

# **News Release**

August 15, 2013 Release Number: 3650

## Downtown County Buildings Will Close at 2 p.m. Today

Several County buildings will close early due to anticipated rainfall and potential flooding this afternoon

<u>Charleston County Government</u> buildings in Downtown Charleston will close at 2 p.m. today due to anticipated high levels of rainfall and expected flooding.

These buildings are:

#### **The Judicial Center Complex:**

- Judicial Center, 100 Broad Street
- O.T. Wallace Building, 101 Meeting Street
- Historic Courthouse, 101 Meeting Street

### **Charleston Center**, 5 Charleston Center Drive

- Outpatient services will be suspended beginning at 2 p.m. Questions may be directed to (843) 722-0100, which is staffed 24 hours per day.
- Essential staff will still maintain the inpatient facility.

#### **Two Charleston County Public Libraries**

- Charleston County Main Library, 68 Calhoun Street
- John L. Dart Branch Library, 1067 King Street
- The delay only impacts these two downtown Charleston libraries.

At this time, no other County closures or delays are planned. County Government buildings not located in Downtown Charleston are expected to remain open through normal business hours.

Per the City of Charleston Police Department, the following roads are currently closed:

- George between Coming and St Philip is closed to traffic.
- Hagood/Fishburne
- President to Line/Crosstown
- Crosstown/Shepard
- Ashley/Fishburne to Hampton Park
- Rutledge/Fishburne
- Ashley/Bennett to Calhoun
- King/Huger

\_\_\_\_\_

For information on Charleston County Government news and services, the public can:

Visit our website: www.charlestoncounty.org

- Follow us on Twitter: <a href="https://twitter.com/ChasCountyGov">https://twitter.com/ChasCountyGov</a>
- Like us on Facebook: <a href="http://www.facebook.com/pages/Charleston-County-Government/474878989220753">http://www.facebook.com/pages/Charleston-County-Government/474878989220753</a>
  - o Board of Elections and Voter Registration: <a href="http://www.facebook.com/pages/Charleston-County-Board-of-Elections-and-Voter-Registration/103895809694986">http://www.facebook.com/pages/Charleston-County-Board-of-Elections-and-Voter-Registration/103895809694986</a>
  - o Consolidated 9-1-1 Center's Public Education Program: <a href="http://www.facebook.com/pages/Charleston-County-Government/474878989220753#!/pages/Charleston-County-Consolidated-9-1-1-Center-Public-Education-Program/186965438015227">http://www.facebook.com/pages/Charleston-County-Government/474878989220753#!/pages/Charleston-County-Consolidated-9-1-1-Center-Public-Education-Program/186965438015227</a>
  - o Emergency Management Department. http://www.facebook.com/EMDChasCo
  - Zoning and Planning Department: https://www.facebook.com/pages/Charleston-County-Government/474878989220753#!/pages/Charleston-County-Zoning-Planning-Department/549596221765813
- See us on You Tube: http://www.youtube.com/user/charlestoncountygov
- Watch County Council meetings online <a href="http://www.ustream.tv/channel/charleston-county-government">http://www.ustream.tv/channel/charleston-county-government</a>











- written by Jennie Flinn -