

Supply Chain Disruptions: Impacts on Vulnerable Communities - A Workshop

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Panel 2: Who's Doing What: Government Agencies, NGOs, Private Sector

- *Jessica A. Dandridge, Executive Director of The Water Collaborative of Greater New Orleans*
- *Rear Admiral W. Craig Vanderwagen, USPHS (Retired)*
- *Katie Murphy, Senior Manager, Business Continuity, C&S Wholesale Grocers*
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Brooks Nelson

Disaster Relief: How We Help



- Since 2016, Walmart and the Walmart Foundation have provided more than \$132 million in cash and in-kind donations to support community preparedness and relief efforts for disasters including COVID-19.



Shared Value Approach

Creating Value for Business and Society



TRANSFORM
the system



Lead through the
BUSINESS



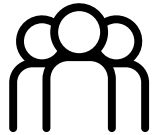
Complement with
PHILANTHROPY



COLLABORATE with
others

Current Program Priorities

We aim to effectively prepare for and respond to disasters, with a focus to quickly reach underrepresented communities and support hyper-locally.



Communities Prepared Before a Disaster

Investment (more than \$3 million in FY22 *announced in FY23) in underserved communities in the Gulf Coast to build their capacity to respond to disasters more effectively and equitably.



Walmart Is the First Destination After a Disaster

Using Walmart's strengths and scale, we help communities where we operate with immediate disaster response and relief to quickly reach underrepresented communities and support hyper-local response activations.



Improved Access to Response Supplies

Identify and create solutions to help disaster-focused nonprofits improve logistics and supply chain capabilities. This ensures aid and resources reach affected communities quickly and affordably.

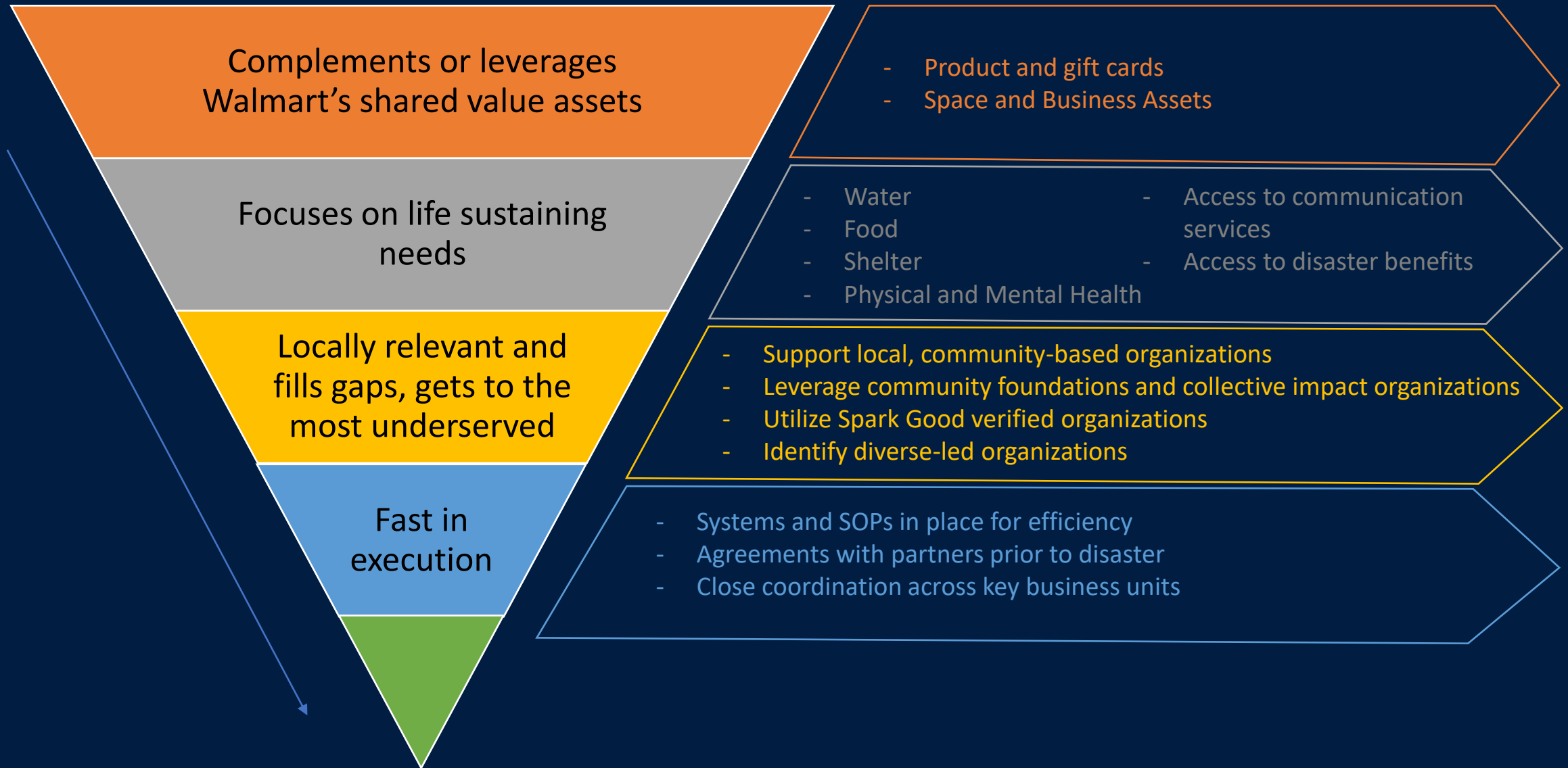


Easier Process to Receive Recovery Resources

Improving the distribution of disaster recovery resources by educating people about policy reforms and investing in process interventions. This will speed up recovery and reshape the current complex and inequitable systems.

Walmart Community Disaster Response Strategy and Principles

Walmart's focus, as to be the store of the community, is being the best-in-class retailer for disaster response and more quickly reach underrepresented communities and support at a hyper-local response level.





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