

Tinley Park sister city facing flooding crisis

Issued: Feb. 5, 2021

The Village last weekend began receiving reports of devastating flooding in Tinley Park's sister city of Budingén, Germany. The Village, the Sister Cities Commission and Tinley Park residents are keeping Budingén in their thoughts as clean-up progresses throughout the city.



Residents who would like to send a donation to help can mail a check with "Sister City Relief Donation" in the Memo line. Make checks payable to:

Village of Tinley Park

16250 Oak Park Avenue
Tinley Park, IL 60477-1600

"Residents of Budingén assisted Tinley Park by making a \$10,000 donation to help us house victims of Hurricane Katrina in 2005, and we're honored to do our part to help them out in return," Tinley Park Mayor Jacob Vandenberg said. "Love and kindness know no borders - we get what we give, and this is no exception."

Budingén is located about 30 miles northeast of Frankfurt in Germany and traces its origins to the mid-13th century. Tinley Park also enjoys sister cities relationships with Mallow, Ireland and Nowy Sącz, Poland.