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**OEM to Activate its Public Information Call Center to Collect Flood Damage Reports**

**SPRINGFIELD, Missouri** – In response to the widespread flooding that occurred in Greene County and throughout the Missouri Ozarks this past weekend, the Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management (OEM) will activate its Public Information Call Center (PICC) tomorrow, Tuesday, May 2 and Wednesday, May 3 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. to collect flood damage reports. Citizens in Greene County who have experienced flood damage to their homes, properties or businesses are urged to call the PICC at 417-829-6200 and submit a report. Damage reports received will assist in determining the overall flooding impact to Greene County from this weekend's record-setting rainfall.

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**For more information**, contact Erin Hedlun, OEM Public Information Officer at 417-869-6040 (office), 417-860-0903 (cell) or [ehedlun@greencountymo.gov](mailto:ehedlun@greencountymo.gov).