

Frequently asked questions related to the flooding:

- What is a Declaration of Emergency?
 - The Dodge County board chairman, Russell Kottke, has declared a state of emergency for Dodge County. Several other local municipalities may also be signing declarations. Governor Jim Doyle has declared a state of emergency in about 30 counties in Wisconsin. The state of Wisconsin is currently requesting a presidential declaration. If a presidential declaration is declared, FEMA funds become available for the declared counties.
 - The Dodge County website will update information on road closings and other issues that may arise.
 - Call EOC at 920-386-4060 if you have any problems (such as flooding) or notice any serious damages in your area. **Municipalities** may also call to request county resources.
- Red Cross has set up a shelter/reception area at the Zion Luthern School, 822 Western Street, Columbus WI for people in the Columbus area affected by the flooding. Information about sheltering is available at 800-236-8680.
- June 9, 2008, 12:00pm. National weather service issued no significant rain forecasted through Thursday.
- Where can I go to report flooding?
 - <http://www.co.dodge.wi.us/>
 - Click on Declaration of Emergency link on the right hand side
 - Click on Report Storm Damage
 - Fill out the form and click Submit Survey
- Where can I get sand?
 - Empty sand bags are available at the Highway Shop in Juneau; sand is not available.
 - Bulk sand may be purchased from local contractors
- How are floating boats being handled?
 - Boats floating on lakes should have registration number given to the EOC, phone number 920-386-4060
- Beaver Dam has issued a no wake on the lake.
- If water is surrounding or covering your well, do not drink it until you have tested your water. Let the water settle before you test your water. If water is covering your well, you will need to purge the water before testing it.
 - For more information please visit:
<http://www.co.dodge.wi.us/Well%20Water%20Test.pdf>
- The liaison between the citizen and this center is the elected town official
 - How can I contact my local chairman?
 - <http://www.co.dodge.wi.us/countyclerk/Dodge%20County%20Directory.pdf> (Pages 16-26 of 29 has contact information of each township)
- Users are responsible for the proper disposal of the sandbags after the flooding has subsided.
- When is a river going to crest?
 - You can try calling the National Weather Service at 262-965-5061 x468
- For state wide road closures, call 1-800- ROAD WIS

- Town of Lebanon contact is Lohny Fredrick, phone number is 920-918-3504
- How can I help?
 - American Red Cross is always looking for donations of time and money. To support victims of the flooding, please contact the Red Cross by calling 1-800-RED-CROSS or 1-800-257-7575 (Spanish). You can also donate by credit card by visiting www.redcrossinsewis.org. Thank you.