

JOIN THE TOOLBANK

Borrow thousands of free tools for winter storm recovery projects.



WINTER STORM REPAIR

LEATHER/RUBBER GLOVES
SAFETY GLASSES
MASK
RUBBER BOOTS
FLASHLIGHT
SHOPVAC
WIDE MOUTH SHOVEL
SWEEP & PUSH BROOMS
DRYWALL SAW
OSCILLATING MULTITool
PRYBAR
HAMMER
DEHUMIDIFIER
MOISTURE METER

ABOUT OUR SERVICES

The Houston Community ToolBank is a nonprofit tool lending program serving other nonprofits. In addition to traditional nonprofits, we lend to churches, schools, community groups and many others.

All tools are FREE for recovery projects, and can be borrowed from 2 weeks at a time. Tools can be borrowed for free for flood preparation as well. Our extensive inventory of over 250 tool types and 18,000 plus tools can serve all phases of recovery, from mucking and gutting, to drywall and tile installation, to finishing work, to landscaping.

Right now, we have a warehouse just off I-10 east of downtown Houston.

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TOOLBANK FAQ

WHAT TOOLS DO YOU HAVE?

We have 250 types of tools, from hammers to tile cutters to air compressors to dehumidifiers. We also have event equipment like tables, shade tents, and chairs.

You can find a complete list of what's in Houston on our website: under Borrow Tools select Tool and Fees and then click Inventory List.

IS IT REALLY FREE?

Yes, so long as you are a nonprofit organization doing disaster-related work! Do keep in mind if tools are lost, returned late, or damaged, you are still subject to a fee. We also lend to non-disaster projects for a small fee.

DO YOU LEND TO INDIVIDUALS?

Currently, the ToolBank does not lend to individuals. However, if you are able to set up a charitable project with your civic association, church, school or other community group, we may be able to find a way for you to take out some tools.

HOW ABOUT SMALL BUSINESSES?

We do not lend to businesses or corporations. Similar to individuals, however, you may be able to arrange to partner with a nonprofit to borrow tools for your charitable project.

HOW DOES BORROWING WORK?

In order to borrow, you must sign up to be a member. Visit our websites to find out more. Once you have an account with us, you can log in and place an order. We are open by appointment only at all locations, so make sure you speak to us before visiting or picking up.

Other questions? Don't see what you need in our inventory? For inquiries, give us a call at 713-674-0262.

