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Because disasters can happen any time and anywhere, you may not be able to return to your home immediately.

It is important that you have enough supplies in your vehicle to sustain you for at least 72 hours in case roads are blocked or bridges are destroyed.

## PERSONAL SUPPLIES

ш	Sturdy backpack to store items
	Essential medications
	Bottled water (three-day supply, 2 litres/day)
	Food that won't spoil, e.g. energy bars, nuts,
	granola, dried fruit
	Cash in small bills and coins (e.g. \$2, \$10)
	Copy of contact numbers and addresses
	Crank or battery-powered flashlight (replace
	batteries once a year)
	Crank or battery-powered radio (replace
	batteries once a year)
	Travel-sized toiletries (toothbrush/paste etc.)
	Feminine hygiene supplies
	Toilet paper and newspaper
	Hand sanitizer
	Extra clothing, socks and sturdy walking shoes
	Emergency blanket or sleeping bag
	Quick-dry towel or cloth
	Candle/tealight in a deep can, matches or
	lighter
	First aid kit with seatbelt cutter
	Multi-purpose knife
	12-hour light sticks
	Dust masks and hard hat
	Work gloves
	Local maps and a compass
	Emergency whistle
	Reading material or cards
	Picture of loved ones to help locate those who
	are missing/lost



Keep your car in good repair and your gas tank at least half full at all times, especially in the winter.

## SUPPLIES FOR YOUR VEHICLE

☐ Warning lights and flares

Cell phone charger
Antifreeze
Windshield washer fluid
Methyl hydrate to de-ice fuel line and
windshield
Road maps
Sand, salt or non-clumping kitty litter
Tow rope and jumper cables
Fire extinguisher
Ice scraper and brush
Tools
Shovel
Axe/hatchet