

2008 MidWest Tornado: Resource Guide

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IA

Iowa Concern Hotline (Iowa State University Extension) — Disaster Info/Resources/Referrals, Donation Coordination, Post Disaster Counseling

Info/Hotline · Standby

Aimes, IA

Phone: (800) 447-1985

Web: www.extension.iastate.edu/disasterrecovery/info/iowaconcern.htm

Hours: 24/7

Eligibility: Iowans impacted by natural disasters/flooding/tornado's, etc. 6/3/08 Source: Agri News Website Volunteers needed Farmers or rural residents who would like help with cleanup are encouraged to contact the Butler County Extension office at (319) 267-2707 or the Iowa Concern Hotline at 1-800-447-1985. Cleanup activities could include picking up debris in fields... (more online)

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Catholic Charities – Archdiocese of Dubuque — Faith-Based, Community, Disaster Relief/Recovery

Info/Hotline · Open

1430 2nd Ave SE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52403

Phone: (319) 364-7121

Web: www.charitiesdbq.com

Eligibility: Flood/Tornado Survivors 2008

Serves: Northeast IA

Catholic Charities – 800-772-2758 Monetary donations should be forwarded to Catholic Charities, c/o Disaster Relief, 1229 Mount Loretta Avenue, Dubuque, IA 52003. CC is working in partnership with the Parkersburg area communities and channeling financial resources through the Holy Family Cluster to... (more online)

Offers: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance

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Red Cross – Grant Wood Chapter — American Red Cross

Info/Hotline · Open

6300 Rockwell Drive NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52410

Phone: (319) 393-3500

Web: grantwood-redcross.org/index.html?gwatitle.htm&1

Eligibility: Evacuee's – Flood/Tornado's Northeast Iowa 6/08

Iowa City Office 373 East College Street Iowa City, IA 52240 Phone: (319) 337-2119 Toll Free: (800) 982-2438 Open Wednesdays: 9:30 a.m. – 1p.m. American Red Cross Disaster Relief Operation - Iowa Storms UPDATED RED CROSS SERVICES The American Red Cross continues on the scene in numerous areas of... (more online)

Offers: Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, Disaster Response; Training Classes, Safety Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First-Aid Certification; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility)

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Salvation Army, Cedar Rapids, IOWA — Faith-Based, Non-Profit, Disaster Response/Recovery

Info/Hotline · Standby

1000 C Ave NW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52405

Phone: (319) 364-9131

Web: www.usc.salvationarmy.org/usc/www_usc_cedarrapids.nsf

Eligibility: Impacted by the 5/25/08 Tornado

Serves: Parkersburg, New Hartford, Dunkerton, Hazelton

Please keep the communities of Parkersburg, New Hartford, Dunkerton and Hazelton in your thoughts and prayers. Those wishing to assist victims may send monetary donations to their local Salvation Army units earmarked for disaster relief. Monetary donations can also be made by calling... (more online)

Offers: First Responder, MidWest Region; Support for "All Local" Disasters

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Cedar Valley Humane Society — Animal Services / Disaster Animal Rescue

Animal Shelter · Open

7411 Mount Vernon Road SE; Across from the Pet Cemetery, Cedar Valley, IA 52403

Phone: (319) 362-6288

Web: cvhumane.org/cvhumane/content/default.asp

Eligibility: Impacted by the 6/08 Floods/MidWest Storms

Serves: Linn County

CVHS Helps Homeless Animals By Cassie Huisman, Producer By Cassie Huisman Story Created: Jun 28, 2008 at 7:33 PM CDT Story Updated: Jun 28, 2008 at 9:40 PM CDT CEDAR RAPIDS – The Cedar Valley Humane Society (CVHS) has received countless calls this week from flood victims in desperation to find... (more online)

Offers: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Program, Pet Therapy Program; Animals, Supplies, * Animal/Pet Supplies (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Animals; First Responder, Animal Rescue ; First Responder, MidWest Region; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types) and 2 more

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Red Cross, Central Iowa Chapter — Red Cross

Info/Hotline · Open

2116 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50312

Phone: 515-243-7681

Web: www.desmoines-redcross.org

Hours: Mon–Fri, 8am–5pm

Offers: Case Management, Flood Survivors; Case Management, Mobile Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Tornado Survivors; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); First Responder, MidWest Region; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Services, Disaster Relief; Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) and 11 more

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Safeguard Iowa Partnership — Donor Portal

Info/Hotline · Open

100 E. Grand Ave. Ste. 165, Des Moines, IA 50309

Phone: (515) 246-1707

Web: www.safeguardiowa.org

Serves: Statewide, IA – Midwest 2008 Flood Zones

<http://www.bens.org/news/Aidmatrix-Midwest.html> BENS and Its Safeguard Iowa Partnership Team with Aidmatrix to Help Flood Victims Nowhere have the 2008 Midwest Floods had greater impact than the in the State of Iowa. BENS is very proud of its Safeguard Iowa Partnership www.safeguardiowa.org and the... (more online)

Offers: Services, Disaster Preparedness; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response

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Humane Society of North Iowa — Animal Services / Pet Evacuation

Animal Shelter · Open

1520 NORTH FEDERAL AVENUE, Mason City, IA 56041

Phone: 641-423-6241

Web: www.hsni.org

Serves: We Serve the Following Cities, Towns, and/or Counties: We serve a 10 county area in North Iowa. Counties served are Cerro Gordo, Butler, Floyd, Franklin, Hancock, Mitchell, Winnebago, Worth, and Wright Counties. The Humane Society of North Iowa is a nonprofit organization, incorporated under the laws of Iowa. The Board of Directors meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm. We operate a Pet Adoption Center at 2700 South Birch Drive in Mason City. Our new facility holds about 40 dogs and 50 cats.... (more online)

Offers: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, Animal Rescue ; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)

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Chickasaw County Food Bank — Food Bank

Walk-in Resource · Open

417 N. Sherman Ave., New Hampton, IA 50659

Phone: 641-394-5454**Hours:** 9:00 am–11:45 am every Friday**Eligibility:** Residents of Chickasaw County, IA**Serves:** Chickasaw County, IA

No flood damage. Has sufficient local support at this time.

Offers: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Non-Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)

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Butler County, IOWA, Fire Departments – INDEX — Fire & Rescue

Info/Hotline · Open

See notes, See notes, IA

Serves: Bulter County, IA

The following fire departments are located in Butler County: Aplington Fire Department 724 Tenth St Aplington, IA 50604 Aredale Fire Dept. 102 W Main Aredale, IA 50605 Clarksville Fire Dept 115 S Elizaveth Clarksville, IA 50619 Dumont Volunteer Fire Department 630 First St Dumont, IA 50625 New... (more online)

Offers: First Responder, MidWest Region

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Black Hawk Mental Health Services (Pinecrest Bldg.) — Mental Health/Disability Services

Walk-in Resource · Open

1407 Independence Avenue, Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: 319-292-2272**Eligibility:** Flood/Tornado Survivors 6/08**Serves:** Black Hawk Co., IA

Need disability services or medication replacement? Call Black Hawk Mental Health Services at 319-292-2272 for assistance NOTE: This facility is in the Pinecrest Bldg. On the 2nd floor, FEMA Mobile DRC and SBA is located in the Community Services Dept.. See the CAT facility record for the DRC at... (more online)

Offers: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services)

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Emergency Management Agency (Black Hawk County, IA) — County

Info/Hotline · Standby

1925 Newell Street, Waterloo, IA 50707

Phone: 319-219-4373**Web:** www.co.black-hawk.ia.us/ema**Serves:** Black Hawk Co., IA

Email contact: Barbara Berquam, Coordinator: bhcema @co.black-hawk.ia.us

Offers: Documentation, Disaster Preparedness Guidance, Community Groups; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness Guidance, Individual/Family; First Responder, MidWest Region; Services, Disaster Mitigation; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Response; Support for "All" Disasters

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Hawkeye Valley Area on Aging — Disaster Resources for Elders/

Seniors – Housing Referrals

Walk-in Resource · Open

2101 Kimball Ave., Ste. 320, Waterloo, IA 50702

Phone: 1-877-538-0508 or 319-272-2244**Web:** www.hvaaa.org**Eligibility:** Senior/Elders Seeking Housing/Disaster Resources & Referrals**Serves:** Butler County

Elderly Housing: County residents over the age of 60 who have been impacted by the storm can call the Hawkeye Valley Area Agency on Aging, at 1-877-538-0508. The Area Agency on Aging may be able to help elderly residents with temporary housing, groceries, clothing vouchers, and other items.

Offers: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Food Vouchers

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Northeast Iowa Food Bank — Food Bank

Warehouse · Open

106 E. 11th Street, Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone: (319) 235-0507 Toll-Free 1-(888)-NEIFB4U (634-3248)**Web:** www.northeastiowafoodbank.org**Serves:** Allamakee, Black Hawk, Bremer, Buchanan, Butler, Chickasaw, Clayton, Delaware, Fayette, Floyd, Grundy, Howard, Mitchell, Poweshiek, Tama, & Winneshiek Counties

5/25/08 Tornado – Donations are needed of: work gloves personal hygiene products sunscreen razors can openers canned meats, fruits, vegetables dish soap sugar

Offers: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank ONLY (No Walk-In Service); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Kids Cafe Program, Volunteer; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors) and 5 more

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Red Cross, Hawkeye Chapter — Red Cross Chapter

Info/Hotline · Open

2530 University Avenue, Waterloo, IA 50704

Phone: 319-234-6831**Web:** www.hawkeyechapter.org/index.asp**Eligibility:** Impacted by the 5/08 Tornado & 6/08 Flooding**Serves:** IA, Statewide

Red Cross responds to flooding across state UPDATED RED CROSS SERVICES CEDAR FALLS, Wednesday, June 11, 2008 — The American Red Cross continues on the scene in numerous areas of the state providing shelter, meals and snacks to families forced from their homes by flooding. This is a rapidly evolving... (more online)

Offers: Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, Disaster Response; Training Classes, Disaster Volunteer Management; Training Classes, First Response, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Training Classes, Safety Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First-Aid Certification; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers) and 3 more

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Lutheran Services Iowa — Social Services Agency, Disaster Recovery

Donor · Open

P.O. Box 848, Waverly, IA 50677

Phone: 866.584.5293**Web:** www.lsiowa.org/newsdetail.asp?ID=-1561120762

Lutheran Services in Iowa serves as the local affiliate for Lutheran Disaster Response (LDR) in Iowa. LDR and LSI have a long history of partnering in disaster response and preparedness. They are working to address the unmet needs of residents impacted by the storms and tornados here in Northeast... (more online)

Offers: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Long-Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Refugees/Immigrants and 21 more

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VOAD, Iowa — Non-Profit, Disaster Relief Coordination

Info/Hotline · Open

3167 WW Avenue, Wellman, IA 52356

Phone: cell 319-936-3151 or cell: 717 682-5792

Iowa VOAD: Wilbur Litwiler Field Consultant Mennonite Disaster Service 3167 WW Avenue Wellman, IA 52356 Organizational Affiliation: Mennonite Disaster Service Contact: Wilbur Litwiler, Co-Chair Email:

litwiler@netins.net Cell Phone: 319-936-3151 President: Bill Adams

Christian Reformed World... (more online)

Offers: Services, Disaster Recovery

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Iowa Commission on Volunteer Service — Online Resource

Volunteer Opportunities

Info/Hotline · Open

IA

Web: www.volunteeriowa.org

Tornado Clean Up Volunteers are still needed in the Parkersburg area! Groups or individuals interested in helping should first call the Iowa Concern Hotline (1-800-447-1985) to make sure that volunteers are being accepted. Because of weather and/or safety issues, there are times when volunteers... (more online)

Offers: Directories, Online Database Resource; Management, Volunteer Placement; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online

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Iowa State Bar Association — Hotline – Disaster Recovery Legal Services

Info/Hotline · Open

IA

Phone: 877-775-8882

Parkersburg Needs Your Help!!! The Iowa State Bar has established a Disaster Legal Services Hotline to provide advice and counsel to the residents of Parkersburg and Butler County who were affected by the storm on 5/25/08. The hotline has been established in support of and assistance to the Butler... (more online)

Offers: Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Legal Advice & Counsel (Disaster Survivors); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

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MidWest Free Helpline 24/7 (Emotional Coping, Legal & Disaster Resources) — Crisis Hotline

Info/Hotline · Open

IA

Phone: (866) 342-6892

Resources for Indiana, Wisconsin, and Iowa Flooding A free Help Line is available to people in Indiana, Wisconsin, and Iowa who are trying to cope with the emotional consequences of the storms. The free Help Line, which is staffed by experienced master's-level behavioral health specialists offers... (more online)

Offers: Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Hotline, Legal Advice & Counsel (Disaster Survivors)

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Hope Crisis Response Network — Faith-Based Non-Profit Disaster Recovery

Info/Hotline · Open

1127 Miles Avenue, Elkhart, IN

Phone: 1 (866) 909-4673 or 574-522-2547**Web:** www.hcrn.info**Eligibility:** Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods**Serves:** South Central Indiana

FROM THE WEBSITE: 6/11/08: Thousands of Indiana families are facing devastating loss today as flood waters and tornadoes have swept across the state over the last week. Your help in volunteering is needed now. Volunteer crews are beginning work today to help salvage possessions, clean out homes and... (more online)

Offers: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disaster Survivors; Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Mud-Out, Muck-Out, Flood Cleanup, Volunteer Services; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Management, Volunteer Placement; Services, Disaster Recovery; Services, Disaster Response; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers) and 3 more

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Fishers, Town of — City

Donor · Open

See Notes, Fishers, IN

Phone: Chamber of Commerce: 317.578.0700**Web:** www.fishers.in.us/egov/docs/1214327432739.htm**Eligibility:** Impacted by the 6/08 Tornado's/MidWest Floods**Serves:** Shelby Co., IN

Fishers seeks donations of cash, furniture, appliances for flood victims PRESS RELEASE Date of Record: June 24, 2008 The Town of Fishers is collecting donations for flood victims of its "adopted" communities of Lewis Creek and Flat Rock, Indiana, neighboring Shelby County communities devastated by... (more online)

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U.S. Dept. of Labor (IN Floods) — Government – Disaster

Unemployment/Job Info

Info/Hotline · Open

See Notes, See Notes, IN

Phone: 866-4-USA-DOL (487-2365)**Eligibility:** Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods/Tornado's**Serves:** IN, 6/08 Flood Zones

U.S. Labor Department resources available for Midwest flood recovery Online tool provides information on wage, benefits, unemployment WASHINGTON — The U.S. Department of Labor announces a one-stop Web tool offering a number of resources to assist those negatively impacted by the recent spate of... (more online)

Offers: Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services

Hotline for Survivors; Hotline, Job Hotline

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Indiana State Bar Association (Legal Hotline For Flood Survivors) — Hotline – Disaster Recovery Legal Services

Info/Hotline · Open

IN

Phone: 1-800-266-2581**Web:** morgancountyindiana.wordpress.com/2008/06/17/flood-relief-information-and-resources**Hours:** 8:30-4:30 M-F EST**Eligibility:** Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods**Serves:** Indiana Flood Zones

Indiana State Bar Association prepared to help disaster victims The Indiana State Bar Association (ISBA) has established a toll-free number for flood victims living in the eight counties approved for federal assistance by President George W. Bush. The ISBA will refer flood victims to Indiana... (more online)

Offers: Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Legal Advice & Counsel (Disaster Survivors)

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NE

Red Cross, Ft. Kearney Chapter — Red Cross

Walk-in Resource · Open

520 W. 48th Street, Kearney, NE 68845

Phone: 308-234-2770

Web: www.ftkearneyredcross.org/ftkearneyredcross.org/Others/home.html

Eligibility: May '08 Tornado/MidWest Storms

Serves: Buffalo County

No disaster updates for May '08 Tornado/Storms on this web site

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, MidWest Region; Services, Disaster Relief; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Recovery; Training Classes, Disaster Response; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First-Aid Certification; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

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US

Citizen Action Team, Database Operations — Private Citizen

Volunteers

Info/Hotline · Open

Anytown, US

Phone: 978 266 2778

Web: www.reliefdatabase.org

Hours: 8 AM-midnight, 7 days/week

Call and help us expand the database, so it will be more useful to disaster relief workers, to help prepare for future disasters as well as to help with recovery from past disasters... Work from your home AND help the gulf! All donations pay for fuel to ship donations to disaster zones.

Offers: Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Directories, Directory of Contacts, Incident Command; Directories, Directory of Services, Case Management; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, County/Parish; Directories, Directory of Services, Disabled Services; Directories, Directory of Services, Grants Info, Listings, News & Referrals; Directories, Directory of Services, National; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional and 56 more

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