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SENIOR HOUSING MANAGEMENT COMMUNITIES READY TO HELP TO SENIORS IMPACTED BY DERECHO STORMS

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA – While many witnessed firsthand the damage inflicted in our state after Monday's Derecho storm, Senior Housing Management is making the public aware of temporary housing opportunities for those no longer safe at home as a result of extensive property damage and/or power outages.

"We are very happy that all of our residents and staff are safe, with each- of our communities running on full power or generator power at this point in time," Allison Law, Chief Operating Officer, shared. "We are now focusing our attention on those who were not as fortunate. Our communities are prepared to welcome seniors into private, fully furnished apartments." Individuals who are in need of this service receive all meals, housekeeping and laundry service, cable, internet, utilities, and health care assistance as elected. "These all-inclusive respite stays give those who are struggling a safe, comfortable place to live until power is restored and repairs are made."

Those who are in need of this service for themselves or a senior loved one should visit <u>www.seniorhousingcompanies.com</u> or call the Director of Community Relations, Melissa

Wiebenga, at 515-313-7168. Ms. Law advised that stays can be as short as a few days, or permanent, depending on the resident's preference. "This year has been so difficult for so many reasons. Our main goal is to provide peace of mind and security to our population's most vulnerable."

Senior Housing Management provides innovative, compassionate, resident-focused health care and management services for over 65 modified continuing care retirement communities throughout the states of Iowa, Illinois, Kentucky, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Senior Housing Management is located at 208 35th Street Dr. SE, Suite 500, Cedar Rapids, IA, 52403. For more information, call (800) 366-6716, or visit www.seniorhousingcompanies.com.

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