

Mission Statement

To engage the supply chain community to support humanitarian relief efforts.



Who We Are

- ALAN is a volunteer organization supported by leading supply chain associations. We bring together the entire profession to allow all parties to become good citizens who make a positive difference.
- Key stakeholders in ALAN span the entire supply chain, including logistics service providers, manufacturers, retailers, distributors, academics and consultants who want to contribute.
- ALAN utilizes advanced technology platforms and personal networks to facilitate donations and logistics support that assist relief agencies when they serve disaster victims

Key Stakeholders

- Individuals and groups who have need in a time of crisis
- Government and relief agencies
- Participating associations and affiliated members
- Donor companies and individuals
- Volunteers in ALAN
- Technology providers and other partners (e.g. UPS, NIMSAT, BENS)

What We Do

- Provides disaster relief support by leveraging SCM knowledge and resources that ensure donation needs are made visible to the supply chain industry and that they are offered where and when they are needed.
- Offers access to supply chain expertise, products, equipment, and services to prepare for and in a time of crisis.
- Serves as a primary industry point of contact for disaster relief support.
- Helps to streamline the communication of needs and required supply chain management support.

Key Benefits

- Single point of contact for supply chain industry donation activity and information to help people in need in times of disaster.
- Provides visibility of needs.
- Enables associations and their members to be good stewards of resources.
- Facilitates communication and relationship-building among professional associations, companies, and various government and relief agencies.
- Creates an efficient process for providing needed services and goods in the right quantity, at the right location, at the right time.
- Builds pride among employees, investors, suppliers, and other stakeholders.
- Maximizes the company's ability to participate.
- Potential tax advantages for participating companies.
- Speeding recovery efforts, mitigates economic and social damage.