



HIGHLANDS COUNTY
DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
6850 West George Blvd.
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SHELTER LIST

Risk Shelters: When Highlands County **will** be impacted by high winds, the following shelters could be opened. As these shelters approach capacity, we open the second tier of approved shelters. Please note that not all shelters on this list may be opened and media will need to be monitored to receive information on open shelters or if shelters are at capacity.

AVON PARK

Avon Park Recreation Center
207 East State Street

LAKE PLACID

Lake Placid High School
202 Green Dragon Drive

SEBRING

Highlands County Fair Convention Center
781 Magnolia, Avenue

SPECIAL NEEDS

Bert J. Harris Agri-Civic Center
4509 George Blvd., Sebring

PET SHELTERS (Not County Maintained)

Just Like Home Pet Hotel (Pets Only)
3479 Davis Citrus Road
Avon Park, FL 33825
(863) 784-4066

Dog Design by Dana (Pets Only)
701 Thunderbird Hill Road
Sebring, FL 33872
(863) 314-9883

Dawg House (Pets Only)
69 Dawg House Drive
Lake Placid, FL 33852
(863) 465-9674

*Many hotels may allow pets for an additional fee. Please call ahead.



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SHELTER RULES AND REGULATIONS

DO

Sign in at the registration desk. Information is confidential. Please leave an address where you will go when you leave the shelter. This will allow us to direct any family members or friends who are looking for you.

Control the actions of your children. If you need help with activities to keep your children occupied, contact a shelter worker.

Tell shelter staff about any medical problems or conditions you have.

Volunteer to help with duties in the shelter. There are many jobs that need to be done, and we can use your help.

Keep your valuables in a safe place. We cannot assume responsibility for your belongings while in the shelter.

DO NOT

Do not smoke in the shelter. Do not light candles, use lighters, or use matches in the shelter.

Do not bring pets into the shelter. (only exception: service animals)

Do not bring alcohol, illegal drugs, or firearms into the shelter.

Do not leave the shelter until the shelter staff announces it is safe to leave. Do not open doors to the shelter while winds are blowing.