Extension Disaster Preparedness

Priorities
Why?

- Over 10 years since last planning
- Lessons learned from Katrina and other recent disasters
- WE CARE
Family First!

- Safety & Welfare Number 1
- Be prepared
- Evacuate when advised
- Let us know your status
- Extension will assist
Office planning

• Fill in the plan
• Discuss with entire office
• Post information
• Practice
• Update your plan
• Submit plan to donhamil@uga.edu for the record by March 31, 2008
Organizational plans

- Organization has Communication and Management plans
- Flexibility is key
Local community plans

- Local Emergency Management Agency expectations
- Plan ahead
- Get it in writing
- Discuss & document with District Directors/PDCs
Ongoing process

• All questions not answered
• Constant re-definition of ongoing roles
• Apathy is the enemy