

Butler County Impact At-A-Glance



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4-H youth assemble disaster preparedness kits. Extension staff, plus 4-Hers and volunteers planned and prepared the kits that were displayed at the Hruska Library during Disaster Preparedness Month.

When a crisis strikes-be ready! Butler County Extension engaged office staff, 4-H members and Butler County residents, challenging them to prepare personal disaster kits and plan for emergency situations. In addition to an office kit and a travel bag, they participated in disaster drills-active shooter, tornado and fire scenarios. They identified situations and spaces for sheltering in place, evacuations and safe locations. "Being prepared for emergency situations increases one's personal safety, allowing a more effective response should disaster strike," stated Mark Doehling, Emergency Management.

Programs At-A-Glance

- **Social Determinants of Health.** RPN program exploring life factors affecting health. Butler County identified & prioritized issues through this workshop, prompting community action.
- **NE Soil Health Conference** held in David City, in-person and via zoom, focused on utilizing cover crops to improve soil health and reduce erosion, reached participants from nine states, Canada and Pakistan.

873,900

Total acres represented by the attendees at the Eastern NE Soil Health Conference held in David City

100%

Butler Extension team visited all 12 Butler communities, learning their history, needs & assets.

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Youth engaging in 4-H programming at the local, state or national level impacting personal growth.