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PUBLIC HEALTH

ROCK COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: Due to potential adverse impacts to wells, we are offering a **free bacteria water test** to those impacted by the tornado. A test kit can be picked up at the health department or call 608-757-5405 for other arrangements. If you well impact concerns other than bacteria, please call and we can discuss other testing or corrective actions. If you had water damage from the tornado, we have staff available to discuss **methods to control mold**.

RICK WIETERSEN, MS, Environmental Health Mngr.
Phone: (608)757-5405
Mobile: (608)728-0712
Email: rick.wietersen@co.rock.wi.us
Web: co.rock.wi.us/departments/public-health
Address: 3328 N US Hwy 51, Janesville, WI 53547



CONSUMER PROTECTION

WISCONSIN DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, TRADE & CONSUMER PROTECTION (DATCP): We want to protect homeowners soliciting repairs in the aftermath of February's tornado. Our hotline: **(800)422-7128** or **DATCPHotline@wisconsin.gov** (7:45 am to 4:30 pm M-F) can **answer your questions about repair agreements and best practices for selecting a contractor**. Property owners should be skeptical of door-to-door repair crew. Ask friends, family, or neighbors for recommendations.

BENNET MERENS, Outreach Specialist
Phone: (414)391-8082
Cell: (414) 391-8082
Email: Bennet.merens@wisconsin.gov
Web: datcp.wi.gov
Address: 2811 Agriculture Dr., Madison, WI 53708



TEAM RUBICON: Team Rubicon is a veteran-led humanitarian organization, built to serve global communities before, during, and after disasters and crises. Team Rubicon focuses on three areas of impact: Disaster Response, from mitigation to immediate response and recovery; Rebuild, to maintain the fabric of communities through resilient building methods; and International, providing emergent and surge medical services, WASH, and disaster risk reduction for communities in need.

CHARLES HO FUNG, North Branch, Eastern WI Metro
Office: (561)414-3014
Email: charles.hofung@teamrubiconusa.org
Web: teamrubiconusa.org
Address: International Charitable Organization based in Los Angeles, CA.



Wisconsin Office of the
COMMISSIONER
OF **INSURANCE**

WISCONSIN OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE: We are here to help you if you have a **question or concern about your insurance policy or claim**. We can assist with complaints related to coverage issues, claim denials, premium problems, and more. You can call us at (800) 236-8517 or (608) 266-3585, or visit our website to File a Complaint or Ask a General Insurance Question.

CHRISTINA KEELEY, Consumer Affairs Chief
Phone: (608) 267-3868
Toll Free: 800-236-8517
Email: christina.keeley@wisconsin.gov
Address: 2811 Agriculture Dr., Madison, WI 53708
Web: oci.wi.gov



American Red Cross
Southwest Wisconsin

AMERICAN RED CROSS DISASTER RESPONSE & RECOVERY: The American Red Cross is a nonprofit humanitarian organization that provides emergency assistance, disaster relief, and disaster preparedness education in the United States. Assistance can include: Financial assistance to help with immediate needs; Health related advocacy (such as prescriptions, eye glasses, etc.); Mental health and spiritual care support; Recovery support.

BURLIE WILLIAMS, Disaster Program Manager
Email: burlie.williams@redcross.org
Phone: (608)469-8441 and 1-800-RED-CROSS
24-7 Disaster Services Number: 1-833-583-3111
Address: 4860 Sheboygan Ave, Madison, WI 53705
Web: redcross.org

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE offers disaster assistance with an Emergency Loan Program, a Tree Assistance Program, a Livestock Indemnity Program, an Emergency Conservation Program, and an Emergency Forest Restoration Program. For more information about your Rock County Farm Service Agency (FSA) call, stop by - or visit our website to learn about USDA disaster assistance programs that might be right for you.

KRISTIN LOOCK, County Executive Director
Phone: (262)754-6617 x 4751
Email: Kristin.loock@usda.gov
Web: fsa.usda.gov/wi
Address: 440 N US Hwy 14, Janesville, WI, 53546



THE SALVATION ARMY OF ROCK COUNTY: Wherever there is a need in Rock County you'll find the Salvation Army. The Salvation Army strives to bring hope and healing to people who find themselves in the midst of extremely difficult situations. The Salvation Army Rock County is under the leadership of Lieutenants Jen and Jason Rysdyk, Commanding Officers.

LIEUTENANT JASON RYSDYK
Phone: 608-757-8300 ext. 218
Email: Jason.ryskyk@usc.salvationarmy.org
Web: centralusa.salvationarmy.org/rockcounty/
Address: Corps Community Center
514 Sutherland Ave., Janesville, WI, 53545



CITY OF JANESVILLE: WISCONSIN'S PARK PLACE - SANITARY LANDFILL: The City owns and operates the City of Janesville Sanitary Landfill and the Compost & Clean Fill Facility. Waste disposal services are available for all residential, commercial, demolition, and industrial waste generators. The sanitary landfill is located at 525 Black Bridge Road between Highway 51 and Milton Avenue.

Phone: (608)755-3110
Web: janesvillewi.gov
Address: 525 Black bridge Road, Janesville, WI, 53545



LAND CONSERVATION

ROCK COUNTY LAND CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT: Clean Sweep 2024-open to all Rock County residents. Clean Sweep is an annual drop-off for HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS from residents and eligible businesses. Due to high demand and limited event days, advance registration is required for all events.

ANNE MILLER
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Web: co.rock.wi.us/departments/land-conservation



HOUSING REHABILITATION

ROCK COUNTY HOUSING REHABILITATION LOAN PROGRAM: Rock County has funding available for home owner rehabilitation loans to qualified households. The funds are available for Rock County households, outside the cities of Janesville and Beloit, and are offered as 0% interest and deferred payment loans. Please visit our website or call for more information and to see if you qualify.

**Wisconsin Partnership
for Housing Development**
Email: info@wphd.org
Phone: (608)258-5560 ext. 27 or 34

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FARM CENTER

WISCONSIN FARM CENTER (DATCP): Since the mid-1980s, thousands of farm families have turned to the Wisconsin Farm Center, which provides services to farmers, often in cooperation with university, government or private sector resources. Services include: Financial and business consultation, Succession and transition planning, Conflict, legal and financial mediation, Herd-based diagnostics, Veteran farmer assistance, Farmer Wellness Program. All services are free and confidential.

Phone: 800-942-2474
Email: farmcenter@wisconsin.gov
Web: Farmcenter.wi.gov
Address: 440 N US Hwy 14, Janesville, WI, 53546



WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES: Bureau of Drinking Water and Groundwater. The DNR's Drinking Water and Groundwater Program manages activities that affect the safety, quality and availability of drinking water to protect public health and our water resources. Visit our site to learn about Cost Sharing Programs.

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PO Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707-7921



LAKE RIDGE BANK: Special Loan financing offer for tornado victims. With a firm belief that anything is possible with the right people by your side, we strive to be a knowledgeable financial partner to Dane, Green, and Rock counties and surrounding areas, guiding customers toward their goals and helping them set new ones.

DENISE JOHNSON AND CARRIE OLSON
Phone: (608) 882-5200
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