

Weather Report:

Threats in the forecast

Biggest threats to homes
what property owners say:

73%
weather-
related

27%
non-weather
related

The most significant weather threats
according to homeowners:



Water damage,
including rain,
melting ice, snow



Wind damage
from tornados
and hurricanes



Earthquakes



Hail



Wildfire

The Insurance Impact

27%

of homeowners have
had **trouble getting**
or renewing insurance
due to natural
disasters in their
regions

26%

say their insurance
premiums have
increased due to
natural disasters in
their regions

Betting the future

41%

say weather events
impact the **risk of future**
losses to their homes



The Prepared Homeowner

With natural disasters on the rise throughout the US, homeowners are getting prepared.

50%

have made changes to protect their property



68%

are aware of things they can do to protect their property

Protecting your property: 20 actions you can take to protect against wildfire, hurricanes, floods, hail and earthquakes.

1. fortify your roof
2. add a wind rated garage door
3. clean gutters
4. trim the trees
5. clear brush near the house
6. spray home with fire retardant
7. cover chimney outlets
8. install water and gas shutoff sensors
9. caulk around doors and windows
10. bolt the house to the foundation
11. secure porches and carports
12. use flexible connectors on water and gas lines
13. keep storm drains clear
14. install hurricane straps
15. use fire-resistant building materials
16. reinforce windows and doors
17. keep appliances above the flood level
18. install backflow valves
19. cover crawl spaces
20. install heat resistant curtains