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Tornado Relief Program

Amherst County's Tornado Relief Program, which waived administrative fees associated with zoning and building permits for those affected by the April 15, 2018 tornado will end on May 31, 2019. In total, Amherst County officials assessed the total damages from the natural disaster to be at an upwards of \$6 million. Through the Tornado Relief Program, Amherst County was able to alleviate over \$11,000 in administrative fees from individuals and families affected by the tornado. The fees have been paid through a paper transaction within the county books that use no revenue and incurs no expense. Please be reminded, the last day to have such fees waived will be May 31, 2019.



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