

Welcome to the August 2017 E-blast from the **National Manufactured Home Owners Association (NMHOA)**. Please share these monthly E-blasts with as many home owners and other interested individuals as you have on your email list. The E-blast is an important way for NMHOA to share exciting news from across the country.

**Thank You!** – NMHOA is excited to welcome many new and renewing members, including the Manufactured Home Owners & Tenants Association of New Hampshire, All Parks Alliance for Change, Federation of Manufactured Home Owners of Florida, Nevada Association of Manufactured Home Owners, Inc., Manufactured Home Federation of MA, Inc., and Utah Coalition of Manufactured Homeowners. We thank you very much for your support and commitment to NMHOA!

### **Manufactured Home Communities hit by Hurricane Harvey, brace for Irma**

**Hurricane Harvey** was the first major hurricane to make landfall in the United States since Wilma in 2005. In a four-day period, many areas received more than 40 inches of rain as the system slowly passed over eastern Texas, causing catastrophic flooding. Harvey is the wettest tropical cyclone on record in the contiguous United States. The resulting floods inundated hundreds of thousands of homes, displaced more than 30,000 people, and prompted more than 17,000 rescues.

**Manufactured home communities** were also impacted by Harvey, including Pearland Acres Mobile Home Community, 30 miles south of Houston, which was badly flooded, and the Pioneer Trailer Park in Port Aransas, which has been declared a “100-percent loss.” Southeastern states like Florida are now under a state of emergency preparing for **Hurricane Irma**, which is among the strongest Atlantic hurricane based on wind speed. **You can help manufactured home owners and others dealing with Harvey and preparing for Irma by visiting Charity Navigator’s guides to charities providing:**

- Hurricane Harvey Assistance: <http://bit.ly/2xSjLj9>
- Hurricane Irma Assistance: <http://bit.ly/2qLHLN5>

### **Register for NMHOA’s 2017 Annual Convention**

This year’s **National Manufactured Home Owners Association (NMHOA)** conference will be **October 4-5 at the Omni Providence Hotel in Providence, Rhode Island**. NMHOA’s annual convention is a time for home owners from across the country to meet together to learn from each other and outside presenters about the best responses to common issues facing manufactured home owners.

- Learn more about the convention, travel & lodging stipends, making hotel reservations, and more here -- <http://www.nmhoa.org/convention-2017.html>
- Download a **registration form** here -- [Registration Form](#)

**Members only** – please keep in mind that NMHOA members receive an additional eblast every month – *i’mPOWERED* – this is an educational publication with useful information related to board governance, health and safety reminders for manufactured homeowners, and other helpful articles. There is also a **Did You Know** section and an **Ask Dave** section – so if you have questions about anything related to

manufactured home living and you are a member of NMHOA, please contact Dave at [admin@nmhoa.org](mailto:admin@nmhoa.org) with your burning questions. For your convenience, a membership form is a click away at: <http://www.nmhoa.org/membership.html>

You can read all about NMHOA at the NMHOA webpage: [www.nmhoa.org](http://www.nmhoa.org) and please “like” our facebook page:  
<http://www.facebook.com/NationalManufacturedHomeOwnersAssociation>

***If there are stories or legislative successes from your state you would like to share through our E-blasts, please contact NMHOA Executive Director, Dave Anderson at: [david.r.anderson.nmhoa@gmail.com](mailto:david.r.anderson.nmhoa@gmail.com). Your story will inspire and educate others.***