



Situation Report No. 1

2018 Michael

The Florida State Emergency Response Team

State Emergency Operations Center Activation Level: 1

Reporting Period: 10/08/2018 00:00 hrs - 10/08/2018 12:00 hrs

Information Current as of 12:00 hrs

Actions ▾

Current Situation

At 1100 AM EDT, the center of Hurricane Michael was located about 600 miles south of Apalachicola in the Yucatan Channel. Michael is moving toward the north near 7 mph. A northward motion at a slightly faster forward speed is expected through Tuesday night, followed by a northeastward motion on Wednesday and Thursday. On the forecast track, the center of Michael will move northward into the southeastern Gulf of Mexico by tonight. Michael will move across the eastern Gulf of Mexico Tuesday and Tuesday night, and is expected to move inland over the Florida Panhandle or Florida Big Bend area on Wednesday, and then move northeastward across the southeastern United States Wednesday night and Thursday.

Data from an Air Force Reserve Hurricane Hunter aircraft indicate that maximum sustained winds have increased to near 75 mph with higher gusts. Steady to rapid strengthening is forecast during the next day or so, and Michael is forecast to become a major hurricane by Tuesday or Tuesday night.

Conditions

A Storm Surge Watch is in effect from Navarre Florida to Anna Maria Island Florida, including Tampa Bay. A Hurricane Watch is in effect from the Alabama-Florida border to the Suwannee River, including inland counties west of Jefferson. A Tropical Storm Watch is in effect from the Suwannee River to Anna Maria Island Florida, including Tampa Bay.

State Actions

The State EOC is activated to a Level 1 with 24 Hour Operations. Two SERT Conference Calls are scheduled for 11:15 Eastern and 17:15 Eastern daily.

Executive Orders

Executive Order Number	Date Signed	Purpose
18-276	10/07/2018	State of Emergency

Operational Objectives

1. Ensure basic needs of Florida residents and visitors.
2. Ensure the safety of responders.
3. Provide resource and protective action support for storm related preparations.
4. Promote coordination between State, Local, and SERT Partners.
5. Minimize economic impact of the affected areas or communities.
6. Keep stakeholders, responders, and the public informed of preparedness and response activities.

Logistics

- SLRC activated and prepared to ship resources.
- Locating 3 State LSA's, two for commodities and one for all heavy equipment.
- Receiving quotes for heavy equipment and MHE.
- RRF filed for Shelf-Stable Meals from FEMA.
- Receiving quotes for two Base Camps, plus satellite catering.
- RRF filed for use of Eglin AFB - Duke Field.
- EMAC requests filed for 5 IMT's, EMAC A-Team working with ESF's for additional request to include UISAR.
- COOP Planning for use of the SLRC, IMT deployed there to set up today.
- FLNG personnel on site at SEOC to support Logistics Planning.
- FLNG Personnel requested to support the SLRC and LSA's.
- Working up POD number to support.

Recovery

- Anticipating needs for potential COOP Operations.
- Back-filling Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) information into WebEOC.
- Drafting Information Messages for use throughout the disaster.
- Prepping Resource Request for IA and PA.
- Writing Damage Assessment Process for dissemination to local governments and EM Directors.

Operations

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Emergency Services Branch

ESF-4/9 Fire & Search and Rescue

- Conducted statewide region calls to secure status of deployable resources.
- Submitted EMAC request for USAR and Swift water resources.
- Identified a pre landfall staging area in Ocala for in state deployable USAR resources.
- Submitted Mission request for ESF 4/9 Liaison personnel support at the SEOC.
- Coordinating with FWC for USAR team support.

ESF-8 Health and Medical

- 35 two-person Special Needs Shelter teams have been requested from FDOH personnel and team rosters are being developed.
- 5 Ambulance Strike Teams [5 units per team] have been requested and are mobilizing. Will be staged in Ocala when assembled. Teams are being assembled through Patient Movement Branch - no Fire-Rescue resources being utilized at this time.

ESF-10 Hazardous Materials and Environmental Protection

- Monitoring Florida State Parks, with a focus on the Panhandle for potential closures. Pre-event Windshield Surveys complete.
- Conducting outreach for high-priority regulated hazardous waste, in the Northwest District.
- 165 Disaster Debris Management Sites (DDMS) have been pre-authorized for the counties addressed by the Governor's Executive Order.
- The Florida Public Debris Reporting Tool is live.

ESF-16 Law Enforcement and Security

- Identifying and mobilizing law enforcement resources to support future mission requests.
- ESF 16 fully staffed and will begin 24 hour operations effective today.

Human Services Branch

ESF-6 Mass Care

- Situational Awareness-perform outreach to ascertain if any of the counties need sheltering assistance.
- Assessing availability of resources.
- Preparing to support evacuations and sheltering.

ESF-11 Food and Water

- 1) Remaining in contact with our USDA counterparts regarding Hurricane Michael and Florida's SEOC Level 1 activation
- 2) Receiving updated USDA Foods inventory levels from our state contracted warehouses (SCWs)
- 3) Assessing the need for additional ESF-11 staff at both SEOC and SLRC
- 4) Current inventory at SLRC and warehouse
 - i. 668,928 shelf-stable meals
 - ii. 1,083,757 gallons of water
 - iii. 49,070 bags of ice (10-lb bags)
- 5) ESF-11 is reaching out to all available food vendors to establish inventory on-hand and ship times
- 6) Logistics submitted a RRF to FEMA for 1,000,000 shelf-stable meals
- 7) Revising our projection model, as updates are received, to determine the possible population impact of Hurricane Michael.
- 8) Released USDA Foods in 26 counties to be used in congregate feeding at shelters, canteens, and mobile kitchens for residents affected by the storm.

Working with Mass Care (ESF-6) to ensure food needs are being identified and met

ESF-15 Volunteers and Donations

- Coordinating VOAD call.
- Coordinating with Corporation for National and Community Service on AmeriCorps support.
- Mission request for Multi Agency Warehouse.
- Mission request for EMAC support.

ESF-17 Animal and Agricultural Issues

- Animal and Agriculture IMT has been activated and is planning response actions.
- Mosquito Control Incident Response Team on stand-by.
- Food Safety Response Team on stand-by.
- State Agricultural Response Team activated.

Infrastructure Branch

ESF-1/3 Transportation and Public Works

- Construction projects suspended in the twenty-six counties declared in Executive Order 18-276.
- Conducting enhanced operations and monitoring of roadways, rest areas and other facilities.
- Preparing generators, bridge inspection teams and cut/toss crews for potential deployment.
- Ready maintenance yards and fuel sites.
- Lowering high-mast lighting.
- Holding daily coordination calls with FDOT districts, field offices, contractors and partners.
- Monitoring flood-prone areas for potential transportation impacts.
- Northwest Florida Water Management District staff supporting SEOC operations; closing district offices and recreation areas; and conducting outreach.
- Suwannee River Water Management District preparing equipment; evaluating district lands and facilities; and conducting outreach.

ESF-2 Communications

- Updating SAIL toll free line greeting to reflect TS/Hurricane Michael messaging.
- Updating ESF2 telecommunication partners emergency contact list.
- Updating emergency response staffing schedule.

ESF-12 Fuels

- ESF-12 Fuels is monitoring statewide Fuels and retail fuels supplies.
- Communicating with fuel industry.
- No reported supply shortages, no reported distribution issues, and no no retailed fuel shortages or issues.
- Monitoring fuel industry and anticipating impacts and distributions.
- Continue reporting fuel supply along evacuation routes (Ongoing).
- Coordinating emergency fuel resupply and re-entry plans to impacted areas.

ESF-12 Power

- Monitoring grid for ample generation capacity and stability.
- Obtaining Mutual Aid information for numbers of restoration crews.
- Obtaining Staging area locations.
- Monitoring storm related outages and restoration efforts.
- Begin reporting outages and restoration information as soon as storm related outage start to occur.

General and Command Staff

ESF-14 External Affairs

- Communicating life safety and protective actions for Michael:
 - Work with ESFs and partner agencies to identify messaging needs
 - Press releases
 - Social media
- Updating SAIL talking to reflect appropriate guidance.
- Activating VOST for social media monitoring.
- Working with ITM to update Michael info page.
- Working with Plans in gathering information from all ESF- EOG Roll Up.
- Working to support EOG comms team.

ESF-13 Military Support

- Initial authorization for activation of 500 Guardsmen.
- Standing up SEOC, SLRC and JOC.
- Currently tracking 5 missions in WEB EOC.

ESF-18 Business, Industry and Economic Stabilization

- VISIT FLORIDA has activated the Expedia/VISIT FLORIDA Hotel Accommodation Web Portal to support evacuation orders if/when needed.
- FRLA is prepared to message businesses in the hospitality industry to support lodging and feeding needs resulting from Hurricane Michael.
- Airbnb and Uber will support lodging and transportation needs resulting from Hurricane Michael.
- Disaster preparedness information is being shared with business and private sector partners on www.FloridaDisaster.Biz.

File Attachments

Images/Maps