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INITIAL SITUATION REPORT NUMBER 1B

EMITS INCIDENT #: 12-1471

DECLARATION ID: None

State Emergency Operations Center Activation Level: II
Operational Period: 8/27/12 1831hrs to 8/28/12 0659 hrs

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1. CURRENT SITUATION:

A. BACKGROUND:

AT 0400 AM EDT THE CENTER OF TROPICAL STORM ISAAC WAS LOCATED BY AN AIR FORCE RESERVE HURRICANE HUNTER AIRCRAFT NEAR LATITUDE 27.5 NORTH...LONGITUDE 88.1 WEST. ISAAC IS MOVING TOWARD THE NORTHWEST NEAR 12 MPH. THIS GENERAL MOTION IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE TODAY WITH A GRADUAL DECREASE IN FORWARD SPEED. ON THE FORCAST TRACK, THE CENTER OF ISAAC WILL BE NEAR OR OVER THE LOUISIANA COAST TONIGHT OR EARLY WEDNESDAY. STRENGTHENING IS FORECAST AND ISAAC IS LIKELY TO BECOME A HURRICANE LATER TODAY. MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS ARE NEAR 70 MPH A HURRICANE WARNING IS IN EFFECT FOR THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS...UPPER MOBILE...UPPER BALDWIN...LOWER MOBILE...LOWER BALDWIN...INLAND ESCAMBIA...COASTAL ESCAMBIA...INLAND SANTA ROSA...COASTAL SANTA ROSA...INLAND OKALOOSA...COASTAL OKALOOSA...STONE AND GEORGE.FOR MARINE INTERESTS...A HURRICANE WARNING IS IN EFFECT FOR ALL OF GULF COASTAL WATERS DESTIN TO PASCAGOULA OUT 60 NAUTICAL MILES..

CURRENT STATUS/EVENTS:

B. TODAY: Tropical storm conditions possible, with hurricane conditions also possible. Showers and thunderstorms likely. Cloudy, with a low around 78. Northeast wind 15 to 20 mph increasing to 25 to 30 mph. Winds could gust as high as 40 mph. Chance of precipitation is 60%.

C. FUTURE SUMMARY/IMPACT: Tropical storm conditions expected, with hurricane conditions possible. Showers and thunderstorms. Some of the storms could produce heavy rainfall and there is a potential isolated tornado risk. High near 85. East wind 30 to 40 mph, with gusts as high as 55 mph. Chance of precipitation is 80%.

D. CASUALTIES: None

E. INJURIES: None

2. STATUS OF EMERGENCY DECLARATION:

Federal Declaration Declared: None

Governor Declared State of Emergency: Statewide

COUNTIES w/ Local Declarations: Baldwin County

CITIES w/ Local Declarations: None

3. SEVERITY OF IMPACT ON LOCAL JURISDICTIONS:

A. COUNTY EOCS ACTIVATED: (See attached Map)

B. IMPACT ON INDIVIDUALS: Mandatory Evacuations ordered for Mobile and Baldwin Counties in zones 1 and Zone 2 only in low lying flood prone areas.

Counties Reporting Damage: (See attached Map)

Curfews: None

C. IMPACT ON BUSINESSES: NSTR

D. SCHOOL CLOSINGS:

- Clarke County: All schools in Clarke County will close at Noon, 8/28/12 and will remain closed on Wednesday, 8/29/12.
- Mobile County Schools: Closed Monday 8/27/12- Wednesday 8/29/12
- Baldwin County Schools: Closed Monday 8/27/12- Wednesday 8/29/12

E. OTHER:

- Baldwin Co: Several Municipal elections postponed until 9/11/12

4. ROAD/TRANSPORTATION STATUS:

- 8/28-8/29: No permitted travel on all routes south of U.S. 84 in the following counties: BALDWIN, CHOCTAW, CLARKE, CONECH, ESCAMBIA, MOBILE, MONROE, and WASHINGTON.
- Bank Head Tunnel will be closed at Noon

5. CRITICAL FACILITIES:

- A. **HOSPITALS:** No Damages Reported
- B. **SCHOOLS:** No Damages Reported
- C. **GOVERNMENT:** No Damages Reported
- D. **HAZMAT:** No Damages Reported

6. STATUS OF STATE OPERATIONS:

Operational Priorities:

- Evacuation
- Mass Care
- Functional Needs
- Pre-deployment of Resources
- Post Landfall Contingency Planning

7. OPERATIONS SECTION:

A. **ESF - 2 Telecommunications and Information Technology:**

- 3 Communications Teams on standby

B. **EMERGENCY SERVICES BRANCH:**

- ESF- 1 –Transportation (ALDOT): Divisions 6 (Montgomery), 8(Grove Hill), and 9 (Mobile) have roaming traffic observers keeping an eye on traffic (Traffic Monitoring).
- Forestry – Forestry Incident Management team on scene at Maxwell. Saw teams are on standby and being pre-staged for possible deployments. Forward operations teams for Baldwin and Mobile county are on standby and awaiting activation
- ESF – 13 Public Safety and Security (DPS,DOC,DCNR, ABC, and DHS)
- **Department of Public Safety** – Monitoring traffic flow on the major evacuation routes. Currently DPS has the following manning in the areas we feel may be affected by the storm and/or evacuation.
 - Montgomery Post; 6 Troopers
 - Evergreen Post; 10 Troopers
 - Tuscaloosa Post; 3 Troopers
 - Mobile Post; 5 Troopers

These troopers are all on assignment monitoring the major evacuation routes. DPS also has Special Ops Platoons on stand-by along with our Critical Response Team.

- **Alcohol Beverage Control** – NSTR
- **Conservation** – NSTR
- **Corrections** – NSTR
- **Alabama National Guard** – . 5 personnel from Alabama State Defense Force at Mobile Co EMA (administrative tasks)
8 National Guard personnel including/plus LNO requested by Baldwin County in the event that storm surge creates need for extraction of occupants in low-lying areas
- **Pardons and Parole**- NSTR

C. HUMAN SERVICES BRANCH: Coordination with Alabama Grocers Association

- ESF – 6 Mass Care, Housing, and Human Services Special Needs (DHR, SALVATION ARMY, RED CROSS)

Current As of: 0500hrs 08/28/2012			
Meals served last reporting period	360	Meals served total	360
Total Shelters Open	4	Sheltered Occupants	343
*Medical Needs Shelter	2	Occupants	30

Total Shelter Occupants: 373

Shelters Open:

- **Salvation Army:** NSTR
- **American Red Cross:**
Feeding Sites: 4 Kitchens: 0
Meals Served: 360 Total Meals Served: 360
Snacks: 0 Total Snacks Served: 0
Emergency Response Vehicles: 26
Emergency Aid Stations: 0
Safe & Well Registrations and Requests Processed: 0 (to date)
Clean-up Kits Distributed: 0 (to date)

County Shelters:

- Baldwin County : County Coliseum (Mass Care and Medical Needs) and Daphne East Elementary (Mass Care General Population shelter) open 1600 8/27/12
- Mobile County: Theodore High School and Cranford Burns (Medical Needs Shelter) open; Semmes Middle School and SPCA Pet Shelter open 0800 8/28/12

- **Storm Shelters:** None

- **Department Human Resources:**
 - Baldwin & Mobile County DHR offices will be closed Tuesday & Wednesday
- **ESF – 8 Public Health and Medical Services (DPH):**
 - All County Health Departments are open
- **ESF – 11 Agriculture (AGI): NSTR**

D. OPERATIONS SUPPORT BRANCH:

- NSTR.

County to County Mutual Aid: NSTR

Department of Homeland Security- NSTR

E. INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORT BRANCH:

- ESF – 12 Energy (ADECA): NSTR
- ESF – 10 Hazardous Materials Response (ADEM): NSTR
- ESF – 14 Community Recovery, Mitigation, and Economic Stabilization (ADECA): NSTR

UTILITIES:

- **POTABLE WATER/SEWAGE TREATMENT SYSTEMS: NSTR**

- **ELECTRIC POWER:**

AL Power Company

Total Customers: 1.4 million

Peak Out: 0

Current Out: 0

Restoration Plan: APCo Storm Center is activated. Company personnel on stand-by. 300 outside personnel in route and will be in Alabama on Tuesday afternoon. Other outside personnel are available and will be requested if needed.

AL Rural Electric Association

Total Customers: 900,000

Peak Out: 0

Current Out: 0

Restoration Plan: Contacts with surrounding States and preparing crews. 5 crews being sent to Baldwin County. Conference Call with Co-ops.

TVA/AL Electric Cities: NSTR

Critical Facilities Without Power: None

GAS PIPELINES: No reported shutdowns

- **COMMUNICATIONS: NSTR**
 Southern LINC: None
 AT&T: None
 Verizon: None
- **SEWAGE TREATMENT: NSTR**
- **AIRPORTS:** None
- **RAILROADS:** None Reported
- **PORTS:** Condition Zulu (Closed)
- **Oil and Gas Production: NSTR**

8. PLANNING SECTION: ESF 5 Emergency Management: # Personnel Deployed/ Mobilized

Current as of: 0600 08/28/2012			
ALNG	13	DHS	
ABC		DOC	
ADECA		DOC Inmates	
ADEM		DOT	9
ADPH		DPS	24
AEMA		EMAC	
AGI		FOR	16
ALSDE		GFBCI	
ARC	100	GSA	
AREA		Mutual Aid	
DCNR		Salv Army	
DHR	8	BPP	
		VOAD	
Total	121	Total	49
		Grand Total	170

9. FINANCE/ADMINISTRATION SECTION:

Available Commitments: \$0

Total Available Obligations: \$8,731.00

Expenditures: \$0

Commitments, Obligations & Expenditures: \$8, 731.00

10. LOGISTICS SECTION:

A. ESF – 7 Resource Support and Logistics Management

Current Actions: NSTR

State Staging Areas: NSTR

Commodities listed in pallets Montgomery/Jasper

DESCRIPTION	ON HAND			ON ORDER			RECEIVED			SHIPPED		
	FEMA	SOSA	Mont/ JASPER	FEMA	SOSA	JASPER	FEMA	SOSA	JASPER	FEMA	SOSA	JASPER
WATER		0	315/53									
ICE		0	0/0									
TARPS		0	215/12									
MEALS		0	210/23									
COTS		0	0/106									
GENERATORS		0	2/0									
BABY GOODS		0	0/0									
BLANKETS		0	0/0									
PILLOWS		0	0/0									
WASHCLOTHS		0	0/0									
COMFORT KITS		0	0/0									
PLASTIC SHEET		0	25/0									
EMPTY TRLS		0	0/0									

11. EXTERNAL AFFAIRS SECTION:

- NSTR.

12. RECOVERY/MITIGATION SECTION:

- NSTR

13. **ARFs REQUESTED:** None

14. **FEMA Status Report:** Available upon request.



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