St. Johns County
Department of Emergency Management
Press Release

Hurricane Charley – Advisory 4

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The National Hurricane Center has upgraded Hurricane Charley to a Category 4 Storm and St. Johns County is under a Hurricane Warning. Because of these increases of Hurricane Charley St. Johns County's Department of Emergency Management is recommending a Voluntary Evacuation for:

− Mobile home residents
− Manufactured home residents
− RV’s
− Low-lying areas

The following public shelters with be open at 5:00 PM this evening:

Osceola Elementary School
1605 Osceola Elementary Road
Pedro Menendez High School
600 SR-206 West

Otis Mason Elementary School
2300 SR-207
Mill Creek Elementary School
3750 International Golf Parkway

One special needs shelter will be opened at:

St. Johns County Agricultural Center
3125 Agricultural Center Drive

For more information you may call us at (904) 824-5550, or visit our website at www.sjcemergencymanagement.org