



# News Release



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## Emergency Shelters Closed at 1 p.m.

FAYETTEVILLE – Two county-run emergency shelters closed today at 1 p.m.

Two people who were staying at the Kiwanis Recreation Center, which was set up for the homeless, have been transported to the Salvation Army shelter.

A shelter at Smith Recreation Center was activated to house people with special medical conditions. No one showed up to stay there.

Greg Phillips, Cumberland County Emergency Management Officer, said the County Emergency Operations Center would be shutting down at 4 p.m.

“The storm system is almost passed, and we have not had any power issues,” he said. “We are happy that people heeded the warnings and stayed off the roads. We ask that they continue to be careful.”

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