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Special Needs Evacuation

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St. Petersburg Special Needs Evacuation Video Clips

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St. Petersburg Fire Rescue began picking up all Level A special needs residents today. We are currently under a Mandatory Evacuation Order for residents living in Level A and all mobile home residents.

We have more than 180 residents preregistered for special needs transportation assistance. Fire rescue is reaching out to each one and helping them get to shelters. They are using Pinellas County School buses and City Vans that are equipped with wheel chair lifts.

These residents are going to the shelter for special needs at John Hopkins Middle School. Gibbs High School is also being used as a shelter for the general population.

All residents who are in need of evacuation assistance and have not yet registered for the Special Needs Program are encouraged to register by calling 727-551-3822.

Info by Jen @ 3:09 p.m.