



Sandbags in Anaheim

Where To Go

Follow us



AnaheimAlert.net



Sand, unfilled bags

Public Works Operations

400 E. Vermont Ave.

(714) 765-6860

Monday-Thursday: 6:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

Friday: 6:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

Unfilled bags

Fire Station 1

500 E. Broadway

Fire Station 2

2141 W. Crescent Ave.

Fire Station 3

1717 S. Clementine Street

Fire Station 4

2736 W. Orange Ave.

Fire Station 5

2540 E. La Palma Ave.

Fire Station 6

1313 S. Euclid Ave.

Fire Station 7

2222 E. Ball Road

Fire Station 8

4555 East Riverdale Ave.

Fire Station 9

6300 E. Nohl Ranch Rd.

Fire Station 10

8270 E. Monte Vista Road

Fire Station 11

3100 West Orange Ave.

Sand, bags for sale

Home Depot

800 N. Brookhurst St., Anaheim

(714) 533-9930

1095 Pullman St., Anaheim

(714) 921-1215

435 W. Katella Ave., Orange

(714) 538-9600

625 S. Placentia Ave., Placentia

(714) 459-4909

10801 Garden Grove Blvd., Garden Grove (714)

539-0319

Lowe's

1500 S Lemon St., Anaheim

(714) 447-6140

ACE Hardware

5765 E. Santa Ana Canyon Road, Anaheim

(714) 998-5282

Ganahl Lumber

1220 E. Ball Road, Anaheim

(714) 772-5444

6586 Beach Blvd., Buena Park

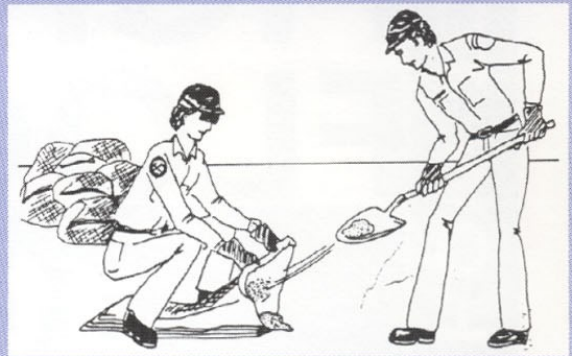
(714) 522-2864



Anaheim.net/BeRainReady

HOW TO: Fill a sandbag build a sandbag barrier

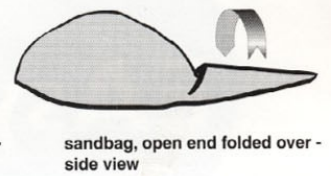
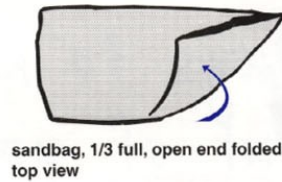
a. Work with another person, with one of you holding the bag while the other shovels sand or other material. The first shovelful is placed on the edge of the bag to keep the bag open. The bag holder should bend at the waist, with elbows resting on knees. The shoveler gets rounded scoops of sand and fills the bag **to just one-third full**. Avoid injury by not twisting while shoveling.



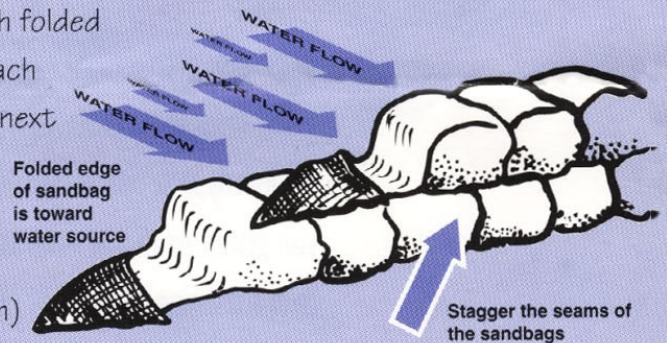
b. Fold over the open end of the bag in a triangle to prevent sand from leaking out. Close-knit burlap bags are recommended.



c. Your finished bags will look like this:

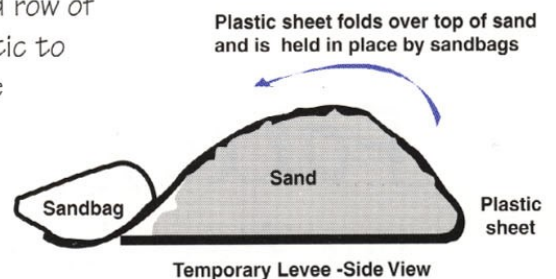
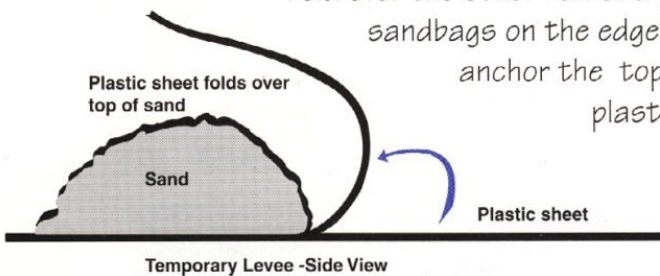


d. Place a line of bags with the folded side up, with folded edges facing the direction of water flow. Stomp each bag into place. Like you would with bricks, stagger the next layer of bags over the folded tops of the bags underneath. Stomp each layer of bags. To give the structure stability, the base should be 1.5 times wider than the height. (Example, 6 ft. wide by 4 ft. high)



e. When you don't have time to build a sandbag barrier, use a temporary levee to raise low areas. Prepare ahead by buying 20-foot-wide sheets of plastic (6-10 mil thickness). Lay out the length you need and place sand, dirt, or gravel on the half facing your property.

Fold over the other half and place a solid row of sandbags on the edge of the plastic to anchor the top edge of the plastic sheet.



f. In locations where water could rise with no current, such as at lake shores, lay visquine plastic on the ground and up to walls, and form a half pyramid of sandbags. Cover doors and vents with plywood.

