# CONTINUES TO A STATE OF THE NEXT GENERATION IN FLOOD PROTECTION

## FLOOD BAGS



Activates when wet!

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Place Quick Dams in the path of problem water
- Quick Dams are activated when exposed to fresh water and will absorb & swell to create a barrier
- During first activation, you will see white gelled particles in the stitching areas- this is normal & naturally decomposes
- If a rush of water is expected, pre-soaking the Quick Dams and stacking them is recommended
- Quick Dams may be left in position for long term flood protection, up to several months
- Quick Dams are reusable they grow when exposed to water and will shrink as water evaporates
- Quick Dams may not be a solution for all situations
- Adjust quantity used and stacking method to suit your specific situation
- \* Not for use with salt water flooding

#### PROPER FLOOD BAG STACKING:

Pyramid: Overlapped and Stairstepped

For proper stability, width should be 3 times height





• For secure stability- Be sure that Flood Bags are stacked higher than expected water level.

#### **EACH FLOOD BAG:**

**Starts as:** 15" x 26" .63lbs. each

**Grows to:** 12" x 24" x 3.5" 32lbs. each (4gallons)

#### **USAGE OPTIONS:**

- For ongoing protection: leave in place for 6-8 months.
- Continues to reactivate when re-exposed to water.
- To store away and reuse later: allow time for evaporation, typically 2-3 months of continued dryness. Drying times vary depending on environment conditions.

#### **DISPOSAL OPTIONS:**

- Dispose in the trash when no longer needed.
- Cut open and expose contents directly to sunlight, which will decompose within a few days.
- Expose bags to salt or salt water, which will release the water and deflate the bags.

Quick Dams are safe, non-toxic & environmentally friendly.







