

September 2, 2005

Governor Haley Barbour
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State of Mississippi
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Dear Governor Barbour,

**SUPPORT FOR THE RELIEF EFFORT IN MISSISSIPPI FROM THE
AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN HONG KONG**

As this letter reaches you, we hope that the recovery effort in Mississippi is moving forward and that the worst is behind you.

As each day brings new hope, we want you to know that your friends in Hong Kong have been thinking about you and hoping for your safety and for that of all your hardworking staff. In addition, we have been doing what we can to support the charitable institutions that are sending you the supplies and the equipment you need to bring the lives of your constituents closer to normal.

We would like to ask you what organizations you would like us to include in our list, that will be of most help in supporting you.

We will not be collecting funds ourselves. But we will be doing our best to inform our members of ways that they can help and of the charities that they can give to that will be of most direct benefit to you.

Please let us know of any such charities in Mississippi that you would like us to add to our list of reliable organizations.

You will continue to be in our hearts and minds as the cleanup continues. You made many friends during your brief stay here in Hong Kong. And we want you and all your colleagues to know that we are with you in your time of need.

With all hope for the future,

Jack Maisano
President

Jon Zinke
Chairman

Attachment: Current list of recommended charities

List of Recommended Charities

- American Red Cross:
<https://www.redcross.org/donate/donation-form.asp>
- B'nai B'rith:
<http://www.bnaibrith.org>
- Catholic Charities USA:
<http://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org>
- Salvation Army:
<https://secure3.salvationarmy.org/donations.nsf/donate?openform&projectid=USN-hurricane05>
- World Vision:
http://donate.wvus.org/OA_HTML/xxwvibeCCtpItmDspRte.jsp?lid=katrina_donate&item=394&lpos=topbox