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GADSDEN COUNTY OPENS EMERGENCY SHELTERS TODAY

GADSDEN COUNTY, Fla – In partnership with the Gadsden County School Board and Sheriff’s Office, the Gadsden County Board of County Commissioners will open the following shelters today at 4 p.m. in Quincy.

Gadsden County High School (East) (Special Needs and Pets)
27001 Blue Star Highway
Havana, FL 32333

West Gadsden Middle
200 Providence Rd
Quincy, FL 32351

The Gadsden High School Shelter will also serve as a special needs shelter and pet Shelter. Pet owners who bring their pets to the shelter must bring a crate, medication, food, a leash, necessary supplies and a copy of their pet’s current vaccination records.

If needed, shelter Transportation will be provided today by Big Bend Transits to Gadsden County residents from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m.

Havana
Harvey’s Supermarket
102 1st Avenue East

Midway
Midway City Hall
50 Martin Luther King Blvd

Quincy
Piggly Wiggly
18680 Blue Star Highway

Rose’s and Citi Trends Parking Lot
1323 West Crawford Street

CRMC Gadsden Campus (Hospital)
23186 Blue Star Highway

Greensboro

Sawdust Community Park
3355 Providence Road

Greensboro Elementary School
559 Greensboro Highway

Gretna

Gretna City Hall
14615 Main Street

Oak Grove Church
3510 Atwater Road

Chattahoochee

Chattahoochee Elementary School
335 Maple Street

First Responders, including the Gadsden County Sheriff's Office, Gadsden County Emergency Medical Services, or Gadsden County Fire, will not respond to emergency calls once winds reach 35 miles per hour. Calls will still be accepted by dispatch and the Emergency Operation Center; however, response will only resume once conditions are safe.

Residents requiring more information or assistance should call Gadsden County Emergency Management at (850) 875-8903 or 850 875-8930. Additionally, residents can sign up for emergency text alerts at TextAlertGadsden to 888777 for accurate and up-to-date weather and emergency alerts.

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