Verde Valley Flood Emergency Resources

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Update key: NEW means added to this list on November 5. UPDATED means an existing entry has changed. These labels do not indicate when a service began.

A message to our community

Our hearts are with everyone across the Verde Valley and surrounding region whose home, business, or daily life has been disrupted by the recent flooding. The losses and uncertainty our neighbors are facing are felt throughout our communities.

VVREO is grateful to the first responders, public works crews, local organizations, and neighbors who have stepped up to keep people safe and help one another. As recovery begins, we want residents and business owners to know where to turn for assistance and reliable information.

We have gathered the resources below, including damage reporting forms, official updates, and community relief efforts. Please share them with anyone who may need support, and check on neighbors when it is safe to do so. Recovery will take time, and continued care for one another will matter in the weeks ahead.

Emergency and recovery resources

Conditions, service availability, and hours can change quickly. Follow current instructions from emergency officials and confirm details directly with the organization before traveling or accessing services.

Immediate help

Life threatening emergencies Call 911.

Yavapai County emergency information Call 928-442-5103 for nonemergency flood information and recovery questions.

American Red Cross shelter locator — For shelter and disaster assistance, call 800-733-2767 or use the free Red Cross Emergency app.

211 Arizona — Dial 211 for referrals to shelter, food, and recovery services for residents and employees.

NEW November 5: American Red Cross Disaster Recovery Services — Guidance on recovery, home safety, emotional support, and financial recovery, with links to additional community resources.

Report flood damage

Yavapai County damage reporting form

Sedona and greater Verde Valley business impact survey — Business damage and impacts reported through the chamber.

Camp Verde business flood damage survey — The Town also asks businesses with flood-related revenue losses to respond, even without physical damage. Residents can use the county form and the Town's resident recovery page below.

State emergency declaration

Governor Katie Hobbs declared a statewide State of Emergency on November 2, 2026, to support storm and flood response and recovery. The announcement made $200,000 in emergency funding available for local communities and activated state coordination. The declaration does not itself guarantee assistance to an individual household or business.

Governor's announcement | Emergency declaration PDF

Official updates and safety information

Yavapai County recovery resources

Yavapai County Sheriff's Office — Emergency notices and public safety updates.

Coconino County flood recovery — County recovery information and damage reporting options.

City of Sedona flood recovery

Town of Camp Verde flood recovery

City of Cottonwood — City notices, closures, and community updates.

Yavapai County emergency alert registration — Sign up for location-based emergency notifications. Check current evacuation zones through official county and local channels.

Sedona text alerts Text 86336 to 888777.

Arizona road conditions — Use AZ511 online, the AZ511 app, or call 511.

National Weather Service Flagstaff — Weather forecasts and flood warnings.

Coconino National Forest — Check forest, trail, and recreation area closures before visiting.

Never drive through flooded roads or around barricades. Stay away from flooded waterways and follow evacuation orders. Return to evacuated areas only when officials say it is safe.

Help for residents and businesses

Yavapai County helpful flood information — Recovery contacts and flood-related health and water safety resources.

Sedona chamber business recovery resources — Resources for Sedona and Verde Valley businesses. Confirm program status and eligibility with the administering agency.

Local First Arizona — Business support inquiries: info@localfirstaz.com

Cottonwood community assistance center

UPDATED November 5: Announced in coordination with Yavapai County at 199 S. 6th Street, Cottonwood, AZ. Confirm the location and hours with the City or County before visiting.

Date	Announced hours
Thursday, November 5, 2026	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Friday, November 6, 2026	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Shelter information

The Town of Camp Verde's resident recovery page lists a temporary shelter at Camp Verde Middle School Gymnasium, 370 Camp Lincoln Road, Camp Verde. It also lists shelter for large animals at the Verde Valley Fairgrounds in Cottonwood. Confirm current availability and directions before traveling.

Camp Verde resident recovery resources — Current local shelter, animal assistance, and other resident resources.

Shelter locations have changed across reports. Use the Red Cross shelter locator or call 800-733-2767 to confirm an open location. The Red Cross and its partners may provide meals, health services, emotional support, and recovery assistance.

Resources shared by the Arizona Community Foundation

NEW November 5: Our friends at the Arizona Community Foundation have put together the following resources. We thank them for their contribution and look forward to collaborating further as we recover.

All resources in this section were added to this list on November 5, 2026. Availability and eligibility must be confirmed directly with each organization.

Housing Financial Assistance and Home Repairs

Northern Arizona Council of Governments

NACOG Cottonwood office: 928-300-0894

Senior Services: 1-877-521-3500

Provides assistance to eligible households, depending on program availability and funding:

Housing and emergency financial assistance

Utility assistance

Appliance repair or replacement

Additional support for low-income households and seniors

Verde Valley Habitat for Humanity

Phone: 928-649-6788 or 928-852-7661

Email: info@vvhabitat.org

Critical home repair assistance, including support through volunteer labor where available

Collecting information about repair needs and maintaining a list of potential volunteers

Awaiting additional guidance regarding permitting and floodplain requirements before certain repairs can move forward

Residents needing repairs and individuals interested in volunteering are encouraged to contact Habitat directly.

The Salvation Army

Phone: 928-778-0150, ext. 1106

Anticipated financial assistance and donated essential items as recovery resources become available

Residents are encouraged to contact the organization to ask about registration for future assistance

United Way of Yavapai County

Phone: 928-778-6605

Collecting donations to support local flood recovery efforts

Funds are expected to be directed through the Salvation Army to assist affected residents

Senior Services Meals and Essential Support

Verde Valley Caregivers Coalition

Phone: 928-204-1239

Supports older adults and vulnerable residents through essential community services. Contact the organization to discuss individual needs and available assistance.

Cottonwood Senior Center Meals on Wheels

Provides meal services for eligible seniors. Contact the center for information about meal availability and eligibility.

Verde Valley Senior Center Station on 6th

Contact: Erin Mabery

Phone: 928-634-5450

A local resource for senior services, meals, and community support. Call to inquire about available assistance for flood-impacted residents.

Property Damage Insurance and Legal Resources

Arizona Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions

Provides information about insurance claims, consumer protections, and disaster recovery.

Arizona Disaster Insurance Resources

Federal Emergency Management Agency

FEMA provides information about federal disaster assistance, eligibility, and applications.

DisasterAssistance.gov

Note: FEMA financial assistance depends on federal disaster declarations and program eligibility. A local or state emergency declaration does not automatically make individual FEMA assistance available.

Arizona Legal Aid Resources

Legal assistance resources for individuals facing issues involving housing, insurance, property damage, financial hardship, or other disaster-related concerns.

State Bar of Arizona Legal Aid Resources

Debris Removal Demolition and Property Cleanup

Yavapai County Flood Cleanup Assistance

Following the November 1 flooding, Yavapai County announced temporary recovery measures.

Free flood debris disposal from November 4 through November 30, 2026

Available at Yavapai County transfer stations for eligible residential flood debris

Accepted materials include water-damaged furniture, carpeting, drywall, household goods, and yard debris

Proof of Yavapai County residency is required

Loads must be properly secured and tarped

Demolition permit fee waivers

Demolition permit fees may be waived for qualifying flood-damaged structures.

Property owners must still contact Development Services to determine permit requirements and eligibility before beginning demolition.

Yavapai County Development Services: 928-771-3214

Yavapai County Public Works: 928-771-3183

County Flood Debris Disposal and Permit Fee Information

Supplies Livestock and Equipment Support

Verde Valley Fairgrounds

UPDATED November 5: The Verde Valley Fairgrounds reports that it is stocked and ready to help. People affected by the flooding can pick up free items there. Please share this information with anyone in need.

Location: 800 East Cherry Street, Cottonwood, AZ 86326

Phone: 928-634-3290

Contact: Coleen Gilboy

Reported local recovery support includes:

Temporary accommodations for displaced livestock

Storage space for large vehicles and equipment

Contact fairgrounds representatives to confirm pickup hours, available items, and arrangements for livestock or equipment before visiting.

Donations and Volunteer Opportunities

Verde Valley Habitat for Humanity

Phone: 928-852-7661

Email: info@vvhabitat.org

Maintaining a list of interested volunteers for future cleanup and home repair projects. Volunteer deployments will be coordinated as needs and county guidance become clearer.

Local Libraries

Several area libraries have been accepting donated physical supplies. However, storage space is becoming limited. Please contact individual libraries before dropping off items.

Arizona Community Foundation of Sedona Verde Valley

The Arizona Community Foundation of Sedona/Verde Valley is accepting charitable contributions to support local flood recovery. Contact Chelsea Buck-Leilich at cbuck@azfoundation.org or give online to the Sedona/Verde Valley Community Fund.

Donated funds will be directed to nonprofit organizations carrying out critical relief and recovery work as community needs are identified.

Recovery will require both immediate assistance and long-term investment in affected residents, properties, and the watershed. ACF will continue working with local government, nonprofit partners, and community leaders to better understand needs and help direct charitable resources where they can make the greatest impact.

Important Reminders

Document all damage: Take photographs and maintain records of damaged property, cleanup expenses, and communication with insurers.

Report damage to the county: Damage assessments help officials understand the full extent of community needs.

Check before removing or demolishing structures: Confirm insurance documentation requirements and applicable county permits before starting work.

Call before visiting or donating: Services, supplies, funding, and volunteer needs may change as recovery progresses.

This resource list is intended as a community reference. Assistance and eligibility may vary, and some services are still developing. Please contact organizations directly for the most current information.

Community updates shared on social media

Disclaimer: The following information was shared on social media. VVREO cannot guarantee its validity, accuracy, completeness, or continued availability. Please verify details directly with the organization or appropriate emergency authority before taking action, traveling, donating, or relying on a service. For public safety decisions, follow current official alerts and instructions.

Food Clothing and Essential Supplies

Parkside Church

UPDATED November 5: New donations are temporarily paused while volunteers sort and distribute the supplies already received. This newer update takes precedence over earlier posts requesting donations.

Donated clothing, shoes, toiletries, food, bedding, and other essentials are being organized for families affected by the flood. Volunteers are needed to help distribute items.

Reported volunteer hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., with possible needs continuing into the following week. Confirm the current schedule before arriving.

Location: 401 Camp Lincoln Road, Camp Verde, AZ, near the middle school.

Old Corral

UPDATED November 5: Clothing and supplies are ready for people affected by flooding. No additional clothing is needed at this time.

Current requests are Walmart gift cards, new socks, and organization bins. Contact Old Corral directly to confirm pickup arrangements, distribution hours, and current donation needs.

Simply Amazing Marketplace

NEW November 5: Serving as a donation drop-off, distribution, and holding center for flood relief supplies. A cell phone charging area is available.

Accepting non-perishable food, bottled water, hygiene products, cleaning supplies, blankets and towels, and other essentials.

Location: 47 S. Main Street, Cottonwood, AZ. Phone: 928-634-5603

Reported hours: Monday through Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Sunday, 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Confirm hours and donation needs before visiting.

Community Library Sedona

UPDATED November 5: Earlier posts requested supplies for people affected by flooding, with collection tables near the front desk at the West Sedona library. Updated partner guidance indicates that storage at area libraries is becoming limited. Contact the library before bringing donations.

The earlier request included clothing for all ages, new socks and underwear, personal hygiene items, and dog and cat food. Confirm the items currently needed and whether collection is continuing.

House of Ruth Pregnancy Care Center

NEW November 5: Seeking donations of baby wipes and other baby items for families in need. Contact the center directly to confirm specific needs and drop-off arrangements.

Free Clothing and Accessories for Women

NEW November 5: A post in Greater Sedona Spiritual Events offers free, mostly new women's clothing, shoes, outerwear, and accessories for people affected by flooding. It describes a range of sizes, styles, and seasonal clothing, with pickup arranged directly with the contact.

Contact listed in the post: Deborah Ann, 928-202-7677

Read the clothing assistance Facebook post

Hope Community Church in Cottonwood

NEW November 5: Hope Community Church is asking for non-perishable food to stock its 24-hour community pantry, plus boxes and storage totes for families who lost their homes. Store gift cards, including Home Depot, ACE Hardware, and Walmart, are also requested to help families replace necessities.

To coordinate these donations through the church, contact Pastor James at 912-470-9580.

The post also compiles other relief efforts. Some event dates and short-term offers in it have passed; verify each offer before acting. For Parkside Church, follow the newer donation pause above. The post asks donors to hold furniture and other large items until families have storage space.

Read Hope Community Church's flood relief Facebook post

Volunteer Coordination and Monetary Donations

Volunteer Sedona

NEW November 5: Recruiting and coordinating volunteers for flood recovery. The shared Facebook update directs prospective volunteers to its Facebook information and sign-up details.

Read Volunteer Sedona's flood recovery Facebook post

Organizations needing volunteers can email outreach@volunteersedona.com.

Calvary Chapel of Camp Verde

NEW November 5: Accepting monetary donations for people affected by flooding through its online flood relief fundraiser. Review the organizer's information and current relief plans before donating.

Calvary Chapel of Camp Verde flood relief donation form

Community Announcements and Resource Directories

City of Cottonwood

NEW November 5: The City announced that Mayor Ann Shaw issued a proclamation of emergency following severe weather in Cottonwood and surrounding areas. The linked Facebook post includes the proclamation.

Read Cottonwood's emergency proclamation Facebook post

City of Cottonwood official proclamation announcement

An earlier social media update reported Riverfront Park closed, and the City's website listed a full closure until further notice. Check current City notices before visiting.

Cottonwood closure notices

Greater Verde Valley Chamber of Commerce

NEW November 5: The Chamber is helping connect people with resources and support during flood recovery. Residents and businesses needing assistance are encouraged to reach out so the Chamber can connect them with available help.

Community members with supplies, services, or other assistance to offer can contact the Chamber or tag it in social media posts so it can share those resources.

Camp Verde Community Group Resource Directory

NEW November 5: The Verde Valley Flood Relief and Community Resources Directory brings together offers of help shared across Facebook, including food, clothing, cleanup assistance, temporary housing, volunteer opportunities, and donation locations.

Look for the directory link or QR code in the original Camp Verde Community Group post. Community members can suggest additional resources through that post's comments or a private message to its organizer. Contact providers directly to confirm availability.

Message Shared from Camp Verde Mayor Marie Moore

The shared message thanked first responders and public works crews for rescues and safety checks, urged residents in flood-prone areas to stay alert, and asked everyone to follow evacuation orders.

It encouraged residents to know their evacuation zone through Genasys Protect or the Camp Verde Marshal's Office, use available sandbags where needed, and never cross flooded roads or bypass barricades. It identified Camp Verde Middle School Gymnasium for shelter and the Verde Valley Fairgrounds for large animals; confirm current arrangements through official channels.

Residents and business owners were also asked to document flood impacts, watch the Town's channels for damage surveys and recovery programs, and check on neighbors, especially older adults and people living alone.

Shelter Locations Reported by Local News

An earlier 12News report identified the locations below. These are previously reported sites; they are not confirmed open shelters. Before traveling, use the Red Cross shelter locator or call 800-733-2767 to confirm the current site and address.

Find an open Red Cross shelter

Reported location	Address or verification needed
Cibecue Elementary School	Confirm the street address and community directly with the Red Cross before traveling.
Camp Verde Town Gym	51 E. Hollamon Street, Camp Verde, AZ 86322. Confirm whether services have moved to the middle school.
Yavapai College Prescott	1100 E. Sheldon Street, Prescott, AZ 86301
Rim Country Middle School	304 S. Meadow Street, Payson, AZ 85541
Sinagua Middle School	3950 E. Butler Avenue, Flagstaff, AZ 86004

The free Red Cross Emergency app also provides shelter information.