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Navy Support to Mayfair Mews Apartments Residents Continues, Thursday Night Meeting Planned

Norfolk, VA (CNRMA) – The Navy announced today it will hold a meeting tomorrow (Thursday night) to update residents on the status of compensation and assistance available to them as they begin to recover from the jet fighter mishap at the Mayfair Mews Apartments in Virginia Beach.

The meeting is scheduled for 6 p.m. at the Virginia Beach Law Enforcement Training Academy, 411 Integrity Way, at the intersection of I-264 and N. Birdneck Rd. The meeting is limited to the residents of the Mayfair Mews Apartments and properties that sustained damages or loss due to the mishap.

Since the accident, the Navy has been providing funds for emergency expenses such as food, lodging and clothing. The Navy has also assisted residents with filing claims for injury and property damage caused by the accident. In cooperation with the City of Virginia Beach, the Navy has also been assisting the residents who cannot return to the Mayfair Mews Apartments find new homes. This week, the Navy moved salvageable personal property and household goods from the apartments to temporary storage.

At tomorrow's meeting residents will have an opportunity to meet one-on-one with Navy representatives who will explain the compensation process and resources available. Since some residents lost everything, while others will be able to return to the undamaged units, compensation will vary.

Representatives from the City of Virginia Beach and local relief agencies will also be at the meeting.

Residents who are unable to attend the meeting, those with additional questions or who have not yet requested emergency compensation or filed claims for property damage should contact the Navy's Information Assistance Call Center at 757-435-3528. A Navy representative will be available at this number from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m, Monday through Friday, until further notice.

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