Resource Guide

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KS

Garden City Animal Shelter

Animal Shelter · Open

HSUS, Animal Rescue

206 Isabel, Garden City, KS 67846

Phone 620–276–1152
Web www.petfinder.com/shelters/KS71.html
Hours Monday through Friday 11–12 and 1–5 and on Saturday we are open from 1–5. We are closed on Sundays and Holidays.
Eligibility We are allowed to accept animals from Finney County ONLY
Service Temporary

Animal control services and the animal shelter facility are a combined effort by the City of Garden City, Finney County, and the Humane Society to manage the community's animal population through adoption and education services.

To report a missing or stray animal, call the shelter at 620) 276–1152 during operating hours.

Operating hours are Monday through Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. For response outside of shelter hours, please call the Police Department at (620) 276–1300. A dispatcher will alert an on–duty animal control officer.

Complete information on adoptions and other services offered by animal control and the animal shelter, please contact the shelter at (620) 276–1152 or by email at shelter@garden–city.org.

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Database, Registry, Online Lost/Found/Adoption Pet Database; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1450

Alltel Wireless

Info/Hotline · Open

Business

Greensburg, KS

Phone 1–800–ALLTEL1

Alltell Wireless will work with Greensburg wireless customers to make special arrangements related to service outages or late fees following the tornado.

Alltel customer service can be reached at:

1–800–ALLTEL1

Services offered: Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jun 1, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1477

AT & T

Donor · Open

Business

West side of the Courthouse, Greensburg, KS

FREE PHONES: AT&T has set up free phones on the west side of the courthouse for residents and responders to use.

Services offered: Services, Tech, Phone Access
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1464

Convoy of Hope – Greensburg, KS

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
Greensburg, KS
Phone (417) 827–4778
Web www.convoyofhope.org

Organized through Assembly of God Churches, Samaritans Purse, and Billy Graham Ministries. Feeding onsite in Greensburg. Focusing on casework, counseling and clean up.

See Greensburg news updates on the Convoy of Hope website at:

http://www.convoyofhope.org/usnews.php

Convoy of Hope has partnered with Lighthouse Worship Center in Greensburg, which was also destroyed.

Convoy of Hope is also assisting outlying farming communities, also affected by the storm.

Contact is:

Steve Irwin (sirwin@convoyofhope.org) or Paul Coroleuski,
Disaster Response Coordinators
(417) 827–4778

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); First Responder, Gulf Region; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1461

FEMA – Greensburg, KS JOBS AVAILABLE

Info/Hotline · Open

Government
Greensburg, KS
Phone 770–216–3156 or 417–234–3798

JOBS AVAILABLE: FEMA is hiring locally for the Greensburg recovery operations. Currently only Greensburg residents are being considered. However, applications are being accepted from all who wish to apply. Call 770–216–3156 or 417–234–3798. You can also visit Jim Tumser at the Haviland Disaster Recovery Center at Barclay College.

Services offered: Jobs, Paying
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security
Updated May 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1455

First United Methodist Church

Info/Hotline

Church
600 W. Lincoln Ave, Greensburg, KS 67054
Phone (620) 723–3338, Reverend Gene McIntosh
Web www.bigwell.org/methodistchurch/index.html

The United Methodist Church in Haviland and this church are only 10 miles apart. BUT the church in Greensburg was literally destroyed.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; UMCOR Relief Network
Updated Oct 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1430

Hope Crisis Response Network (HCRN)

Volunteer Camp · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
Greensburg, KS
Phone Main: 1 (866) 909–4673 or Dodge City, KS: 620–227–3922
Web www.hcrn.info/index.php?option=com_contact&Itemid=3

From their weekly email update:

Busy times for disaster workers in Greensburg, Kansas. Several HCRN staff members spent time in Kansas working on damage assessments and planning for recovery work. As is often the case, even the photos

and video of the destruction can't portray the massive loss. About 220 square blocks of this small town were wiped out, 960 homes and 120 businesses.

HCRN is calling for regional volunteers to assist in the clean up. Because of the distance to nearby towns, we do not have access to volunteer housing at this time. Most hotels are about an hour from Greensburg (SEE HOPE CITY DETAILS BELOW) Please contact our office or watch the website as this situation continues to develop. Pastor Jeff Turner at the First Missionary Church of Dodge City is coordinating the volunteer work teams. You can contact him at:

620–227–3922

or via e–mail at:

pj_turner@sbcglobal.net

The HCRN team found the families in Greensburg to be resolute as they looked over the incredible damage.

HCRN – HQ:
P.O. Box 2123
Elkhart, IN 46515

VOAD Meeting Notes 5/22/07:

HCRN is making a 2 year committment to the recovery. Currently building housing and getting trailers for families. Looking for a site to place the units.

–Housing will be for volunteers. They have volunteers committed to coming for 10 weeks.
–Coordinating with Pastor Jeff Turner at the First Missionary Church in Dodge City. They aren't affiliated with the church but have prior relations with them.
–Housing units will arrive the last week of 7/07
–Focus will be on rebuilding mainly the uninsured or severely underinsured families.
–Several items have been donated (ie. Sprung Huts) to house materials.
–One of the Sprung Huts will house the temporary library until another can be built
–They have donors supplying building materials and more will be coming.

"Hope City Kansas" will house volunteers working to rebuild homes in Greensburg, a town devastated by a tremendous tornado earlier this month.

Hope City: rebuilding homes, restoring lives

"Hope City Kansas" will be the second mobile volunteer base camp operated by Hope Crisis Response Network. The first camp operates in Gulfport, Mississippi, providing assistance to families devastated by Hurricane Katrina. "Hope City Kansas" will include two bunkhouse mobile units, with sleeping accomodations for 40; a restroom and shower unit and a mobile kitchen.

$300,000 will purchase the necessary equipment and provide the setup costs for the camp to be ready for volunteers by August. This aggressive fundraising campaign will ensure that homes will be under construction this fall in hard–hit Greensburg.

HCRN needs help in three ways:

Pray – Ask for blessing and wisdom as the HCRN staff moves forward with the ministry work of restoring lives.
Give – Friends, volunteers, individuals and churches can be part of this ministry through financial gifts. God has provided an open door and we want to move quickly in the recovery process.

Go – Volunteers will be needed beginning this August. HCRN has made an initial two–year commitment to the building effort in Greensburg.

Thank you for your generous gifts.
We are called to rebuild and restore.
Thank you for supporting this ministry.

Packets with additional information are available by request from our administrative office. Please call and request your packet, toll–free 1–866–909–HOPE (4673) or through info@hcrn.info.
This email address is being protected from spam bots, you need Javascript enabled to view it.

Donations can be made on–line through our secure donations page or by mailing your pledge or gift to:

Hope Crisis Response Network
P.O. Box 2123
Elkhart, IN 46515
(574) 522–2547

Hope Crisis Response Network – HCRN is a not–for–profit 501c3 organization located in Northern Indiana. The mission of HCRN during times of disaster is to: 1) coordinate and deploy volunteers, resources, and financial assistance to the affected areas; 2) serve as advocates to help victims obtain assistance from appropriate agencies and organizations; and 3) assist in devising and implementing post–disaster long term recovery plans for local communities.

Volunteers are the most valuable and vital resource for any recovery. It is not only our responsibility to provide well–trained volunteers but to equip them with the tools they need to do the job. The secret to having motivated volunteers is to be well prepared and take good care of them. We work within the community to make sure that each of our projects is well planned and managed in a safe and friendly working environment.

When a disaster is declared, HCRN is called upon to provide assistance in all four stages of a disaster:

Stage One– The Emergency
or the 1st Responder

Medical
Security
Food for distribution
Coordinating effective donations
Coordinating volunteer response
Establishing local partnerships

Stage Two– The Relief

Food distribution
Debris clean up
Roof tarping
Home repairs
Medical clinics
Advocacy

Stage Three– The Recovery

Advocacy
Long Term Recovery Committee
Rebuilds

Stage Four– Hazard Mitigation
Community Education

Services offered: Building Materials / Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Housing, Trailers; Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jun 4, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1470

Kansas Housing Resources Corporation (KHRC)

Info/Hotline · Open

State
Greensburg, KS
Phone (785) 296–5865 or 1–800–752–4422

New housing programs to aid Greensburg reconstruction
By Handout
Kiowa County Signal
Fri May 18, 2007, 08:57 AM CDT

As emergency response efforts in Greensburg turn to cleanup and recovery, Kansas Housing Resources Corporation (KHRC) has announced a multi–pronged, long–term strategy to help affected families rebuild their lives and homes.

“The people of Greensburg need temporary housing today, but will also need help tomorrow when the city rebuilds,” said Gary Allsup, KHRC Executive Director. “The strategies outlined by KHRC will help ensure appropriate resources are available when reconstruction begins.”

Governor Kathleen Sebelius said the number one goal is to help Greensburg families get their lives back on track. “It will take time, hard work and cooperation, but once we get through the massive clean–up, it’s good to know there is help around the corner for Greensburg residents,” said Sebelilus.

The reconstruction assistance programs announced by KHRC involve tenant based rental assistance, rental property development, new home construction and the purchase of existing homes in Greensburg ’s surrounding areas. A summary of each program follows:

Tenant Based Rental Assistance
Kansas Housing Resources Corporation is partnering with the Ford County Housing Authority to provide families impacted by the tornado with rental assistance and security/utility deposits for up to six months.
Rental assistance is a payment made directly to the landlord to help families pay their rent.

Eligible families must earn 60% or below of the area median income – $29,880 for a family of four in Kiowa County .
For more information, contact the Ford County Housing Authority at 620–225–8230.

First Time Homebuyer Waivers
Families affected by the tornado who wish to buy existing homes in the Kiowa County area can take advantage of down payment and closing cost assistance through KHRC’s First Time Homebuyer Program. KHRC is waiving the first–time homebuyer requirement and the homeowner investment of 2%. In addition, KHRC has increased the subsidy amount to 20% of the purchase price, up to a maximum of $25,000. Eligible households must have income at or below 80% of the area median – $39,850 for a family of four in Kiowa County. For more information, contact Christine Reimler at 785–296–4818.

Rental Property Development
Opening a special allocation round, KHRC is accepting applications from developers to build new affordable rental housing units in the Greensburg area. KHRC can provide loans and/or housing tax credits to help offset development costs.

Households residing in the new units must have income at or below 60% of the area median – $29,880 for a family of four in Kiowa County .

Interested developers may submit an application at any time.
For more information, contact Fred Bentley at 785–296–3724.

New Home Construction
Greensburg residents can submit applications for KHRC’s new Homebuyer Construction program. KHRC will provide down payment/closing cost assistance to help families build new owner–occupied housing in Greensburg. Households residing in the new units must have income at or below 120% of the state median – $77,915 for a family of four.

For more information, contact Christine Reimler at 785–296–4818.
For more information about the Greensburg reconstruction programs mentioned above, call KHRC at 1–800–752–4422.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Training Classes, Education, 1st Time Home Buyer Education
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 19, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1458

Kansas Rural Farm Helpline / Kansas All Hazards Behavioral Health

Info/Hotline · Open

Community Service
Greensburg, KS
Phone 1(866) 327–6578 or (785) 313–6359

5/29/07:

Via call to Linda Hessman (Counselor/Volunteer with the KS Rural Family Helpline) who was on the ground in Greensburg the KS Rural Family helpline, directed by Charlie Griffin is collaborating efforts with KS All Hazards Behavioral Health.

They will be in the field for the next 30 days, assisting Greensburg survivors with on the spot crisis counseling, as well as the following list of Resource Assistance:

Drug and Alcohol Abuse
Child Behavior Problems
Domestic Violence
Prescription Drug Assistance
Sexual/Physical Abuse
Suicide
Financial Concerns
Bankruptcy
Basic Human Needs (food, clothing)
Stress (emotional, physical, financial, family)
Job Transition/Adjustment/Retraining
Continuing Education
Relocation
Divorce
Child Custody
Foreclosure
Legal Issues
Health Insurance
Animal Health
Aging Concerns
Housing and Housing Repair
Depression

Today, they have 8 volunteer staff in the field. The goal is to have 10–15 daily.

If Mental Health providers are interested in volunteering, know that they are in great demand. You must contact Charlie Griffin at:

1–866–327–6578

A test online must be performed before you are approved to take part in volunteering. Please contact Mr. Griffin directly for more details and qualifications/eligibility to volunteer.

I am forwarding Ms. Hessman a comprehensive list of resources, many she was not aware of that she will share with her co–volunteers to pass out to residents. Many do not have access to the internet or even to listen to 1610 AM radio for updates on resources/instructions/vital information. I also advised her that the Haviland High School Red Cross shelter closed last week and last count nearly a week ago, there were 45 shelter residents at Mulinville High (the shelter was combined). I referred her to Pastor Larry Bassett at UMC in Mulinville to coordinate any mental health needs he can identify.

She also noted that FEMA in her observation are the only people with laptops right now in Greenburg that she's seen. She should have her laptop functioning by Wed. 5/30 that KS Rural Family Helpline provided her with.

She is working on getting an assessment of the mental health status of rural farm families, and to make certain that they've signed up with FEMA. This is of great concern because the thinking is they may not

realize they need to because there are many agricultural org's providing assistance, but it's necessary to get signed on with FEMA whether relief is needed or received from them or not.

Leslie T.

KS All Hazards Behavioral Health Program:
Provides disaster crisis counseling services to survivors of all hazards events

Contact Briana Goff or Stephanie Wick @ (785) 532–1490

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Mental Health, Counselors/Psychologists
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 30, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1475

Kiowa County Emergency Medical Services

Medical Facility · Open

Medical Care
PO Box 616; 501 S Walnut, Greensburg, KS 67054
Phone NON–EMERGENCY 620–723–3341
Web www.kcems.com/index.html

KCEMS Provides 24hr Emergency Medical Services for the communities of Greensburg, Haviland, Mullinville, and Belvidere.

General email: info@kcems.com

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EMS Director Office 620–723–3341 ext. 280

Terra wrote to Jeri Smight to check on on needs.

Services offered: Medical, Services, Emergency Medical Services; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1410

Kiowa County Health Department

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
On the Square, Greensburg, KS
Phone 620–388–4544

Respiratory protection is recommended for all workers. Dust masks are available at the Kiowa County Health Department on the square.

FREE CHILD SAFETY SEATS available from the Kiowa County Health Department at 620–388–4544.

Kiowa County Hotline is: 316–723–2136

Services offered: Baby, Baby Car Seat; Masks, Dust Masks
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1467

Kiowa County, Kansas (Resources/Contacts/Updates)

Info/Hotline · Open

County
Greensburg, KS
Web www.kiowacounty.us

UPDATE 5/17/07:

Per a contact at the Church of Christ in Mullinville, KS
Tyson Chicken pulled out this week and left their food prep white tent. I don't know if anyone is going to claim it.

Red Cross at the Grammer School in Mullinville is getting ready to pull out of the Gymnasium. Church of Christ in Mullinville, KS will take over the Gym to use for storage and volunteer housing purposes.

Leslie Teltoe

Kiowa County/Greensburg Public Information Update
As of 5/17/07, 9 a.m.

(This information is being transmitted to Greensburg area residents on 1610 AM information)

CONTRACTORS MUST REGISTER: at Greensburg City Hall located at the Southeast corner of the courthouse between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. No contract work will be performed without registration and/or license. Contractors are responsible to hauling the debris from the jobsite.

DEBRIS REMOVAL: Residents are responsible for removal of debris from their property. Government haulers will not remove debris from private property. Debris also should not be placed on or near utilities. Call Greensburg City Hall if you have questions related to debris removal at 620–723–2751. Residents can also call the United Way at 211 if you need assistance in cleaning up your property or removing debris.

JOBS AVAILABLE: FEMA is hiring locally for the Greensburg recovery operations. Currently only Greensburg residents are being considered. However, applications are being accepted from all who wish to apply. Call 770–216–3156 or 417–234–3798. You can also visit Jim Tumser at the Haviland Disaster Recovery Center at Barclay College.

WATER SERVICE RESUMING SOON: Officials will be turning on and testing the water lines North of Florida Street today.

Do NOT drink, shower or bathe with the water until officials announce that it is safe to drink.

Contact City Hall at 620–723–2751 to report leaks

In order to speed up the process of getting potable water restored please do not pile debris on top of water meters
FARM FIELD DEBRIS: Those needing their farm fields cleared of debris should call 314–313–4779 or visit the Volunteer Reception Center at Davis Park.

PROGRESS REPORT:

1,600 loads of debris were taken to the landfill today bringing the total to nearly 8,300

The EMEDS hospital opened today. It is located on US 54 across from the John Deere dealership

Firefighters are making temporary street signs

Electrical power is being restored as quickly as possible

Volunteer Reception Center has processed over 1,215 volunteers who have worked 8,600 hours

There will be increased police patrols in Haviland and Mullinville
Offices for county government are being installed on the west side of the courthouse

PLACARDS REQUIRED IN VEHICLES: Police will be issuing placards that are required to be visible in the windshield for all citizen, volunteer and contractor vehicles. All vehicles must stop and check–in with police at checkpoints to be issued a placard.

SAFETY UPDATE:

Curfew remains in effect from 8:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.

You must obey all traffic laws. Law enforcement officers will be strictly enforcing speed limit and other violations.
Be cautious of downed power lines, and treat them as if they were live.

When parking on the roadway, leave room for emergency vehicles and large military vehicles.

While working take frequent breaks in shaded areas and drink plenty of water.

If you feel dizzy, nauseated or experience vomiting you may have heat exhaustion and should seek immediate medical attention.

Due to a lack of shelter in Greensburg, all residents will be asked to evacuate the town to seek shelter if hazardous weather approaches.

Burning is prohibited in the City of Greensburg and highly discouraged in rural areas during times of high winds.

If you witness any arcing power lines, immediately dial 911 or contact the nearest emergency worker

If you find an item that may be dangerous, leave it where it is and notify the nearest law enforcement officer.
Do not enter any building that appears unsafe

Those working in dusty conditions must wear respiratory protection. These masks are available at the Kiowa County Health Department
AVAILABLE FUEL: The fuel point in Greensburg off US 54 is for first responders only. Fuel at this location is not available for any other use.

COMMUNITY EVENTS:

Greensburg Graduation will be held Saturday May, 19 at 10:30 a.m. for 8th Graders and 11:00 a.m. for seniors at the Golf Course. For more information call the Greensburg School District at 620-675-8836 or e-mail Greensburg@swprsc.org

There will be a funeral service for Harold Schmidt Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at the Haviland Friends Church followed by a burial at Fairview Cemetery in Greensburg.

Attorney General Paul Morrison will be visiting Greensburg today. He will hold a press conference to address potential scams and price gouging.

Kiowa County Commission will be meeting every Monday and Thursday at 10:00 a.m. at the Mullinville High School.
Haviland schools will be hosting a "fun day" for Kiowa County students and staff May 23rd from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Haviland High School football field.

There will be free fencing and fence posts available for those that sustained damage to these items due to the storm Friday at 7:30 a.m. at Pratt Livestock

There are several items of livestock food available for free. If you are interested call 620-723-2897.

All residents that were being housed at the Mullinville shelter have relocated to the shelter in Buckland.

VEHICLE REMOVAL: Damaged or destroyed vehicles in Greensburg that were tagged are being moved to the south landfill.

Owners are NOT responsible for the tow fee to the landfill.
Owners need to coordinate with their insurance company for removal of vehicle from the landfill.

To inquire about a vehicle that was moved call law enforcement command at 785-243-0852.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS: Separate hazardous materials and white goods from debris and leave at the curb for removal. This includes appliances, air conditioners, batteries, paint, pesticides, aerosol cans, propane and compressed gas cylinders. These items will be removed by the EPA.

HAZARDOUS SPILLS: Call 911 if you encounter a hazardous spill or leak. If containers are damaged or leaking, do not handle. You can also contact the EPA Spill Line at 913-281-0991.

WASTE FOOD: Place waste food items in trash bags and leave at the curb. Garbage trucks will be picking up and removing this waste.

GARBAGE BAGS: Garbage bags for putting waste food in for pick-up are available at the Convoy of Hope, the Scientology tent and the Salvation Army on the east side of the County Courthouse.

MENTAL HEALTH: To reach a mental health professional call 785-313-6359

INSURANCE COMPLAINTS: To file a complaint against a private insurance company with the Kansas Insurance Commissioner call 1-800-432-2484.

CHILD SAFETY SEATS: Contact the Kiowa County Health Department for Child Safety Seats at 620-338-4544.

KIOWA COUNTY OFFICES: are set up at Mullinville High School from 9:00 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily.

GREENSBURG CITY OFFICES: Are located in trailers southeast of the County Courthouse. They will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily.

STRAY ANIMALS: To report a stray or dead animal or to inquire about a missing pet, call 620-723-2897. All found animals will be at the Pratt County Humane Society, where they will be held for 30 days. For animal boarding needs call 620-672-6777.

VOLUNTEERS: Individuals to volunteer must call 211 (in state) or 1-888-413-4327 (out of state) prior to arrival. Ameri Corp is organizing groups wishing to volunteer. Group leaders must call 314-313-4779.

LOST GUNS: The gun trailer at the KDOT building in Greensburg will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Individuals wanting to claim firearms should bring a photo ID, address information and description of the firearm. Serial numbers are preferred and criminal histories will be run on all persons claiming firearms.

LOST AND FOUND: Lost and found items can be turned in and picked up at the Temporary City Hall located southeast of the Kiowa County Courthouse.

AIRSPACE OVER GREENSBURG: is restricted to official aircraft only. Please report unauthorized aircraft to the nearest law enforcement officer and obtain the tail number if possible.

GREENSBURG MAIL: All Greensburg mail is being forwarded to the Pratt Post Office. Residents and businesses in Greensburg may register for a free post office box at the Pratt Post Office.

DISASTER ASSISTANCE: If you have been affected by the disaster in any way, call 1-800-621-FEMA and visit the Disaster Recovery Center known as "the one stop shop," set up at Barclay College in Haviland. Visit the center or call 620-862-7750 for assistance from: The Kansas Department of Revenue, Department of Health and Environment, SRS, Department of Labor, Veterans Administration, SBA, FEMA, Salvation Army and Red Cross.

Please note: You do not have to wait for insurance payments before contacting these agencies or visiting the center.

Examples of assistance available:

Free legal assistance
Tax Credits
Food Stamps
Cash Assistance
Crisis Counseling
Disaster Unemployment
Drivers' licenses and vehicle registration
Copies of vital documents such as birth or marriage certificates
A Salvation Army Store

FEMA ASSISTANCE: To register for FEMA assistance call 1-800-621-FEMA or go online to www.fema.gov, or apply in person at the FEMA trailer by the Kiowa County Courthouse in Greensburg. Edwards, Pratt and Stafford counties are approved for individual assistance. These counties' residents may use the Disaster Recovery Center located in Haviland.

HOUSING OFFERED BY USDA: Individuals interested in learning more about the USDA Rural Development's Housing program should contact 785-628-3081 or 1-800-338-5546.

SBA DISASTER ASSISTANCE: Offers low-interest disaster loans to homeowners, renters, businesses and private non-profit organizations. Call 1-800-659-2955.

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS: Will be providing transportation to and from the VA Medical Center in Wichita for those needing prescription refills or medical care. Disaster recovery relief for disabled veterans is also available. For more information call 316-688-6722.

CLOTHING AND PERSONAL ITEMS: Are available at the Mullinville and Haviland United Methodist Churches between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

FREE PHONES: AT&T has set up free phones on the west side of the courthouse for residents and responders to use.

Housing assistance:
USDA Rural Development will offer housing to eligible Kansans impacted by the tornado. The housing assistance, subject to availability, will utilize USDA-financed rental housing facilities in rural communities across Kansas. Maximum income limits in Kiowa County for a family of two range from $37,400 to $38,900 and for a family of four from $45,350 to $47,250. Call the Hays office at 785-628-3081, the Iola office at 620-365-2901 or the Manhattan office at 785-776-7582.

Peoples Bank customers:
Greensburg customers can contact The Peoples Bank in Pratt at: 620-672-5611, 1-800-362-2625 or on the internet at: BelleBank.com.

Telephone service:
AT&T has made arrangements for Greensburg storm victims to receive call forwarding at no charge. Request by calling 1-800-464-7928. Eight public phones have been installed west of the courthouse where anyone can make local or long distance calls in the United States without charge.

Newspaper:
The Kiowa County Signal will be published from the:

Pratt Tribune Office
320 South Main

E–mail should go to: editor@kiowacountysignal.com

Postal mail can be sent to:

The Pratt Tribune,
P.O. Box 909
Pratt, KS 67124

GREENSBURG. KS CITY CONTACTS:

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Greensburg, KS 67054
(620) 723–2751

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UNDERSHERRIFF: Thomas Burns
200 E. Wisconsin
Greensburg, Kansas
(620) 723–2182

HAVILAND CITY OFFICES:

City Hall
109 N. Main
Haviland, KS
(620(862–5317

Community Room
Haviland, KS
(620) 862–5317

Public Housing:
College Hill Apartments
300 E. Elm
Haviland, KS
(620) 862–5600

SHELTERS/RED CROSS/KIOWA COUNTY, KS:

Greensburg originally set up a shelter at Barclay College, but it became so crowded they have been moving those people to a shelter at Haviland High School.

The Macksville shelter set up at St. John Oddfellow Lodge at 700 West 1st St. has been closed due to lack of residents. Those rescue efforts have been moved to Haviland to help with the shelter there.

Another shelter has been set up at the Mullinville High School in Mullinville.

Red Cross Command Center/Shelter:
Haviland High School
300 North Topeka
Haviland, KS 67059
Gymnasium: (620) 862–9890

Red Cross Shelter
Barclay College
607 No. Kingman
Haviland, KS 67059
(620) 862–5252 / 1–800–862–0226
NOTES: Per Lois/Haviland Friends Church was sheltering 10 people on 5/5/07 – Became too crowded so people were moved to Haviland High School

Red Cross Shelter
Haviland Friends Church
205 N Kingman
Haviland, KS 67059
(620) 862–5258
Contacts: Lois (Also works at Barclay College)
Pastor: Everett Jantz (Karen)
NOTES: On 5/5/07 was sheltering 29 people (see their facility record)

21st Century Learning Academy Charter High
200 S. Main
Mullinville, KS 67109
(620) 548–2289

RED CROSS CHAPTERS/KIOWA COUNTY, KS:

American Red Cross
Cannonball Trail Chapter
114 N Main, Suite B
Pratt, KS 67124
E–mail: ctarc@redcross.kscoxmail.com
(620) 672–3651

FIRE DEPARTMENTS:

Kiowa County Fire Chief: Earl Anderson
Office phone number (620)723–2203

Haviland Volunteer Fire Department
104 North Main Street
Haviland, KS 67059
(620) 862–5317
Fire Chief: David Getting
NOTES: All volunteer/9 volunteers total

Mullinville Volunteer Fire Department
217 S. Main
Mullinville, KS
(620) 548–2200
Fire Chief: Cody Sherer

Greensburg Volunteer Fire Department
200 W. Wisconsin
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2203
Assistant Fire Chief: Jay Koehn

KIOWA COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT MEDICAL SERVICES
501 S Walnut
Greensburg, KS 67054
NON–EMERGENCY 620–723–3341
Website: http://www.kcems.com/
Email: info@kcems.com
(See facility record)

Senior Center
203 N Main
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2288
Director: Mary Marble

KIOWA COUNTY HEALTH/MEDICAL FACILITIES:

HAVILAND, KS:

Haviland Clinic
(A Department of Kiowa County Memorial Hospital)
106 North Main
Haviland, KS 67059
(620) 862–5431

Clinic Office Hours
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday

GREENSBURG, KS:

Kiowa County Memorial Hospital
501 So. Walnut
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–3341
501 S. Walnut
NOTES: Partial roof collapse / All patients evacuated to
Pratt Regional Medical Center in Pratt, KS/Pratt County

Iroquois Mental Health Center
610 E. Grant
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2272

Public Health Kiowa County Health Department
211 East Florida
Greensburg, Kansas 67054
Located on the lower level in the County Courthouse Building
(620) 723–2136
Clinic Hours:
8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday through Friday
Closed During the Noon Hour
Mitzi Hesser, RN / Lisa Waters, RN
Open Clinic Day every Tuesday
NOTES: All pharmaceuticals were moved Sat. 5/5/07 from the
Kiowa County Memorial Hospital

Assisted Living/Carriage House
723 S. Elm
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–3400
NOTES: "We're getting reports now that 28 residents of the
Carriage House retirement home weathered the storm. All
residents are said to be okay, but are relocating to
Lakepoint facilities in Augusta, Rose Hill and Wichita.
Relatives can call (316) 775–6333 for more information."

KIOWA COUNTY, KS SCHOOLS:

Greensburg, KS District Info Hotline: 1–877–837–5231

MESSAGE FROM GREENSBURG SCHOOL STAFF/USD422:

by STAFF
May 05, 2007

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS HAS SET UP RELIEF STATIONS IN MULLINVILLE AND HAVILAND TO AID THOSE AFFECTED BY THE TORNADO THAT DEVASTATED GREENSBURG, KANSAS ON MAY 4, 2007. IF YOU ARE ATTEMPING TO REACH A LOVED, PLEASE CALL HAVILAND HIGH SCHOOL AT 620–862–9890.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR ALL OF THOSE WHO LOST THEIR LIVES, THEIR HOMES AND THEIR FAMILY MEMBERS.

The administration of GHS would like to send the message of hope and perseverance. In the spirit of not dropping our heads and letting this tragedy get us down, GHS would like to encourage the Ranger student athletes to continue to compete in their respective sports. We would also like to relay to seniors that we will hold a graduation ceremony. Details about graduation will be posted as soon as we get everything arranged.

Due to the fact that everyone is scattered, we will attempt to keep as many people up to date right here on usd422.org. We will be posting leave times and a place of meeting as soon

as we know something concrete. Here is what we know as of Sunday night (5/6/07):

–the softball game scheduled for Monday has been cancelled

–the league golf tournament scheduled for Monday has been moved to Thursday, May 17. Departure TBA.

–the league track meet scheduled for Friday is still on. Every attempt will be made to contact as many track athletes as possible. Departure TBA.

We are also in contact with a sporting goods chain and other possible assistance for those athletes needing items such as shoes, clubs, clothes, etc.

Any questions may be sent or called to Marshall Ballard at marshallballard@usd422.org, 620–862–5621, or 620–388–2880.

Golf team can contact Coach Roe at 620–532–1043.

Track team can contact Coach Hoover at 620–324–5455. Again,

I will do my best to keep the site updated as new information becomes available.

Contact Marshall Ballard at:
marshallballard@usd422.org
620–862–5621, or 620–388–2880 to donate sports equipment and uniforms for students who lost everything and are still participating in school sports events.

NOTE: Greensburg Schools are shut down for the remainder of this '07 school session. Graduation Ceremony details to be announced.

Greensburg High School
420 So. Main
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2164
Superintendant: Darin Headrick
Principal: Randy Fulton

Greensburg Junior High School
600 So. Main
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2332
Principal: Staci Derstein

Greensburg Grade School
Delmer Day Elementary School
600 So. Main
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2332
Principal: Staci Derstein

Kiowa County Learning Center
216 So. Main
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–7004
Director/Instructor: Susan Staats
Para–Professional: Sheryl Christenson

Valley View Christian School (Private)
Route 1
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–3198 or (620) 723–3192

HAVILAND:

Haviland Schools District Office
104 E. Walnut
Haviland, KS
620–862–5256

620–862–5240 (fax)
Superintendent: Mike Waters

Haviland High School
300 N Topeka
Haviland, KS 67059
(620) 862–5217
Principal: Eric Reid
Grades 9–12 (79 students enrolled)

Haviland Grade School
400 N. Topeka
(620) 862–5277
Principal: Eric Reid

Principal for both schools above: Eric Reid
400 N. Topeka
Haviland, KS
620–862–5278

MULINVILLE:

21st Century Learning Academy & Charter School
200 Main
P.O. Box 6
Mullinville, KS 67109
Phone Number: 620–548–2289
Toll Free Number: 877–685–5468
Email: jonesm@mullinville.org

Mullinville School/USD 424
PO Box 6
Mullinville, KS 67109
Phone:(620)548–2217
Email: jonesj@mullinvile.org

KIOWA COUNTY LIBRARIES:

Main Branch
120 S. Main
Greensburg, KS
Hours: Monday – Friday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Librarian: Debie Allison

Haviland Branch
115 N. Main
Haviland, KS
Hours: Monday – Friday 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Librarian: Delores Williams
Available Amenities:
Books for Adults and Children, Audio Books on cassette and CD, Local Newspapers, Magazines, Videos, Tax Forms, Copier, Computer, Internet Access, Interlibrary Loan, and much more...

Mullinville Branch
115 N. Main
Mullinville, KS
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Adventist Community Services Disaster Relief; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; AmeriCorps; Church of Christ Disaster Relief Effort; CWS ~ Church World Service; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Lutheran Disaster Response; Mennonite Disaster Service; Presbyterian Disaster Assistance; Salvation Army; Samaritan's Purse; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response; United Way; World Renew (also known as CRWRC–DRS ~ Christian Reformed World Relief Committee–Disaster Response Services
Updated May 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1414

Mennonite Disaster Service – MDS, Greensburg, KS

Volunteer Camp · Standby

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery
c/o Greensburg Mennonite Church; 310 West Pennsylvania Ave., Greensburg, KS 67054

Phone 1-800-241-8111 From Canada call: 866-261-1274
Web www.mds.mennonite.net/Projects/Greensburg__KS
Checks payable to Mennonite Disaster Service
Service Temporary

2/10/10
NO INFORMATION on website... assumed job completed

From the updated website 1/17/08:

608 North Sycamore Street,
Greensburg, KS 67054

Project Directors: Peter and Dorothy Regehr
Office tel: (620) 723-2223
Volunteer tel: (985) 291-1296
Fax: (620) 324-5623
greensburg@mds.mennonite.net

Project Start Date: May 2007

Volunteer Status: Day volunteers call (985) 291-1296 to volunteer, overnight volunteers call 800-241-8111 to volunteer.

Volunteers to Date: 3446

Jobs Started: 244

Jobs Completed: 223

Project End Date: TBA

1/17/08 emailed update from MDS:

Day volunteers call (985) 291-1296, overnight volunteers call (800)241-8111 to schedule.

*Short term volunteers for Greensburg , call (985) 291-1296

GREENSBURG, KANSAS
Disaster: May 2007 Tornado
Day volunteers call (985) 291-1296, overnight volunteers call (800) 241-8111 to schedule.

All MDS projects will close for Christmas break from December 15, 2007 - January 6, 2008 except for Johnson Bayou RV project which closes on December 20, 2007.

The MDS projects in Greensburg , Mobile and New Orleans have openings for the first two weeks of December but aside from that, all projects are currently full until March.

Occasionally there are cancellations. If you would like to be called about volunteer needs on short-notice (1-3 weeks), please call Sarah Yoder at (800) 241-8111 in advance.

Greensburg , KS

Disaster Description:

An F5 tornado tore through Greensburg, KS, a small southwestern Kansas town on Friday May 4, 2007. The tornado wiped out over 95% of homes and ten people died as a result of the tornadoes. The tornado was estimated to be 1.7 miles in width and traveled for nearly 22 miles with winds reaching over 200 miles per hour. Within hours, teams from Mennonite Disaster Service?s Kansas Unit were in the area doing cleanup.

MDS has set up operations for a project at the Greensburg Mennonite Church. Greensburg has a small Mennonite community. to begin the physical work of rebuilding the community.

Volunteer Status: If you can do electrical, plumbing or roofing work along with general building skills you are needed in Greensburg. If you are willing to work alongside others, you are

still needed in Greensburg. You can volunteer for a day, two days, a week or more.

The MDS Greensburg site can house eight people or more. To volunteer, contact MDS in Greensburg: (985) 291–0710.

Services offered: Housing, Volunteer Housing * (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)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Mennonite Disaster Service
Updated Feb 11, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1768

Samaritans Purse (Greensburg, KS)

Volunteer Camp · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
Greensburg, KS

Phone	(828) 262–1980
Web	www.samaritanspurse.org
Checks payable to	North America Disaster Relief

Samaritans Purse is partnered with Billy Graham Ministries and Lighthouse Worship Center that was destroyed in Greensburg.

As residents of the small town of Greensburg, Kansas, return to their shattered community, Samaritan's Purse volunteers are hard at work helping them clear debris and recover any salvageable possessions.

On the evening of May 4, the town of 1,500 was ripped apart by a deadly tornado that carried winds up to 205 miles per hour. It is estimated that as much as 95 percent of Greensburg was destroyed, including all of its churches.

Samaritan's Purse was on the ground within 24 hours, partnering with local churches and ministries to establish a base of operations. Tractor–trailers filled with tools, heavy equipment, and other relief supplies were dispatched to the area, and we began mobilizing our army of volunteers, who serve as the backbone of all our disaster relief efforts.

As soon as the search and rescue work finished and the town reopened, our staff and volunteers moved into Greensburg to minister to the physical and spiritual needs of this storm–ravaged farming community. We visited with residents and set up two emergency field offices to accept requests for assistance. One of the first lots we cleared belonged to an elderly lady who did not know where to turn for help in removing the large trees strewn across her property. Our team cleared the debris, and the woman is now letting the city construct a makeshift hospital on the land.

We are also assisting an elderly couple who care for foster children. Bob and Irma, both in their 70s, lost the home they have lived in since the 1950s. They never bought insurance because Bob always thought he would be strong enough to rebuild the house himself. After this storm, however, the couple and their foster children found themselves homeless and unable to clear the land on their own. Bob and Irma said they are very grateful that Samaritan's Purse is there to lend a hand to families like theirs.

Along with physical aid, Samaritan's Purse Disaster Relief teams are working hand–in–hand with chaplains from the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association's Rapid Response

Team to bring the hope of Jesus Christ to the devastated residents of Greensburg.

“The people of Greensburg need to know that God loves them and that He is with them in the midst of this tragedy,” said Franklin Graham, President of Samaritan’s Purse. “More than anything else, these people need our prayers.”

Samaritan’s Purse is looking for volunteer teams who are willing to serve in the Greensburg area for at least 3–10 days. Minimum age is 16. Please have your team organized before you contact us. Your team is responsible for providing your own transportation to and from Greensburg. Sleeping quarters and meals will be provided. You will need to bring your own cot or air mattress, sheets, towels, and personal hygiene items.

To sign up your volunteer team to serve in Greensburg, KS, go to the website and:

Download the Volunteer Questionnaire and save it to your computer. This form is a fillable MS Word document.

Carefully fill out each section of the questionnaire. Incomplete questionnaires cannot be processed.

Send the completed questionnaire as an e–mail attachment to: volunteerquestionnaire@samaritan.org.

Our staff will respond within 24 hours.

To support the ministry of Samaritan's Purse to disaster victims in Greensburg and other devastated communities, please select "North America Disaster Relief" on our Donation page.

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Spiritual; Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1442

Shelters, Severe Weather Shelters, Greensburg, KS, INDEX

Shelter · Standby

Evacuation Shelter
Greensburg, KS
Service Temporary

Severe Weather Shelters list for Greensburg, KS:

Carriage House Assisted Living Facility
723 So. Elm

Kiowa County Memorial Hospital
501 So. Walnut

Kiowa County Courthouse
211 E. Florida

CO–OP Grain Elevator Scalehouse
Corners of Main/Ohio Streets

The Best Western hotel is NO LONGER a shelter

Services offered: Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Evacuation, Special Needs Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Dec 27, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1478

UMCOR/Kansas West Conference of the United Methodist Church – Greensburg, KS Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer Camp · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
Greensburg, KS

Phone 1–800–918–3100
Web www.kswestumc.org/news_weekly.asp
Checks payable to UMCOR

UMCOR Helps Kansans Rise from Statewide Damage

NEW YORK, May 10, 2007—Storm damage in Kansas is widespread from a violent weather system that blew through the Midwest May 4 –5. “An entire community was destroyed in Greensburg but nearly the entire state is suffering insult from the powerful phenomena of nature,” report Shirley and Joe Edgerton in a statewide assessment. They are UMCOR–trained disaster response volunteers for the Kansas East Annual Conference.

Wind and rain caused severe damage in the state prompting 25 counties to declare local disaster emergencies from flooding alone. Steve Burnett, another UMCOR–trained disaster responder, is working to set up a disaster response office and is locating housing for the many volunteers who will be needed not only to rebuild Greensburg, which lost 600 homes in a tornado on May 4, but also for other areas affected by the severe weather. “Not only do we need teams preparing to rebuild a town, but somehow we can’t lose all those folks living on the country roads hidden by broken trees, or the ones in their basements tearing up carpets,” comment the Edgertons.

Throughout this process UMCOR disaster consultant Bob Baer has been providing support to the conference disaster coordinators.

UMCOR will continue to provide financial and personnel support to the areas affected by these severe storms for as long as it is needed.

HOW YOU CAN HELP:

Cash gifts will help provide for recovery. Checks can be mailed to UMCOR PO Box 9068, New York, NY 10087. Write “UMCOR Advance #901680, Midwest Tornado Response,” on the memo line of your check. One hundred percent of every donation to any appeal, including appeals for Kansas recovery, goes to support the designated program.

VOLUNTEERS:

If you are interested in volunteering to help in the storm recovery effort, please call the VOLUNTEER HOTLINE at:

1–800–918–3100

Volunteer In Mission teams will also be needed. A temporary volunteer coordination office has been set up in Wichita.

Contact:

Bev Weber at 800–745–2350 or bweber@kswestumc.org

A volunteer coordination office closer to Greensburg will be set up as soon as possible.

Services offered: Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated May 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1443

United Way – Greensburg, KS Volunteer Opportunities/Debris Removal Assistance

Info/Hotline · Open

United Way
Hwy. 54 & Pine Street, Greensburg, KS

Phone 1–888–413–4327 or 211 or 1–800–736–3383

Call the United Way at 211 to request help removing debris.

Homeowners can go to the United Way tent set up at Hwy. 54 & Pine St. to sign up for help with clean up.

There are many ways you can help the victims of the Greensburg tornado.

If you want to volunteer to help with the cleanup efforts call:

1–888–413–4327 or 1–800–736–3383 or 211 to coordinate with the United Way

Posted on Sat, May. 12, 2007

Before You Go to Greensburg, CALL
BY BARBARA J. ISENBERG
The Wichita Eagle
Before piling the family in the car and heading to Greensburg this morning, the United Way wants you to call first and see where and how you're needed.

In Kansas, call the United Way's hotline at 211 or 1–800–736–3383. Outside of Kansas, call: 1–888–413–4327.

The hotline is staffed 24/7 with United Way workers who can tell people wanting to help where they're best needed.

"If needed, they'll be asked to come out –– and if they're not, they'll be told when they can come out," said Sharon Watson, director of public affairs at the Kansas Adjutant General's Department. "This is going to be a long–term effort and there will be many needs now and in the future."

Much of the work this weekend will involve heavy machinery and dangerous work, said Delane Butler, spokesman for the United Way.

"It will be later on that we'll really need people to come out and help do walk–throughs on people's properties," he said.

Once volunteers arrive in Greensburg, AmeriCorps will coordinate their efforts, Butler said.

"I don't think they need a lot of individuals over the next few days, so we're continuing to encourage people to not just show up," he said. "If people are interested, they do need to call ahead of time."

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; AmeriCorps; United Way
Updated May 21, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1447

Mutts & Mutts Rescue League

Donor · Open

Non–Profit Animal Rescue
Greensburg/Pratt, KS

Phone	313–232–0382
Web	www.muttsandmuttsrescue.org
Checks payable to	Mutts & Mutts Rescue League

UPDATE/GREENSBURG, KS ANIMAL DISASTER RELIEF SUPPLIES 5/27/07:

Donna Law with Mutts & Mutts is coordinating donations that will be transported to Pratt County Humane Society in Pratt, KS (sheltering Greensburg, KS rescued animals). The final date for donation gathering in MI is 6/9/07.

Donna has already shipped a load of:

Animal Vitamins/Supplements
Stuffed Animals

She is working with Wolverton Inc. (Brent Catlett/Distributor for dog food/supplies) to ship the in–kind donations from Michigan to Evansville, IN. Once in Evansville, The Hunte Inc. (Ryan Boyle from The Hunte, Inc. will use one of his trucks or pay for a carrier) to get it into Pratt, KS. All in–kind donations will be palletized and ready for truck transport.

All deliveries are being coordinated with board members at the Pratt Humane Society. Despite reports that they "do not need any more supplies", they now have a semi–trailor to store items, and any overage will go to Pets for Pets in Pratt, KS (They have 100 cats and 100 dogs). There are plenty of items that are a going to be a continuing need for months to come.

I provided Donna with an updated list of needs from The Wichita Eagle a couple weeks or less ago.

She is also gathering plus sized clothing for distribution to Greensburg residents. I have it on authority from several churches (and Donna will call first) that they are NOT in need of general clothing but plus size clothing is hard to find.

Leslie Teltoe

Mutts & Mutts Rescue League
P.O.Box 40386
Redford, MI 48240
Main: 313–232–0382
Cell: 313 778–2262

Mutts and Mutts Rescue League is a non–profit 501 C–3 organization founded by a husband and wife team, dedicated to serving the animals since 1997.

Our mission is to provide a safe haven for unwanted animals, and to provide those animals with forever homes through adopt–a–pet events. We educate the public about the importance of spaying and neutering to help reduce the animal over–population, and help low–income people in Detroit with our outreach program by helping provide dog and cat food, dog houses, hay, and finding low–cost spay and neutering programs these families. We are not a shelter – our animals are fostered in homes before they go to adopt a pet sites to be adopted.

OUR WISH LIST:

While there are many things we need, the list below covers those things we can always use, and those that are the most pressing needs.

–blankets, rugs and towels – used ones are just fine
outside dog kennels
–used wood privacy fence panels
–dog/cat crates for showing the animals at adopt a pet sites
–dog/cat canned and dry food is always needed
–leashes and collars – used are fine, all sizes, dogs and cats
–dog houses for our outreach program digital camera for photos
–of animals (preferably something that can be used at off sites, without needing to be attached to a computer) newspapers bleach
–phone cards Costco or Sam's Club gift certificates Help paying for license and insurance for a van that was recently donated to Mutts and Mutts.

We exist solely on donations and volunteers. Monetary donations are always welcome and may be tax deductible too – see your accountant for more info.

If you're interested in helping with our adoption days, or in fostering animals, please contact Donna for more information.

Long term, we'd like to create a sanctuary – a place where rescued animals can be brought on a moment's notice, and where they can stay

long term if they are older animals or in need of long term medical care before their adoption.

Donna has been boarding a couple dogs for a soldier stationed in Iraq. Ultimately she'd like to provide this service in an expanded way.

Services offered: Advocacy, Animals, Community Outreach Programs; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Adoption, Animal Adoption Events; Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care, Foster Homes, Dogs & Cats, Volunteer; Animals, Food, * Cat Food (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Food, * Dog Food (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Medical, Spay / Neuter Program; Animals, Shelter, Dog Houses, Dog Shelters; Livestock, Feed * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Livestock, Feed, Hay (Large Animal Feed); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1452

Haviland Family Clinic

Medical Facility · Open

106 N. Main St., Haviland, KS 67059
Phone 620.862.5431
Hours Mon. – Friday 8am–5pm

Terra emailed Pam to see if she needs anything specific. If she does, we'll hook her up with Americares and CAP, etc.

Services offered: Medical, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1420

Haviland Friends Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
205 N Kingman, Haviland, KS 67059
Phone (620) 862–5258
Web None

Via call to Lois at Haviland Friends Church/1:00 pm CST:

"The number is more like 400 evacuees in Haviland, KS ~ The Command Center is at Haviland High School ~ Red Cross is currently BB'Q'ing burgers for evacuees, plenty of food and shelter room ~ Only ten people sheltering at Barclay College (This is alumni weekend so they are pretty full up on space) ~ Haviland Friends Church has no needs at this time ~ Wal–Mart has brough in more than enough water ~ We are feeding shelter residents sandwiches and chips – Many evacuees have left our church – Relatives have come to pick them up".

Will check back in with them in a week to assess their role as they will likely be involved in assisting with debri removal – LTel

Services offered: Counseling, Spiritual; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Services, Church/Worship Services; Shelter, Emergency Shelter
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jun 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1409

Haviland High School

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Evacuation Shelter, School
300 North Topeka, Haviland, KS 67059
Phone Gymnasium: (620) 862–9890
Serves Kiowa County, KS
Eligibility Evacuees, Severe Weather (Tornado's)
Service Temporary

Via call to Lois at Haviland Friends Church/1:00 pm CST:

"The number is more like 400 evacuees ~ The command center is at Haviland High School ~ Currently barbequeing burgers for evacuees, plenty of food and shelter room ~ Only ten people sheltering at Barclay College (This is alumni weekend so they are pretty full up on space) ~ Haviland Friends Church has no needs at this time ~ Wal–Mart has brough in more than enough water"

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Associated Press – 5/5/07 12:48 EDT:

"School buses lined up to take people to the nearby town of Haviland, where the Red Cross opened shelters at Haviland High School and Barclay College.

"We have more than 300 people in shelters in Haviland," Watson said. "We have another 300 en route to take advantage of those shelters, and we anticipate that number to grow."

Services offered: Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Dec 27, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1407

Haviland Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

115 N Main, Haviland, KS
Hours M–F 1 p to 5 p

Delores Williams, Librarian

Services offered: Services, Tech, Internet Access
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jun 6, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1434

Haviland Volunteer Fire Department

Info/Hotline · Open

City Run
104 North Main Street, Haviland, KS 67059
Phone (620) 862–5317

All volunteer, city run Fire Department
9 Vol. Firefighters
Fire Chief is: David Getting

Services offered: Services, Emergency Services
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 5, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1411

South Central Kansas Tornado Recovery Organization

Volunteer Camp · Open

Disaster Relief
201 N Main; P.O. Box 208, Haviland, KS 67059
Phone 620–862–5882
Hours 9–5 M–Fri

Contact person: Matt Deighton or Kathleen Blair
Phone number: 620–862–5882
Best hours to call: 9:00–5:00 Mon–Fri
E–mail Address: scktro@havilandtelco.com
Is E–Mail address read daily? Yes

Location/Region:
Kiowa, Comanche, Edwards, Pratt, & Stafford Counties of Kansas

Description of volunteer needs: Clearing debris, Building homes, Counseling for grief and post–traumatic stress.

Skills volunteers are required to have: License or references for counseling. No other requirements.

Useful Skills: Any building related skills.

Tools or supplies volunteers should bring: Heavy equipment to finish debris cleanup. Bring building tools related to what you can do.

Will volunteers need to bring any money or material, such as for housing: Bring money for your food. Any donation for purchasing building materials would be welcome, but not necessary.

Length of time volunteer can help: 1 full day

Size of volunteer team: call and ask––depends on housing space

Are individual volunteers welcome? Yes

Age restriction, if any: minimun 16 years

Denomination/affiliation, if any: None required. We are multi–denominational.

Housing provided for volunteers, if any: Yes, we will provide in coordination with area churches.

Meals provided for volunteers, if any: You provide your own food. All churches have kitchen facilities.

Any additional notes: Bring sleeping bags or bedding, bug spray, sunscreen, sturdy shoes. A recent tetanus shot is recommended.

Approximate date the project started: May–07–2007
Estimated date the project will end: Sep–30–2009
Information Updated: Jul–09–2007

Services offered: Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Kitchen, Kitchen Privileges (For Volunteers); 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); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jul 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1566

South Central KS Tornado Recovery Organization (SCKTRO) – Greensburg

Volunteer Camp · Open

LTRC
(Banco Insurance Building); 201 N Main St.; PO Box 208, Haviland, KS 67059

Phone 620–723–3155 or 620–862–5882
Web www.scktro.org/index.html
Hours 9 am –5 pm, Mon–Fri, CST
Serves Kiowa, Commanche, Edwards, Pratt, Stafford Counties
Eligibility Impacted by the 5/07 Greensburg Tornado
Service Temporary

FROM THE SITE:

WE CAN PROVIDE

Repair/Rebuilding Assistance –– Volunteer Labor –– Donated Goods –– Spiritual/Psychological Referrals

FROM DNN:

Street Address: 201 N Main St., PO Box 208
City: Haviland State: KS
Zip Code: 67059 Country: USA

Contact person: Matt Deighton or Kathleen Blair
Phone number: 620–723–3155 or 620–862–5882
Best hours to call: 9 am –5 pm, Mon–Fri, CST
E–mail Address: scktro@havilandtelco.com
Is E–Mail address read daily? Yes
Website address, if any: www.havilandtelco.com/~scktro/

Counties Served: Kiowa, Comanche, Edwards, Pratt, & Stafford Counties of Kansas

Speciality: Recovery & Rebuilding from May 4–5, 2007 Tornadoes

Description of volunteer needs: Skilled and unskilled labor for building & rebuilding homes

Skills volunteers are required to have: None

Useful Skills: Any building/construction related skills

Rural/Farm related volunteers needed: Yes, please call for specifics Tools or supplies volunteers should bring: Bring building/construction tools related to jobs you can do.

Will volunteers need to bring any money or material, such as for housing: Bring money for food. Bring bug spray, sunscreen, sturdy shoes; sleeping bags or bedding. Any donation for purchasing building materials would be welcome, but is not necessary.

Length of time volunteer can help: 1 full day to longer

Size of volunteer team: Depends on housing space

Are individual volunteers welcome? Yes

Age restriction, if any: Minimum 16 years old

Denomination/affiliation, if any: None required. We are multi–denominational.

If yes, must volunteer be a member: No

Any other restrictions: Tetanus shot recommended

Housing provided for volunteers, if any: Yes, we will provide in coordination with area churches. Bring sleeping bags or bedding.

Meals provided for volunteers, if any: Possible, please all for specifics.

Any additional notes: Please come and help this area devastated by May tornadoes. We need your help to recover. Thank you.

Approximate date the project started: May–07–2007
Estimated date the project will end: Dec–31–2008
Information Updated: Nov–28–2007

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Volunteer Housing (FREE); Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Unmet Needs Committee Meetings; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee Advice; 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); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Baptist Churches–USA; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Church of Christ Disaster Relief Effort; Church of the Brethren Disaster Response; CWS ~ Church World Service; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Lutheran Disaster Response; Mennonite Disaster Service; Salvation Army; Southern Baptist Conference Disaster Relief; UMCOR Relief Network; United Way
Updated Dec 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2835

United Methodist Church (Also see United Methodist Disaster Relief/ Greensburg)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
322 N. Main, Haviland, KS
Phone 620–862–5267
Hours 9 am – 6 pm

VOAD Meeting Notes 9/25/08

The Haviland United Methodist Church Clothing Store will close 10/13/07

From the KS West Conference of the UMC website 5/18/07:

Individual volunteers are needed to assist with the distribution centers (clothing, personal items, etc.) at Haviland United Methodist Church, 620–862–5267, and at Mullinville United Methodist Church, 620–548–2585. Please contact the churches to volunteer for the distribution centers.

"CLOTHING AND PERSONAL ITEMS: Are available at the Mullinville and Haviland United Methodist Churches between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m."

United Methodist Disaster Relief is providing financial assistance to Greensburg residents at Haviland UMC.

Services offered: Case Management, UMCOR ; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Hair, Shampoo/Conditioner; * KITS, BEDDING KITS, NEW or Gently Used Items; Linens, Bedding, Sheets * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types)

Campaigns: LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Oct 14, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1429

United Methodist Disaster Relief (Also see United Methodist Church/Haviland, KS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

United Methodist Disaster Relief
322 Main Street, Haviland, KS
Phone (620) 727–7892

(PER VOAD MEETING NOTES FROM 5/11/07)

Nancy Proffitt
(620) 727–7892
nproffitt@cox.net

Has hot food trailer in Greensburg. Disaster Response office located at the United Methodist Church in Haviland, KS.

"CLOTHING AND PERSONAL ITEMS: Are available at the Mullinville and Haviland United Methodist Churches between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m."

United Methodist Disaster Relief is providing financial assistance to Greensburg residents at:

United Methodist Church
322 N. Main
Haviland, KS

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1462

Central Kansas Veterinary Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Animal Clinic
515 W. Blanchard, Hutchinson, KS 67505

Phone	(620) 663–8387 or (620) 662–7387
Web	www.centralksvet.com/542097.html
Checks payable to	Central Kansas Veterinary Center

Central Kansas Veterinary Center in South Hutchinson is also accepting donations for the Pratt Humane Society. Central Kansas is currently treating five of the displaced animals. The address of CKVC is:

Central Kansas Veterinary Center
515 W. Blanchard
South Hutchinson, KS 67505
(620) 663–8387 or (620) 662–7387
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 16, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1439

Disciples Disaster Response – KANSAS

Volunteer Camp · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery/Rebuilding
701 Niles Street, Kinsley, KS 67547

Phone	1–888–346–2631
Web	www.discipleshomemisisons.org
Serves	Greensburg, Kinsley & Pratt, Kansas
Eligibility	Recovery from April 2007 Tornadoes
Service	Temporary

Street Address: 701 Niles Street
City: Kinsley State: KS
Zip Code: 67547 Country: USA

Contact person: Anne Marie Moyars – Disciples Volunteering Office
Phone number: 888–346–2631
Best hours to call: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, M–F, EST
Fax number: 317–635–4426
E–mail Address: amoyars@dhm.disciples.org

Is E–Mail address read daily? Yes
Website address, if any: www.discipleshomemisisons.org

AREA SERVED: Greensburg, Kinsley & Pratt, Kansas

Speciality: Recovery from April 2007 Tornadoes

Description of volunteer needs: Rebuilding homes and businesses destroyed by tornadoes

Skills volunteers are required to have: None required

Useful Skills: Any and all trade skills

Rural/Farm related volunteers needed: No

Tools or supplies volunteers should bring: None, all are provided

Will volunteers need to bring any money or material, such as for housing: Expenses for meals and transportation

Length of time volunteer can help: 1 day or longer

Size of volunteer team: Open

Are individual volunteers welcome? Yes

Age restriction, if any: 16 years old & up

Denomination/affiliation, if any: Christian–Disciples of Christ; All are welcome

If yes, must volunteer be a member: No

Any other restrictions: No

Housing provided for volunteers, if any: Yes

Meals provided for volunteers, if any: No

Approximate date the project started: Jun–01–2007
Estimated date the project will end: Dec–31–2009
Information Updated: Aug–07–2008

Services offered: Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Volunteer Housing (FREE); 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); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Disciples Disaster Response
Updated Jan 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4069

City of Lawrence

Info/Hotline · Open

Lawrence, KS 66044
Phone (785) 832–3000
Web www.ci.lawrence.ks.us
Service Temporary

City News –

http://www.ci.lawrence.ks.us/news_releases

Emergency – Resources
http://www.lawrenceks.org/advisory_boards/cch/shelters
Homeless Resources
(see left side for more links)

Services offered: Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Dec 28, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4834

Nazarene Disaster Response – Church of the Nazarene – Global Ministry Center (International)

Info/Hotline · Open

17001 Prairie Star Parkway, Lenexa, KS 66220
Phone 913.577.0500
Web www.nazarenecompassion.org/NDR/tabid/665/Default.aspx
Service Temporary

From Headquarters to Global Ministry Center
http://web.nazarene.org/site/PageServer?pagename=GMC_Home

http://www.nazarene.org

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Update: Deadly Flooding Covers Pakistan
27 August 2010
http://www.ncm.org/news/

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Nazarene District Web Sites Directory
http://www.usamission.org/DistrictSites/tabid/114/Default.aspx

http://www.nazarenecompassion.org/NDR/tabid/665/Default.aspx

Contact Us:

Nazarene Compassionate Ministries USA/Canada Regional Office
1-800-306-9950
ndr @nazarene.org

Steve Creech (Nazarene Disaster Response National Director)
(252) 444-1279
screech @ncmi.org

9/2/10

Hurricane Earl projected to brush along Atlantic Coast this weekend. Any small variance to the left may result in landfall.

NDR Rapid Response Teams are standing by for possible mobilization.

Hurricane watches remain in effect for parts of NC and VA.

Services offered: Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2010 Hurricane Earl; 2010 Pakistan Floods
Updated Sep 3, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6259

Kansas Farm Bureau Weather Recovery Fund

Donor · Open

State
ATT'N: Accounting Department; 2627 KFB Plaza, Manhattan, KS 66503

Farmers and ranchers throughout southwest-central, central and northeastern Kansas are dealing with the aftermath of tornadoes, high winds, excessive rainfall and flooding. This includes the loss/severe damage to homes and outbuildings, livestock loss, crops damaged or in some cases completely obliterated, as well as damaged or destroyed farm equipment, fencing and irrigation systems.

"These kinds of natural disasters tend to bring out the best in rural folks," said Steve Baccus, an Ottawa County farmer who serves as president of Kansas Farm Bureau. "When the worst happens, people want to help. As an agriculture advocacy organization, we want to do all we can to take advantage of that generosity and help direct the resources where they're needed most."

Kansas Farm Bureau has established a farmer/rancher weather recovery fund designed to assist farmers and ranchers who have suffered loss or sustained damage due to the severe weather in Kansas. County Farm Bureau organizations, Farm Bureau members and others interested in assisting are urged to send donations to:

Kansas Farm Bureau Weather Recovery Fund
ATT'N: Accounting Department
2627 KFB Plaza
Manhattan, KS 66503

or you may donate conveniently and securely online at:

www.kfb.org/kfbweatherfund

If donors wish to designate a particular county, area or type of need they would like to see addressed, that

would be helpful in distributing the funds. In addition, KFB's District Administrators in the affected areas can serve as excellent resources to match up groups and individuals wishing to volunteer their time and energy, with farmers and ranchers in need of cleanup help.

State and federal government leaders were quick to react to the hardest hit areas, securing the appropriate weather–disaster related declarations, freeing the way for federal emergency management assistance to deal with the immediate human needs.

The declaration made by President Bush offers loans and some emergency conservation assistance. When producers are ready to tackle farm–related damage issues, they are urged to contact their local Farm Service Agency office. KFB is in contact with the state's Congressional delegation to ensure they are up to speed with the extent and amount of agricultural damage and loss.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1436

21st Century Learning Academy & Charter School – USD424

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Evacuation Shelter, School
200 So. Main, Mullinville, KS 67109
Phone 620) 548–2217 / (620) 548–2289
Web www.mullinville.org
Service Temporary

The Mullinville High School Gym is a Red Cross Shelter. Fewer and fewer folks are being sheltered here as relatives pick up family and many residents of Greensburg, KS are staying with church members.

The gym has run out of space to store the many deliveries of supplies/food being brought in and they need help with Warehouse Space, Storage Pods, or even semi–truck trailors.

Call Sandy Mosshart/Vol. Coordinator with the Mullinville Church of Christ if you can assist the town of Mullinville at: (620) 548–2512

Services offered: Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Dec 27, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1425

Mullinville Church of Christ

Supply POD · Open

Church
100 South Maple, Mullinville, KS 67109
Phone (620) 548–2512
Checks payable to Mullinville Church of Christ

UPDATE 5/17/07:

Per Sandy Mosshart:

They've secured 12 Sea Containers for Storage

They have NEW appliances (washers/dryers/refrigerators) & furniture. This requires application and intake process. If residents of Greensburg have homeowner's insurance to cover household items they would not be eligible

Any other type of distribution items such as food, diapers, personal toiletries, etc. only require ID and a FEMA #

They are working with the Church of Christ Disaster Relief Effort out of Nashville, TN.

They have a satellite feeding unit that serves lunch in Greensburg at the corner of Garfield/Bay (which is at the 1st stop sign if you are entering Greensburg from the West)

The local Cross–Quilters just donated 125 brand new beautiful handmade comforters for distribution

(OLD NOTE)

5/9/07 – Spoke with Sandy Mosshart/Vol. Coordinator for Mullinville Church of Christ:

Shelters: There are few left in shelters / Most evacuees are with family or church members. Any evacuees remaining in shelter are at the only school in Mullinville in the gym.

Counseling: Professional Grief Counselors are arriving Fri. May 11th in Mullinville, KS.

Roads: Still closed and can't reach Haviland. Pratt is 30 miles from Greensburg but they are "full".

Donations: Their donation fund is two tiered. One fund for their church members who lost their home and all their posessions and the other is a General Fund to assist all community members of Greensburg, KS.

Church of Christ National Relief Effort: They delivered –
Water
MRE's
Food Boxes (to feed families for 5 days)
Toys
Sheets/Blankets/Bedding

Long Term Recovery: Sandy Mosshart is the Volunteer Coordinator for her congregation and they will eventually be bringing in and distributing:

Appliances
Furniture
Beds

MAJOR PRIORITY: There is NO housing for volunteers nor is there anymore space for storage for all the donated supplies in this rural community. FEMA immediately took over any empty buildings and warehouses. They've run out of space at the school gym. For the last three days Sandy's priority has been to secure storage and develop the means to house volunteers for long term recovery efforts.

They URGENTLY NEED:

Storage Pods
Warehouse Space
Semi–Trailer Trucks for storage

Quanza Huts (to house volunteers)
Bunkhouses (to house volunteers)
Tents (to house volunteers)
Portable Toilets/Showers (for volunteers/survivors)

Any coordination for long–term disaster recovery advice that org's or individuals can share is welcome. They've gotten an outpouring of assistance from across the country and it's very much appreciated. Someone has come in to help them set up bookkeeping.

Please contact Sandy Mosshart at: mullinvillecoc@hotmail.com or call: (620) 548–2512 to coordinate volunteer efforts, donations, disaster recovery efforts for Greensburg, KS.

News – Kansas tornado destroys homes of 11 church families

By Erik Tryggestad
The Christian Chronicle
5–9–07

Eleven families who attend the Mullinville, Kan., church lost their homes when a tornado demolished the nearby town of Greensburg, claiming 10 lives.

The Friday night storm, more than a mile wide, tore the carpet from floors and destroyed about 95 percent of the buildings in the southern Kansas town of about 1,500 people, said Mullinville church member Sandy Mosshart, who is coordinating her congregation's response.

Most of the church members in Greensburg rode out the storm in their basements or shelters. One of the church's deacons donned a motorcycle helmet and gave his wife a construction hardhat as the storm moved overhead, Mosshart said.

Though no members were injured, the families emerged after the storm to find their homes reduced to concrete slabs.

"It just cleaned off their homes," Mullinville minister Russell Scott said.

Only one of the members' homes was left mostly intact by the storm — a mobile home, oddly enough, Mosshart said.

As disaster workers sifted through the rubble Monday, displaced church members stayed in the homes of relatives or fellow members in Mullinville, about 10 miles west of Greensburg. Several church–supported relief agencies are sending assistance.

Workers with Nashville, Tenn.–based Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort delivered water and food to the area late Saturday, executive director Joe Dudney said. A tractor–trailer truck of cleaning supplies, blankets and other necessities is due to arrive at the Mullinville church Tuesday, with additional trucks of supplies, including generators, to follow, Dudney said.

The Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team is sending a mobile kitchen to feed displaced Greensburg residents and relief workers. The 30–foot kitchen, capable of feeding 5,000 people per day, should arrive in Greensburg later this week, said Laura Cremeans, a coordinator of the West Melbourne, Fla.–based ministry. The ministry also is sending supply trailers filled with tools and new clothing, Cremeans said.

"The response has just been astronomical," Mosshart said.

Though the ministries are helping the church members and other Greensburg residents with their immediate needs, "we'll need help from the brotherhood to rebuild," she said.

Donations to rebuild homes destroyed by May 4 tornado may be sent to:

Mullinville Church of Christ
P.O. Box 184
Mullinville, KS 67109–0184

Services offered: Appliances, Large, Kitchen, Refrigerator; Appliances, Large, Washing Machine, Washer/Dryer; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Bedroom, Dressers; Furniture, Mattress * (ANY/ALL Types of Mattresses) ; Furniture, Table, Dining Table; Linens, Bedding * (ANY/ALL Types of Bedding) New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Linens, Bedding, Pillows, NEW ONLY; Meals, Lunches, Misc.; Meals, MRE's, MRE, Meals–Ready–To–Eat; Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, Bottles (Pallets)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1424

United Methodist Church

Supply POD · Open

Church
220 N Locust, Mullinville, KS 67105
Phone (620) 548–2585

DO NOT SEND OR DELIVER ANY DONATIONS WITHOUT CALLING THIS FACILITY FIRST FOR A CURRENT NEEDS LIST!

NO CLOTHING IS NEEDED! They are overun with clothing (with exception to SLEEPWEAR & would accept plus size clothing – Has to be CLEAN).

From the KS West Conference of the UMC website:

May 18
Individual volunteers are needed to assist with the distribution centers (clothing, personal items, etc.) at Haviland United Methodist Church, 620–862–5267, and at Mullinville United Methodist Church, 620–548–2585. Please contact the churches to volunteer for the distribution centers.

Call from Larry Bassett/Pastor – Appointed Faith–based VOAD Coordinator – 5/18/07:

Red Cross is NOT pulling out. They're Command Center will remain at the gym and on 5/17/07 they closed the Red Cross Haviland High School shelter and moved evauess to the Grammer School gym in Mullinville. There are a total of 43 evacuee's there now. They are being fed lunch and dinner.

UMC in Mulinville will be receiving multiple retail racks and 1000 hangers for clothing. This will free up their Sunday School rooms for Volunteer Housing and they expect over the next weeks to have room enough for 30 plus volunteers to be housed. They will be able to utilize the gym showers for volunteers.

Tyson Chicken pulled out this week.

Mon. 5/21 is the next VOAD meeting.

Effective 5/18 they've removed about 8000 loads of debris.

Despite the news media, they DO in fact have more than enough heavy equipment and the National Guard has done a fabulous job.

I referred Pastor Bassett to Church of Christ to coordinate their needs with Donna Mosshart for diapers and pajamas. On 5/17 she agreed to share whatever their needs were when I spoke with her on the phone.

I will check back in a week.

Via call to Lucille Way at UMC/Mullinville, KS:

For Long–Term Recovery Volunteer purposes they NEED:

Porta–potties
Portable showers would be a plus

Monetary donations are best as a PRIORITY so items can be purchased locally to fill specific on demand needs.

They are using one Sunday School room as a nursery.

They have a 'baby room' with supplies and infant/toddler clothing, food, toys, etc. that Greensburg residents can 'shop' in.

Services offered: Animals, Food, * Dog Food (ANY/ALL Types); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; RV Hook–Ups; RV Parking for Volunteers; Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; UMCOR Relief Network; VOAD (this org is not a member, but is "affiliated")
Updated May 28, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1454

Kansas Support for House of Hope (ORPHANAGE) – 2010 Haiti Earthquake

Info/Hotline · Open

Orphanage
917 R Lane; Gressier/Leogane, Oberlin, KS 67749

Web houseofhopehaiti.com/earthquake.html
Serves Haiti
Service Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE (Date of update unknown):

The earthquake in Haiti is a disaster of unimaginable proportions. We have spent many anxious days waiting for word from our orphanage and schools there and finally received an email Thursday saying that the children and workers were unhurt and there was not much damage to the structures. The House of Hope ministry is located about 40 miles north of Port–au–Prince, so we are thankful that it escaped the worst of the damage.

Some of our partners for the House of Hope have gone into Port–au–Prince to aid in rescue efforts and hand out water and medicine. Amazingly, we took a group to Haiti just a week before the earthquake, and a couple from Ord, Nebraska, who owns a pharmacy, donated large amounts of medicine. Praise God, they have been able to use it to help injured people in Port–au–Prince.

Of great concern, though, is that there is no food to be found right now in Haiti. I received an email this morning that all of the stores are either destroyed or closed for security reasons. Food aid has not yet become available. Please pray that the aid will come through soon, and that security will be restored soon so that stores can open.

We are also very concerned for the number of orphans that this disaster has created. There are already over 200,000 orphans in Haiti, and the number is expected to be much higher. We have directed our partners there to take in as many orphans as they can now, so we can house them temporarily at the orphanage and other sites that we have.

Our plan over the next weeks and months is to build another orphanage that can house 50 more children. We expect that we will need to raise about $25,000 to build it, and that to support the children, we will need to find sponsors who are willing to give $40/month for each child.

To view additional updates and to see pictures from the most recent trip to Haiti, please visit Living Water Haiti.

CONTACTS FROM THE WEBSITE:

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25596 West 270th St, Maryville, MO 64468
Phone: 660–562–8171

Lenore Bellamy(Certified Public Accountant)––lbellamy @embarqmail.com

Nannette Zander(Board Member)––nzander@ruraltell.net
917 R Lane, Oberlin, KS 67749
Phone: 785–475–1110

Jobens Morleon(Translator)––jobensforever@yahoo.com

Please consider sponsoring a child though House of Hope Haiti and/or giving a donation to help build another desperately needed orphanage on the Williamson school grounds.

Donations to House of Hope Haiti, which is a tax–exempt, 501(c) 3 charity, can be mailed in care of:

House of Hope
917 R Lane
Oberlin, KS 67749.

BLOG –
http://houseofhopehaiti.blogspot.com/

Partner with –
http://www.crossworld.org/home.html

1/21/10

http://goodshepherdblog.wordpress.com/2010/01/21/some–news–from–house–of–hope–january–21–2010/

1/17/10

http://portmargot.blogspot.com/2010/02/earthquake–reflections–leogane–trip.html

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Facility: Orphanage; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Online Networking, Blog; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Orphanage, Temporary Shelter For Displaced Orphans
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Oct 14, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5234

Heart to Heart International HQ

Medical Facility · Open

Non– Profit Mobile Medical Care
401 S. Clairborne, Suite 302, Olathe, KS 66062

Phone 913-764-5200
Web www.hearttoheart.org
Serves International
Service Permanent

2012 HURRICANE ISAAC
http://www.hearttoheart.org/Home/News/August-2012/Heart-to-Heart-Deploys-to-Gulf.aspx

2011 JOPLIN TORNADO

Source at:
http://www.kansascity.com/2011/05/26/2907172/joplin-overwhelmed-with-donations.html

HAITI RESPONSE 1/10:

See the CAT FACILITY Record for their Haiti Operations at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/edit/5144

Global Distribution Center
1021 Pacific Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66102
Phone: 913-321-6199
Fax: 913-371-2403

International Programs Office
5915 NW 23rd Street, Suite 205
Oklahoma City, OK 73127
Phone: 405-787-5200
Fax: 405-787-5328

From the KSVOAD Contact list:

World Headquarters
HOWER, STEVE
HEART TO HEART
401 S CLAIRB0RNE RD., STE. 302
OLATHE, KS 66062-1735
Work: (913) 764-5200
Fax: (913) 764-3527
steve.hower@hearttoheart.org

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Mobile Field Medical Clinic; Medical, Services, Mobile Medical Unit/Clinic; Medical, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, International; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; 2013 Oklahoma Tornadoes; Heart to Heart International; VOAD - Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Nov 27, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1472

Happy Tails Farms - 5/11 MO Tornadoes

Animal Shelter · Open

Pittsburg, KS
Phone 620-875-9821 or 620-875-9821
Web www.petfinder.com/shelters/KS183.html
Service Temporary

Pet Related-ANIMAL SHELTERS-Happy Tails Farms in Pittsburg KS are opening up the Rescue to help the animals from this storm. If anyone needs boarding or has found a displaced or Injured animal we can help until further assistance can be had. call 620-875-9821 or 620-875-9821. Central Pet Care at 224 West Central in Carthage is open to accept animal emergencies and displaced animals. Call 417.358.1300 for more info.

FROM THE SITE:

Happy Tails is trying to put forth the effort of helping the displaced animals from the Joplin Tornado. If you have found an animal in need or have one you need to board until you can figure out your living arrangements. Please contact us. If we cant help medically we have lots of contacts who can. We are again offering temporary boarding, food, shelter, for those animals in need. Contact us

Services offered: Animals, Animal Care, Boarding, Pet Boarding; Animals, Food, * Animal Food (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring - Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms
Updated May 23, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8408

Christian Food Bank

Warehouse · Open

Food Bank
111 W 4th St, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone (620) 672-5150 , 672-6631, 672-9379

After hours emergency only:
(620) 672-5042

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http://www.prmc.org/communityresources/index.php

Community Resources

The agencies listed in this section are available to help you connect with resources for concerns ranging from health care and meal services to religious worship and senior needs. To locate assistance for a specific concern, choose from the “Select a Service Category” window below.

Select a Service Category

--Select Category-- Abuse/Violence, Adoption, Alcohol & Drug Education/Counseling, Children/Youth Services, Children/Youth Services, Child Care & Protection, Churches, Clothing, Disabled Services, Domestic Services, Environmental Health, Family Planning, Clinics & Programs, Food and/or Meal Assistance, Food Stamps, Foster Parenting, Health Education, Home Health Services, Housing, Illness, Education & Support, Immunization Clinics, Job Preparation Programs, Medical Equipment, Mental Health Services, Newborn Home Visit Program, Nutrition Counseling, Pratt Area Clubs & Organizations, Pratt County Emergency Food Bank, Schools ,Senior Services, Services for the Blind, Shut-in Meals, Terminally Ill Special In-home Services, Transportation, Utility Assistance Wellness Programs

Social Resources are ever changing. As new services appear and existing services narrow or broaden, changes will occur. Every effort has been made to ensure that the information presented here is accurate. If you wish to inform us of any changes, or if your agency wishes to be included in the next update, please contact Colleen Winkel, LBSW, ACSBW, Social Service Manager, Pratt Regional Medical Center, 200 Commodore, Pratt, KS 67124, (620) 450-1413.

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Guide To Community Services

A guide to state and local agencies that can provide a vast array
of services and assistance to Kansans.

http://www.srskansas.org/ISD/community_services/Pratt.htm

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Sep 11, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1456

Greensburg Future Fund (South Central Community Foundation)

Donor · Open

Community
P.O. Box 8624, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone (620) 672-7929
Web www.southcentralcommunityfoundation.com/SCCF/web-content/index.html

From the SCCF Website/Press Release:

GREENSBURG FUTURE FUND ESTABLISHED

Pratt elementary school students Hazen and Sevren Hance are among the first contributors to a new Greensburg rebuilding fund established at the South Central Community Foundation. The 8-year old third grader and 6-year-old kindergartener contributed $60 for recess toys for the children of Greensburg , along with their parents Robin and Evan Hance, Pratt.

“We have established the Greensburg Future Fund for the purpose of helping Greensburg rebuild their community,” said Jack Galle, chairman of the SCCF Board of Directors. “We have received numerous inquiries from individuals and organizations about providing donations for Greensburg .

"We recognize that many organizations are providing disaster relief for Greensburg ,” Galle added. “However, this fund is different because it is designed to help the community rebuild. This will be a long and painful process. Kansans want to help their neighbors, and we believe

this fund will provide a vehicle for all of us to stand by our friends at Greensburg as they rebuild their town, their schools, their livelihoods and their way of life."

SCCF is a community foundation whose seven–county area includes Kiowa County . SCCF Executive Director Denise Unruh said the Greensburg Future Fund is a "pass through" fund, and 100 percent of the donated dollars would go to Greensburg projects.

Checks should be made payable to "South Central Community Foundation" with a memo to "Greensburg Future Fund." Donors can earmark the contributions for "education," "health care" or "community rebuilding." The mailing address is:

South Central Community Foundation
P.O. Box 8624
Pratt, KS 67124

Donations are eligible for charitable income tax deductions, Unruh said.

Disaster relief dollars should be sent directly to the American Red Cross, Salvation Army and similar programs, Unruh said. The Greensburg Future Fund is designed for community rebuilding.

"The SCCF board recognizes there are also many rural families along the path of the tornado's destruction who will need assistance," Unruh added. "Our foundation includes other counties affected by the weekend storms, including Stafford County and northwest Pratt County. We are still looking for ideas about how best to help our rural neighbors."

"Another option within SCCF is to make contributions to the endowed funds for Kiowa County , Stafford County and Pratt County , where the principal is invested and the earnings are granted each year," Unruh said. Donations to these funds are matched by the Kansas Health Foundation at the rate of one dollar for every two dollars donated, Unruh said.

For more information, contact Unruh at SCCF, 620–672–7929.

What Greensburg Teachers Need

Kansas National Education Association is among many organizations working to provide support and services. When Greensburg is ready, KNEA will be donating books from the KNEA Reading Circle Catalogue. Meanwhile, teacher leaders from Enterprise, Alabama, have offered their assistance. NEA has also offered help.

Greensburg plans to start school in mid–August regardless of how many are living in Greensburg at the time. The district is planning to bus displaced students and staff to Greensburg from Pratt, Bucklin, Kinsley and Coldwater. During the faculty meeting on the last day of school in May, Superintendent Darin Headrick thanked the staff for their courage. "The future will be fun," he said. "It's not fun today, but it's going to be great." New buildings are slated to be moved in by mid–July.

Please do not send anything to Greensburg at this time. They do not have the storage capacity for school supplies, clothing, etc. Kansas National Education Association is working with school officials and will post a list of needed school supplies and curricula. Officials won't be able to determine what is needed or accept shipments until at least July. KNEA is working with area teachers/administrators to find a location and a distribution process. Specific school needs will be announced at the appropriate time.

A fund for the SCHOOL DISTRICT to assist staff and students has been created. Checks should be made payable to "South Central Community Foundation" with a memo to "Greensburg Future Fund." Donors can

earmark the contributions for "education" or for specific school needs such as art supplies or textbooks. Donations are eligible for charitable income tax deduction.

KNEA is collecting notes and letters to students and staff. Please specify grade or subject area, if preferred. Email: kneanews@knea.org -
in subject area: Notes for Greensburg teachers/students or via postal service:

Greensburg Students
c/o KNEA
PO Box 1616
Dodge City, KS

Link to photos of destroyed Greensburg Schools:

http://ks.nea.org/news/2007/greensburgphotos.html

South Central Community Foundation

The South Central Community Foundation has established the Greensburg Future Fund to raise money for the rebuilding of the community. The idea for the fund in part came from two Pratt children, Hazen and Sevren Hance, who wanted to donate money for the purchase of playground equipment for Greensburg students, said Porter Loomis, president of the Peoples Bank in Pratt. Donations to the fund can be made by mail to:

Greensburg Future Fund,
South Central Community Foundation
P.O. Box 8624, Pratt, KS 67124

For more information, call foundation executive director: Denise Unruh at 620-672-7929.

From the Staff at USD422/Greensburg High School website:

Greensburg Future Fund Established
by Staff

May 08, 2007

A fund has been set up (should be open by noon on May 8, 2007) to help with the disaster in Greensburg. After many calls and offers of help and donations for the school, we have set up a fund through South Central Community Foundation. The fund is called the Greensburg Future Fund and will allow people to donate towards the future of education in Greensburg, as well as health and community rebuild.

If you have any questions about this fund or would like to make a donation, please contact Denise Unruh at 620-672-7929.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 30, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1422

Greensburg, KS Area Lodging

Info/Hotline · Open

Business
Pratt, KS
Web www.prattkan.com/lodging.html

5/10/07 Leslie T: I called all 7 motels in PRATT, KS for availibility. My assessment is below:

Site: http://www.prattkan.com/lodging.html

Evergreen Inn
(620) 672-6431 · 1-800-456-6424
20001 W. U.S. Hwy. 54, Pratt, KS 67124
Located next to Rick's Restaurant (Family style diner) 602-672-3681
The Evergreen also has 14 RV hookups that include: water, sewer,

electricity, cable, shower and laundry facilities.
ALL 25 RV SPOTS BOOKED THROUGH SUMMER '07 –
MOST BEING USED BY GREENSBURG EVACUEES – THEY
DON'T WANT TO RESERVE ANY OF THESE SPOTS (EVEN
IF THEY OPEN UP) TO KEEP THEM AVAILABLE TO
GREENSBURG RESIDENTS / THEY HAVE 2 ROOMS AVAILABLE SUN. 5/13/07
OTHERWISE THEY ARE BOOKED / MOST OCCUPANTS ARE FEMA EMPLOYEES
CURRENTLY IN THE MOTEL

Economy Inn
1401 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
ATTEMPTED # LISTED ON MANY WEBSITES FOR
THIS HOTEL – IT's THE WRONG #

Days Inn
(620) 672–9465 · 1–800–329–7466
1901 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
DAYS INN IS LIKELY THE BEST BET – THEY HAVE
"SOME AVAILIBILITY – IT'S HIT & MISS"

Budget Inn
(620) 672–6468
Email: www.prattbudgetinn@cox.net
1631 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
CURRENTLY BOOKED THROUGH NEXT WEEK (5/18/07)

Super 8
(620) 672–5945
Reservations: 1–800–800–8000
1906 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
BOOKED THROUGH 6/07

Leisure Hotel
(620) 672_9433 · 1–866–343–2600
Email: info@prattleisurehotel.com
1401 W. First, Pratt, KS 67124
BOOKED THROUGH 5/07

Econo Lodge
(620)672–6407 · 1_800_336_2279
1336 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
BOOKED THROUGH 5/07

DODGE CITY LODGING:

Budget Host Inn
2200 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801

Comfort Inn
2000 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801
Hotel – 2 floors, 54 rooms – AAA 2 Diamonds
Heated indoor swimming pool – exercise room
No pets allowed

Holiday Inn Express
2320 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801
Hotel – 2 floors, 63 rooms – AAA 3 Diamonds
Heated indoor swimming pool – exercise room
Pet–friendly hotel – click & read – $25 per stay pet fee

Super 8 Motel
1708 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 225–3924
Cheap hotel – AAA 2 Diamonds
Swimming pool

Travelodge – Silver Spur Lodge
1510 W Wyatt Earp Blvd.
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 227–2125

Boothill Bed & Breakfast
603 W Spruce
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 225–0111

Moose Lodge
Minneola Rd.
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 227–6812

MINNEOLA, KS LODGING:

Tucker Motel & Rv Park
109 S Oak St.
Minneola, KS, 67865–8553
(620) 885–4248

BUCKLIN, KS LODGING:

Westside Motel
W Highway 54
Bucklin, KS 67834
(620) 826–3224

ST. JOHN, KS LODGING:

Country Inn Motel
Rr 2
Saint John, KS 67576
(620) 549–6300

Loof Lodge
700 E First Ave.
Saint John, KS 67576
(620) 549–3476

KINSLEY, KS LODGING:

Midway Inn
(620) 659–2277
Rr 1 Box 50
Kinsley, KS 67547

MEDICINE LODGE, BARBER COUNTY, KS LODGING:

Copa Budget Host Inn
620) 886–5673
Jct. Highway 281 & We
Medicine Lodge, KS 67104

Lodge Inn
(620) 886–3080
Highway 281 N.
Medicine Lodge, KS 67104

STAFFORD, KS LODGING:

Henderson House Bed & Breakfast
201 Green St.
Stafford, KS 67578
(620) 234–6048

Kountry Korner Motel
620) 234–5232
506 Martin Avenue
Stafford, KS 67578

PROTECTION, KS LODGING:

Protection Motel
236 N Broadway
Protection, KS 67127
(620) 622–4814

COLDWATER, KS LODGING:

Commanche Motel
204 S Central
Coldwater, KS 67029
(620) 582–2104

GREAT BEND, KS LODGING:

Travelodge
(620) 792–7219
3200 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Travelers Budget Inn
(620) 793–5448
4200 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Super 8 Motel of Great Bend
(620) 793–8486
3500 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Days Inn
(620) 792–8235
4701 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Economy Inn of America
(620) 792–4307
1015 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Best Western Angus Inn
(620) 792–3541
2920 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

America's Best Value Inn
(620) 793–8486
3500 Tenth
Great Bend, KS 67530

KIOWA, KS (BARBER COUNTY)

The Guest Lodge
(620) 825–4431
505 Miller Street
Kiowa, KS 67070

Services offered: Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); RV Hook–Ups
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1440

J.C. Foods Building (Kansas Food Bank/Salvation Army/Adventist Community Services)

Warehouse · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
201 S. Jackson Street, Pratt, KS

The Adventist Community Services Disaster Response Team from the Kansas–Nebraska Conference (John Treolo, Kansas–Nebraska ACS Director, and Janice Weeks, Kansas–Nebraska ACS Disaster Relief Coordinator) arrived on Monday, May 7. A warehouse/distribution center has been set up in Pratt, Kansas (32 miles away) in the old J.C. Foods Building at 201 S.

Jackson Street. It is a joint operation between Adventist Community Services, Kansas Food Bank and the Salvation Army. Adventist Community Services organized and is currently managing the warehouse/distribution center until May 24, when the Salvation Army will assume management and continue services.

Adventist Community Services/Disaster Relief"

GREENSBURG, KANSAS TORNADO
Contact: Sherry Watts, Administrative Assistant to Joe Watts, National Director Adventist Community Services Disaster Response
817–641–7679 – office
and
John Treolo, Director
Kansas–Nebraska Conference Communication/Community Services
785.478.4726 (office)
www.ks–ne.org

5/11/07 VOAD Meeting in Haviland, KS:

Adventis Community Services is helping manage the JC Foods Bldg. Warehouse in cooperation with the KS Food Bank and Salvation Army. NO MORE CLOTHING NEEDED. They had to turn down 2 semi trucks full of water from Indiana. Accepting any donated goods EXCEPT clothes and water.

OPEN TO AGENCIES AND CLIENTS

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Water, Bottles (8 oz.)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Adventist Community Services Disaster Relief; Salvation Army; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1463

Our Saviors First Lutheran Church (LDR)

Info/Hotline · Open

Church
Second and Thompson, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone (620) 672–6203
Checks payable to LCMS World Relief and Human Care

Per call to Rocky Mease/Lutheran Chaplain for Our Saviors 5/10:

Currently has a team cleaning up the Peace Lutheran Church in Greensburg (See private/internal use contact notes for additional details)

Our Saviors Lutheran Church
Second and Thompson
P.O. Box 192
Pratt, KS 67124
Pastor: Rev. Timothy J. Henning

Lutherans Assess Storm Damage in U.S. Great Plains
From <NEWS@ELCA.ORG>
Date Mon, 7 May 2007 17:20:08 –0500

Title: Lutherans Assess Storm Damage in U.S. Great Plains
ELCA NEWS SERVICE

May 7, 2007

Lutherans Assess Storm Damage in U.S. Great Plains 07–080–MRC

CHICAGO (ELCA) –– Preliminary damage assessments are under way after severe storms struck the U.S. Great Plains May 5–6. At least 10 people were killed and dozens of others were injured as storms spawned about 75 tornado touchdowns in Kansas and Oklahoma, according to Heather L. Feltman, executive director, Lutheran Disaster Response –– a collaborative ministry of the

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) and Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod (LCMS).

"The majority of the media coverage for these storms has focused on Greensburg, Kansas," said Feltman. About 90 percent of the town's infrastructure was lost. Greensburg is closed except to its 1,500 residents and search and rescue teams. Disaster response volunteers are not being allowed access while the emergency phase of the disaster continues, she said.

Roger Kruger, Lutheran Disaster Response coordinator, traveled to the affected region May 7 to perform initial assessments and to connect with disaster partners in the area. On May 8 local Lutheran clergy and representatives from the LCMS Kansas District and ELCA Central States Synod will gather at Our Saviors Lutheran Church, Pratt, Kan., to discuss the immediate and long–term needs of affected communities. Our Saviors Lutheran is a congregation of the LCMS.

"Lutheran Disaster Response is prepared to offer assistance, as needed, in the form of emergency hardship grants and spiritual and emotional care. Once the town has been reopened, we will also be working in coordination with local congregations to coordinate volunteer teams for debris removal and clean–up. Plans are being made for volunteer teams to begin working this weekend. After an initial assessment has been completed, we will help to organize residents in meeting long–term unmet needs and volunteer coordination will likely continue through the rebuilding phase," said Feltman.

"We lift up in prayer those who (have) lost loved ones and suffered property damage in this sudden and tragic event. With the understanding that the loss of life could have been much more widespread, we also offer prayers of thanksgiving for the warning systems that aided the residents of Greensburg in preparing for the incoming storm," she said. – – –

(From the Lutheran Church MO Synod website:

Update From Greensburg Ground Zero
May 7

Rev. Tim Henning and members of Peace Lutheran Church in Greensburg, Kansas, were salvaging what remained of their homes and church Monday. LCMS World Relief and Human Care Director of Disaster Response Rev. Glenn Merritt and Director of Districts and Congregations Rev. Carlos Hernandez were by their sides providing pastoral care and assurance that the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod will accompany them as “one people” through this devastating loss.

The tornado, which struck Friday night, has claimed nine lives so far. Peace Lutheran was destroyed and at least 13 member families lost their homes.

“360–degrees in every direction it’s a massive debris field,” said Merritt. “[The destruction] is even more [complete] than Katrina, if you can believe that.”

He watched Rev. Tim Henning, pastor at Peace, and a few members recover the church register. “Nothing else was salvageable,” said Merritt.

He also watched a family, members at Peace, sort through the belongings strewn about their basement.

Insurance companies have not arrived in Greensburg, and while many people Merritt spoke with are in too much shock to talk about the future, two families said they will not rebuild.

“The town is about a mile wide; the tornado was about 1.7 miles wide,” said Merritt. “There’s no town. It covered the entire town.”

In response, LCMS World Relief and Human Care granted an initial $30,000 to provide for emergency needs and temporary relocation for families of Peace. The grant will be administered by Our Savior Lutheran Church in Pratt, Kansas, located 30–miles from Greensburg, where Rev. Henning is also pastor.

LCMS World Relief and Human Care will also match donations up to $200,000. To make a donation, send checks to:

LCMS World Relief and Human Care
P.O. Box 66861
St. Louis, MO 63166–9810,

marked “Kansas tornadoes”. Credit card donations are accepted by calling 1–888–930–4438.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Lutheran Disaster Response
Updated May 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1418

Pratt Community College

School · Open

School
348 Ne Sr 61, Pratt, KS 67124

Phone	(620)672–9800 – 1–800–794–3091(KS Only)
Web	www.pcc.cc.ks.us
Checks payable to	Pratt Community College C/O Phi Thetta Kappa

PCC Scholarships:

Pratt Community College will provide scholarships for tuition and books to students and families who have been displaced by the tornado.

The deadlines to receive the scholarships are:

June 1 for summer and July 1 for fall

Contact: Lynn Perez, Director of Admissions, at 620–450–2222

Several Pratt Community College students were affected by the tornado that ripped through Greensburg and Macksville on Friday, May 4. PCC is doing everything possible to accommodate these students and their families, as well as all individuals affected.

Administrators and faculty are working with current students on an individual basis to complete their semester coursework. An extension for finals, as well as other options, is available. Students should contact Jim Stratford at 620–450–2121 at their convenience to establish what will work for them.

PCC is providing housing to families of students whose homes were destroyed, and they will be housing American Red Cross volunteers beginning Monday, May 14 if housing is needed. In addition, PCC has offered its facilities to Greensburg high school to utilize for graduation exercises and its athletic equipment to their sport teams participating in district and state competitions.

Students and faculty members are assisting as possible. PCC nursing faculty are currently in the shelters addressing health concerns and providing medical care. Some students and employees are assisting with recovery and clean–up efforts, and students in Phi Theta Kappa are collecting monetary donations, as well as needed goods for PCC students affected. Contributions to the PCC student fund can be sent to:

Pratt Community College
c/o Phi Theta Kappa
348 NE SR 61
Pratt, KS 67124

Services offered: Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, Tuition (School); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated May 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1448

Pratt County Humane Society

Animal Shelter · Open

Non–Profit
1402 W. 1st Street, Pratt, KS 67124

Phone	620–672–6777
Web	members.tripod.com/pratt_humane_society/pratt_humane_society
Checks payable to	Pratt County Humane Society

UPDATE 6/1/07"

Spoke with Kirk w/UAN at the Pratt Humane Society:

"We do NOT need any supplies or volunteers at this time. The quarantine has been extended until 6/15/07. It is up to the state of KS to organize fostering programs for Greensburg animals."

Spoke with Donna Law 5/31/07 with Mutts & Mutts. She is holding off on shipping donations until there is a go ahead from UAN. Will be checking with the Lawrence, KS shelter to see if they have any needs.

UAN 2007 Press Release

Kansas Animal Health Department, UAN, Join Forces to Care for Animals Displaced by Greensburg Tornadoes

PRATT, KANSAS (May 30, 2007) – The Kansas Animal Health Department; United Animal Nations (UAN) and the State Animal Rescue Team (SART) are working to help the Pratt County Humane Society care for an influx of animals displaced by recent tornadoes in Greensburg and to contain an outbreak of canine parvovirus at the shelter.

According to Debra Duncan, Director of the Animal Facilities Inspection Program with the Kansas Animal Health Department, Pratt County Humane Society staff offered to care for 108 dogs and cats displaced by the May 4 tornadoes until they could be reunited with their families or adopted into new homes. But shelter staff and volunteers soon became overwhelmed by the additional animals.

Duncan asked United Animal Nations to provide animal care and sheltering assistance for all of the animals at the shelter through its volunteer–driven Emergency Animal Rescue Service. Currently several volunteers with UAN are providing direct care to the animals; at least 20 more are expected to arrive in the coming days.

“This is a small shelter with a very dedicated group of volunteers, and they quickly became overwhelmed by dozens of additional animals,” Duncan said of the Pratt County Humane Society. “The Kansas Animal Health Department and United Animal Nations are working together to help the shelter and the community through this crisis.”

“UAN has a 20–year track record of providing emergency sheltering to animals displaced by natural disasters,” said UAN President and CEO Nicole Forsyth. “With our network of 3,200 volunteers in the United States and Canada, we are prepared to give these animals the tender loving care they so desperately need until this crisis is over.”

The Kansas Animal Health Department placed the Pratt County Humane Society under quarantine on May 25 after several dogs were diagnosed with parvovirus, a highly contagious canine disease. Members of the public are asked to avoid dropping off any animals at the Pratt County Humane Society shelter until the quarantine is lifted on or around June 10.

“We are being exceptionally cautious and taking every step possible to prevent the spread of this disease and to treat any dogs who become ill,” Duncan said. “Parvovirus is very common in animal shelters and the dogs who came in from Greensburg were already stressed and vulnerable.”

Symptoms of parvovirus include lethargy, vomiting, lack of appetite, stomach discomfort and diarrhea. Puppies are extremely vulnerable. If your dog is exhibiting signs of parvovirus, contact your veterinarian immediately.

DO NOT SEND OR DELIVER ANY SUPPLIES TO THIS FACILITY WITHOUT CALLING FIRST FOR A CURRENT NEEDS LIST!

SENDING DONATIONS THEY DO NOT NEED IS MORE A BURDEN THAN A HELP!

Please consider monetary donations as this way they can make local purchases as the needs arise!

EMAIL UPDATE 5/20/07:

HI Leslie,
I am back from Pratt/Greensburg. While visiting the Pratt Humane Soc. day before yesterday, a large storage bldg. was delivered for the storage of recieved supplies.
The 45' semi trailer is now in place at the Humane Soc. grounds in Pratt, plus a small box truck/trailer. They appear to be in pretty good shape. What I can see and am concerned about now is volunteers to care, play and walk these dogs in the dog runs. A few have been identified by their owners, but many have not. I am going to put out a notice today for the surrounding areas. Thank you for the help, I will keep you posted and be sending pic.soon. Jan.

UPDATE 5/18/07:

Received a call from Bayer Animal Health and they spoke with Director Lance Noakes at the Pratt Humane Society about their animal meds needs.

In the next couple days they are shipping the following:

Animal Antibiotics
Advantage products
Baytril

My contact advises to just give her a call if there are any additional needs and they'd be happy to keep them supplied.

Leslie Teltoe

UPDATE 5/17/07 VIA CALL TO JAN PETERS:

30 cats and 40 dogs were moved by state employees and National Guardsman yesterday (5/16/07) from Greensburg to the Pratt Humane Society. Many of the cats were filtered over to an empty portion of a local Pratt Veterinary Clinic temporarily until the cat house is built.

They have been able to put up 30 dog runs. They still need assistance/volunteers to help build the cat house!

Jan is meeting with Red Cross today, and will call me in the next 24 hours to give me a general update on pet rescue and any additional information she can glean.

Posted Tues. 5/15/07
Pratt animal shelter requests help, supplies
BY AMANDA O'TOOLE
The Wichita Eagle

The Pratt County Humane Society is asking for more donations and more help.

Jan Peters, a Wichitan who has been coordinating volunteers and donation collection, said animals will be moved to Pratt tomorrow and that the shelter needs a place to keep the cats.

She said volunteer electricians, plumbers and carpenters are needed to build the cat space. Also, 10 volunteers are needed to help with the move from Greensburg to Pratt tomorrow, she said.

Among the items the shelter is requesting:

• Eight large igloo–style dog shelters

• 40 five–gallon buckets

• Cat litter boxes

• Cat litter

• Cleaning supplies, including paper towels and trash bags.

Peters said she'll be coordinating drop–off locations somewhere in Wichita but would like people to call her before they donate to make sure there aren't duplicate donations.

To volunteer or donate, call Peters at 316–871–9892.

UPDATE 5/14/07:

Mike Hill, Pratt County Humane Society Board Member indicated that their current most urgent needs are monitary donations and volunteers. They are currently housing 26 dogs, 54 adult cats, and 20 kittens. They are putting up a temporary building to house these animals.

Volunteers are desperately needed to clean kennels and cages, walk dogs, provide attention and love to the animals as well as sorting donations.

They also need a tractor trailer to deliver donations from Michigan. Please contact DONNA with 'Mutts & Mutts Animal Rescue League' at: 313–778–2262 if you can help bring these supplies to Kansas (See their facility entry in the database).

Cleaning supplies are also a high priority.

Lost Pets Wait to be Claimed
BY DIANE MCCARTNEY
The Wichita Eagle/5/12/07

While more than half of the dogs and cats found after the Greensburg tornado have been reunited with their owners, some are still waiting to be identified and taken home.

"I have a few concerns with house dogs that no one has even asked about yet," said Lance Noakes, executive director of the Pratt County Humane Society.

They include dogs like "Survivor," a female miniature schnauzer that Noakes said is "too perfect not to have an owner."

The dog is well–behaved, crate–trained and "just had a haircut," Noakes said, and no one has come looking for her.

Are the owners in the hospital? "Have they passed away and we just don't know? Are they out of town?" Noakes asked. "We haven't had anybody yet looking for a full–blooded schnauzer, so we know something's wrong somewhere."

Of the more than 200 animals found in and around Greensburg since the tornado hit on May 4, about 35 dogs and more than 55

cats are still waiting to be claimed, said Alice Bailey, manager of the Pratt County Humane Society.

A story in Friday's Eagle that said all but 10 pets had been reunited with their owners was incorrect, Bailey said.

The unclaimed dogs and cats are being kept at what Noakes called "Doggie Central" –– at the Kansas Department of Transportation building in Greensburg.

"We're trying to keep them centralized, in one location," he said, so "as people come to town looking for their stuff, they can look for their dogs."

Bailey said a few injured dogs and cats were still showing up Friday, some brought in by their owners for a check by the veterinarians on site.

"We're just excited that people are cleaning through the rubble and finding their live animals underneath it all," she said.

Unfortunately, Bailey said, she had not heard anything about the black Labrador that was found under rubble near the Big Well on Thursday, six days after the tornado. A story in the Eagle Friday said the dog appeared slightly injured, but had eluded rescuers.

Most dogs and cats came through the tornado "in amazingly good condition," said Bill Skaer, a Wichita veterinarian who helped with animal rescue efforts in Greensburg.

Most of the injuries he saw were relatively minor, Skaer said: broken legs, lacerations and dogs with torn pads on their feet.

Although Noakes said he had no count of how many animals might have been killed in the tornado, he said he personally did not find any dead dogs or cats.

"I was sure I would come across one that wasn't alive," he said. "I never did."

It's possible more animals will be found as workers move the wreckage, he said.

People missing their pets can look for them at the KDOT building until Wednesday, when they will be moved to the Pratt County Humane Society.

Some of the unclaimed pets are already listed on the Pals Animal Rescue Web site, at www.palsrescue.org (click on Greensburg Disaster Animals), and more will be added this weekend, said Pals director Ellen Querner, who has been helping with animal rescue efforts.

Bailey said a similar listing service will be set up on Petfinder.com.

It's expected that some of the dogs and cats will have to be put up for adoption.

"A lot of these animals are not going to be reclaimed," Querner said. "If people have no place to go, they have no place to take them."

For "Survivor," the displaced miniature schnauzer, finding a new home won't be a problem, should her former owners fail to claim her.

"There's already a waiting list of people who want to take her," said Mike Hill, a volunteer at the Pratt County Humane Society. "She's a sweetheart."

HOW TO HELP

Officials at the Pratt County Humane Society said they do not need any more donations of dog food but may need cat food and cat litter. They ask that people not send anything now but

call 620–672–6777 to see when the food, litter or other donations might be needed.

Monetary donations can be sent to the Pratt County Humane Society, 1402 W. First, Pratt, KS 67124.

TO GET HELP

The animals found and held in Greensburg will be moved to the Pratt County Humane Society on Wednesday and held for 30 days. If individuals are unable to pick up their animals, other boarding arrangements will be made. Call the Humane Society at 620–672–6777 for details.

Greensburg residents can get free dog and cat food by calling 620–723–2897.

To claim your pet you need to call the:

Pratt Humane Society
1402 W. 1st Street
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–6777

We are located on a dirt road running parallel to Highway 54 in Pratt, Kansas (about 1/2 way between Wichita and Dodge City). At the west end of town turn north at the Kwik Shop, drive over the railroad tracks, turn west directly after the tracks and drive about a 1/2 mile. You will find us in a small white building on the north side of the road.

Central Kansas Veterinary Center in South Hutchinson is also accepting donations for the Pratt Humane Society. Central Kansas is currently treating five of the displaced animals. The address of CKVC is:

Central Kansas Veterinary Center
515 W. Blanchard
South Hutchinson, KS 67505

Animal Assistance:
Animals found following the tornado will be moved to the Pratt County Humane Society where they will stay for 30 days. If people cannot pick up their animal, other arrangements will be made to house them.

For more information call (620) 672–6777

Greensburg residents can get free dog and cat food by calling:
(620) 723–2897

Inquiries regarding livestock or other companion animals can be made by calling the same number.

(old note – PLEASE SEE THE KS STATE LIVESTOCK COMMISSION Facility for updated information)
The Kansas Animal Disaster team is also recruiting veterinarians and volunteers from across Kansas to help animals hurt in the tornado. Call: (316) 990–4667 if you want to help.

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care, Foster Homes, Dogs & Cats, Volunteer; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Food, FREE Dog & Cat Food; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jun 1, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1438

Pratt County, Kansas

Info/Hotline · Open

County
Pratt, KS

PRATT STORES:

Home Lumber & Supply Company
(620) 672-9444
803 N Main Street
Pratt, KS

Wal-Mart Supercenter
620) 672-7548
1801 E 1st Street
Pratt, KS

Mead Lumber Do-It Center
(620) 672-7732
1500 E 1st St.
Pratt, KS 67124

American Red Cross
(620) 672-3651
114 N Main St.
Pratt, KS 67124

Mail delivery:
Customers served by the Greensburg Post Office can pick up their mail and obtain retail services at the Pratt Post Office, 202 E. 3rd St., 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday. The office will be open for mail pick up services only from 8 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays. Rural deliveries will be made wherever it is safe and possible to do so. Customers the rural carrier is unable to reach will need to pick up their mail from the Pratt Post Office.

Drivers licenses:
A mobile station has been established in Haviland for residents to replace drivers' licenses. For information call Freda Warfield at the Department of Revenue, 785-296-3042. Car titles for residents of Kiowa County are available at the Pratt County Treasurer's office in the courthouse.

Food stamps:
Apply at the SRS office in Pratt, located on the second floor of the Texas Energies Building, 400 South Main.

Unemployment assistance:
Federal Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) is available for workers affected by the tornado. Those who may be eligible include self-employed individuals, farm workers, those who are unable to work because of injury from the disaster, those whose workplace is closed and those who become the major financial support due to death of the head of the household. Applications may be completed at the Disaster Center in the gymnasium at Barclay College. Kansas Department of Labor staff will be on site May 9, 10, and 11 and applications must be filed by June 5. Applications can also be obtained by calling 1-800-292-6333.

Small business loans:
Low-interest loans from the Small Business Administration will be available to cover residential and business loses not fully compensated by insurance. Residents and business owners sustaining losses can begin applying for help online at www.fema.gov or by calling 1-800-621-FEMA.

Pratt Police Dept.
303 S. Oak St
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-5551

PRATT COUNTY KS/MEDICAL FACILITIES:

Pratt Regional Medical Center
200 Commodore

Pratt, KS 67124
(620)672-7451
NOTES: Kiowa County Regional Medical Center evacuated most of it's patients to this medical facility

South Wind Hospice Inc.
920 E. First / P.O. Box 862
(620) 672-7553
Fax: (620) 672-7554
Email: swhospic@pratt.net

Family Practice
Pratt Family Practice
· Gene Cannata, M.D.
· John Wakon Fowler, M.D.
· Robert E. Wray, D.O.
203 Watson, Ste. 200
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-7422
Fax: (620) 672-5980

South Central KS Bone & Joint Center
203 Watson, Ste. 300
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-1002
Fax: (620) 672-7268

Internal Medicine
Pratt Internal Medicine Group
420 Country Club Rd
Pratt, KS 67124
· Alan Pribil, M.D.
· Jennifer Jackson, M.D.
· Barbara Cudney, M.D.
(620) 672-7417

American Cancer Society
118 S. Pearl
St. John, KS 67576
(620) 549_6554
Vickie Miller

PRATT, KS MENTAL/HEALTH & COUNSELING FACILITIES:

Horizons Mental Health
101 E. Eighth
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-2332
Fax: (620) 672-3162
horizons@pratt.net

Cornerstone Family Consultation
400 S Main, #10
Pratt, KS 67124
(620)388-1750
Fax: (620)672-5864

Crossing Counseling and Consulting
Monica Hendershot, LSCSW
318 S Main St
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-6168
crossingscounsel@sbcglobal.net

The Counseling Center
501 S. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-7546

South Central KS Foundation
on Chemical Dependency Inc.
501 S. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–7546
Fax: (620) 672–7148

PRATT COUNTY CARE FACILITIES:

Parkwood Village Assisted Living
401 Rochester
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–5541
Fax: (620) 672–2123

Friendship Manor
Nursing Care Facility
1221 Larimer
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–6541
Fax: (620) 672–5599
Email: friendshipmanor@la.com

Lakewood Senior Living,
Nursing Care Facility
1221 Larimer
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–6541
Fax: (620) 672–5599

Pratt Regional Living Center
Nursing Care Facility
227 S. Howard
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–3424
Fax: (620) 672–7017
jcline@prmc.org

PRATT COUNTY, KS – CHURCHES:

All Saints Episcopal Church
218 N. Main
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2308
Pastor: Rev. Karen Lemon

Calvary Baptist Church
10458 W. Highway 54
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2032
Pastor: Rev. Scott Buller

Church of Christ
320 Country Club Rd
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3182
Pastor: Rev. Steve Triplett

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter–Day Saints
1108 Stout
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2703
Presiding Elder: Richard Knapp

Faith Chapel–Pentecostal Holiness Church
602 S. Hamilton
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2449 or 672–6643
Pastor: Rev. Barry Mooris

First Assembly of God
1000 E. Sixth
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-3019
Pastor: Rev. Billy Simar

First Baptist Church
121 S. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2401
Email: fbcpratt@sctelcom.net
Pastor: Rev. Stan Hendershot

First Christian Church
123 N. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7403
Pastor: Rev. Rhonda Glenn

First Church of God
403 N. Pine
Pratt, KS 67127
(620) 672_6126 or 672-3114
Pastor: Rev. Douglas Enick

Abundant Harvest Community Church
1120 Glenarm
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7920
Pastor: Ron Moser

First Southern Baptist Church
193 NE Highway 61
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7591
Pastor: Rev. Bill Martin

First United Methodist Church
100 N. Jackson
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_6473
Pastor: Rev. Dan Ferguson

Free Methodist Church
1024 Maple
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3027
Pastor: Rev. Tony Garcia

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness
718 S. New
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7319
Pastor: Dean Hodson

(SEE FACILITY RECORD IN DATABASE)
Our Saviors Lutheran Church
Second and Thompson
P.O. Box 192
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_6203
Pastor: Rev. Timothy J. Henning

Pratt Bible Church
612 N. Thompson
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_6601

Pastor: Rev. Kevin Murray

Pratt Friends Church
824 Maple
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_5493
Pastor: Tom Decker

Pratt Presbyterian Church
202 E. First
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_5503
Pastor: Angela Madden

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
332 N. Oak
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_6352
Pastor: Father Gregory LeBlanc

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
40291 NE 40th Ave.
Preston, KS, 67583
(620) 672_5354
Pastor: Rev. Michael Schotte

Second Baptist Church
803 S. Main
Pratt, KS 67124
Pastor: Jim Zimmerman

Seventh–Day Adventist Church
521 S. New
Pratt, KS 67124
Pastor: Michael Larsen

United Pentecostal Apostolic Faith Tabernacle
515 S. Austin
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3025
Pastor: Jack Duhe

Grace Cornerstone Fellowship
20042 W. Highway 54
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3264
Pastor: Michael Law

PRATT COUNTY KS COMMUNITY ORG's/NON–PROFITS/CIVIC CLUBS:

American Legion
P.O. Box 15
Sawyer, KS 67134
(620) 672_7204
Yvonne Thimesch, Manager
Ed Newton, Commander

American Legion Aux.
310 N. Iuka
(620) 672–6331
Janeen Densmore

American Red Cross:
114 N. Main Street
(620) 672–3651
Donna Pfeifer

ANIMALS/PRATT COUNTY:

Pratt County Humane Society
1402 W. First
Pratt, KS,6712
(316) 672–6777

Email: jmead@havilandtelco.com
Site: http://members.tripod.com/pratt_humane_society/pratt_humane_society/

We provide shelter for both dogs and cats. There are a total of 17 dog pens and 12 cat cages. Pratt County, the city of Pratt and business and private donations fund the shelter. The shelter has one full time employee and numerous volunteers of all ages. The shelter is governed by a local board of directors.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1416

Red Cross (Safe and Well – To Locate Missing Family/Friends)

Info/Hotline · Open

Red Cross
114 N Main, Suite B, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone https://disastersafe.redcross.org/
Web disastersafe.redcross.org

To locate loved ones effected by the 5/4/07 Tornado in Greensburg, KA, call the Pratt/Cannonball Trail Red Cross Chapter:

620–672–3651

Due to widespread power and telecommunication outages, family and friends may not be able to reach each other. If you have been affected by the tornado, please visit www.redcross.org and click on Safe and Well to inform your loved ones of your well–being. This secure website provides a way for you to identify yourself as "safe and well." From a list of standard messages, you can select those you want to communicate to your family members – who may be worried about your safety. If you hear from a loved one in the affected area, you can input their information so other family members will also know their well–being.

As with any other Red Cross service or product, Safe and Well safeguards the privacy of disaster victims and protects their information according to privacy law standards. Messages – but not locations – will be viewable by friends and family. The Red Cross recommends that people affected should determine how best to communicate their contact information and whereabouts to family members. During the initial hours of this disaster it is important to stay connected with loved ones. Take action now by visiting www.redcross.org.

Services offered: Hotline, Registry, Missing Persons ("I'm Safe" People–Finder) Registry; Registry, Missing Persons, OR Online ("I'm safe" People–Finder") Registry
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Oct 11, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1405

Odd Fellows Lodge

Shelter · Standby

Red Cross Shelter
700 E 1st Ave, St. John, KS 67576
Phone (620) 549–3476
Hours 8:30 am – 3:30 pm
Service Temporary

An evacuation site at the Odd Fellows Lodge in St. John provides a place storm victims can rest, meet with friends and family and eat lunch. That site will operate from 8:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. daily through the Red Cross.

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Lunches, Misc.; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Dec 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1433

Greensburg / Kiowa County Library Relief Fund (Kansas Library Association

Donor · Open

Non–Profit
1020 SW Washburn, Topeka, KS 66604

Phone 785–580–4518
Web skyways.lib.ks.us/KLA/greensburg.html
Checks payable to KLA EF Greensburg Fund

Kansas Library Association

Educational Foundation
Greensburg / Kiowa County Library Relief Fund

The KLA Educational Foundation has set up a fund to receive donations to the Greensburg, KS / Kiowa County Library in response to the recent tornado devastation they have experienced. All donations to the Foundation are tax deductible because it is a 501c3 organization.

Rosanne E. Siemens, Executive Director
Kansas Library Association
1020 SW Washburn
Topeka, KS 66604
phone 785–580–4518 fax 785–580–4595
Email: kansaslibraryassociation@yahoo.com
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1446

Kansas Division of Emergency Management

Info/Hotline · Open

State/Fed
2800 SW Topeka Blvd., Topeka, KS 66611

Phone (785) 274–1409 / Emergency: (785) 296–3176
Web www.kansas.gov/kdem
Service Temporary

Bill Chornyak, Deputy Director
Ray Stegman, Coordinator/LEPC Chairperson
Kiowa County Emergency Preparedness
222 S. Cherry
Greensburg , KS 67054
Office: (620) 723–3331
Fax: (620) 723–3234
Sheriff: (620) 723–2182

*Kansas Road Conditions
www.ksdot.org or 511 or 1–866–511–5368

Services offered: Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants)
Updated Jan 7, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1406

Disabled American Veterans

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government
5500 E. Kellogg, Wichita, KS 67211

Phone 316–688–6722
Web www1.va.gov/directory/guide/facility.asp?ID=253

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS (located at the U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs Regional Office in Wichita) is providing transportation to and from the VA Medical Center in Wichita. Call 316–688–6722 for disabled veterans disaster relief.

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS LOCATED AT THE U.S. DEPT. OF VETERAN AFFAIRS REGIONAL OFFICE IN WICHITA:

American Legion (316)688–6814
American Veterans (AMVETS) (316)688–6846
Blinded Veterans of America (316)688–6814
Catholic War Veterans (316)688–6814
Disabled American Veterans (316) 688–6722

Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs (316)688–6814
Millitary Order of Purple Heart (316)688–6803
Paralyzed Veterans of America (316)688–6875
Veterans of Foreign Wars (316)688–6801

Services offered: Demographic Served: Veterans; Services, Veterans, Veterans Impacted By Disaster; Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1465

Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based, Non–Profit, Charity
Executive Offices; 3636 N. Oliver, Wichita, KS 67208
Phone (316) 744–9291

Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas is making clothing and household item vouchers available to those who were affected by the tornado last weekend. Vouchers are available through the Red Cross or at any Goodwill store:

Andover, KS
415 S. Andover Rd. –– (316) 218–1800
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Ark City, KS
2127 N. Summit –– (620) 442–1635
10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
(Closed Sunday)

El Dorado, KS
2336 W. Central –– (316) 321–3125
10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
(Closed Sunday)

Garden City, KS
2005 E. Kansas –– (620) 275–1007
9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Great Bend, KS
1705 Main St. –– (620) 792–4000
9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Hutchinson, KS
1707 N. Waldon Rd. –– (620) 662–6500
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Hays, KS
1010 E. 43rd St. –– (785) 623–4047
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Junction City, KS
1008 W. 6th –– (785) 238–8920
9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Maize, KS
3737 N. Maize Rd. –– (316) 729–6600
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Salina, KS
2640 S. Planet Ave. –– (785) 827–8944
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Wichita, KS
3636 N. Oliver –– (316) 744–3822
9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

5025 S. Broadway –– (316) 522–1234
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

5525 W. Central –– (316) 942–9901
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Donations will be accepted at all of our stores. However, because of the time it takes to sort and shelve these items, victims will have access to already sorted items in the Goodwill stores. As the new donations are sorted, they will be added to the store racks.

Our deepest sympathies go out to all those affected by the recent weather throughout our state.

Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide education, training and employment opportunities...for people with disabilities or other barriers to employment. Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas' programs strive to improve the quality of life for people of all ages, regardless of disability.

We serve more than 500 people with disabilities or other barriers to employment each year. Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas also employs more than 280 people.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Jobs, Paying; Medical Equipment, LOAN ONLY; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Vouchers, Household Items, Vouchers; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Goodwill Industries International, Inc.
Updated May 11, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1437

Greens For Greensburg (United Way of the Plains)

Donor · Open

United Way
245 N. Water, Wichita, KS 67202
Phone (316) 267–1321
Web www.unitedwayplains.org/about_united_way.htm

United Way to coordinate aid fund
BY ANNIE CALOVICH
The Wichita Eagle

The United Way of the Plains will act as a central collection point for money directed to long–term help for tornado victims, the organization announced Tuesday.

A United Way spokesman said Gov. Kathleen Sebelius had asked United Way to coordinate the effort.

While the Salvation Army and Red Cross are tending to the immediate needs of victims with food and shelter, money collected in the Green for Greensburg Fund will pay for the next steps in rebuilding people's lives such as counseling, medical services and vouchers for rent or utilities, said Delane Butler of the United Way of the Plains in Wichita.

"It's a new name for the same fund" that the United Way had already started, Butler said.

"A lot of it just has to do with coordination, because this has become a Kansas event. The governor wants to encourage

support statewide and wanted to use the United Way because she knew we'd be doing this broader scope."

He said that donations to this fund should not take the place of those to the Salvation Army or the Red Cross, which the United Way supports year–round for their emergency services.

"It's not an 'or,' but an 'and.' We're encouraging people who want to be generous and want to continue to give.

"The benefit of this is that there are a lot of services that will be provided here in the short term and long term that the general public is not going to be aware of. This allows people to support those in a way they can trust because they know United Way has been around a long time and we're used to working with community groups."

The United Way is still working on a plan for volunteers from the public to help with the cleanup and rebuilding in Greensburg. He said it's still too early for the damaged area to accept that help, beyond the official volunteers already mobilized.

A disaster such as this requires the services of many organizations—especially for on–going assistance in the future. United Way is setting up this fund to provide a vehicle for that help. Types of services supported could include: counseling; medical services; vouchers for rent or utility assistance; or other services.

~ The Green for Greensburg Fund will be administered by United Way of the Plains with no administration charge.
~ 100 percent of each gift will go to direct disaster recovery assistance.
~ Donors should make checks payable to “Green for Greensburg Fund”.

HOW TO DONATE MONEY

United Way

Make checks payable to Green for Greensburg Fund and mail to

United Way of the Plains
245 N. Water
Wichita, KS 67202.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; United Way
Updated May 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1423

Kansas Food Bank (Also See J.C. Food Bldg. in Pratt, KS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
1919 E. Douglas, Wichita, KS 67211

Phone	316–265–4421
Web	www.kansasfoodbank.org
Hours	6:30 am – 7 pm M–Sat.
Checks payable to	Kansas Food Bank
Service	Temporary

ALSO SEE J.C. FOOD BLDG. FACILITY RECORD IN THE DATABASE

UPDATE/VOAD MEETING NOTES – 5/22/07
http://www.ksvoad.org/pdf/5_22_2007%20VOAD%20NOTES.pdf:

Bryan Walker:
Still diverting donations to the KS Food Bank in Wichita to avoid overwhelm. KS Food Bank will be available for long term needs and supply food for as long as it takes. In addition to, rakes and wheelbarrows are being sent from KS City.

From the KS FOOD BANK website:

In addition to donations of money, a limited amount of supplies is being sought for the victims of last weekend's tornadoes.

Bath towels, for example, are needed by people even if they're staying with relatives, said Monique Garcia, a volunteer working with the Salvation Army in Haviland.

Denture cleaner is another item that has been requested by the older population of Greensburg than, say, the diapers that have already been donated, she said.

But kind–hearted people should keep in mind that the population of Greensburg is small, and if one person donates a case of denture cleaner, that will probably do it, said Brian Walker of the Kansas Food Bank, which is serving as a drop–off site for the items. People can call ahead before donating items to be sure they are still needed, Walker said. The phone number is:

316–265–4421.

The Food Bank, 1919 E. Douglas in Wichita, is storing the goods and sending them out as they're needed, controlling the amount that is delivered to Haviland, where storage space is limited, Walker said.

"That eliminates a disaster within a disaster," he said.

No clothing is being accepted for donation. Deliveries can be made to the Food Bank from 6:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. through Saturday. If you want to take something out Sunday, call first.

Here is the list of needed items. They should be new, not used.

? Bath towels

? Bedding

? Pillows

? Laundry detergent

? Dog and cat food

? Denture cleaner

? Canes

From the KS East Conference United Methodist Website:

Kansas Food Bank coordinating donations

The Kansas Food Bank is coordinating donations of food and supplies for the Greensburg area in cooperation with the Salvation Army and other volunteer organizations, including Church World Service and the United Methodist Disaster Response from the Kansas Area.

Items requested include:

#10 cans of non–perishable food
Work gloves
Trash bags
Snack food
Personal care items
Cleaning supplies
Rakes
Shovels
Tarps

NO CLOTHING PLEASE

Items may be delivered to the Kansas Food Bank at 1919 E. Douglas in Wichita. For questions, contact the Food Bank at 316–265–4421.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); 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)

Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; America's Second Harvest; CWS ~ Church World Service; Salvation Army; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1444

Kansas West Conference of the United Methodist Church/UMCOR

Info/Hotline · Open

Faith–based Non–Profit
9440 E. Boston, Suite 110, Wichita, KS 67207
Phone 316–684–0266 / 1–800–745–2350
Web www.kswestumc.org
Serves Greensburg,Trousdale, Macksville, Mt. Pleasant, Hutchinson, St. John, Claflin & Ellinwood, KS
Service Temporary

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated Dec 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1445

Pals Animal Rescue/Pratt Humane Society (Greensburg, KS Disaster)

Animal Shelter · Open

State
P.O. Box 47342, Wichita, KS 67201
Phone (620) 723–2503
Web www.palsrescue.org/Greensburg%20Disaster%20Animals.htm

200 displaced pets have been collected at the Greensburg, KS Headquarters of the Kansas Department of Transportation:

Transportation Dept.–Hwy.
210 N Poplar St
Greensburg, KS 67054
(620) 723–2503

Pals Animal Rescue out of Wichita, KS is assisting in pet rescue for Greensburg, KS. Their website has pictures up of Greensburg disaster animals picked up by Pratt Humane Society at:

http://www.palsrescue.org/Greensburg%20Disaster%20Animals.htm

To claim your pet you need to call the:

Pratt Humane Society
1402 W. 1st Street
Pratt, KS
(620) 672–6777
Site: http://members.tripod.com/pratt_humane_society/pratt_humane_society/

We are located on a dirt road running parallel to Highway 54 in Pratt, Kansas (about 1/2 way between Wichita and Dodge City). At the west end of town turn north at the Kwik Shop, drive over the railroad tracks, turn west directly after the tracks and drive about a 1/2 mile. You will find us in a small white building on the north side of the road.

When Mark Morell, a member of the Finney County Humane Society, arrived in Greensburg Sunday morning after a tornado struck the town two days before, he started helping pick up dogs ranging from purebred to mutt, cats and whatever other animals he and others could find.

"You had barking dogs. You had dogs that were hiding in the back of the kennel," Morell said of the animals that had been involved in the category F–5 enhanced tornado that hit Greensburg Friday.

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Judy Smith hugs her cat Pawsh after finding her Tuesday under her destroyed home in Greensburg.
Some animals acted as though nothing had happened, some "were just petrified," Morell said.

Morell traveled with five other Garden City residents, including Doree Bates, animal control officers Karen Casanova and Travis Bailey and veterinarian David Sells and his wife, Becky, on Sunday morning to Greensburg to help with animal recovery. Morell also went to help on Monday and Tuesday with the group bringing back 17 dogs and about 15 cats.

Six of the dogs temporarily housed in Garden City were returned by Wednesday to their owners. As of Wednesday, three dogs still were being kept in the Finney County Animal Shelter, four dogs in foster homes and four dogs and the cats being housed by Sells.

Morell returned the rest of the dogs today to the Pratt County Humane Society's animal shelter and the site in Greensburg. The cats possibly will be up for adoption, he said.

Cooper, a chocolate lab, was one of the dogs Morell and others returned to his owner, Chance Little, of Greensburg.

Little said he and his family, including his wife and daughter, weren't home when the tornado hit and destroyed the house.

"It's a pile of nothing," Little said.

He said that when he came back to survey the damage and check on Cooper, he found the dog "unscathed," running around in the yard.

But the family and other residents later had to evacuate the town because of weather, so Little said he decided to tie Cooper up in a shaded area, feed him and leave a 5–gallon bucket of water for the dog, hoping someone would find him until Little returned for the dog.

Little said when he went back to find Cooper, he was directed to one of the Kansas Department of Transportation yards at Greensburg where most of the animals are being kept temporarily to help owners locate them.

Little eventually learned Cooper had been taken to Garden City, with Morell and others bringing the dog to Greensburg to reunite Cooper with Little.

Little said Tuesday was the first time the family, including Cooper, had been together since the tornado.

Little said he'd gotten Cooper about 1 1/2 years ago after a stray dog had given birth to puppies under a neighbor's home.

Cooper's "whole body started wiggling when he saw Chance," Morell said. "You could tell Cooper was Chance's dog."

Morell said none of the animals that were located in Greensburg had microchips, which are used for positive, immediate identification of the animal. Morell, whose dogs are microchipped, said the incident reaffirmed his belief that owners should purchase the microchip for their cat or dog.

Alice Bailey, manager for the Pratt County Humane Society and shelter, said she and others arrived at about 9:30 a.m. Saturday morning to help with the animals. Bailey said that as of Wednesday, about 30 dogs and 25 to 30 cats had not been claimed out of the about 190 animals that had gone through the site.

Bailey said the animals originally were taken to different sites in order to avoid them going through severe weather again. She said the animals were being returned to the Greensburg site and Pratt County Humane Society animal shelter for easier access to owners looking for their pets.

The Pratt County Humane Society is handling care for the animals and locating owners. The Kansas Animal Health Department is assisting with the effort by providing support to Bailey and Pratt County Humane Society, according to Debra Duncan, director for Animal Facilities Inspection within the department.

Duncan said the state's animal response team had been on site at Greensburg since Saturday to help with animal rescue. She said that while Animal Health doesn't currently have a plan to deal with animal rescue during disasters, she hoped to discuss the event and how the animals were helped with other agencies in the hopes of possibly developing a plan for the Animal Health Department.

Bailey said people could contact the Pratt County Humane Society at 1402 W. First St., Pratt, KS 67214 or (316) 672–6777 for help with veterinary bills or information and questions.

Nancy Garhart, president of the Finney County Humane Society, said Orscheln, 2217 W. Jones Ave., and Ward's would take donations for animal recovery. Garhart said donations could include anything from cat litter, food bowls, litter boxes, dog houses, dry pet food and pet collars to money.

Garhart said monetary donations could be sent to the Finney County Humane Society, P.O. Box 2031, Garden City, KS 67846.

For questions or more information on how to help, contact Garhart at the Humane Society at 272–5651 or 275–6364.

Some of the Greensburg animals still waiting to be claimed can be viewed on the Web site of Wichita's PALS Animal Rescue at www.palsrescue.org

To be considered as a foster home, call LeeAnn Jahansooz at 210–6454

Services offered: Advocacy, Animals, Community Outreach Programs; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 13, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1421

2011 Spring Tornadoes, Damaging Wind Storms, Floods (KS) – INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

KS

Service Temporary

FACEBOOK –
2011 Missouri River Flood: Elwood and Wathena, Kansas
https://www.facebook.com/pages/2011-Missouri-River-Flood-Elwood-and-Wathena-Kansas/171600759567309

MEDIA COVERAGE –

ARTICLES –

Kansas tornado kills 1, damages hundreds of homes –
May. 22, 2011
http://www.azcentral.com/news/articles/2011/05/22/20110522kansas-deadly-storm.html
Excerpts –
* It was classified Sunday as an EF3, with winds ranging up to 165 mph
* Reading First Baptist Church, said the church suffered extensive damage
* A shelter was set up at a local school and senior citizen's center in Emporia, and the Salvation Army was serving meals, snacks and drinks from a mobile feeding kitchen.

Tornado kills one, damages 200 houses in Kansas
May 22, 2011
http://www.reuters.com/article/2011/05/22/us-weather-idUSTRE74L1DL20110522
Excerpts –
^ state of emergency being declared for 16
* known tornado damage was centered around the town of Reading
* Lyon County Emergency Management office

FLOODING –
UPDATE 1-Dresser-Rand says flood disrupts Kansas plant –
May 20 (Reuters) – Oil services company Dresser-Rand Group Inc said operations at its Wellsville plant in Kansas have been hit by flooding of a nearby creek
http://www.reuters.com/article/2011/05/20/dresserrand-idUSL4E7GK2W420110520

Project Flood: 'Evacuate!!! Your property is in danger now.' 1000's fleeing
May 7th, 2011
http://www.examiner.com/human-rights-in-national/project-flood-evacuate-your-property-is-danger-now-1000-s-fleeing
Campaigns: 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms
Updated Sep 24, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8432

COAD – Kansas City Metro COAD (Community Organizations Active In Disasters)

Info/Hotline · Open

KS
Web www.kcmetrocoad.org/index.cfm
Service Temporary

BRIEF HISTORY:
After several natural disasters during the 1990's the leaders of many community service agencies and religious service oriented groups determined that there was a need for a "local COAD" modeled after and related to the National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters. (NVOAD) The COAD was organized in 2000. Since the COAD organization, and especially since the advent of the 21st century, the COAD has served as "key player" in Disaster Response through Ice Storms, Floods, Tornadic and Wind destruction. The KC Metro COAD comes under the umbrella of the Kansas and Missouri state VOAD. The parent agency is National VOAD (Volunteer Organizations Active in Disaster). Following Hurricane Camille in 1969, national representatives from voluntary agencies met to discuss how they could better work together to fill the gaps and eliminate duplication. On July 15, 1970, seven voluntary organizations came together to hold the first meeting of what we now know to be NVOAD
Campaigns: COAD (Community Organizations Active in Disaster); VOAD (this org is not a member, but is "affiliated"); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Jun 20, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5964

FEMA – Declared Disasters & Emergencies – Kansas

Info/Hotline · Open

KS
Web www.fema.gov/news/disaster_totals_annual.fema
Service Temporary

Severe Winter Storms and Snowstorm
Declaration Date: March 9, 2010
Incident Type: Severe Winter Storms and Snowstorm
Incident Period: December 22, 2009, to January 8, 2010
http://www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=12468

Allen, Anderson, Atchison, Bourbon, Brown, Butler, Cherokee, Cheyenne, Clay, Cowley, Crawford, Decatur, Doniphan, Elk, Franklin, Gove, Graham, Greenwood, Jackson, Jefferson, Jewell, Labette, Linn, Logan, Lyon, Marshall, Miami, Morris, Nemaha, Neosho, Norton, Osage, Phillips, Pottawatomie, Rawlins, Republic, Riley, Shawnee, Sheridan, Wabaunsee, Wallace, Washington, Wilson, Woodson, and Wyandotte Counties.

(Assistance for emergency protective measures (Category B), including snow removal assistance, to save lives and to protect public health and safety):

This emergency assistance will be provided for a period of 48 hours for Osage County.

Kansas Disaster History (SHOWS ACTIVE FROM 2009)
http://www.fema.gov/news/disasters_state.fema?id=20
Campaigns: 2010 Snow & Ice Storms; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security
Updated Mar 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5712

Kansas – INDEX Directory of Links (Project in Progress)

Info/Hotline · Open

KS
Service Temporary

Kansas Emergency Management Association (KEMA) –
Mission: Kansas Emergency Management Association is a network of leaders dedicated to providing excellence in emergency management for Kansas.

KEMA offers networking opportunities among local emergency managers as well as opportunities to interact with state and national emergency management professionals and other affiliated individuals, governmental agencies and interested private groups.

http://www.kema.org/

2010 6/13/10

Indian Creek overflows, flood waters shut down roads and force evacuations
http://www.nbcactionnews.com/dpp/news/indian–creek–overflows%2C–flood–waters–shut–down–roads–and–force–evacuations

1/6/09 Winter Storm

School Closings –– Active Weather Alerts –– Local Road Condition Info –– Safe Driving Tips –– Winter Weather Terminology –– KCI Flight Info –– Submit Snow Pix –– Get Prepared for Snow

http://www.nbcactionnews.com/content/weathernews/story/Your–Winter–Weather–Information–Center/xWSTOh4vXUaQkC5BFWD_cw.cspx

Above Link also includes:
Resources from NBC Action News
Check Regional Road Conditions
Other Useful Links
How to report and check on utility problems like lines down and service interruptions

Services offered: Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Media, Online News Reports
Updated May 25, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4852

Kansas National Guard Family Program

Info/Hotline · Open

Military
KS
Phone 800–432–2447 Ext. 9.

Military families in need of financial assistance or other
resources can receive help through the Kansas National Guard
Family Program Office. The number is 800–432–2447 Ext. 9.

Services offered: Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1432

Kansas State Livestock Commission

Animal Shelter · Open

State
KS
Phone (785) 296–2326

UPDATE 5/22/07

Food/Traps have been set and are checked twice daily in hopes to reunite pets with their families.

From Fox KS site 5/7 (PLEASE ALSO READ BELOW):

The Kansas Animal Disaster team is recruiting veterinarians from across Kansas to help animals hurt in the tornado. Also looking for volunteers.

5/10:

Called the number provided for the Kansas Animal Disaster Team and the recording states:

IF YOU ARE CALLING TO ASSIST GREENSBURG, KS, THE STATE LIVESTOCK COMMISSION HAS TAKEN OVER. CALL:

Deb Duncan @ (785) 296–2326

5/10: Attempted to reach them (was a machine/did not leave msg.) – Hrs. are 7:30–4:30 M–Fri.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1435

Kiowa County Kansas, Churches

Info/Hotline

Church
KS

HAVILAND, KS CHURCHES:

Haviland Friends Church
205 N. Kingman
Haviland, KS
(620) 862–5258
Email: hfc@havilandtelco.com
Pastor: Everett Jantz (Karen)
NOTES: Red Cross Shelter (Sheltering 29 people per call to church on 5/5/07) / Havland Friends Church is a member of EFC–MAYM. See facility entry main list.

United Methodist Church
322 N. Main
Haviland, KS
620–862–5267
Pastor: Ken Walker
NOTES: Haviland United Methodist Church is a member of The United Methodist Church.

MULLINVILLE, KS CHURCHES:

Church of Christ
100 S.Maple
Mullinville, KS
(620) 548–2512
Russell Scott, Minister

United Methodist Church
220 N. Locust
Mullinville, KS
(620) 548–2585
Pastor Larry Bassett

GREENSBURG, KS CHURCHES:

Bethel Mennonite Church
From Hwy 183 and Hwy 54 intersection:
go 3 miles south on 183,
1 mile West on Kiowa County Street M
Greensburg, KS
Mark Dirks, Pastor

Bible Baptist Church
Bay and Illinois
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2351
Pastor Wesley Carlton

Christ the Cornerstone
Greensburg, KS
For locations call: Mick Kendall 723–2606 or
Mike Case 723–3106

Faith Tabernacle
700 W. Kansas
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2243
Pastors Willard and Betty Olinger

First Baptist Church
123 W. Florida
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2747
Pastor Marvin George

First Christian Church
1200 S. Main
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2507
Arnett (Willie) Williams

First United Methodist Church
600 W. Lincoln Ave.
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–3338
Reverend Gene McIntosh

Greensburg Mennonite Church
310 W. Pennsylvania
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2620
Pastor Jeffrey D. Blackburn

Lighthouse Worship Center
Assembly of God
804 W. Wisconsin
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–3028
Pastor Christa Zapfe

Peace Lutheran Church LCMS
321 S. Walnut
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2300
Reverend Timothy J. Henning

St. Joseph Catholic Church
215 W. Morton
Greensburg, KS
(620) 723–2534
Father LeBlanc

WELLSFORD, KS CHURCHES:

Wellsford Community Church
Wellsford, KS
Pastor Kathleen Blair
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 7, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1415

LTRC, Midway–Kansas Chapter American Red Cross

Info/Hotline · Open

Disaster Recovery
KS
Phone 316–219–4051
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Oct 14, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/718

Media (Radio, TV, Newspapers, Blogs etc.) – INDEX

Info/Hotline · Open

KS
Service Temporary

http://www.fstribune.com/

http://www.kansan.com/news/news/

National –
Directory of Newspapers:
http://www.refdesk.com/paper.html
http://www.town–usa.com/news/
http://www.50states.com/news
http://newslink.org

Radio:
http://www.radio–locator.com/
http://www.ontheradio.net/Stations.aspx#StateList

Weather Underground

US Severe Weather Map
http://www.wunderground.com/severe.asp
Updated Feb 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5024

VOAD – Kansas

Info/Hotline · Open

VOAD
KS

Kansas Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters

ABBOTT–BECKER, MICHELLE
MARION CO EMERGENCY MGT
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Fax: (620) 283–3441
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10 RICHARDS ROAD, DOWNTOWN AIRPORT
KANSAS CITY, MO 64116
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Fax: (816) 421-2409
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