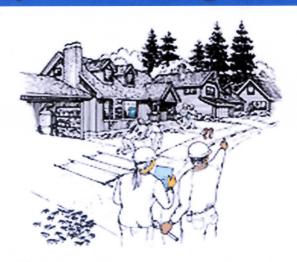
## Why Map Your Neighborhood?



"Map Your Neighborhood" (MYN) is a program designed to help neighbors prepare for disasters and is offered through the Gardena Police Department Emergency Preparedness Office.

## MYN will help you to:

- Learn the "9 Steps to Take Immediately Following a Disaster" to secure your home and
  protect your neighborhood. It is hard to think clearly following disaster and these steps will help you to
  quickly and safely take actions that can minimize damage and protect lives.
- Identify the Skills and Equipment each neighbor has that would be useful in an effective disaster
  response. Knowing which neighbors have supplies and skills helps your disaster response to be timely,
  and allows everyone to contribute to the response in a meaningful way.
- Create a Neighborhood Map identifying the locations of natural gas and propane tanks for quick responses if needed.
- Create a Contact List that helps identify those with specific needs such as the elderly, disabled, or children who may be home alone during certain hours of the day.

## **For More Information**

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