

**ORDER FOR RELEASE OF MANDATORY EMERGENCY EVACUATION**  
**06/25/2019 at 1:00 P.M.**

**Area for Release of Mandatory Evacuation and Allowed Re-entry:** The unincorporated areas of Fremont County as follows:

- Previously evacuated unincorporated areas of Fremont County, Iowa north of U.S. Highway 2

**Timeline for Re-entry:** Residents and owners in the above area are allowed to return to their property, as of the date of this Order, during daylight hours to determine the viability of the premises.

**Reason for Release of Mandatory Evacuation Order:** Floodwater has subsided sufficiently in the above area to allow re-entry to the area homes and businesses.

**Re-entry Procedure:** Pursuant to Resolution 2019-23, the following procedures shall be followed by those person(s) or business(es) re-entering areas no longer designated as part of the mandatory evacuation area:

1. Prior to occupancy of the residence or business the owner shall contact the Fremont County Emergency Management to determine if an inspection is necessary and schedule an inspection of the premises. If property is serviced by a well and/or a septic system, the owner shall also contact Fremont County Environmental Health to determine if an inspection is necessary and schedule the inspection.
2. If the property has had uninterrupted electrical service and has potable water and sanitary system, absent substantial structural damage that makes occupancy unsafe, the owner, after inspection, if the inspection is necessary, may re-enter the property.
3. If electrical service had been temporarily discontinued, power may be re-established to the property per guidelines as set forth by Mid-American Energy or Atchison Holt Electric Co-op once an inspection has been done. Once electrical service has been established and if the home has an operational water and sewer/septic, absent substantial structural damage that make occupancy unsafe, the owner may re-enter the property.
4. If after inspection, electrical service may not be re-established and/or the property does not have potable water and sanitary system, the property owner may only enter the property during daylight hours for the purposes of making sufficient repairs to establish the necessary utilities. Once sufficient repairs are made, the property owner shall contact Fremont County Emergency Management and/or Fremont County Environmental Health to determine occupancy.
5. If after inspection it is determined that there is substantial structural damage as determined by applicable building codes, the owner may not occupy the property and may only enter the property during daylight hours to make such repairs as necessary to allow for occupancy.

6. Any costs associated with inspections or permits required for repair may be subject to reimbursement or waiver upon application to the Fremont County Board of Supervisors or State of Iowa.
7. The above conditions are also applicable to those person(s) or business(es) that have remained on his/her property during the evacuation period.
8. Appropriate county departments and offices shall coordinate and prepare an information packet for affected property owners.

**Re-entry Routes:**

Highway 275 or Bluff Road

**If you need help with the re-entry process, please contact the following agencies:**

Fremont County Environmental Health - 712-374-3355 or 712-313-0200

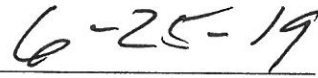
Fremont County Emergency Management - 712-374-3355 or 712-313-0182

**This Mandatory Evacuation Order has been issued by:**

**Terry Graham, Chairman, Fremont County Board of Supervisors**

**Mike Crecelius, Fremont County Emergency Management**

  
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