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Free Natural Hazards Awareness Expo

How to protect your family, home and pets when it comes to natural hazards

<u>Charleston County Government</u> will host a community expo to educate citizens about natural hazards, new flood maps, the importance of flood insurance, and what to do before during and after a disaster.

Expo Details:

Friday, August 10 from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. Saturday, August 11 from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Charleston Area Convention Center 5000 Coliseum Drive, North Charleston, SC 29418 Free Admission, Free Parking

Citizens will be able to talk with employees from Emergency Management, 9-1-1 Consolidated Dispatch, Charleston County Building Inspection Services, National Weather Service and flood insurance experts about natural hazards in the Lowcountry. There will also be various training classes, presentations, and a kid's zone. Citizens are encouraged to bring their elevation certificate to the expo and representatives from Charleston County Building Services will assist in looking up property with the new flood maps.

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