

# The Village Of Spring Valley

## HAITIAN RELIEF

### Informational Booklet

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(AP Photo/Gerald Herbert)

Dear resident of Spring Valley,

The recent tragedy that hit our beloved / my homeland Haiti has been devastating. It affected people on an unprecedented level, the likes we have not seen before.

Like many people in the village, this horror affected me personally. My dear husband Ronald was in Haiti when the earthquake hit and for two long agonizing days I didn't know if he was alive. Thank the good Lord, he is alive and well and back with us. Many Haitians were not as fortunate and they remain in desperate need of help.

Ever since the disaster struck the Village has been a hub of feverish activity to assist in the relief efforts. From serving as a drop off location for donations of non perishable foods and medical supplies to organizing volunteers including some village fire fighters to travel to Haiti and everything in between.

I hope you will find this booklet both helpful and informative.

And may God bless all of you and be a source of comfort for our countrymen in Haiti.

*Mayor Noramie Jasmin*



## **Drop-off Locations**

### **Village of Spring Valley**

The Village is a drop-off location accepting non-perishable food, bottled water, medical supplies and clothing. The contributions will be shipped directly to Haiti, made possible via donation by Aromark Shipping 973-690-5363

[www.aromarkshipping.com](http://www.aromarkshipping.com)

The donations are not solicited by the municipality of Spring Valley and shall not become the property of the Village of Spring Valley.

**Address:** 200 North Main St. Spring Valley, NY

**Phone:** 845-352-1100

**Hours:** Monday – Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

### **Boston Market Corporation**

Boston Market Corp. in New City is a drop-off location accepting non-perishable food, bottled water, medical supplies and clothing. The contributions will be shipped directly to Haiti

**Address:** 32 North Main Street New City, NY

**Phone:** 845-638-3847

**Contact Person:** Cassandra Edwards – General Manager

**Hours:** Monday – Saturday 11:00 am - 9:30 pm Sunday 11:00 am – 9:00 pm

## The Ben Gilman Medical Clinic

Is accepting any contribution, big or small, of food, clothing, or any other items. People can drop them off at a designated area. These contributions will be shipped to Haiti on an ongoing basis as the relief effort continues.

**Address:** 175 Route 59 Spring Valley, NY

**Phone:** 845-426-5800

**Contact Person:** Elizabeth Ayala Administrator

**Phone:** 845-517-7766 **E-Email.** [EAYALA@CMADC.COM](mailto:EAYALA@CMADC.COM)

**Hours:** Monday – Thursday 9:00 am - 8:30 pm, Friday 9:00 am - 3:30 pm,  
Weekend 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Physicians Dr.'s Delatre Lolo and Childebert St. Louis from **The Ben Gilman Medical Clinic** will be donating their time and expertise in the effort. They are both working with Good Samaritan Hospital and The Sisters of Charity who are jointly sponsoring a group of physicians to travel to Haiti. Although this will pose challenges for the Medical Center we are more than amenable to support this endeavor.

Both Dr. Lolo and Dr. St. Louis are of Haitian decent and have family in Haiti. They feel compelled to go there and help in any way they can, as we feel honored to share in their efforts.

## **Donation**

### **Red Cross**

People who want to help those affected by the Haitian earthquake can make a donation to the American Red Cross International Response Fund:

**Internet:** [www.Redcross.org](http://www.Redcross.org)

**Phone:** 1-800-RED-CROSS. Or 1-800-257-7575 (Spanish)

**Text:** You can donate \$10 to Haiti relief by texting “Haiti” to 90999.  
Basic info about this mobile giving program:

- The Red Cross has received more than \$3 million as of 9 a.m. EST – through a third party mobile fundraising effort to support our relief efforts in Haiti.
- 100% of the donations will go to support the Red Cross relief efforts in Haiti.
- The mobile fundraising effort launched on January 12, approximately three hours after the earthquake struck Haiti. The program is powered by Mobile Accord and the MGive Foundation in coordination with the U.S. State Department as part of its ongoing support of this disaster response.
- The needs in Haiti are tremendous and we want to thank the people who continue to donate and help the American Red Cross meet that need. Raising this amount of money \$10 at a time is a true testament to the American spirit.
- Donors using this technology may opt in to receive future updates, but will not be solicited again without this consent nor will their personal information be shared with other organizations.

## **Donations**

### **The Konbit Neg Lakay Community Center - The Rockland County Haiti Relief Campaign**

Is accepting monetary donations for the relief efforts in Haiti. The group is a community services agency for the area's large Haitian population.

**Address:** 16 E. Church St. Spring Valley, NY

**Phone:** 845-425-4623

**E-Mail:** haitireliefcampaign@gmail.com

**Checks should be made out to:** Rockland County Haiti Relief Campaign

## **Locate Relatives in Haiti**

### **To locate family in Haiti through the Red Cross**

Please visit the following website:

English --- [http://www.familylinks.icrc.org/WFL\\_HTI.NSF/DocIndex/locate\\_eng?opendocument](http://www.familylinks.icrc.org/WFL_HTI.NSF/DocIndex/locate_eng?opendocument)

French --- <http://www.familylinks.icrc.org/haiti/locate/fre>

### **To locate U.S. Citizens in Haiti through the U.S. State Department**

The State Department has also created a task force to monitor the emergency.

The State Department has received a high volume of calls concerning the welfare of U.S. citizens in Haiti. To handle these requests most efficiently, the Department has established an e-mail address for people who are trying to contact their U.S. citizen friends and relatives in Haiti.

**Phone:** Haiti Task Force at 888-407-4747. Outside of the U.S. and Canada, call 202-501-4444.

**E-Mail:** [Haiti-Earthquake@State.Gov](mailto:Haiti-Earthquake@State.Gov)

Include the following information:

- The full name 2. Date of birth 3. Passport information (if known) of the persons in Haiti you are trying to contact.

- Their contact information in Haiti 1. Telephone numbers 2 Email address 3. Hotel Name or Address (if known)
- 1. Your name and contact information 2. Your relationship to the person in Haiti (parent, spouse, friend etc.)
- Any special or emergency circumstances.

The State Department task force will work with the U.S. Embassy staff in Haiti to locate and, if needed, provide assistance. The State Department will respond to each message as soon as possible. If you hear from the person you are concerned about, please be sure to send The State Department an email providing the new information about their location or condition.

**U.S. citizens in Haiti:**

Call the Embassy's Consular Task Force at 509-2229-8942, 509-2229-8089, 509-2229-8322, or 509-2229-8672

Rockland County Department  
of Mental Health  
Assistance Hotline

(845) 364-2216

Available

24 hours, 7 days per week

Available to the community  
and/or people impacted by the  
recent earthquake in Haiti

**Please fill out this form to the best of your ability. Please bring it into the village hall at 200 North Main Street, or by Fax: 845-352-1164. We will then submit this to Senator Schumer's office and have the State Department try to locate your loved one.**

## HAITI CASEWORK

Name of the Constituent:

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Organization, Office: Village of Spring Valley, New York.

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Contact Info in the US:

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Relationship to the Missing Person:

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Missing Individual(s) and DOB(s):

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Last Known Address in Haiti:

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Citizenship:

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