Community Functioning and Disaster Resilience

The COPEWELL Model
Johns Hopkins University
Mission
Promoting private giving for the public good

Vision
Be a catalyst to improve our region by fostering generosity, civic engagement and inclusiveness

Disaster Recovery Funding
• Following 2012 Flooding, partnered with Head of the Lakes United Way and Northland Foundation to raise recovery funds for nonprofit organizations, individuals and businesses impacted, respectively. Funds raised totaled about $2 million.

• 2016 storm and flood recovery funding for Ashland, WI and Bad River, WI area communities raised and distributed nearly $80,000 for immediate response and recovery
Philanthropic Preparedness, Resiliency and Emergency Partnership (PPREP)
Building Community Foundation Leadership and Capacity to Help Create More Resilient Communities.

The purpose of the Philanthropic Preparedness, Resiliency and Emergency Partnership (PPREP) is to create and support a community foundation disaster preparedness and response learning cohort in a ten-state Midwestern region of the United States. By the conclusion of the cohort program, the goal is that more community foundations in the ten-state service area will have the knowledge, skills, tools and capacity to improve how their communities prepare for and respond to natural disasters and strengthen overall community resilience.
Ready North is a network of agencies across sectors serving northeastern Minnesota and northwestern Wisconsin working to increase communities’ ability to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from disasters, with particular emphasis on our most vulnerable community members.
Working Groups

• Assessing Financial Resources

• Communications

• Preparedness and Mitigation

• COPEWELL (local priorities for community functioning and resilience)

• Great Lakes One Water Partnership - Duluth Community Leadership Team
READY NORTH MEMBERS

Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation
Ordean Foundation
City of Duluth
St. Louis County
Northland Foundation
Duluth LISC
Western Lake Superior Sanitary District (WLSSD)
ARDC and AAA
Lutheran Social Services of Minnesota
Salvation Army
Duluth Fire Department
American Red Cross
Center for Disaster Philanthropy
Minnesota Power Foundation
Lutheran Social Services
Lloyd K. Johnson Foundation
Duluth Public Schools
Head of the Lakes United Way
Miller Dwan Foundation
Arrowhead EMS
Ecolibrium3
Essentia Health
St. Luke's Hospital
Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa
University of Minnesota -- Duluth
Johns Hopkins University
Margaret A. Cargill Philanthropies
University of Minnesota Sea Grant Program
Human Development Center
ReadyNorth.org

PREPARE

Knowing and anticipating potential risks - being prepared before, during, and after a disaster - could be the difference between total loss and limiting the resulting damage.

DISASTERS ➤ PREPARE ➤ RESPOND ➤ RECOVER ➤ REPEAT
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