UPDATE May 1, 2011

Here are the latest updates for Washington County recovery efforts.

Curfew for the damaged area remains in effect until further notice 8 p.m. – 6 a.m.

Tornado victim assistance

The shelter will remain open until no longer needed. It is located at:
King Center
Emory & Henry College
12221 Collins Dr.
Emory, VA

Supplies for tornado victims can be picked up at the following locations:
Available items include: water, food, baby supplies, cleaning supplies and other non-perishable goods.

Joy Baptist Church
37266 Farris Drive
Glade Spring, VA
Hours: 8 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Other tornado recovery services are available at this location between 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Glade Spring Baptist Church
414 South Monte Vista Dr.
Glade Spring, VA
This location is providing showers and laundry services
Hours: 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Landmark Baptist Church
34299 Lee Highway
Glade Spring, VA
American Red Cross is distributing rakes, gloves, storage bins, mops, brooms and cleaning supplies
Monday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Volunteer Coordination
A Volunteer Reception Center has been established to coordinate volunteer activities. People interested in volunteering can call or visit to register and receive permits.

The center is located at:
King Center
Emory & Henry College
12221 Collins Dr.
Emory, Va
Hours: 8 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Phone: 276-944-6737 or 6162

Donations
The best way to help tornado victims is to donate money to established disaster relief organizations. The following organizations are actively collecting funds for those affected:

American Red Cross, Mountain Empire Chapter-- 276-645-6650

United Way of Russell and Washington Counties

1. Online – Financial donations can be made to the United Way Disaster Support Fund at www.rwcunitedway.or and by clicking on the GIVE tab.
2. Mail – Donations by check can be made out to the United Way Disaster Support Fund and mailed to United Way of Russell and Washington Counties, P.O. Box 644, Abingdon, VA 24212.
3. Mobile Giving – Make a $10 donation by texting SUPPORT to 27722. Standard text messaging rates do apply.
4. By Phone – Call 276-628-2160. Questions about the fund can be directed to this number.

Donated non-perishable food , water, baby supplies and cleaning supplies (no clothing) can be brought to :

Joy Baptist Church
37266 Farris Drive
Glade Spring, VA
Hours: 8 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Old Glade Presbyterian Church
33234 Lee Highway
Glade Spring, VA
8:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Glade Spring Baptist Church
414 South Monte Vista Dr.
Glade Spring, VA

Do NOT donate clothing

Debris removal

Trees, limbs and other woody debris can be taken to the Washington County Landfill. The landfill has extended their operational hours. They are open every day between 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Household debris can be taken to the Washington County Transfer Station located in the Bristol-Washington County Industrial Park. Monday through Sunday 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Hazardous Household waste from the damaged area should be taken to:
MXI Environmental Services
26319 Old Trail Rd.
Abingdon, Va
9 a.m. – noon Monday – Friday

They are not accepting Industrial waste, tires, explosives or bullets.

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