# **BIRDS GO KIT PREP GUIDE**



#### PET'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE UPDATED: \_\_\_\_\_

#### COMMITMENT

Pets are part of the family. To keep them safe, you must commit to preparing in advance:

- □ Keep pets with you. Generally, **the best place for your pets is wherever you are**.
- □ Prepare an evacuation (Go) kit and refresh it annually

#### **RELOCATION OPTIONS**

If you and/or your pets need to evacuate your home, determine your options and gain approval from your friends, relatives, or other accommodation options. Plan alternatives. Pet-Friendly Emergency Shelters should be your last option. Disasters require you to be flexible with alternative plans.

EVACUATION OPTIONS	CONTACT INFO & LOCATION
NEIGHBOR (If you are not home)	
EVACUATION LOCATION #1	
EVACUATION LOCATION #2	
ALTERNATIVE	
PET-FRIENDLY SHELTER	

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

BAND/TAG #	MICROCHIP #				
OTHER:					
SPECIES:		D.O.B.			
COLOR-MARKINGS					
SEX: CI MALE CI FEMALE CI DO	N'T KNOW	VACCINES CURREN	NT:	U YES	□ NO

### **EMERGENCY CONTACTS**

PET PARENTS NAME(S)			
PET PARENTS PHONE:	ALTERNATE PHONE:		
LOCAL CONTACT:	PHONE:		
VETERINARIAN NAME:	PHONE:		
PET SITTER/BOARDING:	PHONE:		
OTHER CONTACTS:	PHONE		

PLEASE KEEP EVACUATION KITS OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND PETS

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#### GEAR

- □ Favorite toys
- □ Handling gloves/supplies
- Perches

## HOUSING

- **D** Cage or similar enclosure
- □ Food bowl or paper plates
- □ Water bottle/dish
- □ Plant mister (for cooling in hot climates)
- □ 7 Days of absorbent, disposable material
- $\hfill\square$  Blanket or cloth to cover cage/reduce stress
- □ Hot water bottle (for warming birds)

### SANITATION

- □ Trash bags
- □ Paper towels
- Pet-safe disinfectant

## **FIRST AID KIT**

Contents of a human first aid kit plus:

- Pet first aid booklet
- □ Vet Wrap bandages
- □ Oral syringe or turkey baster
- Dawn dishwashing detergent
- □ Styptic Powder
- □ 7-day supply of medication
- □ Vitamin/Electrolyte packs (Stress packs)

## FOOD & WATER

□ 7 Days of food, supplements, & treats.

NOTE: Some experts recommend up to 14 days. These are estimates. You and your Veterinarian are the best to determine your pet's needs. 7 Days of fresh drinking water.
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### MAKE COPIES OF THESE DOCUMENTS

It is **very important to PRINT & INSERT** the documents into a bag or attach them to this form. Store them for online access as well. Prepare both because cellphone coverage and electricity may not be available.

- □ Health and/or vaccination records
- □ Medical/behavioral instructions

- □ Photo to help prove ownership of pet
- Photo to identify pet if lost

**TIP:** Use a waterproof storage container for your evacuation kits like a 5-gallon plastic bucket with lid or XLG Ziploc "Big Bags."