



THE FIRST 48 HOURS: HURRICANE LALA DISASTER RESPONSE

The Salvation Army Emergency Disaster Services teams mobilized statewide, bringing meals, supplies, and care to first responders and communities in crisis.

The storm has passed and recovery efforts are beginning.

Hurricane Lala battered Hawai'i Island on Saturday, August 15, and swept through Maui and O'ahu as a tropical storm on Sunday. Nearly 70% of Hawai'i Island lost power, hundreds of thousands statewide were affected, and at least 100 homes were lost, with washed-out roads disrupting access to rural communities.

667 MEALS SERVED

ON AUGUST 15-16 REACHING:



guests sheltering at the Hilo Overnight Safe Space



people seeking refuge in four emergency shelters on Maui



personnel staffing the State Emergency Operations Center and Joint Operations Center on O'ahu

What's needed right now?

- **Individual donors** to come alongside of us to fund disaster relief meals and operations.
- **Corporate partners** to fund disaster relief operations through cash giving, with opportunities to sponsor meal services and gift cards for families most affected by Lala. Reach out to heather.wong@usw.salvationarmy.org



The Salvation Army picks up a Walmart donation for families sheltering in Nā'ālehu, Hawai'i Island

"We know a storm system this devastating and widespread brings moment-to-moment uncertainties, from where to find a warm meal to how to rebuild what was lost. We are steadfast in the face of Lala to bring statewide relief and resources for as long as it takes."

— Major Troy Trimmer, Divisional Commander,
The Salvation Army Hawaiian & Pacific Islands Division

THE PROMISE

100% of donations to Emergency Disaster Services go directly to meals, essential supplies, and emotional and spiritual care for neighbors in need.

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