Sound Engineering Advice - Home Elevation with The Sandy Solution™

DELANCO, N.J., October 21, 2014 – Even though Colorado State University's storm-prediction experts anticipate a below-average hurricane season, the second anniversary of Hurricane Sandy serves as a sobering reminder to the families along the Mid-Atlantic coast of the importance for families to be prepared for disasters.

Foundation Expert, Steven Gencorelli, P.E. of Danbro Distributors advises that to elevate safely, securing your foundation with a permanent, deep foundation system is the best option. In an interview on October 15th, Gencorelli provided some advice to individuals still struggling to recover from the devastation of Superstorm Sandy.



Listen to the interview

Gencorelli helped local communities affected by Hurricane Sandy by providing design assistance for damaged structures and contributed to the development of $\underline{\mathsf{The Sandy Solution^{TM}}}$, which uses helical pile technology.

Home Elevation Considerations for Homeowners:

- To be properly prepared for potential disasters, homes need to be elevated above the Baseline Flood Elevation (BFE). Before elevation, engage your engineer to determine the best foundation approach for your property to ensure its long-term survival.
- The Sandy Solution is a deep foundation system ideal for beach and bayside properties.
 The system easily installs below raised homes and can continue up to the proper elevation required for your area or work seamlessly with other above-grade foundation options.
- CHANCE® Helical Piles, the products at the heart of The Sandy Solution, install easily without vibration or large equipment which is friendly to the environment and your neighbors' homes.
- The Sandy Solution comes with a manufacturer's warranty and is only provided by CHANCE Certified Installers who have been rigorously trained. Be sure to ask for their certification card!

Visit <u>www.thesandysolution.com</u> to learn more about the benefits of helical pile technology or call 855-477-2121 to speak with a customer support specialist about the simple way to prevent, restore, and elevate a flood-affected structure with a raised foundation system.

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Danbro Distributors provides cost—effective solutions, feasibility evaluations, engineering design, and installation support for all foundation projects. Danbro offers helical pile and helical anchor inventory, engineering presentations, helical pier seminars, and technical workshops.