

To Whom It May Concern,

The Partnership for Inclusive Disaster Strategies (The Partnership) is the only disabled-led disability and disasters focused nonprofit organization with a mission of equal access to emergency and disaster programs before, during, and after disasters for people with disabilities. We are the region's experts on disability rights, accessibility and inclusion throughout all phases of disaster operations. Our Partners represent disability organizations in every congressional district, and we are also very active in global disability inclusive disaster risk reduction, humanitarian relief and whole community resilience initiatives.

We had the utmost pleasure to personally work alongside Jana Stone with Openworld Relief in Abaco, Bahamas providing relief and assistance post Hurricane Dorian. Our partnership has further aided persons with disabilities and older adults in need of durable medical equipment and consumable medical supplies that were lost or damaged due to the hurricane. Openworld Relief have shown their superb professionalism, open transparency, and tactical teamwork throughout all projects and operations. We are grateful for Openworld Relief and Jana Stone's welcoming partnership and friendship to best help all people in need, and look forward to our continued partnership in our current state where disasters are happening with increased frequency and intensity.

Openworld Relief is an organization of true integrity and dedication to best serve people in need, with a welcomed focus of aiding those most marginalized during and after disasters. They have no bias, judgement, or prejudice towards who they serve, and are truly honest and trustworthy people and partner organization.

We are thankful for partners like Openworld Relief who work tirelessly to help persons most impacted, and who are most vulnerable, during and after disasters. We hope you see the same in them that we do.

If you have further questions, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Thank you for your consideration

Respectfully,

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