



Endowment grants \$25 million for hurricane disaster relief

To help hurricane relief efforts in Florida and the South, the Indianapolis-based Lilly Endowment has offered \$25 million in grants to three national organizations.

In August, the Endowment granted \$5 million each to the American National Red Cross and the Salvation Army.

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“These organizations and their volunteers are always on the front lines helping people in disaster situations. We feel privileged to support their round-the-clock efforts,” said N. Clay Robbins, president of the Endowment.

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