## Lee County Shelters Remain Open

BONITA SPRINGS, Fla. – October 9th, 2024— The Lee County Emergency Operations Center issued mandatory evacuations for Zone A and Zone B on Monday. Please visit the Lee County Emergency Operations webpage to find your evacuation zone or click here. People who live in mobile homes and manufactured homes are also part of the evacuation order. All shelters are pet-friendly; pets must be on leashes or in kennels. Lee County has opened shelters in advance of the approach of Hurricane Milton.

Lee County has 13 shelters open for those evacuating from Hurricane Milton. All shelters have capacity to welcome more evacuees. There is still time to leave and get to safety, but that window is closing as severe weather is expected to move into our area this afternoon/evening.

## A complete list of shelters is:

- Gateway High School 13820 Griffin Drive, Fort Myers, FL 33913
- Hertz Arena 11000 Everblades Parkway, Estero, FL 33928
- Oak Hammock Middle School 5321 Tice St, Fort Myers, FL 33905
- Tortuga Preserve Elementary School 1711 Gunnery Road N., Lehigh Acres, FL 33971
- Treeline Elementary School 10900 Treeline Ave., Fort Myers, FL 33913
- Varsity Lakes Middle School 801 Gunnery Road N., Lehigh Acres, FL 33971
- Dunbar High School 3800 Edison Ave., Fort Myers, FL 33916
- Estero Recreation Center 9200 Corkscrew Palms Blvd., Estero, FL 33928
- Island Coast High School 2125 DeNavarra Parkway, Cape Coral, FL 33909

Residents can view the announcements on local media as well as on the county's Facebook page. The city will also be sharing the information to all city media channels.

Residents can stay up to date with City information on the City's <u>Facebook</u> page and website <u>City of Bonita Springs</u>

The city encourages residents living near the Imperial River and canals, to continue to monitor water levels. Please continue to be vigilant as sheet flow may impact water levels of rivers and canals. The level of the Imperial River is currently at 11.12 ft. To check water levels, <u>click here</u>.