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# NEWS RELEASE

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## Volunteer Assistance Available for Storm Clean-Up

### **Volunteers Also Needed**

DUBUQUE, Iowa – Do you need assistance with storm clean-up? Do you know someone who does? Would you or your group like to volunteer to help others who need assistance?

City of Dubuque residents in need of assistance with storm clean-up are encouraged to call 563-690-6048 or visit [www.cityofdubuque.org](http://www.cityofdubuque.org) to request assistance and describe their need. This program is focused on assisting elderly, disabled, and low-income residents impacted by last week's storm who do not have other assistance available.

Volunteers are being recruited to assist with removing storm-damaged items from basements, cleaning and disinfecting flooded basements, and other tasks. A City of Dubuque Housing Department inspector will conduct an on-site assessment for each request to determine resource needs and to insure volunteer safety. Individuals or groups interested in volunteering to provide this type of assistance should contact Volunteer Services Coordinator Mary Bridget Corken at 563-690-6048 or [volunteer@cityofdubuque.org](mailto:volunteer@cityofdubuque.org).

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