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Isaiah House Treatment Center donates to Clay flood victims

\$1,500 in cleaning supplies donated

Isaiah House Treatment Center has taken decisive action to support Eastern Kentucky families recovering from the recent devastating floods. The organization donated over \$1,500 worth of essential supplies to Manchester and surrounding areas, including bleach, industrial mops, garbage bags, bottled water, totes, cleaning solutions, paper towels, dish soap, and more. These much-needed items are helping families clean up and rebuild in the wake of the disaster.

For Isaiah House's Chief of Development, Kara (Hacker) Ball, the mission to assist Manchester is deeply personal. A native of Clay County and Big Wildcat, Ball has vivid memories of flooding during her childhood, but seeing the recent devastation hit her hard.

"I remember when the farm would flood, and it looked like a lake," Ball shared. "But I had never seen it this

bad. I felt so helpless."

Ball's strong connection to her hometown fuels her desire not only to help during times of crisis but also to address Clay County's ongoing struggles with addiction and overdose. According to the 2023 Kentucky Combined Annual Report from the Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy and Kentucky Agency for Substance Abuse Policy, 16 people died of overdose in Clay County 2023.

"This community is so close to my heart," Ball said. "I don't want to just be here when disaster strikes. I want to help in a preemptive way by providing hope and access to recovery for people who are struggling. Addiction is a crisis too, and Isaiah House is here to be part of the solution."

The donation drive reflects Isaiah House's broader mission to help others while providing comprehensive, faith-based care for individuals

and remains committed to making a lasting impact. "Clay County is incredibly resilient, and together, we can help rebuild both homes and lives," she said. "We're thankful for everyone who contributed to making this positive impact in Eastern Kentucky."

With donations like these and ongoing recovery efforts, Isaiah House is proving that hope and healing are not just words but actions that transform communities in need.

For more information about Isaiah House or to find out how to receive treatment, visit www.isaiah-house.org.



Clay native Kara Hacker-Ball dropped off donations for flood victims at city hall to Danielle Collins.