Hernando County

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER

Situation Report (SITREP)

EVENT	Tropical Depression 9
DATE	29 August 2016
TIME	5:00 PM
REPORT #	1

EOC LEVEL OF ACTIVATION
3 - MONITORING
DECLARED EMERGENCY
None Declared

Operational Period			
From:	8/29/2016 8:00 AM	To:	8/29/2016 5:00 PM

SITUATION:

Hernando County Emergency Management is monitoring the development of Tropical Depression 9 in the extreme southeastern Gulf of Mexico. This system is expected to move west-northwest over the next few days before making a turn to the northeast, bringing excessive rainfall to Hernando County on Wednesday and Thursday. The National Hurricane Center is forecasting this depression to become a tropical storm over the next 24 hours.

POSSIBLE IMPACTS:

4 to 6 inches of rain is forecast for Hernando County from Monday to Saturday. Isolated areas could possibly receive up to 8 inches of rain. There is potential for coastal and localized flooding. Tides may be up to 1 to 2 feet above normal levels on Wednesday and Thursday. Winds may reach 40 to 50 mph early Thursday morning. A storm surge of approximately 3 feet is also possible on Thursday afternoon, with higher amounts possible.

GOVERNMENT PREPARATIONS:

Hernando County Emergency Management will continue to monitor the situation. The EOC is not activated at this time. Shelters are not open at this time. Additional information will be released as it becomes available.

A **tentative** meeting schedule has been established for **Tuesday, August 30, 2016**. All meetings will take place at the Emergency Operations Center – 18900 Cortez Boulevard Brooksville, FL 34601.

The Threat Advisory Committee (TAC) and the Executive Policy Group (EPG) will meet early tomorrow morning.

An Emergency Support Function (ESF) Briefing is currently scheduled for 11:00 a.m.; ESF Leads should make plans to attend.

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PROTECTIVE ACTIONS:

One self-serve sandbag distribution site opened today from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Hernando County Fire Rescue Station 1.

Two self-serve sandbag distribution sites will open on Tuesday at the following locations. Sand and sandbags will be available from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Hernando County Department of Public Works 1525 East Jefferson Street Brooksville, FL 34601	Hernando County Fire Rescue Station 1 1479 Parker Avenue Spring Hill, FL 34606

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE PUBLIC:

- Coastal residents should closely monitor the progress of this system.
- All residents should take steps to secure personal property at this time.
- All residents are urged to actively monitor local media outlets, the National Weather Service at http://www.srh.noaa.gov/tbw/ or the National Hurricane Center at http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/
- Mariners should expect to see small craft advisories on Wednesday and Thursday.
- Tide prediction data is available at
  Hernando Beach: http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov/noaatidepredictions/NOAATidesFacade.jsp?Stationid=8727122
  Bayport: http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov/noaatidepredictions/NOAATidesFacade.jsp?Stationid=8727151
- Report storm damage to Hernando County Emergency Management at (352) 754-4083.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EOC PARTNERS:

- Ensure your family is prepared for the storm with a disaster supply kit and a communications plan. Remember to consider the specific needs of children, elderly, pets, or individuals with special needs.
- Top off fuel tanks.
- Contact your supervisor with any questions regarding work schedule.
- **As government employees, it is our responsibility to work before, during, and after an emergency. Your role in an emergency may include performing your normally assigned duties or acting in another support capacity, and may require working a schedule beyond normal work hours.**

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ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS OF INFORMATION (EEI):

EEI Update	Status	Comments
County EOC Status	Not Activated or Not Reported	Currently monitoring. ESF leads should begin preparations for possible EOC activation.
County Government Office Status	No Closures or Not Reported	
County Public Safety Communication Outages	Normal Not Reporting	
Emergency Services	Normal or Not Reporting	
Evacuation Status	No Evacuations or Not Reporting	
Local Government Fuel Status	Not Reporting	
Local State of Emergency	Not Declared or Not Reporting	
Re-Entry Status	Not Evacuated or Not reporting	
School Status	No Closures or Not Reported	
Search and Rescue	No Operations or Not Reporting	
Shelters (General)	Not Sheltering or Not Reporting	
Shelters (Pet)	Not Sheltering or Not Reporting	
Shelters (Special Needs)	Not Sheltering or Not Reporting	
Unconfirmed Casualties	Not Reporting	

ESF POSITION UPDATE:

ESF POSITION	CURRENT ISSUES / OPEN ITEMS	UNMET NEEDS
ESF01		
ESF02		
ESF03-DPW	1 sandbag distribution site open 8/29/16. 2 sandbag distribution sites to open 8/30/16.	
ESF03-UTILITIES		
ESF04		
ESF05	Situational awareness and reporting.	
ESF06		
ESF07		
ESF08		
ESF09		
ESF10		
ESF11		
ESF12-DUKE		
ESF12-WREC		

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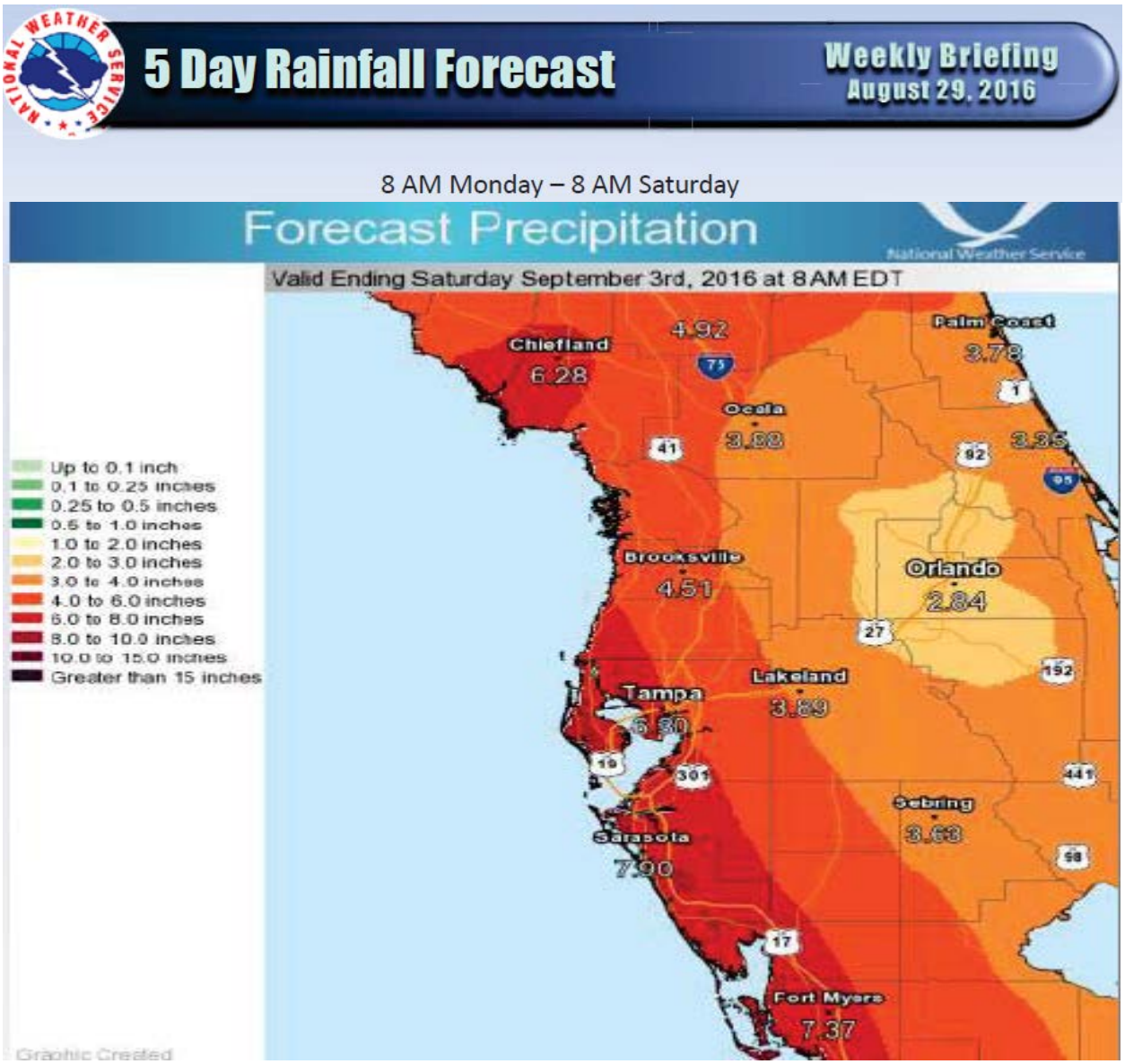
ESF13		
ESF14	Situational awareness and reporting.	
ESF15		
ESF16	Inmates to provide sandbag operations support 8/30/16.	
ESF17		
ESF18		
BROOKSVILLE PD		
CITY OF BROOKSVILLE		
CLERK OF COURT-FINANCE		
FDLE		
FDOT		
FEMA		
FLORIDA FORESTRY SERVICE		
MESSAGE CONTROL		
PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTER (PIC)		
STATE OF FLORIDA		
SWFWMD		

ATTACHMENTS:



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