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BridgeValley Promotes Disaster Preparedness Month

South Charleston, W.Va. – BridgeValley Community and Technical College Chief of Police, Basra Fakhir, will be conducting a free workshop on Tuesday, September 29, 2015, beginning at 12:15 p.m. Fakhir will provide useful information about what items and plans are essential to prepare your family and pets for the unexpected.

BridgeValley has partnered with Volunteer West Virginia to support the ReadyWV campaign. ReadyWV is an online tool created by Volunteer West Virginia that helps citizens know what to do before, during, and after an emergency. Everyone attending the workshop will receive useful tools, checklists, and strategies to prepare for a possible disaster.

BridgeValley is asking you to take action now by making a plan with your family and your pets. This event will be held in Room 307 on the South Charleston campus and Room 305 on the Montgomery campus at no charge to the public.

BridgeValley Community and Technical College was founded on March 20, 2014 and serves a six-county region including Fayette, Raleigh, Nicholas, Clay, Putnam and Kanawha counties. The college operates two campuses in Montgomery and South Charleston, along with the addition of the new Advanced Technology Center. BridgeValley awards one-year certificates and two-year associate degrees in many fields including civil, mechanical and electrical engineering technology, business and health management, nursing, dental hygiene, business technology, medical assisting, diesel technology, computer information technology, and welding.

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