



## Protect Your Home from Natural Weather Events

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- **01. Precipitation and Flooding.** Waterproof your basement and ensure exterior gutters and downspouts are moving water away from your foundation. Caulk basement windows to prevent water entry. Find and repair any cracks in your basement walls.
- **02. Summer Heatwaves and Drought.** Ensure that your lawn and the landscaping around your foundation are watered adequately during the summer. Adjust your watering pattern and frequency to the prevailing temperature and moisture conditions.
- **03. Winter Cold, Snow, and Ice.** Make sure your crawl space or basement is insulated and that any drafts are sealed shut. If necessary, you can also directly insulate your pipes.
- **04. Year-Round Landscapes and Lawns.** Remove old and damaged limbs that can fall on your home during a storm. Follow foundation safe practices with new plantings.
- **05. Get Help From the Experts.** We at Indiana Foundation Service can conduct a thorough evaluation to find and repair any problems with your home's foundation before they become major issues.

