

SITUATION REPORT No.40

HURRICANE FRANCES

The Florida State Emergency Response Team
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State Emergency Operations Center Level: 1



Operational Period: September 15, 2004, 0700 Hrs. – September 15, 2004, 1900 Hrs.

CURRENT SITUATION

The State Emergency Response Team continues emergency response efforts for Hurricane Frances and preparation for a possible response to Hurricane Ivan.

WEATHER SUMMARY:

Today - Tropical storm conditions this afternoon in the Panhandle. Considerable cloudiness and breezy elsewhere with scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorms. Highs mostly in the 80s.

Tonight - Hurricane conditions in the Panhandle. Tropical storm conditions in the northwest. Considerable cloudiness and breezy elsewhere with scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorms.

Lows in the 70s to the lower 80s in the southeast coast and the Keys.

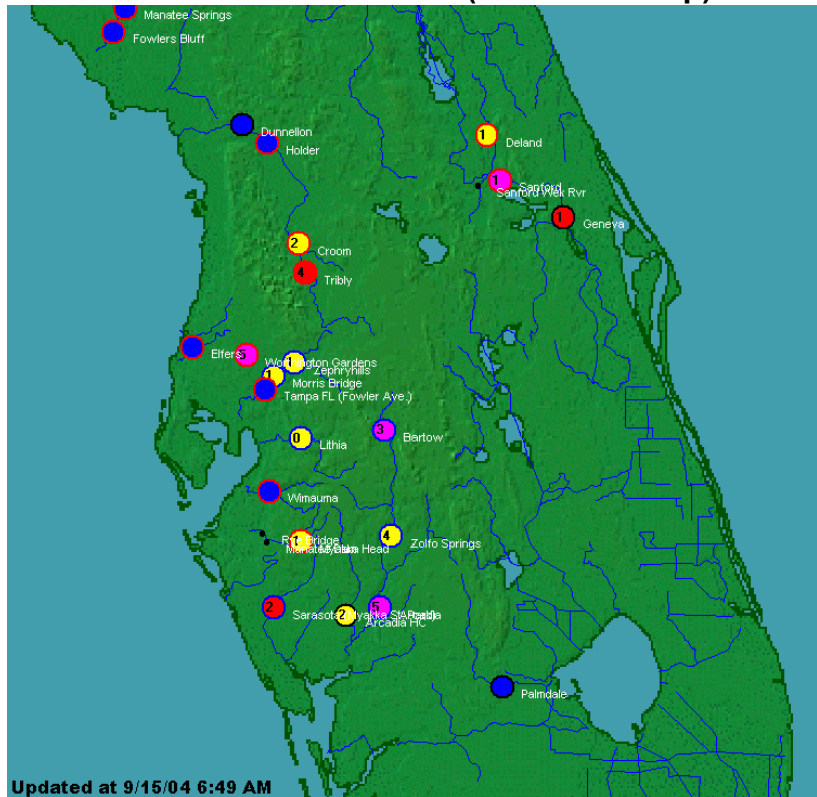


Thursday and Thursday night - Tropical storm or hurricane conditions possible in the Panhandle and the northwest. Mostly cloudy and breezy elsewhere with scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorms. Highs mostly in the 80s with near 90 in the south. Lows in the 70s to the lower 80s in the southeast coast and the Keys.

CONSEQUENCES:

- 1. Sheltering** – Approximately **8** regular shelters are currently open with **506** being sheltered statewide. Also, according to ESF 8, **1** Special Needs shelters are reported open statewide with approximately **50** being sheltered.
- 2. Fatalities/Injuries** – Currently, there are **30 confirmed fatalities** as follows: Highlands (1), Lee (1), Alachua (3), Volusia (4), Flagler (1), Seminole (1), Hillsborough (2), Marion (3), Palm Beach (3), Broward (1), Martin (1), Indian River (1), Putnam (1), Polk (4), Collier (1) and **Osceola (2)**.
- 3. Power Outages** – Approximately **94,126** customers were without power.
- 4. Boil Water Advisories** – Numerous counties have issued some type of boil water advisory (**See chart on page 3**).

5. Flooding – Major flooding in several counties has occurred in the central areas of the State in the aftermath of Hurricane Frances (See Flood Map)



- Major Flood
 - Moderate Flood
 - Minor Flood
 - Between 5' Below FS and FS
 - Lower than 5' Below FS
 - River Currently Rising
 - River Currently Falling
 - River Currently Steady
 - Forecast Issued for High Water Only. Click for current stage reading.
 - Observed Data Only - No Forecast
- *Number shown in circles is the number of feet above flood stage rounded to the nearest foot.

COUNTY ACTIONS:

County Emergency Management agencies reported the following information through Conference Calls and reports submitted through the Tracker Data Base

County	Boil Water Advisories
Alachua	Cross Creek (unincorporated), Cross Creek Mobile Home Park
Brevard	Melbourne, Palm Bay, Barefoot Bay, parts of Merritt Island, Cocoa Beach, Cape Canaveral
Broward	Coral Springs, Hallendale Beach
Citrus	Water Oaks Community
Dixie	City of Suwannee and county wide for wells that were under water
Indian River	Highland , Mobile Home Park 49 th St., Barrier Beach (entire), City of Vero Beach Utility customers
Lake	City of Minneola, City of Tavares, City of Eustis, City of Clermont.
Levy	Springside Subdivision, Hideaway Subdivision, Manatee Utilities, University Oaks Subdivision/Bronson
Marion	On Golden Pond RV Park, Clifton Mobile Park, Salt Springs Village, USFS/Juniper Springs Rec. Area, Lake Waldena Resort, Edgewood MHP, Nelson MHP, Rolling

	Greens, Sandy Acres Linadale, Sharpes Ferry MHP Community, Sun Ray Estates, Whispering Oaks MHP, Shady Acres MHP, County Oaks MHP, Sunlight Acres Subdivision, Tall Timber Trailer Park, On Golden Pond MHP, West View Subdivision, Spring lake Village, South Pine MHP, Springs RV Resort, Grand Oaks MHP, Fore Oaks Estates, Shady Road Villas Trailer Park, Paddock Park South MHP, Silver City Subdivision, Peaceful Pines MHP, Lakeview Woods, Silver Glenn Springs, Briar Patch MHP, Moss Bluff MHP, Deep Wood MHP, Dogwood Acres MHP, Foxwood Farms, Marion Oaks Subdivision, Westwood MHP, White Oaks MHP, Oak Tree Village Apts. & Campgrounds, Arrowhead Campsites, Howard Johnson's, Sa-Te-Ke Village, Libra Oaks Subdivision, Ridge Meadows, Saddle Oak Club MHP, Golden Hills MHP, Happy Acres MHP, Vin Mar MHP, Vin Mar Motel, Santos MHP, Shady Oaks MHP, Country Boys MHP, Hammock MHP.
Osceola	Amber Assisted Living, Carroll Street Station I, Carroll Street Station II, Central Florida Powers ports, Cow Palace, Cypress Cove, Cypress Lake RV, Desert Inn, Hyatt Farms, Island Food Store #510, Kenansville Country Store, Lake Marian Restaurant, Latt Macy, Oak Hill Baptist Church, Partin Triangle, Ross Jeffries, Tourist Info Center, Mack Farms, Pilot Travel Center #96, Pleasant Hill Village, Red Gator Lounge, Stuckey's Pecan Shoppe #12, Windsor Mobile Home Village, Yeehaw General Store, Yeehaw Toll Plaza, Yeehaw Travel Center, Amber Assisted Living, Green Swamp Groves, Heartbreak Hotel, Hilliard's MHP, Holopaw Vol. Fire Depart. Kenansville Community, Kenansville Library, Kenansville VFD #90, LK Marion Boat Ramp, First Missionary Baptist.
Polk	Sky view Water, Lake Hamilton, Babson Park, Cypress Lake Utility, Briarwood Estate, Harbour Camp Ground, Green Acre, Smokey Valley
Putnam	City by City
Palm Beach	Magnolia Park, Riviera Beach, South Bay, Lantana, Manlapan, Cascade Riviera Beach, Belle Glade, Palm Lake Estates
Seminole	Tuskawilla Trails, Dol Rey Manor, Lake Katheryn Woods, Pebble Creek Apts in Lake Mary, Sanlando Estates (400 and 500 block of East Oakhurst, 500 block of Pineview, Old Grove, and Grove Lane)

STATE ACTIONS:

- ❑ The SEOC is activated at a Level 1
- ❑ SEOC briefings are scheduled for 0730 hours EDT and 1830 hours EDT daily
- ❑ Daily Conference Calls with the counties and National Hurricane Center are scheduled at 1115 hours and 1700 hours

EMERGENCY HOTLINES

- ❑ FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) Registration: 1-800-621-FEMA(3362)
TTY: 1-800-462-7585
- ❑ State of Florida Emergency Information 24-hour Hotline (FEIL): Redirect at 2200 hrs from 1-800-342-3557 to 850-488-7834.
- ❑ State Volunteer and Donations Hotline: 1-800-FL-HELP 1(1-800-354-357)
- ❑ Elder Affairs: 1-800-96-ELDER (1-800-963-5337)
- ❑ Florida Power and Light: 1-800-4-OUTAGE (1-800-468-8243)
- ❑ Department of Financial Services Insurance Claim Hotline: 1-800-22-STORM (1-800-227-8676)
- ❑ Attorney General's Price Gouging Hotline: 1-800-646-0444
- ❑ Agricultural and Consumer Services Price Gouging Hotline: 1-800-HELP-FLA (1-800-435-7352)
- ❑ [Agency for Workforce Innovation Unemployment Claims](#) Emergency Internet Site or Call 1-800-204-2418
- ❑ Salvation Army Donation Helpline: 1-800-SAL-ARMY (1-800-725-2769)
- ❑ American Red Cross: 1-800-HELP-NOW (1-800-435-7669) or Assistance 1-800-Get Info (1-800-438-4636)

Executive Orders:

Governor Jeb Bush has executed the following Executive Order(s):

EXECUTIVE ORDERS		
EXECUTIVE ODER NUMBER	DATE SIGNED	PURPOSE
EO # 04-182	8/10/04	State of Emergency – Hurricane Charley
EO # 04-192	09/01/04	State of Emergency extending EO #04-182
EO #04-206	09/10/04	State of Emergency –Hurricane Ivan Incorporated by reference Executive Order-04-206

Personnel Deployment:

SERT PERSONNEL DEPLOYMENT			
Type Personnel	Location Of Deployment	Personnel Deploying	Date of deployment
ESF 8 DMAT/DMORT/FEMORS 4 Medical Assistance Teams		7 DMAT and 2 DMORT and 1 FEMOR on standby	
11 Assessment Response Teams	West Palm Bch, Martin St. Lucie, Okeechobee, Indian River, Columbia, Brevard, Seminole, Volusia, Lake, Sumter, Marion, Orlando	11 ART team members deployed	

Federal Declarations:

TYPE OF DECLARATION	DATE OF ACTION	PURPOSE
FEMA 1545-DR-FL	09/04/2004	A Presidential Disaster Declaration

SERT Reports:

Operations Support Branch:

- ❑ Continuing to support and monitor flood areas

Military Support:

- ❑ Strength: 4,303
- ❑ LSA operations continue
- ❑ Refit operations
- ❑ Humanitarian operations continue

Emergency Services Branch:

- ❑ Conducting security missions in affected counties
- ❑ Marina & Area Assessments performed as requested by impacted counties
- ❑ Eight IMT teams deployed
- ❑ 6312 patients/residents evacuated from 196 health care facilities
- ❑ Continue to assist with humanitarian missions for Frances

Human Services:

- ❑ Working deliveries from LSAs
- ❑ Continue to provide mass care, deliver resources and volunteers, and assist with animal issues in the impact area of Hurricane Frances

Infrastructure Service:

- ❑ Supporting fuel requests for LSA's and County Emergency Response Ops
- ❑ Wireless network reported over 97.5% availability

Logistics Section:

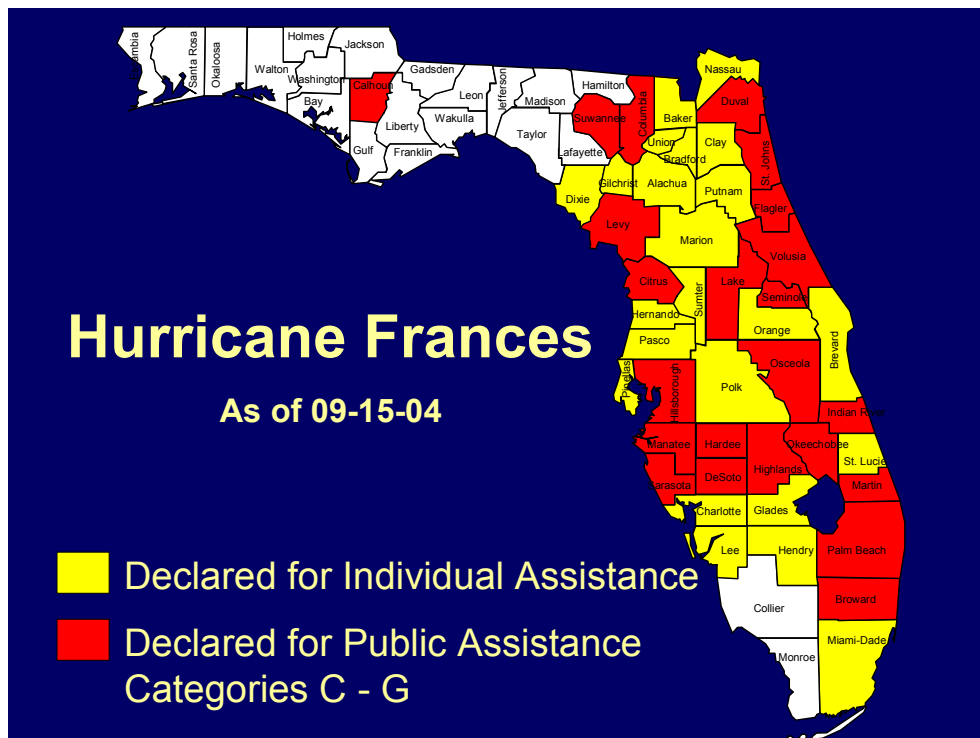
- ❑ Continuing to support LSAs

Administration and Finance:

- ❑ Continuing to provide purchasing and deployment needs

Recovery Section:

- ❑ Disaster Recovery Centers Open
- ❑ Counties added for Public Assistance (Cat. F – G) (See map on next page)
- ❑ Counties added for Individual Assistance (See map on next page)



Public Information:

Nothing reported this Operational Period

Information and Planning:

Fact Sheets, IAP's, Situation and Flash Reports are being developed and published as scheduled. Counties are reminded to email their Situation Reports to esf5@innetmail.att.net.

Federal Actions:

Nothing reported this Operational Period

Florida Division of Emergency Management Contact Information

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