THIS HURRICANE SEASON DON'T WAIT, BE P<u>REPARED</u> BEFORE THE ST<u>ORM</u>

June 1st marks the beginning of the Hurricane Season in The Bahamas. Have you taken the necessary steps to make certain your home or business is ready?

encourage you to make plans.

MAKE A PLAN

ARE YOU

BUILD AN EMERGENCY KIT

STAY INFORMED

5 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT GETTING HURRICANE SUPPLIES

Food/Water - Get supplies well in advance, enough for each person for at least one week.



Medicine/First-aid - Have 30 days worth of medicines and medical supplies. Fill prescriptions before the storm.



Communications - Have extra batteries or portable chargers for your cell phones and batteries for your radios.



<u>Gas - Fill up your car or a gas can</u> beforehand. If the power goes out, you will be unable to pump gas.



Money - Have cash on hand. With no electricity, ATMs and credit cards will not work.

Everyone need to be prepared for the unexpected. You may have to evacuate or be confined to your home. What will you do if water, gas, electricity or phone services are shut off? We advise you to do the following: *Protect yourself and family with a Family

Emergency Plan,

*Prepare a List of Emergency Contact Numbers and

*Visit NEMA website for Hurricane Shelters.



FOR MORE INFORMATION **SAFETY DEPARTMENT**

