



PROTECTING ASSETS. MAKING A DIFFERENCE.

HANDLING YOUR PROPERTY LOSS

While each incident is different, the following general tips may be helpful if you experience a loss or damage to your property.

1. Safety First! Always attempt to confirm with police or fire officials that a damaged home is safe to enter.
2. Report your loss to your insurance agent/carrier.
3. If your house is unsafe or damaged extensively so that you cannot live there, your insurance carrier can provide direction as it pertains to alternate living options.
4. Take necessary steps to protect your home from further damage. Some insurance carriers offer emergency service providers that are able to help with clean up or protect from further damage.
5. If possible, move your property to protect it from further damage. If you're unable to move large belongings, try to protect them from the elements using a tarp or plastic. If necessary, shut off water supply, electrical system and/or gas.
6. Don't dispose of items that might be helpful in determining what caused the damage to your home or what is damaged in your home.
7. Document your damages with photos or video, as well as a list. In addition, keep records, receipt and bills related to your loss, including expenses for temporary repairs made prior to the inspection of your home, and expenses incurred if you had to relocate.

We wish you and your family safety and well-being. Please let us know if we can be of assistance during this understandably difficult time.

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