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FEMA Daily Operations Briefing

Monday, September 10, 2018 8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity —Sep 9-10



Significant Events: Hurricane Florence; Hurricane Olivia; Typhoon Mangkhut

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic Hurricane Florence; Hurricane Isaac; Hurricane Helene; Disturbance 1: Medium (40%); Disturbance 2: Medium (40%)
- Eastern Pacific Tropical Storm Paul
- Central Pacific Hurricane Olivia (CAT 1)
- Western Pacific Typhoon Mangkhut

Significant Weather:

- Flash flooding possible Southern Plains to Lower Mississippi; Mid-Atlantic to New England
- Critical\Elevated Fire Weather Nevada, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Wyoming

Declaration Activity:

- Major Disaster Declaration Request for Hawaii
- Emergency Declaration Request for South Dakota
- Emergency declaration Request for Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas Islands
- Amendment No. 4 to FEMA-4353-DR-CA



Hurricane Florence (CAT 1) (Advisory #44 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- 625 miles SE of Bermuda
- Moving WNW at 9 mph
- Rapid strengthening is forecast; expected to become a major hurricane very soon
- Maximum sustained winds 105 mph
- Hurricane-force winds extend outward up to 25 miles
- Tropical-storm-force winds extend 125 miles
- No coastal watches or warnings in effect



Hurricane Isaac (Advisory #11, as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- 1,230 miles E of the Windward Islands
- Moving W at 13 mph
- · Maximum sustained winds are 75 mph
- Hurricane force winds extend 10 miles; Tropical-storm-force winds extend 45 miles
- Additional strengthening is expected over the next day or two.
- Weakening is forecast to begin by the middle of the week







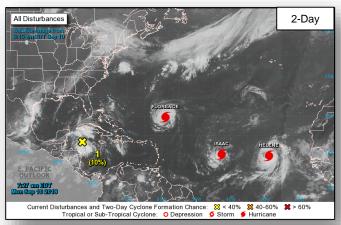
Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

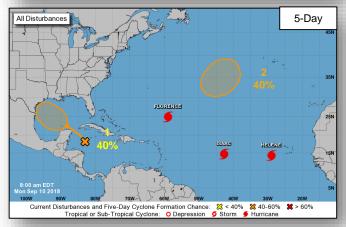
- Located over the northwestern Caribbean Sea
- No development expected during the next couple of days
- Moving slowly NW
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Medium (40%)

Disturbance 2 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- Several hundred miles west-southwest of the Azores in two or three days
- Some slow tropical or subtropical development is possible by the end of the week
- Moving SW
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (near 0%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Medium (40%)



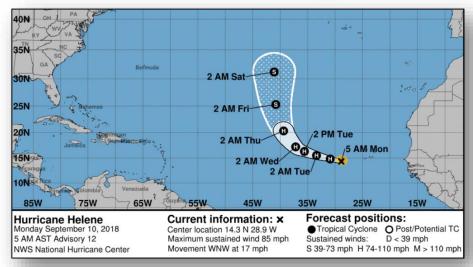






Hurricane Helene (CAT 1) (Advisory #12 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- 305 miles W of the southernmost Cabo Verde Islands
- Moving WNW at 17 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 85 mph
- · Expected to resume strengthening today
- Weakening is forecast to commence Wednesday morning
- Tropical-storm-force winds extend 90 miles
- No coastal watches or warnings in effect

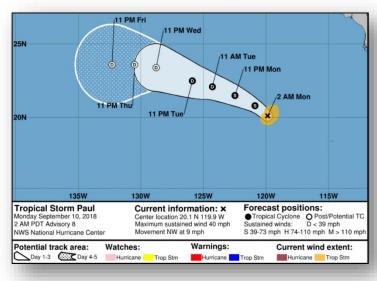


Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



<u>Tropical Storm Paul</u> (Advisory #8 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- 670 miles WSW of Baja California Peninsula
- Moving NNW at 9 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 40 mph
- Tropical-storm-force winds extend to 70 miles
- Further weakening is forecast during the next few days
- Expected to become a remnant low toward the end of the week

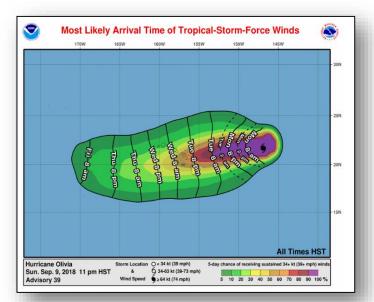


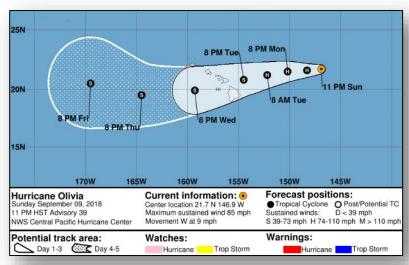
Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific



Hurricane Olivia (CAT 1) (Advisory #39 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- 545 miles ENE of Hilo, HI
- Moving W at 9 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 85 mph
- Hurricane-force winds extend 30 miles
- Tropical storm force winds extend 120 miles
- Little change in strength is forecast through late Monday
- Gradual weakening possible starting some time on Tuesday

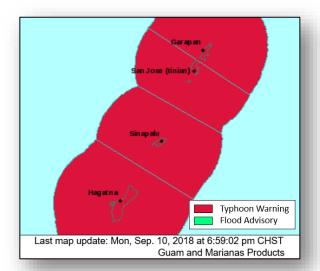




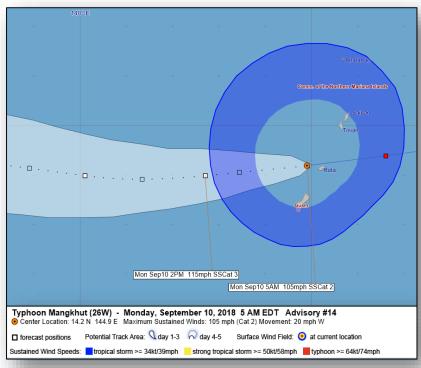
Typhoon Mangkhut

<u>Typhoon Mangkhut</u> (Advisory #14 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- Located 68 miles NE of Guam
- Moving W at 20 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 104
- Tropical storm force winds extend 105 miles
- Forecast to intensify over the next few days
- Typhoon Warning in effect for Guam, Rota, Tinian, Saipan and adjacent coastal waters in the Mariana Islands







Response – Pacific



Situation

Typhoon Mangkhut passed over Rota early this morning EDT. Hurricane Olivia forecast to impact the Hawaiian Islands Tuesday night.

Safety & Security:

- School and Government Offices closing today (Sep 10)
- Evacuations: Voluntary evacuations started on Saipan and Guam

Food Water and Shelter:

- Shelters / Occupants (FEMA Region IX SPOTREP)
 - Hawaii: 2 / 26Saipan: 8 / 450
 - Jaipan: 0 / 430Tinian: 2 / 66
 - Rota: 2 / 27
 - o Guam: 15 / 1,987

Health and Medical:

No shortfalls identified

Transportation:

- Guam/CNMI: Ports are closed; most flights cancelled
- HI: Ports are at X-RAY or WHISKEY (open with restrictions)

Hazardous Waste:

· No impacts reported

Energy:

CNMI: Island-wide power outages reported on Rota and Tinian

Communications:

No shortfalls identified

Response – Pacific



Preparations / Response

State/Local/Territorial:

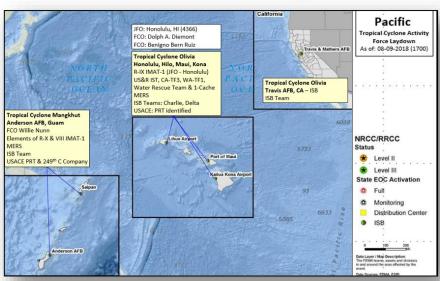
- Guam & CNMI
 - Guam and CNMI EOCs at Full Activation
 - State of Emergency declared for Guam and CNMI
 - Governors put islands at Condition of Readiness 1 (COR 1)
- Hawaii:
 - HI EOC at Partial Activation (previous incident)
 - State of Emergency declared

FEMA Region IX:

- · RWC at Normal Operations; continuing to monitor
- · Region IX IMAT 1 remains in HI (previous incidents)
- · LNOs deployed to HI; deploying to Guam & HI
- Select ESFs deployed to HI (ETA today)
- Elements of Regions VII & X IMATs, with select ESF, ISB, and MERS support deployed to Guam & CNMI
- DCO-Guam/CNMI activated

<u>Interagency:</u>

- USCG condition Zulu for the Ports of Guam, Saipan, Rota, & Tinian
- USCG condition WHISKEY for the Ports of Hawaii, Maui, & Honolulu counties



FEMA HQ:

- NWC at Steady State
- NRCC at Enhanced Watch (24/7); increasing to Level II Sep 11
- US&R teams deploying to Honolulu, HI (IST Blue, WA-TF1, personnel from CA-TF6 & CA-TF8); Kona, HI (CA-TF3) (ETA today)
- ISB teams deployed to HI & Guam (ETA today)
- MERS teams deploying to FEMA HQ, HI, & Guam (ETA today)
- Region VIII IMAT pre-staged at FEMA HQ for redeployment as needed

Response – Atlantic

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Potential Impacts

East Coast:

- Heavy congestion expected along evacuation corridors, with road construction in some areas extending evacuation timeline
- Evacuees moving from one potentially impacted state to another can further increase congestion and slow evacuation times
- · Limited lodging options expected along evacuation routes

Puerto Rico:

- Large numbers of recovery projects from 2017 underway, could be further damaged by storm slowing or halting previous progress
- PR developing COAs if Atlantic ports close

Preparations

State/Local:

- North Carolina:
 - o EOC at Partial Activation, will go to Full Activation today at 1:00 p.m. EDT
 - o Statewide State of Emergency declared
 - o State officials coordinating with local authorities to plan & initiate evacuations
- South Carolina:
 - SC EOC at Full Activation
 - Statewide State of Emergency declared; Emergency Declaration requested
 - Considering coastal evacuations starting this morning
- Virginia:
 - EOC at Partial Activation
 - State of Emergency declared; National Guard activated
- PA EOC at Monitoring
- WV EOC at Partial Activation
- MD EOC at Monitoring

Response – Atlantic



Preparations

FEMA Region II

- RWC at Enhanced Watch
- RRCC activating to Level II with ESFs on September 11 at 8:00 a.m. EDT
- IMAT will deploy to USVI (ETA Sep 11)
- LNOs (2) deploying to Puerto Rico (ETA Sep 10)
- LNO deploying to USVI (ETA Sep 10)

FEMA Region III

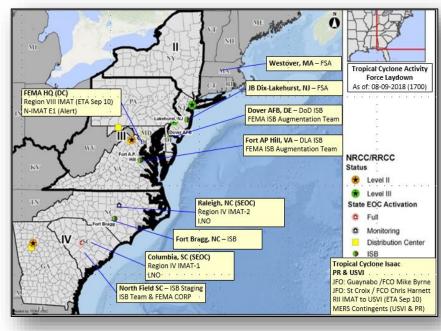
- RWC at Steady State (24/7)
- RRCC at Level II with all ESFs except 4 & 11 (will arrive Sep 11), DoD & USCG
- IMAT and FCO deploying Sep 11; leadership to determine location today
- · LNO deployed to NRCC

FEMA Region IV

- RWC at Steady State
- RRCC at Level II (day shift only)
- IMAT 1 deployed to NC; IMAT 2 deployed to SC
- · LNOs deployed to NC and SC
- Pre-designated FCOs deploying to SC & NC
- · Regional HLT LNO deployed to NHC
- DCO/DCE deploying to NC and SC

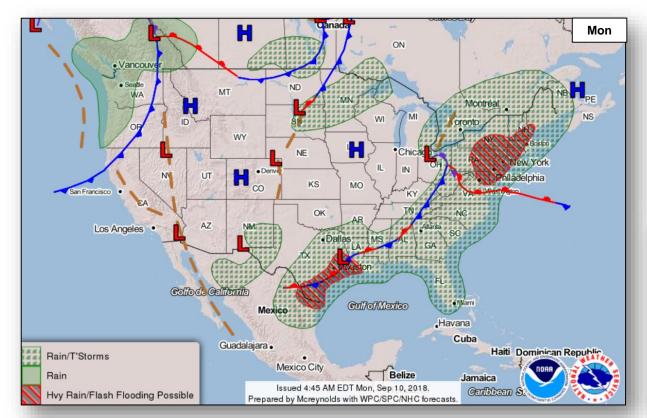
<u>FEMA HQ</u>

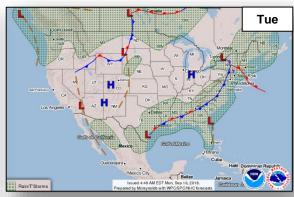
- NWC at Steady State
- NRCC at Enhanced Watch (24/7); increasing to Level II (24/7) Sep 11
- Region VIII IMAT deploying to FEMA HQ for redeployment as needed (ETA Sep 10)
- MERS deploying to FEMA HQ, Puerto Rico, USVI, NC and SC (ETA by Sep 10)

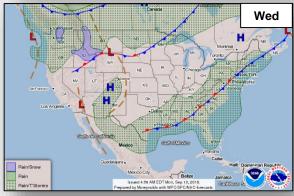


National Weather Forecast



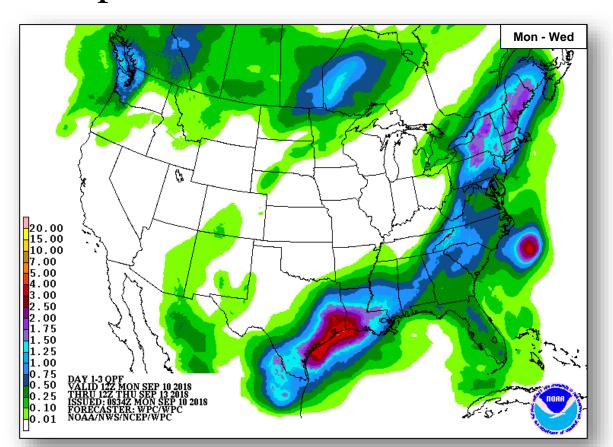


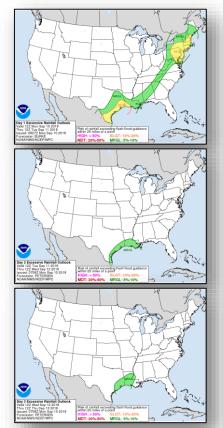




Precipitation / Excessive Rainfall Forecast





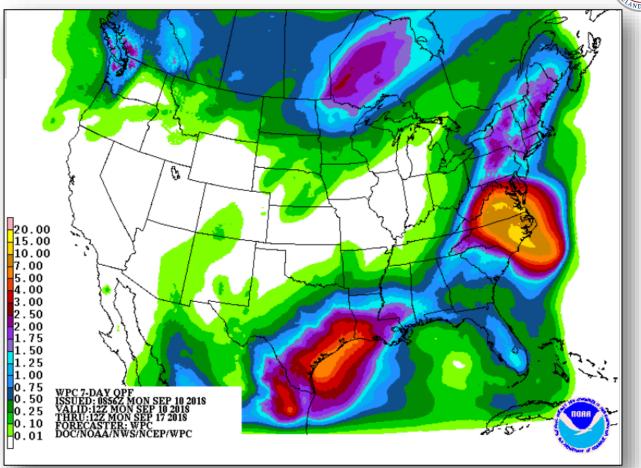


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7-day Forecast Precipitation



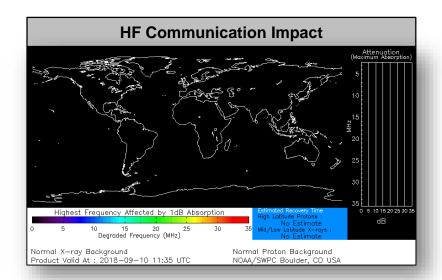
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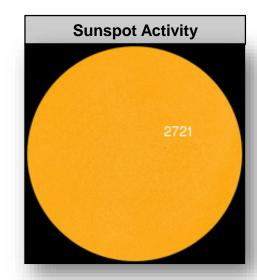
Space Weather



	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None
Next 24 Hours	Next 24 Hours Moderate		None	None

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation





Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Pagion	State /	Front	IA / PA	Number of Counties		Stant Fuel
Region	Location	Event		Requested	Completed	Start – End
	NY	Severe Storms and Flooding	IA	5	5	8/23 – 8/24
ll II	INT	August 2018	PA	8	8	8/29 – 9/7
	PA	Severe Weather	IA	12	5	9/5 – TBD
	FA		PA	13	6	9/5 – TBD
III	PA	Severe Weather	IA	14	4	9/5 – TBD
	FA	August 10-15, 2018	PA	15	2	9/5 – TBD

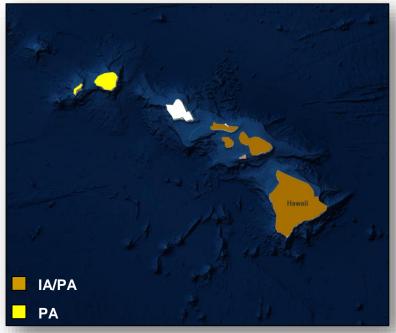
^{*} Region III PDAs are paused to support R-III operations for Hurricane Florence. The remaining counties will be rescheduled in the future once staffing is available.

Declaration Request

Hawaii

- The Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on September 6, 2018
- For Hurricane Lane and wildfires that occurred August 22 27, 2018
- Requesting:
 - Individual Assistance for 2 counties
 - Public Assistance for 3 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide





Declaration Request

South Carolina

- The Governor requested an Emergency Declaration on September 9, 2018
- For Hurricane Florence beginning September 8, 2018 and continuing
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for 46 counties and the Catawba Indian Nation



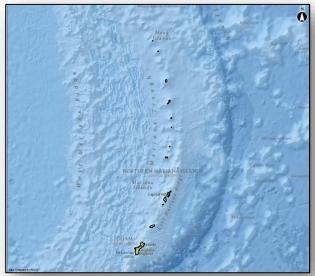


Declaration Request

Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands

- The Governor requested an Emergency Declaration on September 10, 2018
- For Typhoon Mangkhut beginning September 10, 2018 and continuing
- Requesting:
 - Emergency Protective measured (Category B), limited to direct Federal assistance under the Public Assistance program for 3 islands, Rota, Saipan and Tinian





Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Pro	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)				
9	IA	PA	НМ	Date Requested		
LA – DR Flooding		Х	Х	June 29, 2018		
IA – DR Severe Storms and Tornadoes	х	Х	Х	August 17, 2018		
Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe – DR Severe Storms, Hail, and Straight-line Winds	Х	Х	Х	August 17, 2018		
Oglala Sioux Tribe – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds	х		х	August 27, 2018		
NJ – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	х		х	August 30, 2018		
HI – DR Hurricane Lane and wildfires	Х	Х	х	September 6, 2018		
PA – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, and Landslides (Appeal)		Х	Х	September 7, 2018		
SC and the Catawba Indian Nation – EM Hurricane Florence		Х		September 9, 2018		
CNMI – Typhoon Mangkhut		Х		September 10, 2018		

Disaster Amendments



Amendment	Date Issued	Action
Amendment No. 4 to FEMA-4353-DR-CA	September 7, 2018	Changes incident period closed effective January 31, 2018

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability
IM Workforce	11,837 №	4,180 📤 35%	4,145 ▼	3,512	EHP 14% (53/391); ER 19% (8/43); FL 23% (36/157); HR 20% (47/235); IT 24% (154/631); LOG 19% (220/1,168); OPS 21% (54/261); PA 11% (192/1,830); SAF 11% (6/53); SEC 16% (17/106)
National	East 1:	B-2	4351-DR-AK 4369-DR-AK 4391-DR-AK	, 5	4384-DR 4388-DR-MT FCC: James Stephenson 4347-DR-KS 4390-DR-MN FCC: Steven Johnson FCC: Steven M. Johnson
IMATs* (3 Teams)	East 2: West:	Charlie B-48	FCO: Thomas J. Da VJFO: Anchorage,		FCO: C. Johnson-Cage VJFO: Kansas City, MO R-V IMAT Closing September 17 4381-DR-MI 4381-DR-MI EMS: 1
Regional IMATs (4 to 6 Teams)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	13 1 (-1) 1 11 (+1)	4382-DR-CA FCO: William Roch JFO: Sacramento, G R-IX IMAT-2 (JFO)	CA	FCC: David G, Samanlego VIFO: Chicago, IL 4354-DR-NM 4355-DR-NH 4355-DR-NH 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4367-DR-NH 4370-DR-NH FCC: David G, Samanlego VIFO: Chicago, IL 4354-DR-NM 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4367-DR-NH FCC: David G, Samanlego VIFO: Chicago, IL 4354-DR-NM 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4380-DR-NH FCC: David G, Samanlego VIFO: Chicago, IL 4374-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4380-DR-NH FCC: David G, Samanlego VIFO: Chicago, IL 4374-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4380-DR-VT 4380-DR-NH FCC: David G, Samanlego VIFO: Chicago, IL 4374-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4380-DR-VT 4380-DR-NH FCC: David G, Samanlego VIFO: Chicago, IL 4374-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4380-DR
National ISBs (0 Teams)	Team A Team B Team C	Deployed Deployed Deployed	Tropical Cyclone S R-VII IMAT (Ander R-X IMAT (Anderse ISB Team MERS	sen AB)	4371-DR-NH FC: Manchester, NH R-I IMAT (IFC) 4368-DR-NU FC: Liai Sun Yee FC: Liai Sun Yee FVFO: Cicis Neck, NJ
US&R (≥ 66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	28 25 (+3) 0 (-2) 3 (-1)	Guam	7	R-VIII IMAT 4374-DR-WD 4376-DR-WD FCO: Emily Breslin VJFO: Philadelphia, PA 4379-DR-WV 4378-DR-WV 4378-DR-WV
MERS (≥ 66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	36 35 (+2) 0 1 (-2)			ASS-DR-Havasupai Tribe FCO: Nancy Casper JFO: TBD 4350-DR-MS
FCO (≤ 1 Type I)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	33 10 (-2) 2 21 (+2)	*	ſ	437-DR-OK Closing September 21 FCO: Tracl L. Brasher VJFO: Denton, TX 435-DR-HI 435-DR-HI 435-DR-W 435-DR-M 435-DR-W 435-DR-M 4
FDRC (≥ 3)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	14 7 3 4	As of 3:00 a.m. EDT	Sep 10, 2018	Honolulu, Hilo, Maui R-IX IMAT-1 (IFO - Honolulu) ISB Teams MERS US&R ISI, CA-TF3, WA-TF1, Water Rescue Team WERS IDFO: Honolulu, HI Closing September 14 FCO: Dolph A. Diemont 4366-DR-HI FCO: Benigno Bern Ruiz 339-ER-HI JFO: Honolulu, HI FCO: Michael F. Byrne JFO: Guaynabo, PR MERS MERS MERS MERS MERS

^{*} B-2 Status: Assemble ≤ 2-hrs, On Site ≤ 18-hrs; B-48 Status: Assemble and deploy ≤ 48hrs; Charlie Status: No team assemble time requirement

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



Status		Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments	
NWC (5 Teams)	Steady State					
NRCC (2 Teams)	Activated		Enhanced Watch	24/7	Tropical Activity – Atlantic & Pacific	
HLT (1 Team)	Activated					
RWC / MOCs (10 Regions)	Activated	Region II Region IV	Enhanced Watch Enhanced Watch	7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. EDT 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. EDT	Tropical Activity – Atlantic Tropical Activity – Atlantic	
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available	Region III	Enhanced Watch	7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. EDT	Tropical Activity – Atlantic	

Backup Regions: VIII, V & VII



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