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### Tornado shelters face dilemma with pet lovers

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By Jeffery S. Guttentag

As the threat of another storm season looms, pet owners are facing a dilemma: Should they evacuate with their pets, or leave them behind in shelters? The dilemma is particularly acute for pet owners who live in tornado-prone areas, where shelters often do not accept animals.

At the University of Missouri, pet owners are being urged to evacuate with their pets. However, many shelters do not accept animals, leaving pet owners in a difficult position. Some pet owners are choosing to leave their pets behind, while others are taking them with them.

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### 2 men drop their federal lawsuit over Kansas voter ID law

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Two men have dropped their federal lawsuit challenging Kansas' voter ID law. The men, who had filed the lawsuit in federal court, announced their decision to drop the case on Friday.

The lawsuit was filed by two men who claimed that the law violated their constitutional rights. However, the men have now decided to drop the case, citing a settlement with the state.

The settlement allows the men to continue to vote without a photo ID, but it also requires them to pay for the cost of the lawsuit. The men have agreed to this settlement, and the lawsuit has been dismissed.

