

# Reflect. Honor. Prepare.

## Commemorating the 20th Anniversary of the Loma Prieta Earthquake



Saturday, October 17, 2009

3:00- 5:30 pm

Cypress Freeway

Memorial Park

Mandela Parkway at 14th Street

FREE EVENT

**REFLECT** on Oakland's progress since 1989 to prepare for disasters.

**HONOR** those who lost their lives and the many heroes who risked their lives to save them.


**PREPARE** for the next earthquake or major disaster.

Free Raffle! 100 earthquake preparedness kits

Emergency Preparedness Fair

Free blood pressure checks

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"Unity & Spirit" painting by Rebecca Oatman  
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Remembrance ceremony at 5:04 pm honoring those who lost their lives in the collapse of the Cypress Freeway during the Loma Prieta earthquake on October 17, 1989.

## Make a Plan.

# 1

- ▶ Establish and practice escape routes from your home and evacuation routes out of your neighborhood.
- ▶ Create an emergency contact list, including an out-of-area contact person.
- ▶ Copy & store vital documents off-site (insurance papers, family photos, etc.).

## Build a Kit.

# 2

- ▶ Have enough food to last each person in your home at least 7-10 days.
- ▶ Store potable water (2 gallons per person per day – and don't forget your pets!).
- ▶ Include tools & emergency supplies (flashlight, radio, first aid kit, etc.).

## Get Involved.

# 3

- ▶ Get to know your neighbors (have a block party or social).
- ▶ Take CORE emergency preparedness training from the Oakland Fire Department.
- ▶ Organize your neighborhood to prepare for emergencies together.