



PRESS RELEASE

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Three Emergency Shelters will open at 8 am Saturday, October 8, 2016 ---CORRECTION-

Wayne County, NC- (CORRECTION) Carver Elementary, 400 Old Seven Springs Road, Mount Olive, NC 28365 is the correct shelter that opened this morning at 8 a.m. not the one listed below.

Wayne County, NC - Wayne County will open three emergency shelters at 8 a.m. this morning for residents affected by possible flooding and other issues related to Hurricane Matthew. Residents may begin reporting to the following locations at 8 a.m.:

- Spring Creek High School, 4340 Indian Springs Road, Seven Springs, NC 28578
- North Drive Elementary School, 1108 North Drive, Goldsboro, NC 27534
- ~~Carver Elementary School, 411 Bunche Drive, Goldsboro, NC 27530~~

Residents in low-lying, flood-prone areas are strongly encouraged to plan ahead and be prepared to evacuate before road conditions worsen. Residents seeking shelter are reminded to bring their medications and if possible, blankets and pillows. No pets will be allowed unless they are service animals. If you need to evacuate and do not have transportation to the shelter or you need other assistance, call the Emergency Operations Center at 919-705-6599.

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