

SCOTT COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY 1100 East 46th Street, Davenport, Iowa 52807 (563) 484-3050 Readyscottcounty.com **Media Release** For immediate release 05/19/2023

RE: Flood Debris Clean-up Guidance for the Unincorporated Scott County Residents

Scott County Secondary Roads and Conservation, in partnership with the Waste Commission of Scott County, will be assisting with the collection of debris from recent Mississippi River flooding for residents living in unincorporated Scott County.

All unincorporated County residents who were impacted by the Mississippi River flooding are asked to have the approved flood debris to the public right of way, near your road, by Wednesday, May 31st 2023, at 07:00 AM. Please have your debris sorted in the approved piles (construction, bulky waste, large appliances) in order to assist with collection schedules. The only items that will be collected are what's listed on the **Flood Debris Removal Guideline graphic (see attached)**.

The collection will start in the northern part of the County and continue south until every unincorporated area has been collected once. Secondary Roads and Conservation will **not be returning to areas for additional pick up after the area scheduled pick up is complete**.

Included with this release:

- List of approved Frequently Asked Questions
- Flood Debris Removal Guideline graphics
- Resource listing for disposal locations for items not listed on the guidelines

Frequently Asked Questions:

Who is eligible to receive the debris collection support on this media release?

• This media release and the information are specific to the residents who live in the Unincorporated areas of Scott County, and impacted by Mississippi River flooding.

When will the collection begin?

• The collection will begin on Wednesday, May 31st, 2023, at 07:00 AM. Clean-up will start in the northern area of the Unincorporated parts of the County and proceed south until each area has been collected one time.

When will they reach my area?

- Because it's dependent on how much debris is needed to be cleared away, we cannot determine how long the process will take.
- All residents are asked to have the eligible debris listed below separated into those category types and ready for pickup on Wednesday, May 31st, by 07:00 AM. Please place the debris on the public right-of-way near the road.

Where should I place the items for collection?

• Please have the items separated into the listed categories and staged on the public right-of-way near the roads.

What if I miss the collection?

- Secondary Roads and Conservation will not return to areas for additional pick up after the scheduled pick up is complete.
- At that time, any debris that was not placed in the correct location or didn't meet the collection type will be left to the responsibility of the resident to dispose of the debris appropriately.

What debris will they collect?

Please have the items listed separated into these pile categories:

- Construction debris (building materials, drywall, lumber, carpet, furniture, plumbing, sandbags)
- Bulky waste (flood-impacted furniture, doors, carpet, padding)
- Large appliances (Refrigerators, washers, dryers, water heaters)

What will NOT BE collected?

- Household garbage (bagged garbage, discarded food, packaging)
- Hazardous materials (oil, pesticides, paint, cleaners, compressed gases, propane tanks)
- And electronics (TVs, stereos, computers, tablets, printers);

What if they only picked up part of what was put out for collection?

- If the items you placed out for collection are under the approved items, then it's possible their trucks were full and needed to dispose of the items already picked up. They will come back for the remaining items.
- If the items you placed out for collection were not on the approved items list, you will need to safely dispose of those items.

Where do I appropriately dispose of items not approved for being collected?

• Please see the resource listing for disposal locations for items not listed on the guidelines.

Who do I call for collection questions?

• For questions regarding the collection, please call Scott County Secondary Roads at 563-326-8640.

Who do I call regarding items to be collected, where to dispose of other items safely, etc.:

• Please call the Waste Commission of Scott County at 563-381-1300.

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FLOOD DEBRIS REMOVAL GUIDELINES

FEMA requires separation of the following materials Place materials near road

Not picked up **O HAZARDOUS MATERIALS**

Oil, Pesticides, Paint **Cleaners**, Compressed Gases, Propane Tanks Drop-off location: 5640 Carey Ave., Davenport No appointment necessary | 7:30-3:30pm M-F

ELECTRONICS

TVs, Batteries, Stereos, Computers, Tablets, Printers

Drop-off location: 5650 Carey Ave. Davenport No appointment necessary | 7:30-3:30pm M-F

Scott County Emergency Management Agency 563-484-3050 • ema@scottcountyiowa.com



Waste Commission of Scott County 563-381-1300 • mail@wastecom.com

- CALANDFILL: 11555 110 Ave., Davenport, IA 7 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Monday-Friday | 8 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Saturday
- AZARDOUS MATERIAL: 5640 Carey Ave., Davenport, IA 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Monday-Friday | 8 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. 1st Saturday of each month
- ELECTRONIC WASTE: 5650 Carey Ave., Davenport, IA 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Monday-Friday | 8 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. 1st Saturday of each month

CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS Building Materials, Drywall, Lumber, Carpet, Furniture, Plumbing

> BULKY WASTE Flood Impacted Furniture Doors, Carpet, Padding



Refrigerators, Washers, Dryers, Water Heaters



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HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE RESIDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR DISPOSAL Bagged Garbage, Discarded Food, Packaging, Etc.

PROPER DEBRIS PLACEMENT WELL TESTING DONE BY APPOINTMENT | CONTACT SCOTT COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT 563-326-8618 HEALTH@SCOTTCOUNTYIOWA.COM



Kathy Morris	Brian Seals	Bryce Stalcup
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Mobile Phone: 563.349.0038	Mobile Phone: 563.349.7890	Mobile Phone: 563.349.3921

Natural Disaster Debris		Resources
Ammunition /Explosives	Ø	Contact Local Law Enforcement Bettendorf: 563.344.4015 Davenport : 563.326.7979 Scott County Sheriff: 563.326.8625
Asphalt /Concrete	Ø	Scott Area Landfill for Reuse —11555 110th Ave., Davenport (Must be clear of other debris)
Building Contents* (e.g., furniture, personal property)	Ø	Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Communities may provide special collection
Construction & Demolition Debris* (e.g., building material, carpet, decks, drywall, fencing, lumber, mixed metals, asphalt shingles)	Ø	Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Communities may provide special collection
Comingled Debris (e.g., mixture of many debris types, such as C&D, vegetative, HHW and building contents)	Ø	Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Communities may provide special collection
Cylinders and Propane Tanks	Q	Household Hazardous Material Facility – 5640 Carey Ave., Davenport (Grill propane tanks or smaller ONLY) Additional Resource: Iowa DNR— <u>Tank Disposal</u>
Electronic Waste* (e.g., batteries, tv, computers, cell phones, stereo, DVD players)	(\mathbf{f})	Electronics Recovery Center — 5650 Carey Ave., Davenport Communities may provide special collection
Household Hazardous Waste (e.g., cleaners, pesticides, solvents, paint thinners, mercury- containing devices, sharps containers)	0	Household Hazardous Material Facility – 5640 Carey Ave., Davenport
Household Appliances (e.g., air conditioner, dishwasher, refrigerator, stove, washer/ dryer, water heater)	Ø	Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Communities may provide collection
Marine or Waterway Debris	Ø	Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Residents required to show proof of ownership to dispose
Metals*		Scott Area Landfill to be recycled —11555 110th Ave., Davenport Communities may provide special collection
Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) (e.g. bagged garbage, packaging, discarded food)		Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Routine Collection—FEMA requires separation
Pharmaceuticals		Follow <u>EPA guidelines</u> for proper disposal
Radiological-contaminated waste		Contact Iowa Department of Public Health
Sandbags, Soil and Sediment	Ø	Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Communities may provide special collection
Tires*	Ø	Scott Area Landfill to be recycled—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Communities may provide special collection
Used oil and oil-contaminated waste	0	Household Hazardous Material Facility – 5640 Carey Ave., Davenport
Vegetative Debris (Green waste) (e.g., trees, branches, leaves, logs, plants)	Ø	Davenport Compost Facility— 2707 Railroad Ave., Davenport Flooding Alt. Location: Scott Area Landfill—11555 110th Ave, Dav. Communities may provide special collection
Vehicles & Vessels	Ø	Scott Area Landfill to be recycled—11555 110th Ave., Davenport Residents required to show proof of ownership to dispose

*Special Collection requirements will be determined by community and severity of event.