

SITUATION REPORT No. 8

Hurricane IVAN (Cat 4)

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



Operational Period: September 16, 2004 - 0700 Hrs. – September 16, 2004 - 1900 Hrs.

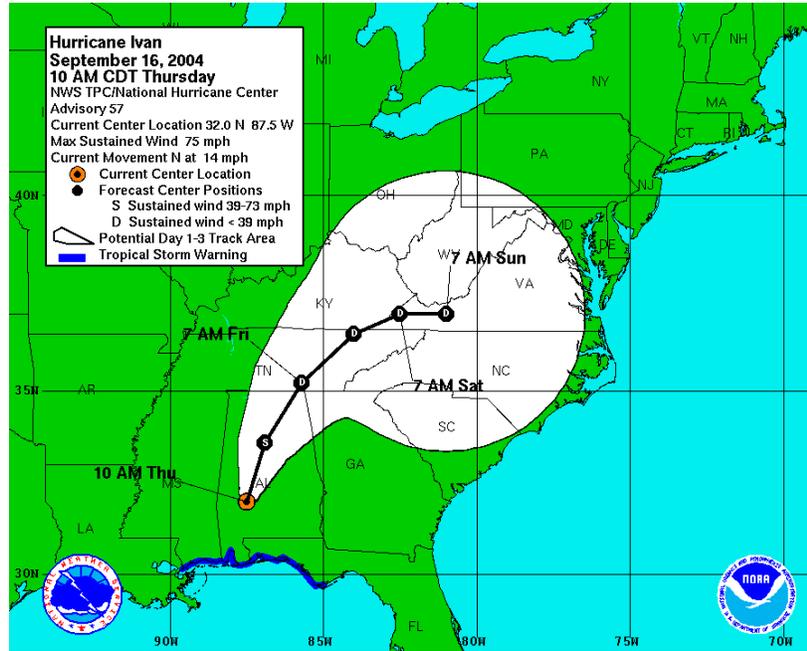
CURRENT SITUATION

The State Emergency Response Team continues to make preparations for response to impacts of Hurricane Ivan.

WEATHER SUMMARY:

At 1100hrs EST, the center of Hurricane Ivan was located near latitude 32.0 north and longitude 87.5 west or about 65 miles west-southwest of Montgomery, Alabama. Hurricane Ivan is moving toward the north near 14 mph. A gradual turn toward the northeast and a decrease in forward speed are expected during the next 24 hours.

This motion should bring the center across central Alabama today and into northeastern Alabama tonight. Maximum sustained winds have decreased to near 75 mph with higher gusts. Additional weakening is forecast during the next 24 hours and Hurricane Ivan will likely weaken to a tropical storm this afternoon.



CONSEQUENCES:

- Sheltering** – There are approximately **53** general shelters, sheltering **9,738**, evacuees and **9** Special Needs Shelter with **898** evacuees.
- School and Government Office Closures** – Several Area 1 and Area 2 counties reported school and government office closures for 9/14/04 through 9/17/04 (*See chart under County Actions*).
- Tornado** – North Florida, from Escambia County eastward experiencing heavy tornado activity as Hurricane Ivan came ashore.
- Fatalities/Injuries** – Two (2) confirmed fatalities were reported in Bay County.
- Boil Water Advisories** – Boil water advisories issued for Escambia and Okaloosa.
- Power Outrage**- Reports from ESF 12 indicates 338,923 customers without power.

COUNTY ACTIONS:

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

County	EOC Level	Local State of Emergency	Evacuation Order	Shelter Status	Government Closing	School Closing	Boil Water	Curfews
AREA 1								
Bay	F	9/13/04	Mandatory	3 open	Until further notice	9/14-9/16		Beginning 9pm

Escambia	F	9/13/04	Mandatory	10 shelters open at 1pm	9/14/04	9/14/04	YES	7pm-8am
Calhoun	F	9/14/04	Voluntary evac. of mobile homes	1 special 5 general	9/16 and maybe 9/17	Until further notice		
Gulf	F	9/10/04 extended	Mandatory for MH, low lying and coastal areas	Closed	9/14-16/04	9/14-9/16		<i>Beginning 9pm</i>
Holmes	P	9/13/04	Mandatory low lying/substandard		Until 9/17/04	9/14/04 until further notice		<i>Beginning 7pm</i>
Jackson	P	9/14/04	Mandatory for Low lying areas/ manufactured or MH	No certified shelters	9/15/04	9/14-9/17		
Okaloosa	F	9/13/04	Mandatory	Host shelters / stand by	9/15/04	9/14-15/04 TBA	YES for non-county users	
Santa Rosa	F	9/14/04	Mandatory low/lying and flood areas	1 special 2 general	Closed until further notice	Closed until further notice		
Walton	F	9/14/04	Mandatory, 9/14/04 all areas south of state hwy 20 including S. Walton	1 special 3 general	9/14-9/16	9/17/04		<i>24 hours</i>
Washington	F	9/13/04	Voluntary evacuation	1 general 1 special open	9/14-9/17	9/14-9/17		
AREA 2								
Franklin	F	9/14/04	Mandatory for MH, low lying Dog Island, Alligator Pt., St. George		9/15-9/16/04	9/15-9/16/04		
Hamilton	M							
Columbia	M							
Leon	P	9/13/04	Voluntary evacuation mobile homes low lying areas	Will open on 9/14/04	Closed 09/16/04	Closed 09/16/04		
Liberty	F	9/13/04	Voluntary for MH and flood prone areas	1 risk shelter opening 9/14/04	9/15-17/04	9/15-17/04		
Gadsden	P	9/13/04	Voluntary evacuation mobile homes, low lying areas		Open 9/17/04	Open 9/17/04		
Wakulla	P	9/13/04			9/16/04	9/16/04		
Jefferson	M	9/14/04						
Madison	P	9/13/04		Will open host shelter on 9/15/04	Open 9/17/04	Open 9/17/04		
Taylor	F	9/13/04	Mandatory evacuation for low lying and coastal areas		Open 9/16/04	Closed 9/16/04		
Dixie	P	9/14/04		Standby	9/14/04 half day	9/14/04 half day		
Lafayette	M	9/13/04			Open 9/16/04	Open 9/16/04		
Suwannee	F	9/12/04	Mandatory low lying / flood prone areas Mand. South end of county		Open 9/16/04	Open 9/16/04		

DAMAGE REPORTED BY COUNTY EM: *(new information in italics)*

Counties	Reported Damage
Bay	More than 200 homes reported with significant damage. Damage to Parker School reported. <i>2 confirmed fatalities</i>
Calhoun	One fatality, multiple injuries, and undetermined structural damage to houses, in north of Blountstown, Hwy. 69A. Two tornados have touched down so far this evening.
Escambia	Escambia County reports damages to hospitals, roof damage at shelters (Civic Center), but able to re-locate clients within shelters, no known injuries, 911 call centers have received reports from 30-50 homes with significant damage. Three of 4 Hospitals have already sustained major damage and 1 has sustained roof leaks. Navy Hospital in Pensacola reports windows blown out, moving patients. Baptist Hospital flooding lost part of roof. Several shelters have sustained major roof damage also. Pensacola Regional Airport reports loss of wall in main terminal and loss of 2 hangers. Gulf Power has sustained major damage and power to 300,000 customers. <i>Interstate 10 bridges out</i> <i>4 hospitals damaged</i> <i>5 shelters damaged</i> <i>Debris - Shingles, building debris, Street signs, trees down, utility poles down , vehicular debris</i> <i>Flooding - street, local and widespread flooding (1-3 Feet)</i> <i>Structure damage - heavy wind damage, moderate coastal flooding</i> <i>Infrastructure - electric power out, water supply out, sewer out, telephone out, grocery stores, gas stations, and hardware stores all closed.</i> <i>Transportation - Major road blocked cannot travel East on 10 from CR297</i> <i>Em US Hwy 98 bridge from Pensacola to Gulf Breeze - closed due to structural damage</i> <i>US 90 bridge closed due to structural damage - assessment is ongoing.</i> <i>Alternate routes are being investigated by FHP and FDOT at this time. Emergency Services EOC, Police, Fire, EMS all operational</i>
Gulf	Numerous homes have been severely damaged by wind and tidal action.
Holmes	One home was damaged (exact location unknown), no injuries reported. Debris was blown into roadways but County Public Works has been keeping the roadways cleared. <i>Reports of 3 tornados.</i>
Jackson	1) Tornado touched down in the area of Hwy 90 and Poplar Springs Rd. in the town of Cypress just west of Grande Ridge. Several homes in the area were affected and there are several unknown injuries that are being reported. FHP advises that there is a trooper on scene giving this information to dispatch. 2) Unknown named trailer park on Blue Springs Hwy, in the area of Gold Dr. and Silver Dr. has mass damage and the Sgt. on duty advised that there are people missing. There are also power lines and trees down. 3) Sykes Enterprises (a computer company) in the Industrial Park off Russell Rd and CR 166, near the airport and Federal Prison, has a broken water main and a building totally gutted. Unknown if anyone was in the building but there is a car in the parking lot. 4) Two trailer parks with heavy damage, 30 - 40 buildings damaged (including commercial structures). 5) <i>10 families have lost their homes</i> 6) <i>EOC without power, backup generators failed</i>
Santa Rosa	Heavy erosion and surf, Navarre Beach Pier "T" destroyed.
Walton	<i>Flood damage to structures east of Miramar</i>
Dixie	<i>8 roads under water</i>
Franklin	<i>Hwy 98 washed out between Carrabelle and Hwy 65.</i>
Wakulla	<i>5 roads flooded</i>
Marion	One home destroyed in Dunnellon, Marion County. No injuries reported. Information from Marion County EM.

STATE ACTIONS:

- ❑ SEOC is activated at a Level 1
- ❑ SEOC briefings are scheduled for 0730 hours EDT and 1830 hours EDT daily

Emergency Hotlines:

- ❑ State of Florida Emergency Information 24-hour Hotline (FEIL): Please continue to redirect from 1-800-342-3557 to 850-488-7834.
- ❑ FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) Registration: 1-800-621-FEMA(3362) TTY: 1-800-462-7585
- ❑ State Volunteer and Donations Hotline: 1-800-FL-HELP1 (1-800-354-3571)
- ❑ 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 #04-206	09/10/04	State of Emergency –Hurricane Ivan Incorporated by reference Executive Order-04-206
EO #04-207	9/12/04	extend, ratify and reaffirm Executive Order # 04-196 for an additional 7 days

Federal Declarations:

TYPE OF DECLARATION	DATE OF ACTION	PURPOSE
N/A		

SERT REPORTS:

SERT PERSONNEL DEPLOYMENT			
Type Personnel	Location Of Deployment	Personnel Deploying	Date of deployment
Advance Recovery Liaisons SERT Liaisons	Bay, Citrus, Charlotte, DeSoto, Duval, Escambia, Franklin, Gadsden, Gulf, Gilchrist, Holmes, Jefferson, Leon, Levy, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Wakulla, Walton and Washington	30 ARL team members deployed	9/15/2004

ESF 8 DMAT/DMORT/FEMORS 3 Medical Assistance Teams			9/15/2004
RECON National Guard, DOT, CAP	Jackson, Calhoun and Bay		

Operational Support Branch

- ❑ Preparing to complete missions quickly
- ❑ Preparing for Search and Rescue functions

Emergency Services:

ESF 16:

- ❑ Santa Rosa EOC sustained severe roof damage

ESF 10:

- ❑ Marina & Area Assessments to be performed when conditions allow

ESF 4&9:

- ❑ Two USAR teams staged in Quincy as soon as conditions are favorable
- ❑ 2 Strike teams of engines and 2 strike teams of ALS transports

ESF 8:

- ❑ Extensive damages to several hospitals and shelters in the panhandle (Pensacola Civic Center, Baptist Hospital, Bay County Hospital, Pensacola Naval Hospital)
- ❑ 3 Disaster Medical Assistance Teams (DMAT) on standby
- ❑ 12 DMATs on alert
- ❑ 404 medical staff for multiple mission deployed and 875 in reserve

Infrastructure Branch:

- ❑ Supporting post-impact responses for Hurricane Ivan
- ❑ Supporting fuel requests for LSA's and County Emergency Response Ops
- ❑ Supporting county flood-fighting ops and sandbag requests
- ❑ Reports of widespread power outages in Walton County

Human Services Branch:

- ❑ Awaiting the passage of Ivan's windfield to move resources into the affected areas

Military Support:

- ❑ Strength: 4,348 including 508 from other States
- ❑ 2 Task Forces staging at Tallahassee
- ❑ 1 Task Force conducting all Frances missions statewide
- ❑ RECON elements in place
- ❑ LNOs in place in panhandle counties

Logistics Section:

- Additional 249th Eng. Bat. Assessment Teams
- 150 ACOE Generators enroute
- 70 Vendor Generators enroute
- LSA support packages for North Florida

LSA #4 -North Florida Fair Grounds

- 441 Paul Russell Road
- Tallahassee, FL 32301
- LSA #4 receiving lighting sets, generators, forklifts, and pallet jacks
- FLNG @ LSA # 4 -09/15/04 (overnight post storm moving west -400 trucks and 800 personnel)

LSA #5 -Duke Field (Air Field #3)

- Highway 85 South
- 506 Drone Street
- Okaloosa County
- Operational - Post Storm

Finance and Administration:

- Assisting with deployment and relocation of staff to the Panhandle.
- Continuing to provide purchasing needs for all events

Public Information:

- Continuing to take calls from the media
- Providing general information

Recovery Section:

- Nothing reported during 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 e-mail their Situation Reports to esf5@innetmail.att.net

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