Donations to LSART

LSART gratefully accepts charitable contributions for cash and certain durable goods. Cash donations are used to purchase equipment and supplies for evacuation and sheltering of Louisiana animals during disasters.

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~Our Mission~

LSART is dedicated to the safety and well-being of Louisiana's animals and their owners before, during and after disaster strikes. We strive to lessen harm to the animals in our care and mitigate damage to our communities through training and education. We believe in personal preparedness and responsible animal ownership.





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Who we are...

Louisiana State Animal Response Team (LSART) is an organization of groups and individuals with an interest in animal well-being related to emergencies or disasters. This includes governmental agencies, veterinarians, animal control officers, humane organizations, and citizen volunteers. LSART works as a volunteer ESF-11 partner in Louisiana's emergency planning structure.



What we do ...

•Assist state, parish and local agencies in planning and preparing for all types of emergencies involving all animals

Register teams of volunteers in companion animal, equine and food animal sections

Provide training in NIMS, ICS, evacuation protocols, shelter management, and other aspects of emergency planning

•Exercise emergency animal evacuation and sheltering protocols with communities and agencies throughout the state

•Offer community training and messaging for emergency preparedness

•Oversee state credentialing of volunteers and out-of-state partners and provides task assignments

Respond to emergencies by assisting with evacuation, sheltering, and search and rescue



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