Schools can use the resources listed below to plan in response to extreme weather events to prevent foodborne illness and reduce food waste. Schools should also follow any guidance from their local health authority regarding the safety of food after the storm and proper disposal of food that may have been compromised because of the storm.

Food Safety Resources

Conference for Food Protection – Guidance and Documents

- o Emergency Action Plan
- o <u>Food Recovery</u>

The Institute of Child Nutrition

- Inventory Management and Tracking Guide
- Salvaging Food after a Flood
- <u>Reopening Your School Kitchen after a Flood</u>
- Water Emergency Preparedness Loss of Water Service in Schools
- How to develop an emergency readiness plan:
 - Emergency Readiness Plan: A Guide to Forms for School Foodservice Operations

The USDA Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) has an <u>infographic</u> covering what to do before, during and after a power outage that may also be helpful.