



**TO OUR POLICYHOLDERS IN
CHRISTIAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

On December 3, 2018 Governor Bruce Rauner declared Christian County a state disaster area after severe storms and tornadoes ripped across the area on December 1st. In Christian County, there were three tornadoes reported, including one that struck Taylorville, damaging hundreds of buildings and injuring at least 26 people.

To help provide safeguards for consumers and to ensure that Illinois consumers affected by this disaster do not suffer unnecessary hardship, Founders and other insurance companies will be granting affected policyholders in Christian County uninterrupted coverage on existing policies for the period of time beginning on November 23, 2018 until January 23, 2019. During this period, any cancellation or non-renewal notice issued on or after November 23, 2018 on any in-force policy issued to an affected policyholder or respecting affected property shall be withdrawn and the insurance policy will be reinstated with no lapse in coverage.

Founders is an Illinois-based insurance company that has proudly provided insurance protection to our home state residents for 117 years. We are here to help our policyholders during this challenging period. If you are experiencing difficulties related to your insurance policy payments due to the November 23rd storm, we urge you to contact us immediately at 800-972-8778.

You can also contact the Illinois Department of Insurance regarding any disaster-related dispute or issue. You can reach the Department of Insurance by calling this toll-free complaint hotline at 1-866-445-5364, or file a complaint online at:

<https://mc.insurance.illinois.gov/messagecenter.nsf>