



Situation Report # <b>1</b>	Incident Name: Hurricane Irma	Date: 09/05/17	Time: 1100
Next Situation Report Date/Time: 09/06/17 0830			

<b>CURRENT STATUS:</b>	<b>EOC Level 2</b>
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#### Manatee County EOC

Local State of Emergency:	Pending
Evacuation Orders:	None
Citizen Information Center:	Open
County Government:	Open
County School District:	Open

Manatee County Emergency Management is monitoring Hurricane Irma. The EOC is at a Level 2 (Partial Activation) status. **A mandatory briefing will be held at 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, September 6, in the EOC, at which time the EOC will go to Level 1 activation, 0800 – 2000 until further notice and then it will be in a locked down status.** This briefing will provide the status of Hurricane Irma and a forum to gather any protective measures and unmet needs in anticipation of impacts from Hurricane Irma.

A WebEOC event is pending for Hurricane Irma.

#### National Weather Service:

Tropical Weather Outlook  
NWS National Hurricane Center Miami FL  
800 AM EDT Tue Sep 5 2017

For the North Atlantic...Caribbean Sea and the Gulf of Mexico:

The National Hurricane Center is issuing advisories on Hurricane Irma, located a couple hundred miles east of the Leeward Islands.

1. Showers and thunderstorms associated with an area of low pressure located about 1000 miles west-southwest of the Cabo Verde Islands are gradually becoming better organized. Conditions appear conducive for continued development of this system. There is a high likelihood that a tropical depression or tropical storm will form within the next day or two while the disturbance moves west-northwestward at 10 to 15 mph over the tropical Atlantic Ocean.

\* Formation chance through 48 hours...high...80 percent.

\* Formation chance through 5 days...high...90 percent.

2. A trough of low pressure located over the southwestern Gulf of Mexico is producing numerous showers and thunderstorms. Environmental conditions are conducive for gradual development, and this system is likely to become a tropical depression during the next couple of days while it meanders over the southwestern Gulf of Mexico. Regardless of development, heavy rains associated with this disturbance are likely over portions of eastern Mexico during the remainder of the week.

\* Formation chance through 48 hours...medium...60 percent.

\* Formation chance through 5 days...high...70 percent.

## Detailed Forecast

### Today

Scattered showers and thunderstorms, mainly between 2pm and 5pm. Partly sunny, with a high near 90. Heat index values as high as 100. Southeast wind 5 to 7 mph becoming west in the afternoon. Chance of precipitation is 30%.

### Tonight

Isolated showers and thunderstorms before 8pm. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 77. North northwest wind around 6 mph becoming east southeast after midnight. Chance of precipitation is 10%.

### Wednesday

Scattered showers and thunderstorms, mainly after 11am. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 89. Heat index values as high as 99. East southeast wind 5 to 7 mph becoming west in the afternoon. Chance of precipitation is 30%.

### Wednesday Night

Isolated showers and thunderstorms before 2am. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 77. North northwest wind around 6 mph becoming east northeast after midnight. Chance of precipitation is 20%.

### Thursday

Scattered showers and thunderstorms, mainly after 2pm. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 91. North wind around 6 mph. Chance of precipitation is 40%.

### Thursday Night

Scattered showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 77. East northeast wind around 8 mph. Chance of precipitation is 30%.

### Friday

Scattered showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny, with a high near 90. Northeast wind around 10 mph. Chance of precipitation is 50%.

**Friday Night**

Isolated showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 78. Breezy, with a northeast wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 21 mph. Chance of precipitation is 20%.

**Saturday**

Scattered showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny, with a high near 89. Windy, with a northeast wind 16 to 21 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 50%.

**Saturday Night**

Scattered showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 78. Windy. Chance of precipitation is 40%.

**Sunday**

Showers likely and possibly a thunderstorm. Cloudy, with a high near 85. Windy. Chance of precipitation is 60%.

**Sunday Night**

Showers likely and possibly a thunderstorm. Cloudy, with a low around 76. Very windy. Chance of precipitation is 60%.

**Monday**

Scattered showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 84. Windy. Chance of precipitation is 50%.

**IC Message:****Citizens**

Citizens should focus on the uncertain forecast of Hurricane Irma. Florida, including Manatee County, are at risk for potential impacts from the Hurricane.

County residents and visitors should continue to monitor local television, radio and trusted internet resources for updates on Hurricane Irma. Now is the time to review your storm plans with family and friends. Check your supplies of food, water, gas, and pet supplies. Remember the following:

**County Departments**

- Stay tuned to your weather stations and media outlets for updates.
- Stay in communications with your supervisors and/or your ESF Leads
- Review staffing plans, disaster job duties, and Continuity of Operations Plans (COOP) for possible EOC activation.

## Protective Measures:

### Sandbags:

Sandbags will be available beginning Wednesday, 09/06/17. The following sites will be activated from 10 AM to 6 Pm on Wednesday (9/6) and Thursday (9/7) and 10 AM to 2PM on Friday (9/8):

Buffalo Creek Park, 7550 69th St., Palmetto  
GT Bray Park, 5502 33rd Ave. Dr. W. Bradenton  
Lakewood Ranch Park, 5350 Lakewood Ranch Blvd.  
Stormwater Operations 5511 39th St. E., Bradenton  
Rubonia Community Center, 1309 72nd St. E. Palmetto

Shelter in Place: To Be Determined

Evacuations:

Voluntary: To Be Determined

Mandatory: To Be Determined

### **Shelters:**

General Population: To Be Determined

Special Needs: To Be Determined

Pet Friendly: To Be Determined

## LINKS

WebEOC <https://eoc.mymanatee.org/eoc>  
National Hurricane Center: <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov>  
National Weather Service Tampa Bay <http://weather.gov/tampabay>  
Manatee County Emergency Management: [www.mymanatee.org/emergency](http://www.mymanatee.org/emergency)  
Twitter: [www.twitter.com/MCGPublicSafety](http://www.twitter.com/MCGPublicSafety)  
Facebook: [www.facebook.com/manateecountyemergencymanagement](http://www.facebook.com/manateecountyemergencymanagement)  
Register for CodeRed: [http://www.mymanatee.org/home/government/departments/utilities/code\\_red\\_sign\\_up.html](http://www.mymanatee.org/home/government/departments/utilities/code_red_sign_up.html)