DUNROBIN & AREA DISASTER RELIEF



Information for Homeowners

The tornado that affected Dunrobin and Kinburn packed winds up to 265 km/h and was classified as an EF-3 category storm.







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Even if your neighbour is more affected than you, we can still help.

WHAT YOU CAN DO:

Call all **services/utilities** to cancel or freeze your accounts. If they have been shut off you will still be billed.

Please **register** with Red Cross (1.416.209.0432), http://www.redcross.ca/how-we-help/emergencies-and-disasters-in-canada/get-help-disaster-relief-and-recovery)

Please **register** with Dunrobin & Area Disaster Relief to access local services if your home has been impacted in any way by the winds/tornado. If you do not feel the need for help at this time you may later. Registering provides you with all the help you will need today and in the coming weeks.

Pictures are needed of all damage for insurance and the Ontario Disaster Relief assistance program. If you do not have a camera or need help taking photos, please contact us.

Call your **insurance company** (if you haven't already).

Check with local authorities on how to properly dispose of **damaged items** from your home.

SAFETY:

- If you are away from home, only return home when it is safe to do so.
- Check on vulnerable family members, friends and neighbours who may require assistance.
- Stay away from damaged areas and fallen power lines.
- If you suspect your home is unsafe, do not enter. Rely on the professionals to clear your home for re-entry, if you are unsure.
- Once you return home, take the opportunity to review your family emergency plan and restock your emergency preparedness kit.
- Wear long pants, a long-sleeved shirt and sturdy shoes when examining your home for damage. (Be aware of ticks and use deet)
- If there are trees on hydro lines (call Hydro One 1.888.664.9376)

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Dunrobin Community Association



DON'T HAVE INSURANCE COVERAGE?

You might be qualified for this program.

Ontario Disaster Relief assistance program. This link will provide you with area maps and list how to apply (http://www.mah.gov.on.ca/Page19878.aspx)

- Applicants must be within the activation area (see maps in link above) to be eligible for assistance.
- Secondary residences and cottages are not eligible for assistance.
- Businesses and Farms are eligible for assistance.
- Government disaster assistance does not replace insurance. Applications
 must proceed with a claim through private insurance providers before
 claims can receive government disaster assistance.
- Deadline for this application is Monday, January 21, 2019.
- If you need help or have questions with this process please contact:
 Merrilee Fullerton (Your Kanata-Carleton MPP) merrilee.fullerton@pc.ola.org
 or phone 613-599-3000. Or Dunrobin & Area Disaster Assistance (contact info
 is at the bottom of this page) as we have a homeowner in Constance Bay
 that lost her house in the flood that is willing to help with the application
 process (all information will be kept confidential).

RESOURCES:

- Local Resources are currently available but will be changing on a weekly basis. Please contact us at Dunrobin Disaster Assistance to access and be kept up to date on the following:
 - **Volunteers:** Groups of volunteers are mobilizing to help with clean up and protection, please contact us with your volunteer needs, many volunteers are bringing equipment, safety gear and tools with them to help.
 - **Supplies:** safety equipment, garbage bags, bins for storage, water, food, clothing, personal supplies, gift cards etc.
- West Carleton Emergency Food Aid: 5670 Carp Rd (613.832.5685)
- Savvy Seconds: 5670 Carp Road (613.240.8644)
 Savvy Seconds is a free clothing venue for the whole family. It is free and confidential. Anyone can make an appointment to see the current inventory to take what they need.
- LOST/FOUND PETS
 If you have found or have lost a pet in this tragedy please reach out to the Ottawa Valley Lost Pet Network, or West Carleton Lost/Found Cats and Dogs, these posts can also be posted on this page. http://www.ottawaandvalleylostpetnetwork.ca/
- PET -DISASTER RELIEF- Ottawa-Gatineau (dog, cat, critter, bird, reptiles,)
 https://m.facebook.com/groups/336614386741676
 If you require help with pet items please reach out directly to the Pet Resource Bank and Freedom Dog Rescue, they have offered their help.