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Commissioners Hold Special Meeting Wednesday on Storm Recovery

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. – The Board of Commissioners will meet Wednesday, Oct. 19, at 6 p.m. in the first floor conference room of the Department of Social Services, 1225 Ramsey Street, to hear reports and updates on Hurricane Matthew recovery efforts.

The agenda includes a presentation by a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) representative on the application process for individuals seeking assistance. Other topics include food stamp benefits for people who experienced flood damage or power outages, public health issues and the impact to schools.

Shelter Update

The emergency shelter at South View High School closed this morning. As of 5 p.m., 44 people were staying at Westover Recreation Center shelter, which is the only remaining shelter open.