



Hernando County

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER

Alert Form



EVENT	Hurricane Matthew		EOC LEVEL OF ACTIVATION
DATE	7 October 2016		1/ FULL
TIME	8:00 AM		2/ PARTIAL
REPORT #	8	X	3/ MONITORING

SITUATION

Hurricane Matthew remains a powerful category 3 hurricane with wind speeds of 120 mph. Matthew is located approximately 35 miles east-northeast of Cape Canaveral, and is moving north-northwest at 14mph.

Hernando County is currently under a tropical storm warning. Tropical storm force winds are expected to impact our area early Friday morning, and subside by early Friday afternoon.

IMPACTS

- Electric companies are reporting the following information:
 - o **Duke Energy** – 188 outages - crews enroute.
 - o **Withlacoochee Electric** – 32 outages – crews enroute.
- Gas stations are reporting the following information:
 - o **Speedway** 1950 E. Jefferson Street, Brooksville – Premium Gasoline Only
 - o **Shell** 11091 Spring Hill Drive, Spring Hill – Per Gas Tracker – Out of Fuel
 - o **Mobil** 6200 Commercial Way, Weeki Wachee - Premium Gasoline Only
 - o **Country Express** 10455 N. Broad Street, Brooksville – Out of Fuel

PREPARATIONS

- Hernando County Government is closed Friday.
- Hernando County School District announced that schools will be closed on Friday.
- All parks will be closed on Friday with the exception of the un-gated Rogers Park, Bayport Park, Jenkins Creek and the Hernando Beach boat ramp. All parks are expected to re-open Saturday. Pay close attention to hazardous marine conditions.
- THE Bus has suspended service for Friday.
- The administrative offices of the Hernando County Sheriff's Office are closed on Friday.

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

- 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/>
- To report damages contact the Hernando County Sheriff's Office, Emergency Management at (352) 754-4083.

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PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTER (PIC) : (352) 754-4083 or (352) 754-4111 (Recorded)

Hernando County Sheriff Office - Emergency Management	National Weather Service - Brooksville
Florida Division of Emergency Management	FEMA
MyFlorida.com	American Red Cross