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FEMA Shelter Update

The safety of our students, staff, and community remains our highest priority. As we continue to evaluate and strengthen our emergency preparedness efforts, Shoals Community Schools will temporarily pause public use of the FEMA Tornado Shelter.

This pause will allow us to work with local partners to ensure our shelter protocols align with emergency response processes. Taking the time to establish clear roles, communication procedures, and operational expectations will help ensure the shelter can be used safely and effectively when it is needed most.

We understand the importance of having a reliable community shelter and appreciate your patience as we complete this work. Our goal is not simply to reopen the facility, but to do so with confidence that the procedures in place best serve our entire community during an emergency.

We will provide updates as this process progresses and share information once the shelter is ready to resume community use. If you would like to be part of the FEMA Shelter Advisory Board, [please fill out this questionnaire](#) or email Dr. Lanham at sue.lanham@shoals.k12.in.us. We will have our first meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 23rd, in the Shoals High School Library.

Thank you for your understanding, your partnership, and your continued support of Shoals Community Schools.

Warm regards,
Sue