



AEMA/Emergency Operations Center

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SITUATION REPORT NUMBER 3A

EMITS INCIDENT #: 12-1471

DECLARATION ID: None

State Emergency Operations Center Activation Level: I/II
Operational Period: 8/29/12 0700 hrs to 8/29/12 1800 hrs

<http://ema.alabama.gov>

1. CURRENT SITUATION:

A. BACKGROUND:

After making landfall near Port Fourchon, Louisiana early this morning, Hurricane Isaac is now moving slowly to the north northwest at 6. At noon, Isaac was just barely a hurricane with sustained winds near the center of circulation of 75 mph, and tropical storm force winds extending outward up to 175 miles. Gradual weakening to Tropical Storm intensity is expected to begin later today. Impacts for Alabama will gradually begin to subside, however storm surge, locally heavy rainfall, wind gusts to tropical storm force, and the threat for isolated tornadoes will continue.

CURRENT STATUS/EVENTS:

B. TODAY/TONIGHT:

Coastal flood inundation has peaked and should begin to slowly subside this evening and tonight. Tropical Storm force wind gusts of 40 to 50 mph will be possible across extreme southwestern locations into the evening hours. Bands of heavy rainfall will, especially across far southwestern Alabama, but the frequency and intensity of the rain bands will gradually diminish overnight. Storm total rainfall amounts of 8 to 10 inches should be realized across Baldwin County, with isolated higher amounts possible before rain comes to an end. Isolated tornadoes will remain possible in the heavier rainbands as they rotate northward mainly during the evening hours. The threat of heavy rainfall and isolated tornadoes will gradually shift northward across portions of west Alabama, as

Isaac continues moving slowly northward. Conditions will remain warm and humid tonight, with temperatures gradually lowering into the 70s.

C. FUTURE SUMMARY/IMPACT

Isaac is expected to continue moving slowly northward through Louisiana and weaken to a Tropical Depression by 7 PM Thursday. Alabama will remain on the extreme eastern extent of the broad circulation. Windy conditions will extend across western Alabama, with the possibility of heavy rain bands, strong gusty winds, and isolated tornadoes restricted to areas west of I-65. Conditions will be humid with temperatures in the mid to upper 80s through the day.

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: Mobile County

CITIES w/ Local Declarations: None

3. SEVERITY OF IMPACT ON LOCAL JURISDICTIONS:

A. COUNTY EOCS ACTIVATED: Baldwin, Mobile, St. Clair, and Talladega
(See attached Map)

B. IMPACT ON INDIVIDUALS:

Counties Reporting Damage: As of 8/29/12

Mobile County – trees and power lines down

Clarke County- Tornado damage; trees and power lines

Baldwin County- Power lines down

Curfews: Dauphin Island: 8pm – 6am daily until further notice

C. IMPACT ON BUSINESSES: NSTR

D. SCHOOL CLOSINGS:

- Baldwin Co Schools: Closed Monday 8/27/12- Wednesday 8/29
- Clarke Co Schools: All schools in Clarke Co will close at Noon, 8/28 - Wednesday 8/29
 - Thomasville City Schools: Close at 11:30am 8/28- Wednesday 8/29

- Escambia Co Schools: closed 8/29 Wednesday
- Mobile Co Schools: Closed Monday 8/27- Wednesday 8/29
 - Chickasaw City Schools: Closed Tuesday 8/28- Wednesday 8/29
 - Satsuma City Schools: Closed Tuesday 8/28- Wednesday 8/29
 - Dauphin Island Elementary: Closed 8/30
- Washington Co Schools: Closed Tuesday 8/28- Wednesday 8/29
- **2-Yr College System**
 Bishop State Community College (Mobile), Faulkner State Community College (Bay Minette), Alabama Southern Community College Monroeville and Thomasville Campuses closed August 29th. Jefferson Davis Community College both Atmore and Brewton Campuses will be closed Wednesday, August 29th.

E. OTHER: NSTR

4. ROAD/TRANSPORTATION STATUS:

- Baldwin Co:
 - Foley Beach Express will be opened with no toll for evacuation purposes from 2200-600
 - SR 180 MM 4-5: Closed due to flooding
 - SR 59 MM 0-1: Closed due to flooding
 - State Hwy 132: Closed between State Hwy135 W to beach access
 - SR 182 from SR 135 to West End: Closed due to flooding
 - I-10 WB MM 65 @ I-10 Welcome Center AL - FL line: Closed
 - US 90/98 Causeway EB from Baldwin County line to Spanish Fort MM 36-43: Closed
 - I-10 Bayway MM 27 to 35 Eastbound and Westbound: Closed
 - Orange Beach City Closures: Jubilee Point Road and Marina Point Road
 - Gulf Shores City Closures: Hwy 59 @ Hardees, West 3rd Ave, West 5th Ave, West 6th Ave, West 8th Ave, West 11th St, West Lagoon Drive, Windmill Ridge Rd, Dolphin Drive, Seahorse Circle
 - County Roads from Fort Morgan to Mile Post 7
 - CR 95 South
 - Magnolia Street in Perdido Beach
 - Riverside Drive
 - Isle of Pine
 - Scenic Hwy 98 near the Grand Hotel
 - Honey Road Extension
 - County Road 1
 - Keeney Drive
 - Keeney Drive East -
 - River Road off of Myrtle Street

- Mobile Co:
 - Bankhead Tunnel: Closing at 1200
 - West Warner Drive: Closed
 - Shell Belt Road: Closed
 - Dauphin Island Parkway S of Hwy 188: Closed
 - I-10 Eastbound at Exit 30 (On-Ramp): Closed
 - US 90 MM 38 EB US 90/98 (Causeway)@ Middle Bay Crossing (I-10 EB on ramp): Closed
 - US 90/98 EB and WB through Bankhead Tunnel from Cochrane causeway to Government St: Closed
 - West end of Dauphin Island: Closed / resident ID required to enter
 - Bienville Blvd @ Ferry Landing: Closed
 - SR 193 MM .1-8.0 SR 193 from SR 188 to Dauphin Island: Closed
 - Dog River @ Parkway Dr: Closed
 - 1-10 EB MM .1-.2 @ I-10 Welcome Center AL - MS line: Closed
 - Luscher Park: Closed
 - WAVE Transit Officials will suspend bus service beginning at 1400 8/28
 - Perch @ Dolphin Fowl River: Closed
 - US 90/98 Causeway EB from Bankhead Tunnel to Baldwin County line MM 36: Closed
 - SR163/Dauphin Island Parkway - from Perch Creek at Canal Road, to south of Dog River Bridge near Hamilton Boulevard: Closed
 - Little River Rd @ Rabbi: Closed
 - I-10 Bayway MM 27 to 35 Eastbound and Westbound: Closed

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:

POST-LANDFALL

- Debris Removal
- Search & Rescue
- Mass Care
- Receiving & Distribution
- Power Restoration
- Situation Awareness
- Communications Restoration
- Emergency Power
- HAZMAT

7. OPERATIONS SECTION:

A. ESF - 2 Telecommunications and Information Technology:

- **SoLINC:** NSTR
- **AT&T:** NSTR
- **Verizon:** NSTR

B. EMERGENCY SERVICES BRANCH:

- **ESF-1 Transportation (ALDOT)**
- Currently working traffic operations, bridge operations, and monitoring and patrolling tunnel systems
- **Forestry** – 1 EOC EMC in Clanton. Also, 2 in planning, 5 at SOSA, 1 PIO)
- **ESF – 13 Public Safety and Security** (DPS,DOC,DCNR, ABC, and DHS)
 - **Department of Public Safety** – 22 personnel conducting situational awareness, road closures
 - **Alcohol Beverage Control** –7 personnel at Headquarters performing Hurricane prep; 6 Agents assisting DPS as part of the combined Special Ops First Platoon and assisting as local law enforcement support..
 - **Conservation** – 19 personnel working on Hurricane Isaac situational awareness, assessment and law enforcement assistance
 - **Corrections** – NSTR
 - **Alabama National Guard** – 164 ALNG PAX on SAD
 - 7 Open Missions (Maxwell AFB, State EMA, and EMA Warehouse)
 - JTF Tarpon conducting ground assessment in Baldwin and Mobile Counties with 2 vehicles, 8 pax
 - ALNG Joint Operations Center monitoring situation; running 24 hours
 - **Pardons and Parole-** Assisting local municipalities and SEOC with public safety, law enforcement and situational awareness in Mobile and Baldwin Counties

C. HUMAN SERVICES BRANCH: Coordination with Alabama Grocers Association

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

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| Current As of: 1800hrs 08/29/2012 | | | |
| Meals served last reporting period | 200 | Meals served total | 3440 |
| Total Shelters Open | 6 | Sheltered Occupants | 16 |
| *Medical Needs Shelter | 0 | Occupants | 0 |

Shelters Open:

- **Salvation Army:** As of 08/29/2012 at 1800:
Homeless shelter in Mobile is @ max capacity (150) due to the closing of 2 homeless shelters (Water Rescue Shelter and 15 Place) that was flooded.

Meals Served: 1000 Total Meals Served: 1440
 Snacks Served: 1500 Drinks Served: 2500
 Prayers Prayed: 1000 Employees/Volunteers: 55
 Begun case work, # Clients served: 5

- **American Red Cross:** As of 08/29/2012 at 1800:
Staff: 190
Shelter Occupants: 16

Feeding Sites: 0 Kitchens: 0
 Meals Served: 200 Total Meals Served: 1440
 Snacks: 3781 Total Snacks Served: 3981
 Emergency Response Vehicles: 6
 Emergency Aid Stations: 0
 Safe & Well Registrations and Requests Processed: 0 (to date)
 Clean-up Kits Distributed: 0 (to date)

County Shelters:

- Baldwin County :
Baldwin County Coliseum (Closed at Noon)
Daphne East Elementary (Closed at Noon)
Association for Retarded Citizens of Baldwin County Shelter (Closed at Noon)
- Mobile County:
Crandall Burns Middle School (Closed at 1400 hours 8/29)
Prichard City Hall
- Tuscaloosa County:
Skyland Baptist Church
- Montgomery County
Aldersgate Methodist Church
- Madison County
Good Shepard United Methodist Church

- **Storm Shelters:** None
- **Department Human Resources:** As of 08/29/2012 at 1800:

- Baldwin and Mobile Counties DHR closed 8/29; reopen 8/30
- Washington and Clarke Counties DHR reopened 1200 8/29
- County DHR offices are standing by to assist local EMAs, ADPH, and ARC
- **ESF – 8 Public Health and Medical Services (DPH):** As of 08/29/2012 at 1800:
 - AIMS (Alabama Incident Management System) has been stood up
 - Mobile County Health Department closed 8/29; reopen 8/30
 - Baldwin County Health Department closed 8/29; reopen 8/30
- **ESF – 11 Agriculture (AGI):** As of 08/29/2012 at 1800:
- Temporarily suspended entry requirements for Equine and Cattle. Horses and cattle being evacuated from FL, MS, & LA will be exempt from standard entry requirements including the Interstate Certificate of Veterinary Inspection and Proof of Negative Coggins test (EIA). * This does not include animals known to be infected with contagious or infectious diseases.*
- SART & CAMET teams alerted
- State Agriculture Trucks and Rapid Response Trailers on stand-by
- **Serve Alabama:** As of 08/29/2012 at 1800:
 - National Donations Management Network is open for any storm-related donations. Serve Alabama is currently supporting ALVOAD.
 - Volunteers are being asked to register through 211 if interested in volunteering for Isaac response.
 - National Service teams are on standby to be deployed to AL should a request be made
 - Supporting VOAD
 - 2-1-1 Connects Alabama Response to Hurricane Isaac: 89 Calls

D. OPERATIONS SUPPORT BRANCH:

- VOAD, Education, and 211 are continuing working with Human Services Branch Partners with support for mission with feeding, sheltering, information routing and transportation issues as they arise and or are requested.

County to County Mutual Aid: NSTR

Department of Homeland Security: NSTR

E. INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORT BRANCH:

- ESF – 12 Energy (ADECA): NSTR

- ESF – 10:
 - ADEM has pre-deployed 2 staff members to the coast, and they are coordinating with the local EMAs.
 - 2 staff members deployed to do beach assessments in Baldwin County.
 - ADEM is deploying Deepwater Horizon SCAT Teams to respond to any re-oiling of beaches.

- ESF – 14 Community Recovery, Mitigation, and Economic Stabilization (ADECA): NSTR

UTILITIES:

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

- The Alabama Rural Water Association has been on standby throughout the day for water and wastewater utility assistance; no requests have been made.
- Gulf Shores Water Service was cut off in an area west of the Volunteer Fire Station #2 through the end of Highway 180
- Dauphin Island has 2 million gallons of water in their storage tanks which should keep everyone supplied with potable water considering the fact that there are approximately 100 people currently on the island.

- **ELECTRIC POWER:**

- **AL Power Company**

- Total Customers: 1.4 million

- Peak Out: 9,700 meters

- Current Out: 4,200 meters (3,300 in Mobile County)

- Restoration Plan: Rain and wind continue to cause scattered outages in Mobile area. Restorations are being made as weather conditions permit. Largest outage is 2,400 Dauphin Island customers. The transmission line repair will involve using a boat to transport linemen to a structure in the water. Repairs will begin as soon as safe weather conditions exist.

- American Electric Power and Entergy have requested crew resources.

- Alabama Power will make resources available as conditions allow.

- **AL Rural Electric Association**

- Total Customers: 900,000

- Peak Out: 5,600 meters

- Current Out: 200 meters

- Restoration Plan: All Electric Cooperatives are fully operational with the exception of isolated power outages. All work orders are being worked as received. AREA will be sending over 200 linemen to Mississippi to assist in storm restorations.

- **TVA/AL Electric Cities: NSTR**

Critical Facilities Without Power: None

GAS PIPELINES:

- Dauphin Island Gathering System, Destin Pipeline Co., Florida Gas Transmission Co., Mississippi Canyon Gas Pipeline, Southern Natural Gas, and Venice Gas Gathering System have declared "Force Majeure" due to natural gas production shut-ins in the Gulf of Mexico
- The Shell Offshore Gulf Pipeline Network, Capline, Ho-Ho, and William Mountaineer crude oil pipelines are shut down
- No Alabama related petroleum pipelines have been shut down

FUEL SUPPLIES:

- **Natural Gas production** is shut-in by 3,001.5 MMCF/day (-66.7%) from pre-event production of 4,500 MMCF/day in Gulf of Mexico
- **Crude Oil production** is shut-in by 1.29 million barrels/day (-93.28%) from pre-event production of 1.38 million barrels/day in Gulf of Mexico
- **Refinery production** is shut-down by 936,500 barrels/day (-12.21%) from pre-event production of 7.67 million barrels/day in Gulf of Mexico
- 49 of the 76 **oil rigs** (onshore) in the Gulf of Mexico have been evacuated
- 503 of the 596 **oil platforms** (offshore) in the Gulf of Mexico have been evacuated

SEWAGE TREATMENT:

- Baldwin County: 3 WWTP had varying issues; all are running normally
 - Mobile County: 4 WWTP had varying issues, all are running normally
 - Dauphin Island: wastewater services are running on back-up power and the island/city has a 3-day supply of fuel to operate their back-up power generators.
- **AIRPORTS:** Mobile Airport – Reopened for business at 0900 8/29/2012
 - **RAILROADS:** CSX stopped all rail traffic in Mobile Area
 - **PORTS:** Condition Zulu (Closed)
 - **Oil and Gas Production:**

- Shell and Exxon off-shore platforms closed, personnel evacuated. Associated plants also shutdown.
- Shell Refinery closed and plan to reopen 8/30/2012
- Baldwin County: requested team to assess beaches for presence of oily debris; Oily material discovered at Gulf State Park Pier, material is coating pier and equipment at pier

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

| SEOC | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|------------|
| Current as of: 1800 08/29/2012 | | | |
| ALNG | 14 | DHS | 2 |
| ABC | 1 | DOC | |
| ADECA | 1 | DOC Inmates | |
| ADEM | 1 | DOT | 1 |
| ADPH | 1 | DPS | 1 |
| AEMA | 62 | EMAC | |
| AGI | 1 | FOR | 4 |
| ALSDE | 1 | Serve AL | 1 |
| ARC | 1 | GSA | |
| AREA | 1 | Mutual Aid | 1 |
| DCNR | 1 | Salv Army | 1 |
| DHR | 1 | BPP | 1 |
| 211 | 1 | VOAD | 1 |
| Total | 87 | Total | 13 |
| | | Grand Total | 100 |

| WAREHOUSE (Montgomery) | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|----------------|--|
| Current as of: 1800 08/29/2012 | | | |
| ALNG | 6 | DHS | |
| ABC | | DOC | |
| ADECA | | DOC Inmates | |
| ADEM | | DOT | |
| ADPH | | DPS | |
| AEMA | 2 | EMAC | |
| AGI | | FOR | |
| ALSDE | | Serve AL | |
| ARC | | GSA | |
| AREA | | Mutual Aid | |
| DCNR | | Salv Army | |
| DHR | | BPP | |
| 211 | | VOAD | |

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|--------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Total | 8 | Total | 0 |
| | | Grand Total | 8 |

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| SOSA | | | |
| Current as of: 1800 08/29/2012 | | | |
| ALNG | 16 | DHS | |
| ABC | | DOC | |
| ADECA | | DOC Inmates | |
| ADEM | | DOT | |
| ADPH | | DPS | |
| AEMA | | EMAC | |
| AGI | | FOR | |
| ALSDE | | Serve AL | |
| ARC | | GSA | |
| AREA | | Mutual Aid | |
| DCNR | | Salv Army | |
| DHR | | BPP | |
| 211 | | VOAD | |
| Total | 16 | Total | 0 |
| | | Grand Total | 16 |

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|---------------------------------------|-----|--------------------|-----|
| FIELD OPS | | | |
| Current as of: 1800 08/29/2012 | | | |
| ALNG | 146 | DHS | 26 |
| ABC | 25 | DOC | |
| ADECA | | DOC Inmates | |
| ADEM | 8 | DOT | 94 |
| ADPH | 49 | DPS | 22 |
| AEMA | 6 | EMAC | |
| AGI | 5 | FOR | |
| ALSDE | 3 | Serve AL | 3 |
| ARC | 257 | GSA | |
| AREA | 100 | Mutual Aid | |
| DCNR | 19 | Salv Army | 54 |
| DHR | 10 | BPP | 9 |
| 211 | 27 | VOAD | 53 |
| Total | 655 | Total | 261 |
| | | Grand Total | 916 |

Total personnel working in support of Response: 1040

11. **EXTERNAL AFFAIRS SECTION:** NSTR

12. **RECOVERY/MITIGATION SECTION:**

- PDA Teams Standing by

13. **ARFs REQUESTED:** None

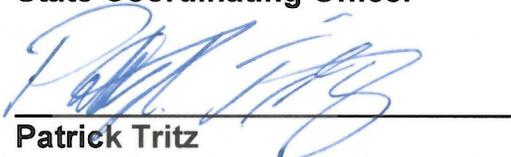
14. **FEMA Status Report:** Available upon request.



Jeff Byard
State Coordinating Officer



Bill Filter
SERT EM Chief



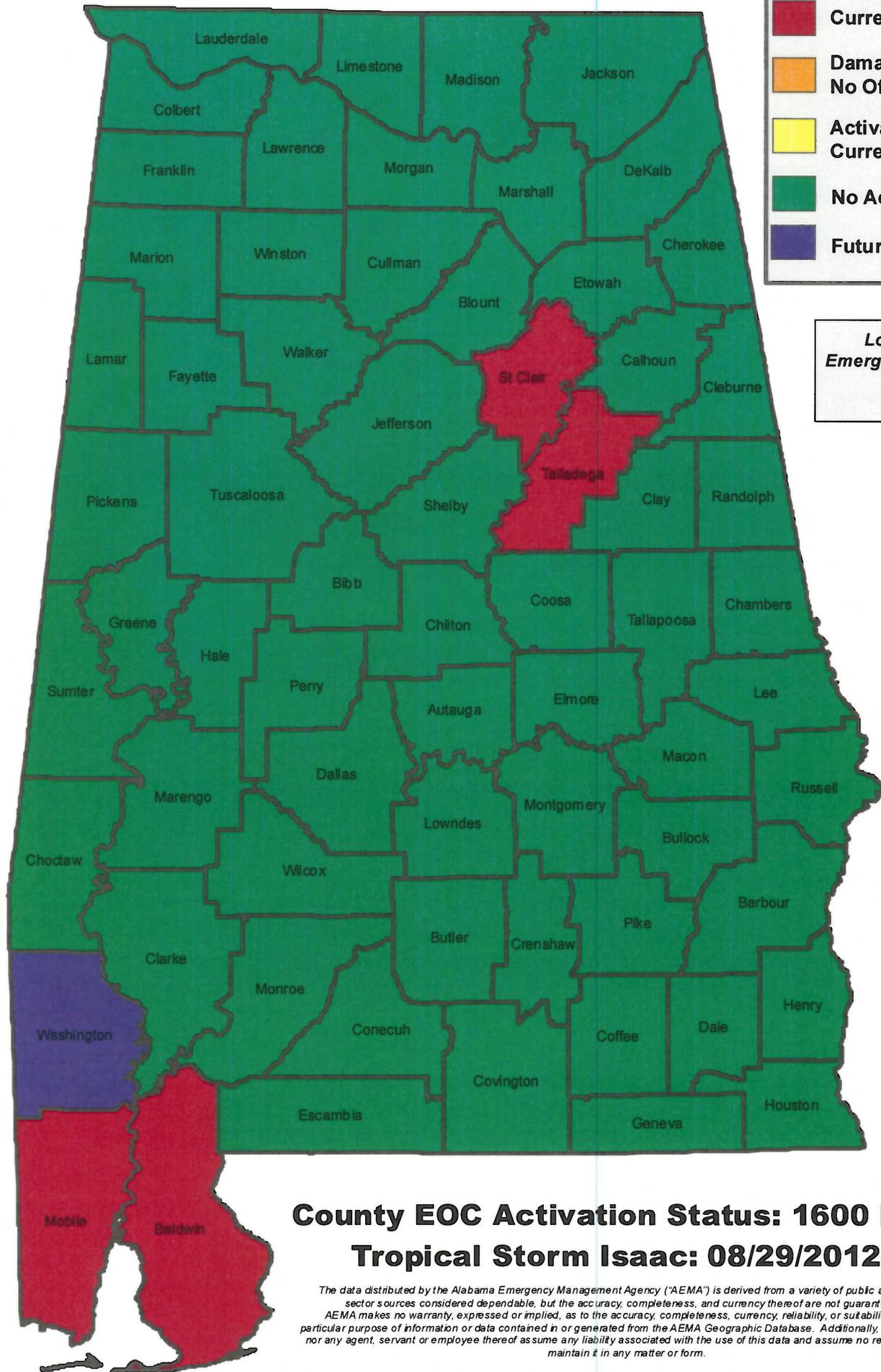
Patrick Tritz
Planning Section Chief



Tim Payne
Operations Section Chief

29 AUG 2012

Date



**Local State of
Emergency Declaration**

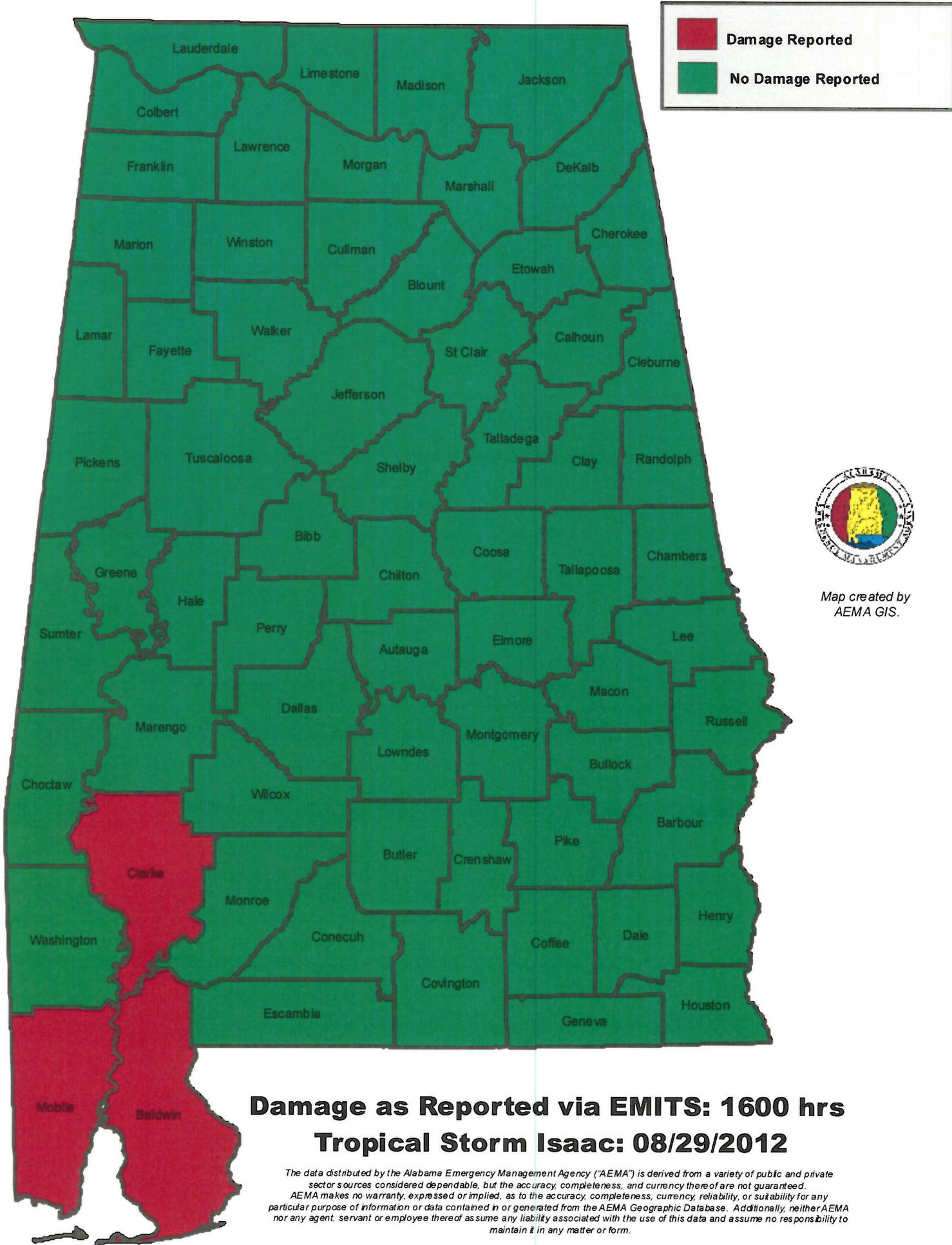
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County EOC Activation Status: 1600 hrs Tropical Storm Isaac: 08/29/2012

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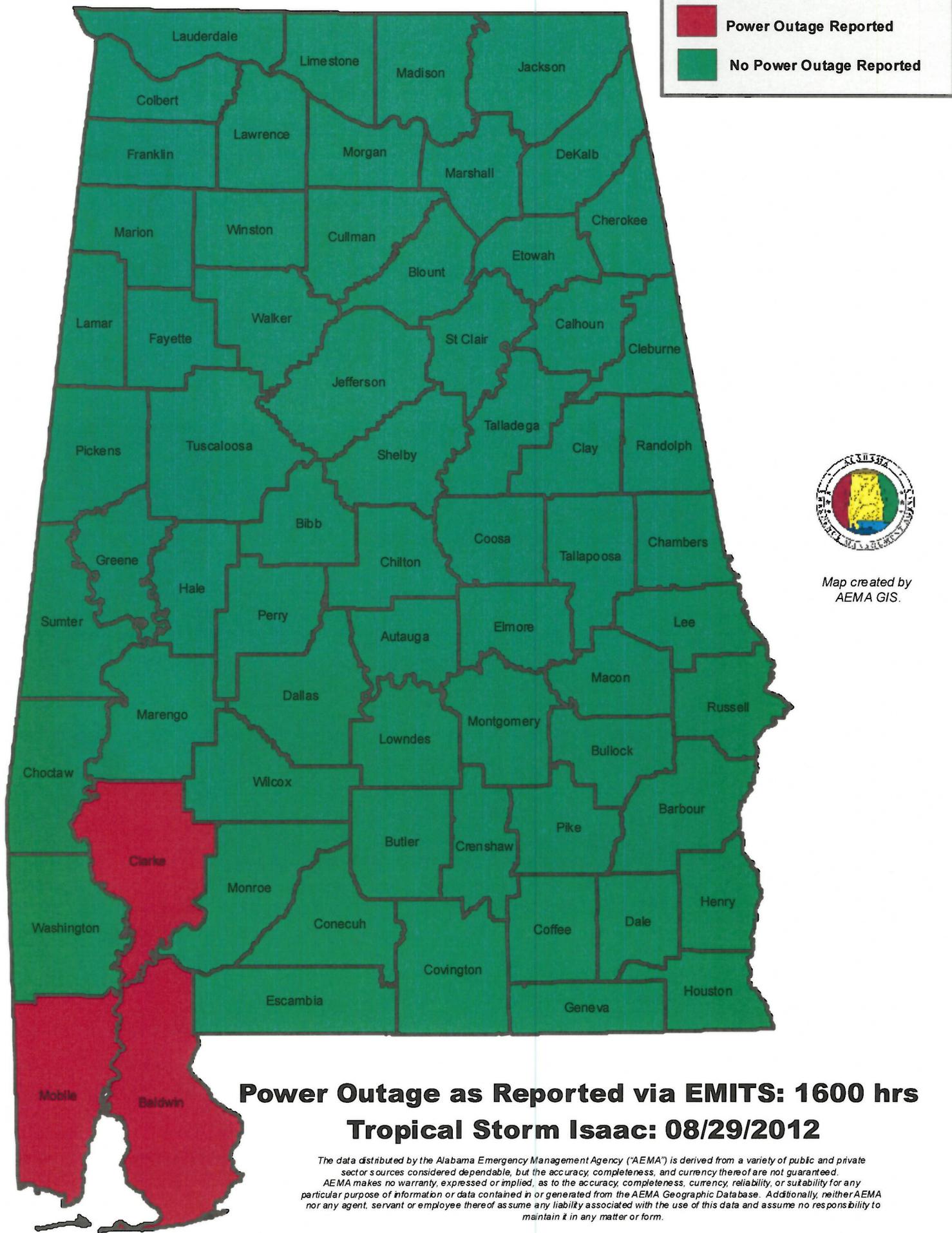
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Damage as Reported via EMITS: 1600 hrs Tropical Storm Isaac: 08/29/2012

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Power Outage Reported
 No Power Outage Reported



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Locations

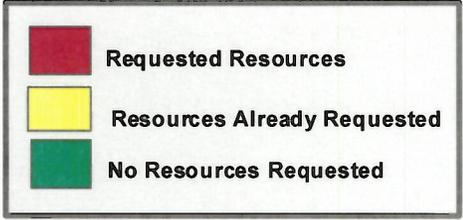
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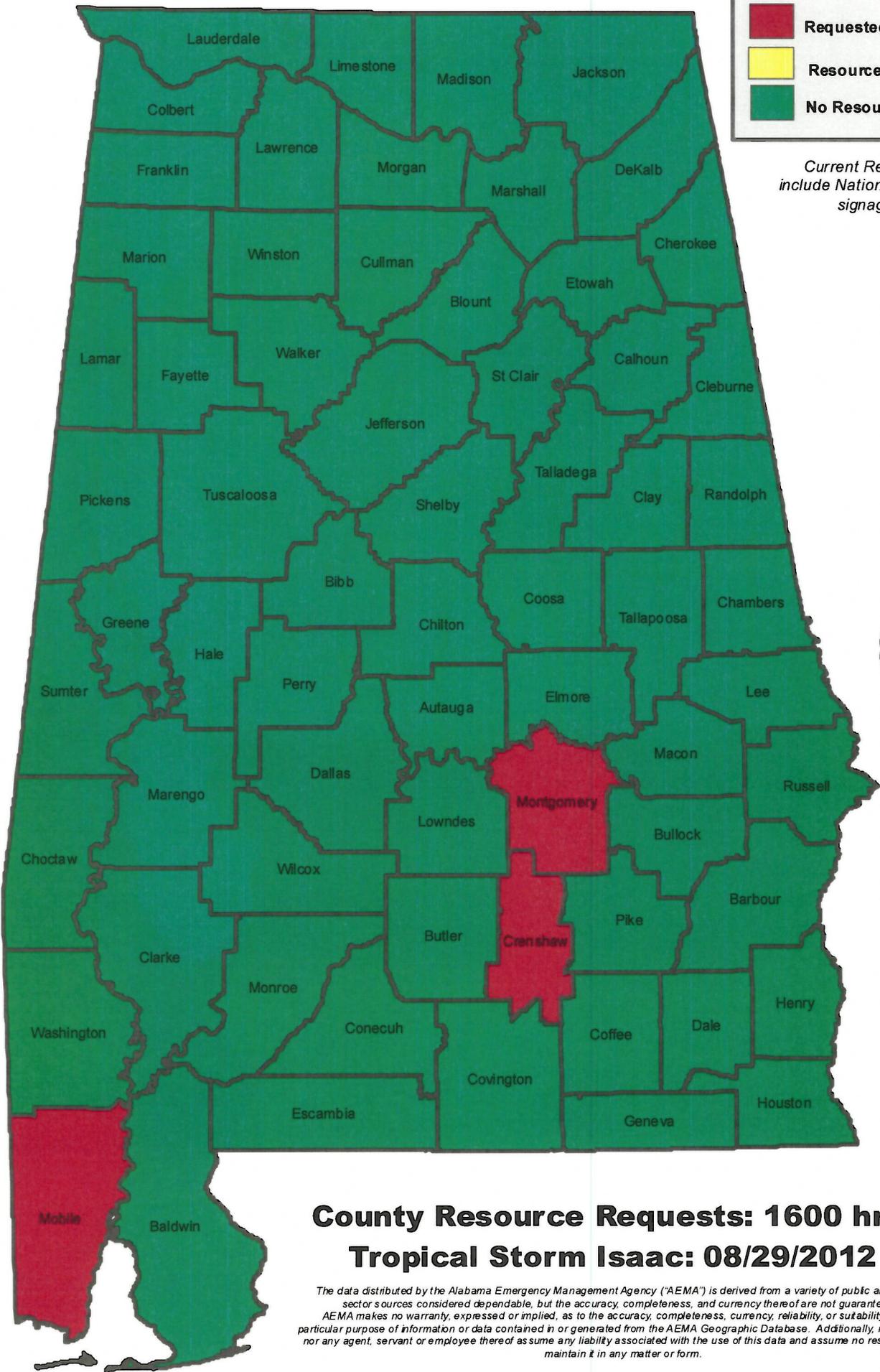
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**Open Shelters: 1600 hrs
Tropical Storm Isaac: 08/29/2012**

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Current Resource Requests include National Guard, sandbags, signage, and tarps.



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County Resource Requests: 1600 hrs Tropical Storm Isaac: 08/29/2012

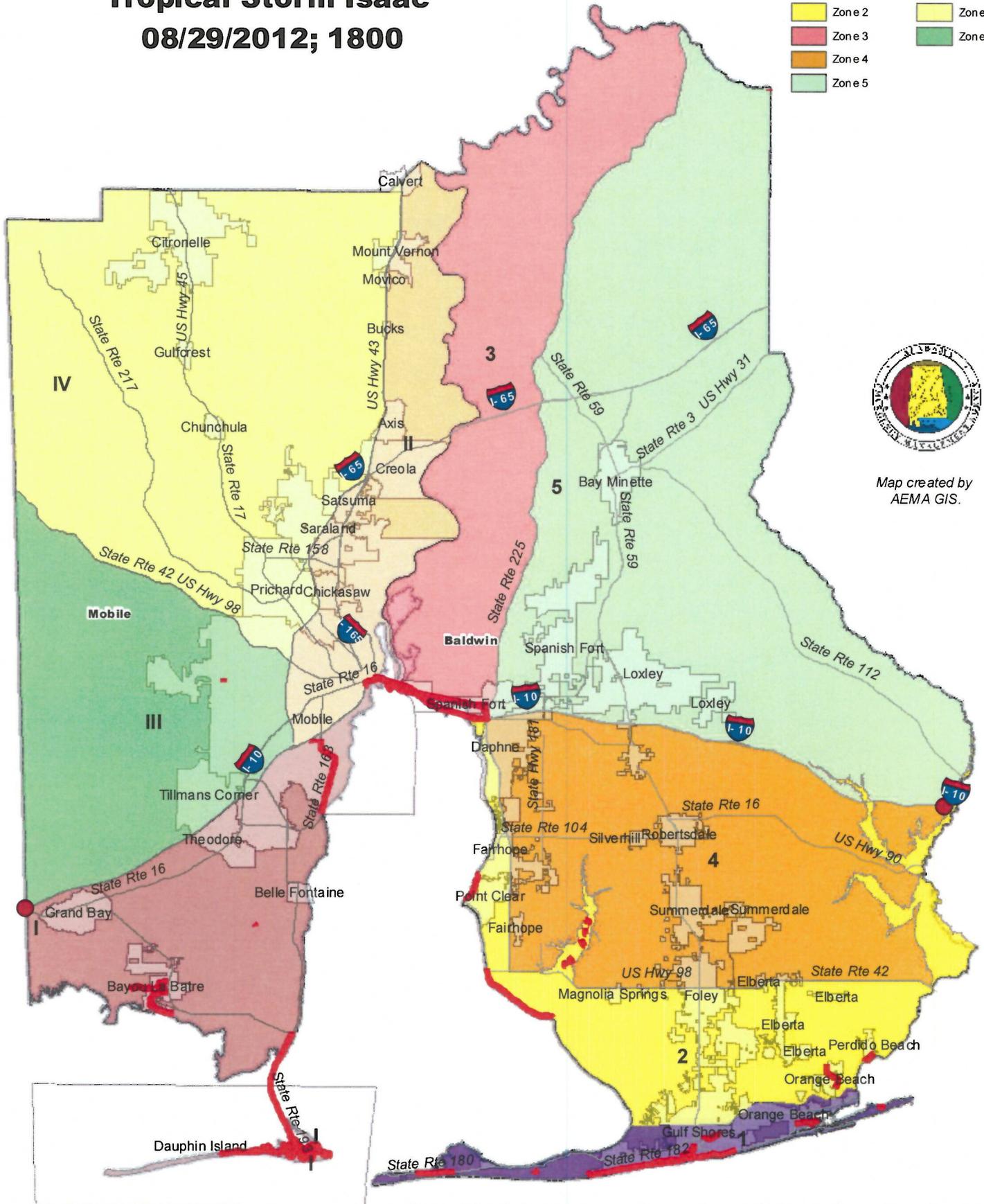
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Road Closures as Reported in EMITS

Tropical Storm Isaac

08/29/2012; 1800

- Road Closures**
- Road Closures
- Mobile County**
- Zone 1
 - Zone 2
 - Zone 3
 - Zone 4
 - Zone 5
- Baldwin County**
- Zone 1
 - Zone 2
 - Zone 3
 - Zone 4
 - Zone 5



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