planning program for citizens to foster recovery and resilience within their own neighborhoods. By focusing on simple, accessible systems that require minimal training, the program empowers residents to take ownership of their local disaster response preparation.

But, What is a Safe Hub?

A Safe Hub is a designated community site and group of roughly 10,000 residents that can access information, coordinate volunteer efforts, and communicate with emergency services following a catastrophic disaster.

The Steps to Starting a Safe Hub

1 Find Your Safe Hub Location

→ Locate your Safe Hub based on your primary residence.

2 Contact Your Municipality's Emergency Manager

→ Work with your city's emergency manager to set up your designated Safe Hub.

3 Talk With Neighbors & Take Roles

→ Listed roles serve as a basic guide for each Safe Hub. Not all positions must be filled and more can be added as necessary.

4 Build Your Safe Hub's Emergency Kit

→ Prepare your Safe Hub's survival kit for a catastrophic disaster.

The Roles in a Safe Hubs

To ensure smooth and organized survival operations during a catastrophic disaster, each Safe Hub is led by five primary roles, beginning with the Hub Manager. Find your hub location and see if open roles exist.

Hub Manager

Communications / Radio Coordinator

Volunteer Coordinator

Information Coordinator

Site Safety Coordinator



Learn About The Program: safeutah.org