

Have a Heart

The NJ FMBA has entered into a partnership with Save the Children to provide humanitarian assistance to disaster victims. As always the focus will be on, the most vulnerable of all, the children. Toward this end we are forming the FMBA H.E.A.R.T.(Humanitarian Effort and Related Tasks) Team,

Those participating will be asked to make a minimum commitment of one week when deployed. Training sessions will be conducted at the State Office. The greatest requirement is a desire to help others while working long hours in less than ideal conditions. Sort of like being a Firefighter.

This effort is being spearheaded by Mike Candalori (Trenton), Herman Peters and Brian McGorty (North Hudson). The kind of work you can expect to do is the procurement and distribution of much needed and often hard to get supplies to disaster shelters. This enables the Save personnel to care for the children while not having to worry about the logistics.

While this may lack the glory of search and rescue, the look on a mothers face when you arrive with formula for her hungry baby is gloriously rewarding. A truck full of pampers is often more welcomed than an armored car. So if you wish to get involved or simply wish additional information fill out the application for the NJ FMBA H.E.A.R.T. TEAM after all you gotta have heart.

H.E.A.R.T. TEAM Registration Form

Name _____

Department and Local _____

Contact Numbers: Home _____

Cell _____ Work _____

E-Mail _____

Address _____

Emergency Contact Information _____

Due to the possible interaction with children and the importance of providing a safe environment for them I agree to allow a background check if deemed necessary.

Submit to The H.E.A.R.T. Team c/o NJFMBA

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Comments: _____
