

# Utah Division of Emergency Management

## Post Flood Restoration and Clean Up Resources – Updated August 2022

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### BACKGROUND

Issues may arise in identifying reliable resources for property damages and debris removal following natural disasters. Important factors for residents and community leadership to be aware of:

- Companies, individuals, and volunteers may come to your neighborhood door-to-door offering their services.
- Contractors need building/floodplain permits when doing work on structures and property, especially in Special Flood Hazard Areas.
- Beware of contractors promising no permits required or saying that the city has “waived that permit.”
- Contact your county or city for permitting requirements.
- Contact your insurance company, county, or city for a potential list of reputable companies for post disaster cleanup.

### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR PROTECTIVE ACTIONS

- [After Storms. Watch out for Scams](#)
- [Are Permits Required to Repair a Home After a Flood?](#)
- [Beware of Fraudulent Contractors](#)
- [Utah Better Business Bureau – Tips for Dealing with Flood Damage. Scams](#)
- [Post Flood Recovery Checklist](#)
- [Floods](#)

### RESOURCES VERIFIED FOR POST DISASTER CLEANUP

- [Utah Department of Environmental Quality \(DEQ\) Businesses and Facilities Index](#)
- [EnviroCare](#) - for Hazardous Materials