



THE ST. VINCENT AND GRENADINES ASSOCIATION OF TORONTO INC.

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On April 9th, 2021, La Soufrière, an active volcano in St. Vincent and the Grenadines violently erupted. Since the initial explosive eruptions, there has been several more, making the living conditions on the entire island of St. Vincent unbearable. These eruptions and their aftereffects will last for months and even years.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the people of Saint Vincent and The Grenadines during these trying times. With the violent eruption of La Soufrière and the pandemic, our organization will continue to do everything possible to support the people at home.

The country is experiencing this catastrophic event at the same time as they too are experiencing COVID-19 pandemic. An already challenging situation has now been made more complex. Both the pandemic and the volcano will have long-lasting effects that will require time and resources to help rebuild. The country is in desperate need of supplies including, food, clothing, shelter items and funds.

We are accepting monetary donations as well as supplies of urgently needed items. Supplies can be dropped off at **KLC Shippers located at 50 Tiffield Road, Unit 15, Scarborough, Ontario**. Items can be dropped off for KLC at **Faith Ministries located at Unit 20, 4370 Steeles Avenue West (Pine Valley and Steeles)**.

We ask that you try to donate new clothes and non-perishable items.

There are four ways to donate funds to help with volcano relief.

1. Cheque- Addressed to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Association of Toronto, mailed to P.O. Box 80066, Don Valley Village P. O., Toronto, Ontario, M2J 0A1
2. A Go Fund Me organized by the President of CARI-ON, Hayden Jones - [St. Vincent Emergency Aid - Help Needed!, organized by Hayden Jones](#)
3. Direct Deposit into Bank Account-BMO Bank Account Number: # 1987-249 and Bank Transit Number: 29972
4. E-transfer: carionsvgvolcanorelief@gmail.com

I encourage all of us to remain united as we put our country and people first. We will need all hands-on deck for this effort. No contribution is too small, and no effort is too minor.

Thank you for your support,

Jim Lewis
President of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Association of Toronto