



**American  
Red Cross**

Pikes Peak Chapter

Pikes Peak Chapter  
1040 South 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Colorado Springs, CO 80906  
[www.pparc.org](http://www.pparc.org)

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## **Donate for the 2008 Hurricane Season**

### **Colorado Springs, CO – Donations of Money:**

#### **In Person or By Mail:**

1040 S. 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Colorado Springs  
8:30 am - 4:30 pm Monday – Friday (closed Labor Day)

**Internet:** <http://www.pparc.org/donations/donation.php>

**By Phone:** 719-785-2770  
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719-785-2772  
719-785-2773

Volunteers will be available from 5-7 pm Monday night to answer phones and beginning at 8:30 am Tuesday morning to answer calls.

**Donations of Items:** If you wish to donate clothing, furniture, or other items, we encourage you to donate them to charitable organizations within our community. The local Chapter does not have the resources to sort, clean and repair goods and identify how and where they can be most beneficial. Following disasters, all relief workers and resources focus on the people affected and meeting their emergency needs.

For more information, contact the Pikes Peak Chapter visit [www.pparc.org](http://www.pparc.org) or [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org).

The American Red Cross helps people prevent, prepare for and respond to emergencies. Last year, almost a million volunteers and 35,000 employees helped victims of almost 75,000 disasters; taught lifesaving skills to millions; and helped U.S. service members separated from their families stay connected. Almost 4 million people gave blood through the Red Cross, the largest supplier of blood and blood products in the United States. The American Red Cross is part of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement. An average of 91 cents of every dollar the Red Cross spends is invested in humanitarian services and programs. The Red Cross is not a government agency; it relies on donations of time, money, and blood to do its work. Contributions to the American Red Cross may be sent to American Red Cross Pikes Peak Chapter, 1040 S. 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Colorado Springs, CO 80906.  
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