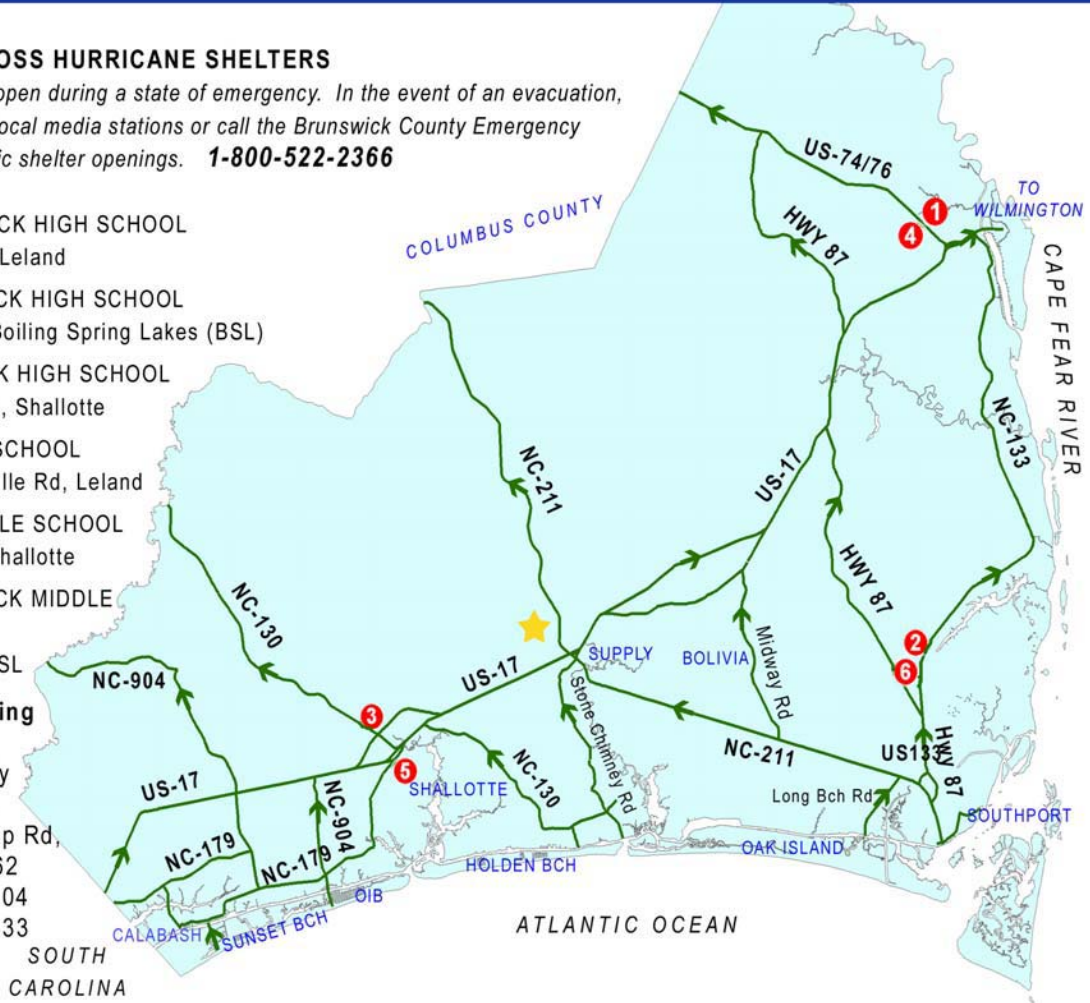


AMERICAN RED CROSS HURRICANE SHELTERS

Not all shelters may be open during a state of emergency. In the event of an evacuation, please check with your local media stations or call the Brunswick County Emergency Services Dept for specific shelter openings. **1-800-522-2366**

- 1** NORTH BRUNSWICK HIGH SCHOOL
114 Scorpion Dr, Leland
- 2** SOUTH BRUNSWICK HIGH SCHOOL
280 Cougar Rd, Boiling Spring Lakes (BSL)
- 3** WEST BRUNSWICK HIGH SCHOOL
550 Whiteville Rd, Shallotte
- 4** LELAND MIDDLE SCHOOL
927 Old Fayetteville Rd, Leland
- 5** SHALLOTTE MIDDLE SCHOOL
225 Village Rd, Shallotte
- 6** SOUTH BRUNSWICK MIDDLE SCHOOL
100 Cougar Rd, BSL

★ For PET Sheltering Needs, contact Brunswick County Animal Services, 429 Green Swamp Rd, Supply, NC 28462
Tel: 910-754-8204
Fax: 910-755-6433



Evacuate BEFORE you are told to do so if:

- you live in a mobile home
- you live in a high-rise building
- you live on the coast or near water
- you feel you may be in danger

If an Evacuation is ORDERED:

- Leave at once
- Bring your disaster supply kit
- Follow advised evacuation routes
- Keep away from coastal areas or inland water
- Let others know your plans

Pets and the Storm

Pets are not allowed in public shelters for health & space reasons, so arrangements need to be made in advance for your pets. In the event of a disaster, if you must evacuate, the most important thing you can do for your pets is to evacuate them too. Pets are not allowed at most hotels and motels in North Carolina, so emergency arrangements for them may require careful planning.

- Keep your pet's vaccinations up to date. Pet shelters may require proof of vaccines.
- Keep your pet on a leash with proper identification.
- Have a properly-sized pet carrier for each animal... large enough for the animal to stand and turn around.

Animals brought to a pet shelter are required to have:

- proper identification collar and rabies tag
- proper identification on all belongings
- a carrier
- a leash
- an ample supply of food, water and food bowls
- any necessary medications
- specific care instructions and
- newspapers or trash bags for clean-up.

If you must leave your pet behind, prepare an appropriate area for them, Put the pet in a carrier in an interior closet or bathroom with plenty of water, food, toys and blankets.