Resource Guide

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IN

Anytime Fitness (Free Showers)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Business

See Notes, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 736–4377
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Free showers for residents with no hot water – Anytime Fitness is offering free showers to any residents without hot water. They are providing hot water and soap, but residents must bring their own towels.

Monday through Thursday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to Noon

1168 N. Main Street, Franklin, IN 46131
2026 In the Marsh Plaza, (317) 736–4377

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3325

City of Franklin Planning Department

Info/Hotline · Open

Government Agency

44 North Jackson St., Franklin, IN 46131

Phone 877–736–3631
Web www.franklin–in.gov/planning
Hours 8:00am–4:00pm Monday–Friday
Service Temporary

Residents should apply for zone permits at this location.

For those unsure of the current zoning laws in the area, please look at the map on the City of Franklin Planning Department website or in person at the office.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Housing, Filing, Zoning/ Building Permits
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 7, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3344

Franklin College Campus – Dietz Center for Professional Development (Volunteer Registration/Reception Area)

Info/Hotline · Standby

School

251 South Forsythe Street, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 738–8006 and (317) 738–8807
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Serves Johnson Co,. IN
Eligibility Volunteers – Johnson County, IN
Service Temporary

Volunteer center going to half–days

By KATY YEISER
Staff writer – dailyjournal.net (Johnson County)

July 4, 2008

Five out–of–state disaster relief experts have come and gone from the county.

They drop in for days or weeks at a time, helping workers at the county's relief center coordinate volunteers or assess damage.

The remaining two experts left Thursday, and the flood relief efforts are now in the county's hands.

Their departure is a sign of where the county is in the recovery process, said Jann Johnson, supervisor for the flood relief volunteer center.

The center will be open only for half–days next week and close the week after, Johnson said.

"We're in a lull where most people have got their homes cleaned and are waiting for them to dry out," she said.

About 700 volunteers registered at the volunteer center for flood relief at Franklin College and visited 346 sites across the county.

They delivered food and cleaning supplies as well as helped flood victims with their damaged homes.

But only a few people are left to clean out their homes and not as many volunteers are being used on a daily bases, Johnson said.

For example, she said, about 30 people helped clean homes and deliver food and supplies to those who didn't have transportation in the middle of the week.

Because of the declining need for relief efforts, the center is in the process of closing down, Johnson said.

When people need to start rebuilding, reopening the center to coordinate skilled volunteers for repair work such as painting or putting up drywall will be up to the newly formed county recovery committee, she said.

The long–term committee will be formed of school, government, community, church, business and other leaders to focus on specific tasks, such as fundraising, education and construction.

The two experts brought into the county agreed that the county was ready to move on to the long–term recovery stage.

Don Corbishley of Rhode Island and Doris Peadilla of California spent their final night in the county helping members of Mount Auburn United Methodist Church pass out cleaning supplies and food to about 65 flood victims in Friendly Village trailer park in the Center Grove area.

Peadilla arrived in the county Monday and was supposed to stay until next week but didn't need to stay any longer because of the declining need for volunteers. She organized volunteers and sent them to different areas in the county.

Both said the community's effort to rid most of the debris, gut and clean homes and coordinate volunteers was one of the most efficient they have seen after a natural disaster.

"When I came two weeks ago, they didn't know where to start," said Corbishley, who is the interim disaster services program manager at the Volunteer Center of Rhode Island.

Corbishley assessed damaged homes in Amity, Franklin, Edinburgh and Prince's Lakes and told people what to do with their repairs.

Now most of the debris is gone, and neighbors have helped each other prepare their homes for repairs, Corbishley said.

Peadilla came Monday thinking she would see debris still littering streets and sidewalks.

"I was impressed to see things were cleaned up," Peadilla said. "I think the county is ready to move forward."

The public health emergency response director at the Volunteer Center of Los Angeles did relief efforts for the wildfires in northern California last year and this year and said the county's zoning technique was something she will try and incorporate at her center.

The United Way divided the county's flood damage into eight sectors and organized civic and church groups in certain areas.

"It gave each community a point of contact. It kept that community feel going because it was the same person in their area helping them," Peadilla said.

She said although the county's was done on a much smaller scale, the idea could be put in action in a city like Los Angeles.

During the experts' stay, county volunteers and workers were able to develop manuals and an understanding of how to respond to disasters, Johnson said.

The consultants learned, too, Corbishley said. He has been with the American Red Cross for five years and has studied how to handle natural disasters, but all of the bookwork went out the window when he arrived.

He didn't truly learn how to assess the damage a flood can do to an area until he was out talking with the victims and seeing their damage in person.

"I've learned more here in two weeks than I have learned in my five years at the Red Cross," Corbishley said.

Johnson County Volunteer Center for Flood Relief

· Franklin College Campus – Dietz Center for Professional Development

o (317) 738–8006 and (317) 738–8807
o 251 South Forsythe Street, Franklin, IN 46131
o UPDATE: Open Monday through Friday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturdays 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sundays 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.
o Volunteers need to report here to help with flood relief efforts

Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods

Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3286

Franklin Head Start Bldg. / Human Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
486 N. Morton Street, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone 317–736–0755
Hours 9 am – 4 pm M–Fri
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

In need of volunteers to help with food pantry, please call if interested in helping

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3318

Humane Society of Johnson County – HSJC Pet Center

Animal Shelter · Open

Animal Services / Pet Evacuation
3827 N. Graham Rd., Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 535–6626
Web www.hsjc.org
Serves Johnson County, IN
Eligibility Pets Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

7/3/08 LTel – Received phone msg. from Dir. Marion Pohley advising that they had no specific urgent needs at this time.

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Pet Shelter – If you have a pet that you need to be housed until you are able to find a place for them, please call the Humane Society of Johnson County

o (317) 535–6626

o The humane society cannot house the animals, but are working with local kennels to find temporary homes

CENTRAL INDIANA FLOOD
POSES PROBLEMS FOR PEOPLE AND ANIMALS

Record flooding has displaced people and pets from their homes and it will be some time before Central Indiana including Johnson County is back to normal. And while the flooding is beginning to subside, more rain is predicted.

Tax Deductible Donations are being accepted to allow us to help the animals of Johnson County wherever needed. If you would like to help, you may send a donation to HSJC at 3827 N. Graham Rd., Franklin, IN 46131 or donate on line.

The Humane Society of Johnson County is a 501(c)3 not for profit organization that strives to benefit our community by enhancing the companion animal–human bond through education and adoption programs. We are not a government entity. Therefore, we are not a part of Johnson County Animal Control. However, we do work with their shelter on occasion to place the picked–up animals back with their original families or with new homes through our foster program, “Shelter Without Walls.” Please remember, HSJC does not operate a shelter at this time.

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care, Foster Homes, Dogs & Cats, Volunteer; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3289

Interchurch Food Pantry of Johnson County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
830 Overstreet St.,, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 736–5090
Web www.imcpl.org/cgi–bin/irnfull.pl?MAIN0543AA
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson County
Eligibility Must be a Johnson County Resident & Meet Income Eligibility Requirements
Bring Picture ID
Service Temporary

Provides food assistance to Johnson County residents. Requires ID, preferably picture ID. Also requires a written referral, dated the same day the client comes to the pantry, from a human service organization, WIC, the welfare office or a church. Assistance

is limited to once a month, 30 days apart. Accepts donations to the food pantry delivered during open hours. Also accepts monetary donations as well.
On Busline: No
Eligibility: Must be a Johnson County resident and eligibly income guidelines.
Area Served: Johnson County

UPDATE per Latheda Noonan 7/2/08:

Things are winding down. The Command Center is no longer located at this facility site. They are receiving 10 or less Flood Survivors per day for supplies. They have plenty of food/water/supplies and just received a large shipment of USDA Commodities and have no need for donations.

Interchurch Food Pantry of Johnson County – Monday through Friday from 1–6 pm through 7/3/08. Starting next week (7/7/08) they go back to regular prior hours from 1–3 pm M–Fri.

o (317) 736–5090
o 830 Overstreet St., Franklin, IN 46131

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 22, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3290

Johnson County City Hall

Info/Hotline · Open

City
55 W. Madison St.; Post Office Box 280, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone 317–736–3602
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours 8:00am–4:00pm Monday–Friday
Serves Johnson County, Indiana
Eligibility impacted by the June 08 Midwest floods
Service Temporary

Lists of available housing units for flood victims are being posted in City Hall (55 W. Madison St.). If you know of any available units for those without a home, please feel free to bring information to City Hall for posting, or call us at 736–3602

Services offered: Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Rental Listings; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Government, City/Town Agency
Updated Jul 7, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3343

Lord's Cupboard

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
701 Johnson Avenue, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 736–5502
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Distributing clothing to flood survivors:

Now open daily from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. until further notice

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3321

Community Church of Greenwood "Gathering Place"

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
1477 W. Main Street, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 888–6024
Web ccg.ccbchurch.com/app
Serves Johnson County, IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods

Service Temporary

We have received so many phone calls from our own members, friends and family that CCG wants to do more to help our neighbors.

With the opportunity of receiving food from Midwest Food Bank, we are now able to offer a food pantry here at CCG.

We are open on Tuesday's from 9am–11am and Wednesday's from 5pm – 7pm. Until we get a good idea of the need, we will allow individuals to pick up once every two weeks.

Food needs this month:

Peanut Butter
Jelly
Canned veggies and fruit
boxes of cereal

If you are able to help in this area please drop off the food during the week at the church office or on Sunday mornings at the Outreach counter.

We also need volunteers. If you are available to help, we need help on the days we are open, as well as other days to help stock the shelves.

Call Kerry Beasley, x259 or by email, if you have any questions regarding helping, or receiving food.

Food, clothing, household items and some furniture available; call Kerry Beasley at 888–6024 Ext. 259 to receive items.

God is good, all the time.
All the time, God is good.

FLOOD VICTIM'S RELIEF UPDATE:
The Gathering Place continues to function as a Red Cross Shelter for victims of recent flooding. If you have been displaced and need assistance please come to The Gathering Place at Community Church of Greenwood. Food, clothing and shelter are available and they will remain open through Sat. 6/14/08.

Website does have updates.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Disaster Relief; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3115

His Hand Extended (Trinity Broadcasting)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
2528 U.S. 31 S., Greenwood, IN 46143

Phone (317) 535–5542
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Food/Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

Monday or Thursday, client sign–up at 10:45 a.m.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3320

In His Name Clothing Ministry (Distribution/Donation Collection Site)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 881–6727
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

Monday and Tuesday 9–11 a.m. and Wednesday 6–8 p.m.

Now accepting new and gently used clothing donations

o Monday and Tuesday 9–11 a.m. and Wednesday 6–8 p.m.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 22, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3323

Living Bread Community Food Ministry / Mount Pleasant Christian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
755 North Bluff Road, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 889–9650 / 317–881–6727 (Flood Survivors Pick–up Times)
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Client Sign–In Thursdays 9:15–9:40 a.m. and 6:15–6:40 p.m. and the first and third Saturday of the month 9:15–9:40 a.m.

Will provide non–perishable food to flood victims; call 881–6727 for food pick–up times.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3319

Our Lady of Greenwood Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
335 S. Meridian Street, Greenwood, IN 46143

Phone (317) 888–2861
Hours Monday–Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Storms
Service Temporary

Flood victims may come to the parish office once a week to receive two free bags of groceries

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3312

Salvation Army (Clothing Distribution Site)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
325 Market Plaza, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 881–2505
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

1–5 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday and 12:30– 4 p.m. on Fridays

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3324

Vineyard Church Food Pantry / Clothing Distribution

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
512 S Madison Avenue, Greenwood, IN 46142
Phone (317) 882–8463
Hours See Notes
Service Temporary

Clothing/Food Distribution for Flood Survivors:

10 a.m. to Noon on Wednesday and last Saturday of the month from 10:30–11:30 a.m.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3314

Johnson County Volunteer Registration Hotline

Info/Hotline · Open

County, Disaster Response
See notes, See Notes, IN
Phone Volunteer Registration: 317–738–8801
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Service Temporary

To register to volunteer in Johnson County, IN for flood response, please phone : 317–738–8801

Services offered: Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Volunteer Hotline (Coordination/Placement/Work Orders)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3282

Lord's Locker

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
102 S Pleasant Street, Trafalgar, IN 46181
Phone (317) 878–7708
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday & Wednesday, 9 a.m. to noon third Saturday of the month

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3322