

Rural Emergency Action for CHurches (REACH)
Program Acceptance Form

Name of Sponsoring Church _____
Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Pastor _____
REACH Coordinator _____

This United Methodist Church of the North Carolina Conference agrees to participate in all aspects of the **R**ural **E**mergency **A**ction for **CH**urches (REACH) including training in early response, distribution center/shelter setup, case management overview, damage assessment, individual family preparedness, and volunteer management. The church agrees to prepare a local church preparedness plan and agrees to be a focal point for disaster recovery in its community. The above named persons agree to assume full responsibility for the scheduling and onsite preparation for the seminar. We understand that MERCI will provide an emergency supply grant of \$2,500, a generator, disaster response T shirts, training materials, and will cover the cost of congregation luncheon and training staff travel costs.

Signed _____ date _____
Pastor

Signed _____ date _____
REACH coordinator