



On Sunday, August 29th, United Way of Northeast Louisiana launched "Embrace Louisiana," a disaster relief project encompassing a goods donation drive, volunteer opportunities, and a monetary fund. All Embrace Louisiana goods and funds received were immediately used to meet the basic needs of the hundreds of Hurricane Ida evacuees sheltering in Northeast Louisiana. The unused goods and funds will be donated to United Way of South LA (Terrebonne and surrounding parishes) and St. John United Way (St. John the Baptist Parish), the home parishes of the majority of the Hurricane Ida evacuees in our community.

202

Volunteers

755

Total Volunteer Hours

510

Individual Donors

Organizations, Churches,

143

and Business Donors

346,668

Total Goods Donated

\$22,347

Total Dollars Raised from Event Fundraising

\$102,672

Total Dollars Raised

*No portion of contributions will be used for United Way of Northeast Louisiana overhead or administration. All donations are tax deductible.*