

EMERGENCY CONTACT SHEET FOR RESOURCES IN MINNESOTA

Disaster Center Minnesota: Disaster Message Board, Family Disaster Plan, Weather Warnings, Animals in Disaster – Lost and Found, Health and Welfare Inquiry, Minnesota National Flood Insurance Programs, NOAA Minnesota Weather.

Please Visit: <http://www.disastercenter.com/minn/minn.htm>

Minnesota Homeland Security and Emergency Management leads the state in providing rapid assistance during disasters with a full range of resources and effective partnerships. Please visit: <http://www.hsem.state.mn.us/>

Minnesota Homeland Security and Emergency Management

444 Cedar Street, Suite 223
St. Paul, MN 55101
Phone: (651) 201-7400

Small Business Administration (SBA):

Small Business Administration provides disaster assistance. For further information, please call 1 (800) 659-2955 or visit the web site at:

http://www.sba.gov/disaster_recov/index.html

Minnesota's American Red Cross Chapters:

American Red Cross – Carver County Chapter

315 West Elm Street
Norwood Young America, MN 55368
Phone: (952) 467-4449
http://www.carvercountyredcross.org/HTM_Pages/main_page.htm
Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Central Minnesota Chapter

1301 West St. Germain Street
St. Cloud, MN 56301
Phone: (320) 251-7641
<http://www.cenmnredcross.org/>
Serving: Benton, Big Stone, Chippewa, Kanabec, Kandiyohi, Lac Qui Parle, Meeker, Mille Lacs, Morrison, Pine, Pope, Sherburne, Stearns, Stevens, Swift, Todd, and Wright Counties
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American Red Cross – Goodhue County Chapter

460 Guernsey Lane

Red Wing, MN 55066

Phone: (651) 388-9166

<http://www.goodhueredcross.org/>

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Mower County Chapter

305 Northwest 4th Avenue

Austin, MN 55912

Phone: (507) 437-4589

<http://www.mowercountyredcross.org/>

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – North Star Chapter

610 South Railroad Street

Bemidji, MN 56601

Phone: (218) 444-9490

<http://www.northstar-redcross.org/#>

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Northland Chapter

2524 Maple Grove Road

Duluth, MN 55811

Phone: (218) 722-0071 or Toll-Free (800) 950-4275

<http://www.redcrossnorthland.org/>

Contact them for Shelter information.

Hibbing Office

1810 Third Avenue East, Suite 7

Hibbing, MN 55746

Phone: (218) 263-4455 or Toll-Free (800) 747-8644

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Prairiewinds Chapter

301 2nd Street South

Marshall, MN 56258

Phone: (507) 532-5565

<http://www.prairiewindsredcross.org/index.htm>

Serving: Lincoln, Lyon, Pipestone, and Yellow Medicine Counties

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American Red Cross – Red River Valley Chapter

1708 River Road Northwest
East Grand Forks, MN 56721

Phone: (218) 773-9565

<http://www.grandforksredcross.org/>

Serving: Kittson, Marshall, Pennington, Polk, and Red Lake Counties
Contact them for Shelter information.

Fargo Chapter Office

2602 12th Street North
Fargo, ND 58102

Phone: (710) 364-1800

Serving: Clay and Wilkin Counties
Contact them for Shelter information.

Fergus Falls Office

221 West Cavour Avenue
Fergus Falls, MN 56537

Phone: (218) 736-3481

Serving: Ottertail, Becker, and Norman Counties
Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Rice/LeSueur Counties Chapter

421 Central Avenue
Faribault, MN 55021

Phone: (507) 334-8471

<http://www.rlsredcross.org/>

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – South Central Minnesota Chapter

105 Homestead Drive
Mankato, MN 56001

Phone: (507) 387-6664

<http://southcentralmn.redcross.org/>

Contact them for Shelter information.

McLeod and Sibley County Office

902 Highway 15 South, Suite 300
Hutchinson, MN 55350

Phone: (320) 587-0352

Contact them for Shelter information.

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American Red Cross – Southeast Minnesota Chapter

310 14th Street Southeast

Rochester, MN 55904

Phone: (507) 287-2200

<http://www.redcross-semn.org/index.php>

Serving: Dodge, Fillmore, Olmsted, Steele, and Wabasha Counties

Contact them for Shelter information.

Steele County Office

143 West Broadway

Owatonna, MN 55060

Phone: (507) 451-2777

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – St. Croix Valley Chapter

342 5th Avenue North

Bayport, MN 55003

Phone: (651) 439-0031

<http://www.scvarc.org/>

Serving: Washington, St. Croix, and Polk Counties

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Twin Cities Area Chapter

1201 West River Parkway

Minneapolis, MN 55454

Phone: (612) 871-7676

<http://redcrosstc.org/>

Serving: Anoka, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, and Western Washington Counties.

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Waseca County Chapter

511 South State Street

Waseca, MN 56093

Phone: (507) 835-8369

<http://www.wasecaredcross.org/>

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American Red Cross – West Central Minnesota Chapter

700 Cedar Street, Suite 110

Alexandria, MN 56308

Phone: (320) 763-3800 or Toll-Free (877) 562-8134

<http://www.wcmnredcross.org/>

Serving: Douglas, Grant and Traverse Counties

Contact them for Shelter information.

American Red Cross – Winona County Chapter

1660 Kraemer Drive

Winona, MN 55987

Phone: (507) 452-4258

<http://www.winonacountyredcross.org/>

Contact them for Shelter information.

Getting Financially Prepared for a Disaster

Get Your Finances In Order Before Disaster Strikes:

<http://www.bankrate.com/nltrack/news/advice/20050601a1.asp>

Disaster-Proof Your Home Cost-Effectively:

<http://www.bankrate.com/nltrack/news/real-estate/20041028a1.asp>

Disaster-Proof Your Important Papers:

<http://www.bankrate.com/nltrack/news/mtg/20000518g.asp>

What Financial Records To Keep, How Long To Keep Them:

<http://www.bankrate.com/nltrack/news/mtg/20000518h.asp>

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA):

Register for Disaster Assistance by calling

1-800-621-FEMA (3362). www.fema.gov

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*** Hotlines ***

- FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) Registration: 1-800-621-FEMA (3362) TTY: 1-800-462-7585
- Salvation Army Donation Helpline: 1-800-SAL-ARMY (1-800-725-2769)
- American Red Cross: 1-800-HELP-NOW (1-800-435-7669)

Heat Wave Safety Information:

http://www.dps.state.mn.us/DHSEM/uploadedfile/Detailed_Heat_Info.pdf

Severe Weather Information:

<http://www.severeweather.state.mn.us/>

Kids and Emergency Preparedness - Ready Kids:

<http://www.ready.gov/kids/home.html>

To make sure your pet is prepared:

- Pets are not allowed in evacuation centers and shelters. Only animals such as Seeing Eye dogs are permitted.
- If you live in an evacuation zone and plan to go where your pet will not be welcome, make arrangements for a safe place for your pet prior to an Emergency.
- Call your veterinarian to find out where you can board your pet if an Emergency should arise.
- Contact hotels and motels in non-evacuation areas to see if they will allow you and your pet to stay with them during an Emergency.
- Make sure you have supplies for your pets for 2 weeks.

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Evacuating Pets:

http://www.hsus.org/press_and_publications/press_releases/north_dakota_residents_urged_to_evacuate_with_pets_032609.html

Disaster Plans for Pets:

<http://sunbearsquad.org/disaster.shtml>

<http://www.huggablemuggs.com/articles-3.html>

<http://www.co.dakota.mn.us/HandlingEmergencies/Preparing/EmegPets.htm>

<http://www.getreadygear.com/index.asp?PageAction=Custom&ID=22>

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