

PROPERTY DAMAGE CLAIM

LOSS

Dates _____

Location _____

City _____ State _____

DESCRIPTION OF LOSS

EXTENT OF LOSS

EFFECT ON BUSINESS (IS THE DAMAGED PROPERTY IN ANY WAY NECESSARY FOR THE INSURED TO CONTINUE OPERATING?)

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Protect the property from further damage
 - Cover the property if it is exposed to the elements
 - Make repairs if reasonable and necessary to protect the property from further damage
 - Maintain a record of all expenses incurred protecting the property
 - Separate damaged from undamaged personal property, if possible
2. Take photos of damage preferably before you take protective action
3. Prepare inventory of personal property damage
 - List quantity, description, actual cash value, and amount of loss
 - Attach bills, receipts, and related documents
4. Retain damaged property until a claims adjuster approves disposal (unless a danger to safety)
 - The adjuster may need to inspect the property
 - The insurance company may be able to salvage the damaged property
5. Notify police in the case of a theft
6. Be prepared to provide additional documentation as requested by the adjuster
7. Expect to be contacted by the claims adjuster within 48 hours
 - If the damage significantly affects your continuing operation, we will request that the insurance company expedite your claim
 - Please let us know immediately if your circumstances change and this loss will have a greater effect on your business than originally anticipated