

Prepare. Plan. Stay Informed.





- Mission of Ready Georgia
  - To educate and empower Georgians to take care of themselves for at least three days after a disaster
  - Campaign theme: Prepare, plan and stay informed
  - Call to action: Create a Ready profile



# Survey Says

- Annual survey reveals although progress has been made, most Georgians aren't ready for a disaster
- When asked what sort of tools would be most helpful when preparing, people said
  - A detailed list of supplies
  - Evacuation routes, shelter locations, emergency preparedness guides



# Now There's an App for That

Android QR Code



iPhone QR Code







Threats: Info on how to prepare and what to do during specific threats.



#### Success!

- Launched on Sept. 21, 2011, and the next day it was the No. 2 weather-related app in iTunes
- The first month, the number of Ready profiles created rose by 235%
- Since the app launched, mobile visits to the website increased 320%
- Over 37,000 downloads



### Recent App Upgrades

- Added slideshow when app is launched to showcase features
- Improved maps
- Updated static data (tornado touchdown map, county disaster counts)



# Questions?

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