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Henderson County State of Emergency Terminated

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On Friday, October 2, 2015 at 12:00 p.m., County Manager, Steve Wyatt, declared a State of Emergency for Henderson County due to public safety hazards relating to the continuing rain and potential for flooding.

The declaration of a State of Emergency first and foremost opens the lines of communication between the county and the state, as well as allows for financial reimbursement for resources used as a result of the emergency.

“We’re very thankful we were spared the worst of the storm and our prayers go out to our neighbors in South Carolina. I sincerely appreciate the extra effort from our emergency responders and government employees across the county and cities in service to our citizens, “ said Rocky Hyder, Henderson County Director of Emergency Services.

With the worst of the rain and potential flooding having passed, Henderson County officials terminated the State of Emergency for Henderson County effective at 8:00 a.m. today, Monday, October 5, 2015.

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