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NJ GOVERNOR CHRIS CHRISTIE POSTPONES HALLOWEEN  
AFTER SANDY'S DAMAGE**

Governor Chris Christie has signed an executive order postponing Halloween until Monday, November 5, 2012. Governor Christie took this action to minimize additional risks to lives and the public safety as we begin the process of rebuilding and recovering from Hurricane Sandy. Too many communities in the State, have damage & losses from this storm & are still being sorted out, & dangerous conditions abound even as our emergency management and response officials continue their work. As Governor, it is his responsibility to use all available resources of the State Government to protect against the emergency created by Hurricane Sandy – postponing Halloween celebrations by five days is a commonsense and necessary step to accomplish that.

Mayor Bieri also recommends:

Both the Governor of NJ and the local Police departments are recommending that children stay home and not trick-or-treat due to the ongoing dangerous conditions on most roadways and neighborhoods. The Township of West Milford concurs with Governor Christie's recommendation. We know it is unfortunate but safety must come first.