City of Kenner Officials Reach Out to Moore, Oklahoma; How Kenner Residents & Businesses Can Help

On May 19 and 20, 2013, tornados devastated several communities in Oklahoma, including the City of Moore, population 55,000. As a storm surviving community, Kenner government officials and residents know well the importance of reaching out to neighbors in need.

“This is a community similar in size to Kenner. We know the physical, emotional and financial challenges they will face over the coming months” said Mayor Michael Yenni.

On May 23, 2013, on behalf of Mayor Michael S. Yenni and the City of Kenner, Kenner’s Emergency Preparedness Coordinator, Doug Dodt, communicated with police, fire and administrative officials in Moore, Oklahoma, offering support and material assistance to aid them during their time of recovery.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

FEMA has advised that for individuals and businesses who are interested in knowing how they can help, cash donations to their voluntary agency of choice is the preferred means of assistance.

For information on the voluntary organizations that support disaster response and recovery efforts, FEMA suggests that you visit www.nvoad.org. Also, information can be found on the state’s official web portal at http://www.ok.gov/okstrong/.

Donations for the long-term needs can be made by calling (405) 236-8441 or donating online at http://www.unitedwayokc.org/.

In addition, Kenner residents who would like to contribute to the recovery efforts in Moore, Oklahoma, may visit: https://moore.recovers.org/ for a list of specific items / assistance needed by local residents.