

Thursday September 8, 2022 Disaster Relief



Alaska Baptist Disaster Relief is a ministry of the churches of the Alaska Baptist Resource Network. Amid the Covid-19 limitations over 24 months, large numbers of Southern Baptist volunteers have responded with love, spiritual care, and action evangelism across America and around the world. Through partnerships with other disaster relief organizations, we have continued to touch lives in the year 2022.

We still believe that we can mobilize many untrained "day volunteers" from local churches and from within our communities who will pitch in at their own risk. We desire to train a few volunteers from each Alaska Baptist church in our state to (1) help guide Shower and Laundry Ministry, (2) facilitate Mud Out Operations following a home flood, (3) lead Ash Out Recovery following a house fire, (4) respond quickly, transporting a Rapid Response Feeding Unit, setup and begin distribution of hot food, and (5) offer Spiritual Care to individuals who are hurting. We need to equip a few more guides who will prepare to come alongside trained team members and spontaneous day volunteers with the leadership skills, safety training, tools and vehicles for effective response.