

# BE PREPARED!

In the event of an approaching hurricane, plan for its arrival as well as the aftermath. Your water, sewer and solid waste services will most likely be disrupted for period of time. **You need to be prepared for this.** The information in this brochure can help you prepare for a water, sewer and/or solid waste service emergency.

## ***Preparedness Checklist***

- Sterilize bathtubs, jugs, bottles, and other containers for water storage.
- Freeze water in plastic jugs.
- Take unused household chemicals & electronics to the Household Electronics & Chemical Collection Center.
- Remove large pieces of yard debris.
- Prune trees and limbs.

## ***Things to buy and keep on hand:***

- Bottled drinking water
- 5-gallon buckets with tight fitting lids
- Household chlorine bleach (pure, unscented, liquid)
- Heavy duty plastic trash bags
- Deodorizer (e.g. carpet deodorizer)
- Water purification tablets