LIVING ON SHAKY GROUND — MENDOCINO COUNTY RESOURCES

1. www.earthquakecountry.info

The Earthquake Country Alliance is an organization of regional California groups that promotes coordinated efforts to reduce California's earthquake and tsunami risk. Consider becoming more active in risk reduction efforts in your area or statewide by become an Earthquake Alliance Associate at www.earthquakecountry.info/alliance.join.html.

2. www.earthquakecountry.info/dropcoverholdon

Learn why "drop, cover, hold on" is still the best advice during an earthquake and why going into a doorway or the so-called "triangle of life" is not.

3. www.humboldt.edu/rctwg

The Redwood Coast Tsunami Work Group website. Descriptions of current RCTWG projects, downloadable PDFs of regional tsunami maps and flyers, and updates on current events.

4. www.humboldt.edu/rti

Humboldt State University's Regional Training Institute – Community Disaster Preparedness offers many classes to assist residents of our region prepare for disasters: Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), disaster supplies kits, business preparedness, food safety and how to eat nutritiously during disasters, Living on Shaky Ground, and NeighborhoodREADY!

5. www.humboldt.edu/shakyground

This is the online, interactive version of the earthquake-tsunami preparedness magazine "Living on Shaky Ground: How to Survive Earthquakes and Tsunamis in Northern California." Also download the most current PDF of the magazine.

6. www.co.mendocino.ca.us/oes/mitigation.htm

This is Mendocino County's Office of Emergency Services' excellent hazard mitigation website that has many resources for natural hazards, including hazard maps.

7. www.myhazards.calema.ca.gov

Put in the address of your home, workplace or other location, and find out what are your hazards — includes flood zones, tsunami and earthquake hazards, and fire.

8. www.quake.ca.gov/gmaps/tsunami/tsunami_maps.htm

This is a great resource for the California Geological Survey's tsunami inundation maps. Search by county or by address.

9. www.shakeout.org

Register to participate as an individual, business, or other organization in the Great California ShakeOut, October 18, 2012. It is a great opportunity to discuss preparedness and take actions to reduce your losses and exposure to injuries. Excellent preparedness resources.