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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## Take Action during Severe Weather **Preparedness Week 2019**

WOODBINE, GEORGIA - February 1, 2019 - The Georgia Emergency Management Agency (GEMA) has declared February 4-8, 2019, to be Severe Weather Preparedness Week and Camden County Emergency Management Agency (EMA) urges all Camden County citizens to take time to learn about possible severe weather threats and how to prepare for them.

"We want to encourage all Camden County residents to plan and prepare for severe weather," said EMA Director Chuck White. "It is important for everyone to take proactive steps in good weather to ensure the safety of you and your family during severe weather."

Throughout the week, Camden County citizens will learn about severe weather threats and preparedness steps including:

- Family Preparedness,
- Thunderstorm Safety,
- Tornado Safety,
- Lightning Safety, and
- Flood Safety.

Specific information and tips will be posted throughout the week on the Camden County EMA's Facebook and Twitter accounts. Camden County residents looking for more information on how to prepare for severe weather can visit www.camdencountyga.gov/ema or www.ready.ga.gov.

About Camden County: Located in the extreme southeast corner of Georgia, Camden County truly is "Georgia's Coastal Community of Choice." Originally formed in 1777, Camden County is best known for its rich history, natural scenic beauty and Southern hospitality. Our vision is helping to make this the best place to live by preserving and enhancing the history and quality of life, while promoting smart growth and providing an efficient, effective and responsive government.

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