

STATE OF TEXAS, STATE OPERATIONS CENTER (SOC)

SUBJECT: Hurricane Ike

SITUATION REPORT # 13

DATE AND TIME COVERED: Thursday, September 18, 2008, 6:00 p.m. through Friday, September 19, 2008, 6:00 p.m.

1. CURRENT PRIORITIES:

- Distribute Commodities
- Priority to Medical Facilities, Public Safety and Utilities
- Health and Welfare of Responders
- Transition to recovery
- Relieve Pressure on Shelters System

2. CURRENT SITUATION:

Response operations are beginning to transition to recovery operations. The hours of operation for the Mobile Disaster Recovery Centers (MDRC) will be Monday through Sunday 9:00 am – 6:00 p.m.

MDRC Name	MDRC Location	Date Opened	Cumulative # of Visits
MDRC 1A	Home Depot 11500 Chimney Rock, Houston, Texas 77035 Main Number 713-723-1400	09/19	0
MDRC 2A	Home Depot 10707 North Freeway, Houston, Texas 77037 Main Number 281-820-4745593	09/19	0
MDRC 3A	Home Depot 6810 Gulf Freeway, Houston, Texas 77087 Main Number 713-649-1108	09/19	0
MDRC 4A	Ellington Joint Reserve Base, Building 1383 14657 Sneider Street, Houston, Texas 77034	09/19	0
	Houston County Kennard High School 300 SH 7 East, Kennard, Texas 75847	09/19	0
	Hardin County 300 Monroe Highway 326 Kountze, Texas 77625	09/19	0
	Tyler County Tall Pines Plaza (Old Wal-Mart) South Magnolia Woodville, Texas 75979	09/19	0
	Orange county Orange County Courthouse 123 South 6 th Street Orange, Texas	09/19	0
Total			0

FDRC Name	FDRC Location	Date Opened	Cumulative # of Visits
FDRC	Bexar County 5455 Evers Road, San Antonio, Texas 78238-1832	09/19	0
Total			

2-1-1: The 2-1-1 system handled 17,278 calls on September 18, 2008. Continuing telephone issues are impacting service level. Due to platform capacity issues, fewer callers are able to enter the system and are hearing a fast busy signal. Since September 9, 2008, the 2-1-1 Texas system has handled 174,495 calls.

- One gulf coast Area Information Center (AIC) in Beaumont remains closed due to storm damage. Area Information Centers across the state are still contributing 100% of total staff and volunteers to respond to information and referral calls related to Hurricane Ike. All AICs extended business hours as needed. The Disaster Kit remains operational 24/7 in Austin staffed by volunteers from across state agencies, community volunteers and Alliance of Information System volunteers from across the United States.
- At 10:30 a.m. today, the call volume reached 3,508 with an overall service level of 59%.

The top ten needs identified for Hurricane Ike are: Disaster food stamps; evacuation/re-entry transportation; Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Disaster Assistance tele-registration; advocacy for clients; hotels/motels; food pantries; State Unemployment Insurance Applications; ice; Mass Shelter Care and Meals Ready to Eat.

Texas Information & Referral Network (TIRN) staff continues working 12- and 17-hour shifts to support the disaster database, the State Operations Center (SOC), the telephone system, and general operations.

Deaflink: The Deaflink/Shelter Link units continue to be utilized to provide communication access between shelter staff, FEMA personnel, and hearing impaired evacuees.

All emergency information and alerts for Presidio, Texas are being formatted by the Accessible Hazard Alert System (AHAS) and made accessible for persons with disabilities who are enrolled in Texas's AHAS program. Deaflink continues to supply AHAS data to the recovery process.

2-1-1, Salvation Army, American Red Cross, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), Texas Department of Transportation, and FEMA are working with Deaflink to provide seamless access to information through the for persons with disabilities.

Deaflink is encouraging current subscribers to the AHAS to share information with other individuals with disabilities in their areas and encourage them (if they have access to power) to register with the AHAS in order to receive important information from and emergency alerts related to their areas.

The Governor's Division of Emergency Management (GDEM)/Deaflink have prepared an accessible public service announcement (PSA) for broadcasters to air, encouraging individuals with disabilities in Texas to register with Texas's Accessible Hazard Alert Program - Individual Notification (AHAS-IN) to receive individual notification in the communication modality best suited to their disability that affects how they receive information (blind, hearing impaired, hard of hearing or individuals who are hearing impaired and blind).

Texas Forest Service (TFS):

HOUSTON: Members of the Lone Star State Incident Management Team (LSSIMT) and the Georgia Forestry Commission Type II Incident Management Team (IMT) have formed a unified command at Reliant Stadium in Houston where they are managing a Regional Staging Area (RSA) and supporting various point-of-distribution (POD) operations in Harris, Galveston, Brazoria, Montgomery, and Ft. Bend counties. Three Regional IMT members are providing planning support at the Harris County Office of Emergency Management (OEM).

ORANGE COUNTY: Twenty members from the regional teams, led by TFS managers, are in Orange County to assist local government in re-establishing operations. The teams continue to gain additional

situational awareness in the devastated area, manage POD operations, maintain a staging area, coordinate relocation of evacuated citizens to San Antonio and provide communications equipment. A Public Works Response Team (PWRT) with six personnel arrived at the Orange County RSA last night. Support assessment is being provided by the Regional team. The PWRT leader met with local officials and is assisting in public infrastructure damage assessment.

BEAUMONT: A Type I Interagency IMT, a National Incident Management Organization (NIMO) Team and a 12-person Virginia State Department of Forestry IMT are working under unified command with TFS at the Ford Arena in Beaumont. The teams are coordinating with a FEMA National Logistic Staging Area (NLSA), assisting with the PODs in surrounding counties as well as providing saw crews for Brazoria County. The teams are working closely with a FEMA Incident Management Assistance Team (IMAT), a TFS seasonal worker and a worker with the Georgia Department of Forestry to coordinate the distribution process at the RSA at Reliant Center in Houston on Sept. 17, 2008. Disaster Medical Assistant Teams (DMAT), Corps of Engineers (COE), TCEQ, and various law enforcement and local agencies. The Texas Forest Service is also coordinating efforts with GDEM representatives, the Texas Department of Public Safety Highway Patrol, and the Beaumont Disaster District Committee (DDC) at a separate facility.

GALVESTON: A TFS manager is leading a regional team in tracking resources and providing situational awareness for the Galveston DDC. In addition, they have established a base camp for emergency responders on Galveston Island and have established a refined method for the distribution of commodities to PODs by using logistical support from the Texas Military Forces. The team is beginning the move to the base camp at the local airport. A 40-member Florida Type I IMT is in Galveston and is managing base camp operations.

LUFKIN: Forty additional members of the Lone Star State IMT are managing the Lufkin RSA and continue to receive commodities such as ice, sleeping cots, water, heater meals, and other essential items. These commodities are being used to supply evacuation shelter centers and PODs throughout the state.

ACROSS TEXAS: Several 20-person saw crews have arrived in Texas and will begin removing downed trees today in southeast Texas. At the SOC, one TFS employee is assisting as a FEMA liaison and another as a liaison to the private sector. Two TFS Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Specialists are assisting with mapping needs for the state. An additional TFS employee is serving as the TFS Emergency Support Function-4 liaison. The TFS EOC is coordinating with Texas Intrastate Fire Mutual Aid System (TIFMAS) to provide 19 ambulances and 118 EMT/Paramedics to assist the Texas Department of State Health Services with patient evacuations. Ten engine companies, rescue truck, an ambulance and a swift-water search and rescue team have been sent to Orange County to aid local fire departments. An engine has been sent to the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston.

Texas Forest Service is participating in the following missions as directed by the GDEM:

- ESF-9 Search and Rescue Support – Five TFS employees are assisting with aviation and logistical support to Texas Task Force One in San Antonio.
- Houston DDC - Five TFS employees are assisting with situation assessment and resource tracking for the evacuation of citizens from UTMB.
- San Antonio DDC Support – One TFS employee is assisting with situation assessment and resource tracking.
- Tyler Shelter Hub – Two Type III team members were assigned with planning and logistics for shelter operations. These team members completed their mission and have been reassigned to Orange County.
- Texarkana Shelter Hub – Three TFS employees are assisting with planning and logistics for shelter operations.

- Harris County EOC - Two TFS employee are assisting with situation assessment and resource tracking.
- Hardin County EOC – Two TFS employees are assisting with situation assessment and resource tracking.
- Tyler DDC – Two TFS employee are assisting with situation assessment and resource tracking.
- Polk County EOC -Five TFS employees are assisting with situation assessment and resource tracking.

Additional TFS missions that have been completed or cancelled:

- Corpus Christi DDC – released
- McAllen DDC – released
- Bryan DDC – released
- Walker County EOC Support – released
- Victoria DDC – released

American Red Cross (ARC): At this time the ARC is operating 107 shelters with a population of 10,867. There are 95 vehicles providing feeding, with 171,201 meals served; 413,609 meals have been served as of Friday, September 19, 2008. There are 2,310 disaster workers providing these services.

Public Utilities Commission (PUC): There are approximately 1.6 million total customers in Texas currently without power. This is down from a peak of 2.87 million reported on September 13, 2008. CenterPoint Energy has restored power to over 900,000 customers thus far in the Houston/Galveston/Harris County area, out of a peak of 2.1 million customers. Approximately 57% (1.28 million) of its total customers remain without power. Approximately 65% of Entergy Texas customers are without power in the Port Arthur/ Beaumont area (257,000 out of 398,635 total customers). 20 companies, municipalities, and cooperatives have reported outages. Overall, approximately 50% of customers reported are without power

Public Works Response Team (PWRT): PWRT Assessment teams completed critical infrastructure technical assessments on Galveston Island, Orange County, and Chambers County. We demobilize 4 of the 6 resources, moved one back to Galveston to help in recovery planning, and one to the SOC to assist with prioritization of efforts.

The PWRT Resource teams and equipment from Hidalgo County, McAllen, and San Antonio water systems are in Galveston assisting local officials with water, sewer, and other critical infrastructure restoration. We have deployed an additional team from Lubbock Public Works to Galveston to assist with wastewater pumping. We have also deployed pump teams from San Antonio Water Systems to La Marque and Galveston to assist with lift station pumping. The McAllen PWRT has agreed to stay in Galveston for an additional three days, through Monday, September 22, 2008, to continue restoration activities. We are working on a plan for their replacement with some combination of contractors or other mobilized municipal resource teams.

The SOC Liaison Officer (LSO) team continues working generator requests for hospitals/medical facilities, emergency continuity of government facilities, shelters and water/wastewater systems. Currently there are over 260 requests totaling over 700 individual generators in the 15 KV to 2 MW size range. Smaller units requested are generally purchased or leased locally. The COE has provided most of the big ones for hospitals, shelters, emergency facilities and some water/wastewater facilities; many of the water and wastewater requests have been filled through TXWARN and other industry associations, and in coordination with the TCEQ. Many of these requests are being closed as electric power is restored to the area.

Working an Regional Liaison Officer (RLO) request through the Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) for repair of 7 miles of county road through San Luis Pass to access approximately 400 homes.

We are developing a database of Texas building inspectors to assist in inspection of the thousands of buildings. So far we have well over 400 names on the list.

Texas AgriLife Extension Service: Texas AgriLife Extension Service has deployed a team of five AgriLife Extension agents and one Extension beef cattle specialist, one Regional Director and one Associate Director to stand up and operate a horse and livestock feed Resource Staging Area (RSA) for “Operation No Fences: Hurricane Ike Horse and Cattle Relief” near Anahuac, Texas in Chambers County. This team and facility is receiving and distributing feed, hay, water and other resources to relieve Chambers, Liberty and Jefferson County livestock producers in need of care for stranded livestock and horses. There have been in excess of 700 bales of hay, 100 watering troughs, two water trucks, 300 livestock panels, and equipment to operate the staging area delivered to Chambers County; the agency has established and provided leadership to the 41 member “Operation No Fences Working Group” comprised of agricultural industry, government, and educational organizations across the state for coordination and control actions in support of this the horse and cattle relief effort. TDA has also deployed an additional Extension beef cattle specialist for scientific and technical animal health and handling coordination and control at the Beaumont DDC; 48 AgriLife Extension agents in East Texas are activated to assess damages to support USDA County Emergency Boards and County Judges who initiate USDA disaster declaration by submitting damage assessments to the Governor prior to submission to the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture; 12 Extension beef cattle specialists, agriculture engineering specialists, range and wildlife specialist and agricultural economists serving on the agency’s Incident Resource Teams are activated to address agricultural producer and local jurisdiction needs regarding animal care and feeding on farms and ranches following the storm and proper carcass disposal methods.

Additional AgriLife Extension Service agents across 74 Gulf Coast and inland evacuation hub counties have been activated as follows; 74 Extension agents to support animal care and sheltering across sheltering hub counties. Four AgriLife Communications news network specialists are activated to support GDEM public information and education via print and electronic media; 17 Extension family and consumer sciences and 4-H youth specialists serving on the agency’s Incident Resource Teams are activated to support 81 Extension agents to support GDEM with family health, food and water safety, hygiene, home damage response, consumer fraud, public assistance information and education regarding local, state and federal assistance; 14 Extension specialists and AgriLife Extension agents for agency liaison services at the SOC; two Extension district and regional managers for agency liaison services at the DDC’s in Beaumont and Bryan; the agency’s Headquarters Operation Center (HOC) is fully activated with 31 Extension management personnel; six AgriLife Communications personnel in College Station for printing and distribution of recovery educational materials; Public household and farmstead mitigation and recovery information are available at <http://texashelp.tamu.edu> .

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ): The following is a brief description of the current TCEQ Hurricane Ike Emergency/Disaster Response Actions to include:

- TCEQ is currently assessing 1,394 public water system (PWS) facilities in 10 counties. To date, responders have identified 440 operational facilities and 277 non-operational facilities. We were unable to establish contact with 677 facilities.
- TCEQ is currently assessing 746 waste water treatment plant (WWTP) facilities in 10 counties. To date, responders have identified 202 operational facilities and 135 non-operational facilities. We were unable to establish contact with 409 facilities.
- To date, TCEQ responders are monitoring 270 boil water notices; 30 have already been rescinded.
- TCEQ is staffing a Debris Management Assistance hotline 1-800-687-7057 in addition to the guidance information posted on the agency web page (www.tceq.state.tx.us) under the hot link

“Hurricane Response: Ike.” The TCEQ’s 24-hour spill hotline is: 1-888-777-3186. The TCEQ has also formed a Sediment Team to handle the storm deposited sediment issues.

TCEQ has coordinated with the Houston DDC, SOC, and PWRT to refine TCEQ assistance process to water system operators submitting request-for-assistance forms (Prioritizing requests, QA, submit to SOC in Austin)

Beaumont:

- Surveys have found 110 large containers, larger than 55 gal drums orphaned out in neighborhoods
- Are conducting recon/survey efforts for HazMat & water systems (PWS & WWTP)
- Power coming up in area Sept 17 activities:
- Conducted land, air, and water reconnaissance activities to evaluate damage to drinking water and waste water facilities, landfills, and refineries, as well as locating displaced hazardous materials containers
- 5 PWS Facilities - 4 Operating; 1 Not Operating
- 3 WWTP Facilities - All 3 Not Operating
- 5 Landfills - All 5 operating (1 operating at 80%)
- 17 Misc. Industries - 4 Fully Operational; 1 Operating at 50%; 12 Not Operating
- Identified 110 potential targets (orphaned containers) for recovery
- TCEQ & New Mexico CST met with EPA ESF-10 to discuss proposed consolidation of resources and integrating into a Unified Command Structure.

Houston:

- Power back up in office, but not fully operational due to indoor air quality issues. Expect to open tomorrow
- Nebraska Civil Support Team (CST) set up temporary communications for office yesterday, continuing to work with HazMat teams;
- 50 or more staff out on recon/survey, looking at industrial facilities, water plants
- One team out with gas-find Infrared Ray (IR) camera, & CST monitoring equipment, focusing on Galena Park areas near neighborhoods
- Strike Team (ST) looking at priority PWS facilities in Harris County and handling issues on Galveston Island
- Aware of issue of Montgomery County operators allegedly walking away from facility, a very sensitive issue
- Meeting with EPA to coordinate efforts, integrating EPA & Coast Guard. EPA sending 8 PWS & WWTP staff with good GPS equipment, which will be helpful
- Not a lot of reports of drums yet, only a handful, maybe not as big an issue as in surge area
- Contacting landfills
- Concerned with Chambers County area, planning outreach

TCEQ, Strike Team:

- Moving location today, approximately next to Schlitterbahn
- 2 teams in field completing priority water issues, Houston area
- Oil Mop, TCEQ Emergency Response (ER) contractor, mobilizing 42 people & equipment to handle HazMat, providing housing in vessels/boats. Living conditions for ST should improve (showers, laundry, food, beds)
- Planning with EPA on documentation process, consistent & best system (health & safety plan, databases, ICS reports). After TCEQ HQ review, hope to replicate for Beaumont & Houston
- Working Bolivar chlorine tank issue, trying to get a ferry or helicopter to look at tank, secure it & set up exclusion zone (approx. 2000 lb tank)
- Large planning meeting this pm with DDC

TCEQ, Galveston Bay Estuary Program:

- Fully operational

- TCEQ, Houston staff can use office space there

TCEQ, Houston Lab:

- TCEQ, Houston staff went to lab, no power. Power probably won't be up this weekend, but hard to know.
- Will be quite an effort to get it back up & running, to replace chemicals, calibrate equipment

Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA): TDA personnel are staffing the SOC. TDA is working with local, state and federal partners as well as statewide agricultural organizations to meet the needs of thousands of agricultural producers impacted by Hurricane Ike. The TDA Hay Hotline is receiving calls from producers wanting to sell or donate animal feed, hay and water troughs. Producers in need of these resources are also encouraged to call the Hay Hotline or visit the TDA website. These calls are being processed accordingly. TDA and TAHC continue to work with AgriLife extension to obtain donations of fencing supplies and other supplies to support livestock. TDA Staff are working with Texas State Animal Resource Team (TXSART). TDA is providing USDA commodities to impacted areas. TDA worked with USDA to provide infant formula to Houston and Beaumont.

Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ): The TDCJ is in the process of returning both male and female offenders to the Carol Young Medical Facility in Texas City. Normal operations are expected to resume by the end of the day. All offenders that were being temporarily being housed in Marlin, Texas and are being returned to the Beaumont area today. The TDCJ continues to work all support services for facilities in need. The TDCJ Operations Center is closely monitoring and addressing these needs as they arise.

Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS): A complete listing of DFPS office closures is available on the website. Agency continues to plan for re-entry and demobilization. HHSC RAS teams are assessing agency offices in the affected areas and determining the viability of offices. DFPS is working on plans to provide services in affected areas in the event offices are not habitable. All offices in Regions 4 and 7 are open. Offices are starting to open in Region 5 and 6. Statewide intake evacuation hotline is up and taking calls. Regions report no unmet needs at this time. DFPS are monitoring reports that involve children or elderly victims.

Texas Department of Information Resources (DIR): The DIR's ESF-2 Desk at the SOC is still waiting for a request form from the local DDC for approval/processing for additional Telecommunications Emergency Response Team (TERT) personnel in Seabrook and Pasadena, Texas. Once received and signed by the SOC Controller, a copy will be forwarded and faxed to the original requestor.

An approved request came in from Hardin County to get a quote for approval of 120 portable radios with batteries and chargers as well as 57 mobile radios and antennas. A DIR employee contacted Motorola to get a quote.

Texas Department of Insurance (TDI): In TDIs our continuing effort to improve the quality of service to our customers, Consumer Protection randomly distributes Customer Satisfaction Surveys so customers may rate the service provided. Your comments are important to us and will help us identify areas where we can improve our service to you. If you wish to participate in the survey, please click on this link <https://wwwapps.tdi.state.tx.us/inter/asproot/consumer/cssurvey/survey.asp>.

Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS): DPS continues to support operations in Galveston, Houston and Lufkin area. DDC's 2A and 2B continue support operations. DPS continues to provide escort and security to affected area. Personnel in the affected area number 800+. The DPS has issued a directive providing a 45 day warning period for personnel transporting hay and related commodities to victims of Hurricane Ike. This applies to violations for vehicle registrations and vehicle inspections.

Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC): Personnel from TAHC, along with the USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service's Veterinary Service (USDA-APHIS-VS), have deployed 13 personnel to Beaumont and another four to Santa Fe to assist with impact assessment and response operations.

They are identifying livestock concentrations, assessing the needs for carcass disposal, and checking on the status of the veterinary infrastructure in the impacted areas. The 2,000 wire pet cages, obtained from the State Veterinarian's office in Louisiana, are being stored in a warehouse in Austin and being provided for animal sheltering to communities in need.

Response teams from both Florida (6 personnel and equipment) and New Mexico (four personnel and equipment) arrived in Beaumont yesterday, via the Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) process, to provide assistance to Texas. Texas Animal Health Commission personnel are staffing applicable DDCs, the SOC, and the TAHC Area Command in their central office in Austin.

The executive director of the Texas State Animal Resource Team (TXSART), assisted by personnel from USDA-APHIS-Animal Care, the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS), and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ASPCA) are working in the TAHC Area Command to coordinate sheltering support for small animals. They're also coordinating with TXSART Advisory Council member organizations to credential selected animal care groups that are handling the myriad of animal issues in the impacted areas. From information received so far, approximately 110 pets accompanied "special needs" individuals on buses evacuated from risk areas prior to the storm, and a total of around 2,000 pets were sheltered in hosting communities. Nineteen pet shelters are reportedly still open with almost 1,755 animals remaining.

In view of the large numbers of potentially dead animals in the impact zone (possibly as many as 10,000), TAHC and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) asked for and were granted federal carcass disposal assistance support through the National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), and this organization is now working in communities to assist with the animal debris removal.

TAHC and the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) continued working with AgriLIFE Extension to obtain donations of fencing supplies, hay, water troughs, portable panels, livestock transportation vehicles, etc. for immediate care of the stranded animals, possibly as many as 10,000. Additionally, the One Star Foundation, Texas 2-1-1, the Texas Farm Bureau, and other agriculture producers and stakeholders and local officials, are working with these agencies to help seek and distribute appropriate resources and supplies at designated agriculture points of distribution (APODs). The State is contracting with vendor trucking organizations to facilitate the transportation of the donated supplies to the APODs. Texas Animal Health Commission and USDA personnel plan to fly a reconnaissance mission to survey the impacted areas, and both live and dead cattle were found in areas where livestock were not expected to be.

Texas Procurement & Support Services (TPASS): TPASS continues to coordinate bus transport assets from state contracted bus operators. TPASS is also in contact with contingency contract holders to ensure delivery of goods/services at the RSA's, shelters, refueling points and POD sites.

Sun Coast: Sun Coast Resources continues to provide fuel support for the RSA's, refueling points, bus staging sites and POD sites.

Texas Task Force Ike: SAR operations are closing and team members are being reassigned. Type II Incident Management Team has secured a location to relocate the base camp and is coordinating the relocation effort. POD operations are ongoing. The Texas City POD location was turned over to DDC Houston.

Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS): Texas Department of State Health Services continues to provide assistance to State, Regional, and local health departments to meet their public health needs.

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH: DSHS has deployed a team of six disaster behavioral health specialists to the Houston area to address the need for disaster behavioral support. Additionally, two 4-5 person Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) team have been assigned to assist DSHS Task Force Ike

personnel and other first responders. Eight CISAM personnel were sent specifically to Galveston Island to assess CISM needs of emergency services personnel.

ESRD: DSHS is implementing a plan to address the special medical needs for approximately 500 individuals with end stage renal disease (ESRD). One hundred twenty-five patients have reported to George R. Brown (GRB) and that dialysis staff on the ground in Houston placed them in local facilities for abbreviated treatments. A total of nine patients were transported to Dallas. Working with the DSHS Public Information Office to arrange for the continued release of the ESRD public services announcement every couple of days until all dialysis sites are opened in the affected area. The ESRD Emergency Coalition Call Center line has received 1,700+ calls with additional 500 dropped or hang ups since 1300 hours on Thursday, September 11, 2008.

VECTOR CONTROL: DSHS has developed and is currently implementing a Vector Control Plan. Brazoria and Chambers county programs have initiated mosquito surveillance and will apply insecticides based on acquired data.

CALL CENTER: The Re-entry Person Locator Call Center is currently operational 0700 hrs to 2200 hrs and available to assist in locating evacuees.

The DMORT team is planning on scaling back operations in Texas on Saturday. The team will set up portable morgue units in Louisiana. Those caskets disinterred in Texas will be sent to Louisiana for decedent identification and return to Texas for internment.

CMOC: CMOC remains fully activated with liaison officers embedded within George R. Brown shelter (GRB) and Rice DMAT's, and FCE teams in place at Reliant EMS staging. RCVQ remains deployed at Reliant staging. CMOC plans to decrease operations to 0700 – 2400 hours beginning Friday.

CLOSED, DIVERTED AND EVACUATED HOSPITALS as of September 18, 2008: Dickerson Memorial Hospital closed; Community Hospital evacuated; Mainland Medical Center closed; University of Texas Medical Branch closed; Winnie Community Hospital evacuated; Devereux Texas Treatment Network evacuating; Dubuis Hospital Beaumont evacuated; Dubuis Hospital Port Arthur evacuated; Memorial Hermann Southeast evacuated and closed; St. Joseph Medical Center divert; Doctors-Parkway evacuated and closed; East Houston Regional Medical Center evacuated and closed; Renaissance evacuated and closed; Riverside General Hospital Internal Disaster; Christus St. John evacuated and closed; Clear Lake Regional Medical Center divert; Kingwood Medical Center divert; Medical Center evacuated and closed; Patients Medical Center evacuated and closed; The Methodist Psychiatric divert; Rehabilitation Hospital evacuated and closed; HealthSouth Hospital of Houston - LTAC internal disaster; Houston Hospital for Specialized Surgery internal disaster; Kindred Hospital - Bay Area evacuated and closed; Kingwood Pines Hospital internal disaster; Memorial Hermann Specialty Hospital evacuated and closed; Nexus Specialty Hospital -The Woodlands internal disaster; Shiners Hospital for Children – Houston evacuated and closed; Texas Specialty Hospital at Houston internal disaster and Triumph Hospital Baytown evacuated and closed.

Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT): TXDOT is currently clearing debris on major routes to open roadways for emergency responders. TXDOT is inspecting roads and bridges for damage assessments and monitoring road conditions throughout the affected areas. Road conditions continue to be updated on the TXDOT Website. TXDOT electronic message signs are displaying messages regarding road closures and limited fuel.

Texas General Land Office (GLO): GLO is communicating with the RRC regarding spills, no reported oil spills offshore at this time. Energy Inspection staff is returning home today. A 9/18/08 flyover observed a large sheen on the southeast side of Fishers Reef Field in Trinity Bay The platform in that area had considerable damage.

Operator (TekOil Gulf Coast) Report for Fishers Reef Field C-Lease Fishers Reef Field: C-2 platform: The Trinity Bay and Fisher Reef Field wellheads and decks were found to be intact minus some

structural damage to the well protectors and grating. The platform office and deck has been washed from platform. The piles and jacket remain and appear serviceable pending a more thorough inspection. The header deck has been washed from the platform along with various pieces of process equipment and stock tanks. Walkways have all but been removed. The remaining compressor deck and process platform, where Erskine boards are intact and appear to be serviceable minus some process piping repairs.

Aerial Inspections of Coastal Leases: Neches River- Industrial facilities (11) appeared to have minimal damage.

- Sabine River- Industrial facilities (5) appeared to have minimal damage. One facility (Beacon Maritime) appeared to be making repairs to the structure.
- Pleasure Island- Residential projects (24) appeared to be destroyed by the storm. Only pilings remain.
- Sabine Pass- Industrial facilities (13) appeared to have some damage, and 4 appeared to have been seriously damaged or completely destroyed.
- Trinity Bay- Residential projects (43) and most had only pilings remaining. A third had portions of the structure intact.
- Cedar Bayou- Commercial facilities (5) on Cedar Bayou appear to have minimal damage. The recently approved barge terminal across from the park did not appear to have been affected by the storm.
- Galveston Bay- Residential structures (289) appeared to have major damage or were destroyed.
- The Kemah boardwalk appeared to have taken some damage and the bulkhead at the roller coaster may have been damaged.
- Houston Yacht Club appeared to be more than 50% destroyed.
- 3V's (Johnny Valentino) appears to have major damage to the marina.
- Razz Halili Trust appeared to have major damage to the piers and some damage to the bulkheads.

Cabins- All of the cabins in the Titlum Tatlum Bayou, Bastrop Bay area appeared to have sustained major damage, and several were completely destroyed.

Freeport: The commercial structures appeared to be damaged. The industrial sites appeared to have minimal damage. Staff is still review photography of this area.

Timber Tracts: All of the timber tracts asterisked are tracts that either TFS have looked at or lessees are going to check over this weekend and call staff back with information. The remaining tracts, staff are planning to go see next week. Majority of them fall in Polk Co.

Timber Tracts: Cyclone Hill, Trevat, Estelle, Hope Center, Angus, Pendleton, Brook, Hindman, rodbeck-Hooper, Colmesneil, Tiger Creek, Grangerland, Crockett- Martin, Coffield

Commercial Leasing: Staff has contacted an additional 10 Lessees (representing 20 LCs). Staff has not been able to reach 3 - (Kemah, Watergate Marina and the Houston Yacht Club). Staff will be conducting more calls on Friday.

Staff has made contact with all but two lessees along the seawall, and currently making phone call to higher profile commercial leases, including marinas to assess the level of damage to their structure and confirm the safety of lessees.

TCOON (tide gauges): This is the estimated cost for the repairs necessary to bring back the Texas Coastal Ocean Observation Network (TCOON) stations affected by Hurricane Ike. Seven stations need attention for electronic or hardware repairs, reconstruction of the platform, or relocation to a safer place.

Right-of-Way Team: To date, no spills or leaks have been reported.

Corpus Christi/La Porte: Assessment Team 1 visited Old Brazos River (Freeport) and the lower reaches of Bastrop Bayou in Brazoria County by truck. Storm surge was estimated at 4-5 feet in the lower reaches of the creek.

Bastrop Bayou: Fourteen of approximately 40 structures looked at had >50 % damage, primarily to older structures. Nearly all structures (approximately 10) adjacent to the small neighborhood upstream of the CR227 bridge were significantly damaged. Storm surge along that section of the bayou was estimated at 4-5 feet.

Old Brazos River (Freeport): Twelve commercial projects were visited and only two had significant damage and both were in poor shape to start with. Western Seafood had some moderate damage to a dock outside of the flood gate. The storm surge outside the gate was estimated at 7 foot.

Coastal Resources staff is ready to assist any local government with their Hazard Mitigation Grant Applications and they are working on clarification on a number of issues related to the FEMA HGM grants. Continuing to assess CEPR, CMP, CIAP and Beach Watch projects and working with local officials and coordinating staff assessment teams to deploy to the field to determine project needs. The Corpus Christi Permit Service Center (PSC) is working with applicants to provide assistance for emergency permits for existing permitted structures under Nationwide Permit #3. Reviewing pre and post storm aerial photos. Beach Watch sampling has been suspended in Brazoria, Galveston, Jefferson and Matagorda counties.

Texas Military Forces (TXMF): The TXMF were activated on 07 September 2008 at the request of the Governor in support of Hurricane Ike. The TXMF has been tasked to activate up to 7,500 personnel. The TXMF have supported the following coastal communities: Victoria, Bay City, Galveston, Beaumont, Orange, Port Arthur, Vidor, Port Neches, Pasadena, Houston, Columbus, Lufkin, Carthage, Madisonville, Tyler, Dallas/Ft. Worth, Garland, San Antonio, Minneola, Marshall, Longview and the Coastal Bend area. TMF have supported bus staging areas, ground evacuation hubs, temporary fuel points, air evacuations hubs, ground/air SAR operations and shelter operations. The TXMF is also supporting re-entry operations (Mass Care Strike Teams Resource Staging Areas and Points of Distribution) and Task Force Ike operations.

Texas Office of Attorney General (OAG): A toll-free, emergency hotline number remains open to help Hurricane Ike evacuation shelters better enforce their registered sex offender policies. Law enforcement officials manning the hotline will be able to inform shelters about whether they are housing registered sex offenders.

When shelter personnel contact the Safe Shelter Hotline at (866) 385-0333 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., law enforcement officials will access state databases of registered sex offenders and can inform callers whether any of the hurricane evacuees housed at the shelter are registered in the database. Callers will need to provide the names, addresses and dates of birth of evacuees in order to ensure thorough database searches. Shelter managers can use this information as necessary to coordinate specialized housing arrangements for registered sex offenders at their facilities.

The Office of the Attorney General also continues to operate its Consumer Complaint Hotline, (800) 252-8011. Consumers can call the hotline between the extended hours of 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. to report price

gouging on necessities, including groceries, clothing, medical supplies, lodging, repair work and fuel during and after such crises. Complaints can be made on-line 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, on the OAG website. The Website can be accessed at www.texasattorneygeneral.gov.

Investigators have been dispatched to various areas of the state to follow up on complaints of price-gouging.

Since Friday, September 12th, the Office of the Attorney General has received 529 consumer complaints. One hundred six of the complaints were in reference to consumables. Fifty-two of these complaints were referred for further investigation. There have been 261 complaints regarding fuel issues. Fifty-nine of these complaints are being investigated further. There have been eighty-two complaints about lodging. Sixty-nine of these complaints have been referred for further investigation. There have been eighty other miscellaneous complaints, forty-five of which are being investigated.

Information from consumers regarding price-gouging on fuel is being shared with the fuel team and Texas Department of Agriculture for evaluation.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD): Per LE assistance request to local jurisdictions TPWD game wardens are patrolling and assisting with law enforcement in the following areas:

- City of Vidor: The Wardens assigned in the area are to provide traffic control at one of the PODs set up in the area and assisted in handing out rations and water to the people in Vidor. Four Wardens report for patrol during the 6pm to 6am night patrol for looting, and criminal activity prevention.
- Rose City: Two Game Wardens providing routine Rural Law Enforcement Patrol for criminal activity.
- Neches River, Sabine River, Cow Bayou, and Adams Bayou: 6 Game Wardens patrolling in pairs in 3 boats patrolled all of the water bodies. The patrol has been shut down until 6 am when it will resume as planned.

Strike team 2 Plus 30 Game Wardens from regions 5, 7, 9 staged at Beaumont-Academy IH10/105 and will continue to assist Region 4 (Houston) with local jurisdictions requests for LE assistance.

Strike team Region 8 deployed to Woodville, Tyler lodging at Spurger Fire Department.

Strike team 2 Region 6 five game wardens are deployed in Livingston, Polk County per request for law enforcement assistance.

Strike team Region 5, 1 Captain and 5 Game Warden team plus Region 2, 1 Captain and a 5 Game warden team (airboat operators) are deployed in Beaumont in response local jurisdictional requests.

This strike team will total 30 Game Wardens including Captains from regions 2, 5, 7, 8 and will be divided in smaller groups plus game wardens from region 4 Houston to assist City of Vidor, Rose City, Neches River, Sabine River, Cow Bayou, and Adams Bayou.

Per request 5 game wardens are assisting Hardin County with Law Enforcement assistance.

Strike team 2 Region 1, Captain and 10 Game Warden team is deployed to Jasper, Newton County and are patrolling per LE transition assistance to local jurisdictions.

Strike team 2 Region 10, 1 Captain and 6 Game Warden team are deployed in Beaumont
Region 3 is continuing work in S.E. Texas with 50 Game Wardens patrolling and assisting local jurisdictions.

Region 4 is continuing work in southeast Texas and Houston areas with 50 Game Wardens continuing marine patrols and assisting local jurisdictions with law enforcement issues.

Chambers County has requested a TPWD helicopter and 8 game wardens with airboats to assist Chambers county deputies in searching for victims in the marsh areas of the county. Game wardens are conducting search of marshes commencing 9/19/08.

Texas Railroad Commission (RRC): RRC Kilgore and Houston District offices are continuing field surveillance of storm impacted counties and will address petroleum related incidents as they are discovered or reported. The RRC SOC Team has received one (1) new Ike related incident in the last 24 hours. The incident was reported by the GLO and was relayed to appropriate District personnel in the Houston office. The RRC SOC Team will continue addressing incidents reported to the State operations center until the team is released by the Governor's Division of Emergency Management.

Texas Workforce Commission (TWC): Workforce Centers Closed: Workforce Solutions San Jacinto, Tyler County, Trinity City, Houston City, Sabine County, San Augustine, Newton County, Beaumont, Silsbee, Orange, Port Arthur; The Worksource-Northshore, Heights, Midtown, Northeast, Clear Lake, Denver Harb, Liberty, Astrodome, Galveston, Waller, Westheimer, Winnie, Alvin, Lake Jackson and Katy.

- Hurricane Ike NEG is being processed by US DOL.
- Temporary workforce centers have been established in evacuation centers in Dallas, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Austin and across the state to assist those affected by the disaster with assistance filing disaster-related unemployment claims. The Southeast WF Board has deployed its mobile office unit to Bridge City in support of the FEMA's MDRC is located.
- TWC is supporting/staffing the MDRC's and DRC's as needed to deliver workforce services support until operations close

Unemployment Insurance:

- To expedite the claims process a 1-800 number was established just for employers in the affected areas who have had to lay off workers temporarily to provide separation dates to TWC – number is 1-866-932-1332.
- Employer hotline for reporting layoffs is on employer page of agency website.
- Contractor is preparing Houston Tax Office to be functional when power is back on.
- Mail: The USPS is giving shelter residents an official address to use for receiving mail. TWC is accepting that address on claims and informing claimants to let TWC know when it changes.
- As of 09-17-08 TWC has taken over 11K claims as a result of Hurricane Ike. Due to the number of evacuees in shelters across the state there is no accurate breakdown by county.
- TWC has hired 103 employees and will hire another 36 in the next few days. The TWC continues to hire as appropriate.
- TWC is working with AT&T and the Governor's office to get expedited assistance to add an additional 168 phone lines. Inadequate phone lines is tremendously hindering our ability to serve customers.
- Due to Hurricane Ike TWC is extending hours of operations to 8am to 7pm M-F.
- This weekend TWC will continue to send staff to designated shelters from 8am to 5pm to take claims via laptops. In the Houston area TWC will be utilizing Houston TAX staff and in other areas TWC will

utilize Call Center staff. The following weekend TWC will continue to be at the shelters and will also have TeleCenters open from 8am to 5pm which will allow us time to publicize the new hours.

- Continue outreaching to heavily emphasize the need for employers to call the hotline to supply TWC with separation information. Very often individuals may still be on the employers' payroll.
- Continue to explore any and everything possible to assist Texans as quickly as TWC possibly can.
- To clarify for all concerned:
 - Regular UI Claims for the affected area have an Incident Period effective date of 9/7/08
 - Per US DOL, DUA claims have an effective date of 9/14/08
 - US DOL forwarded TWC's request for DUA to FEMA on 9/17. TWC anticipates FEMA funding DUA before the first payment (debit card) is ready for release.

A "Hurricane Ike" web-page is now on our web (one click off of our front page): <http://www.twc.state.tx.us/news/ikeinfo.html>

Short-Term Employment Needs of Ike Evacuees -

TWC has been notified that some Ike evacuees may be in need of short-term temporary employment to assist them in earning some immediate money. TWC has been asked if TWC would consider excluding these individuals from performance. Boards may convert WIA Dislocated Worker funds into a Local Activity Fund to serve this population, and may provide job search, and provide necessary support services (including transportation). TWC will consider this to be a "specialized" service, which will exclude individuals served from performance.

The Texas Workforce Commission wants you to know you may be eligible for disaster-related unemployment benefits. Individuals who are self-employed also may be eligible for disaster-related unemployment benefits. To apply, file online www.texasworkforce.org or call TWC UI Tele-center at: Austin, (512) 340-4300; Dallas, (972) 339-6200; El Paso, (915) 832-6400; San Antonio, (210) 258-6600; Fort Worth, (817) 420-1600; Houston, (281) 983-1100; McAllen, (956) 984-4700 or (800) 939-6631.

3. AREAS AFFECTED:

Angelina County: The County Judge has authorized the closing of two PODs effective COB 9/18/08.

Brazos County: The Brazos County CEOC is in the process of transferring evacuees to only two shelters.

Chambers County: Chambers County continues to successfully coordinate three PODs. The Sheriff's Department is coordinating with several State and Federal agencies to assist with animal issues. Public Works is also working with State and Federal partners in assessing and repairing critical infrastructure. The County is continuing to secure shelter resources for displaced citizens.

Galveston County: There are five confirmed fatalities. City of Galveston and Galveston County top priorities include:

- re-entry
- urban search and rescue
- aerial reconnaissance
- essential requests and public health and safety

Counties issuing disaster declarations: Anderson; Brazos; Burleson; Caldwell; Chambers; Collin; Denton; Ellis; Fort Bend; Grayson; Grimes; Gregg; Harrison; Henderson; Houston; Hunt; Jasper; Kerr; Kirbyville; Lamar; Leon; Liberty; Limestone; Madison; McLennan; Menard; Navarro; Panola, San Jacinto; Smith; Tarrant; Upshur; Waller; Washington; Wood;

Cities issuing disaster declarations: Brenham ; Bryan, Cleveland; Corsicana; Crockett; Gladewater; Grapeland; Jasper; Kennard; Kilgore; Kosse; Lakeport; Latexo; Liberty; Longview; Lovelady; Menard; Milano; Mt. Pleasant; Palestine; Port Arthur; Rockdale; Taylor Lake Village; Texarkana; Thorndale; Waco; White Oak;

Harris County/City of Houston: A vast majority of mayors have lifted the evacuation restrictions for several cities near the Galveston Bay. Residents are welcomed back, but city mayors remind returning residents that cities are still without power and many still have boil water notices in effect.

Residents evacuated & sheltered through the Texas transportation assistance registry (2-1-1) are reminded to remain at their current shelter

(Harris County) Persons who evacuated for Hurricane Ike through the Texas Transportation Assistance Registry or who have special needs should remain at their current sheltering location until advised to do so by their home jurisdiction.

Officials from affected communities continue to warn residents that they continue to be without power, other essential public services and are currently under boil water notices. Updates will be issued regularly to inform these residents when their local officials deem it safe to return home.

All City of Houston departments have been engaged during the response phases of Hurricane Ike. Departments are continuing assessments of facilities and infrastructure.

The CMOC continues to coordinate Medical Operations for the region, to include the City. Hospitals are beginning to come back online. The MACG is currently being coordinated by Fort Bend County, and regular conference calls are being held that include representation from the City of Houston. GDEM continues to provide an RLO in the EOC, who has been trying to help the City of Houston track unmet resource requests. All federal agencies represented in the EOC (DHS, FEMA, USACE) continue to support resource requests. Significant unmet needs include generators for wastewater treatment facilities and shelters.

Ongoing Shelter Operations at the GRB transitioning to a pure Medical Special Needs Shelter. All general population evacuees are being moved to other shelter sites as they become available. The first Red Cross shelter to open is located at Bear Creek United Methodist Church, which was operating generator at 50% power, and housed approximately 100 residents were moved there. As of 20:00 CDT on September 18, 2008, 1,403 remain in the GRB. Coordination between Red Cross sites has continued to create some confusion on movement during transition from the GRB to other shelter locations.

POD sites have been operating for four days and are continuing operations for the foreseeable future. This has been a combined planning and execution effort between the City of Houston, Harris County, CERT Volunteers, as well as Federal and State assets. POD operations continue to improve each day. The Mobile POD delivered approximately 4 (2 ice, 2 water) truckloads of supplies today to nursing homes and assisted living facilities.

Three hospitals continue to have needs for deliveries of water and ice, and two still need diesel for generator operations. The mobile POD will be in operation again tomorrow to support fixed facilities.

Orange County: Orange County top priorities include:

- re-entry
- urban search and rescue
- aerial reconnaissance
- essential requests and public health and safety

Williamson County Mobile Communications Task Force is providing all mobile communications and EOC support in Orange County.

Tyler County: Tyler County Judge rescinded the mandatory evacuation order effective September 15th. A Modification of Emergency Curfew Order was made effective 9/18/08. A mandatory curfew was ordered for the general population. The mandatory curfew was rescinded effective 1:00 PM, September, 19, 2008.

Debris removal has begun. The debris must be separated into four groups as follows: normal household garbage, construction and demolition materials, vegetative debris, and appliances. This is crucial to ensure fast and efficient clean up of the city. Normal garbage schedules have resumed.

The Mayor has amended curfew times from 12:00 a.m. midnight to 5:00 a.m. This mandatory curfew will be in effect until further notice.

There are currently two POD locations available for supplies one at Lomax Jr. High located at 9801 N. Ave. L. and the other at La Porte High located at 301 E. Fairmont Parkway. The plan is to consolidate to one location which will be the High School.

Citizens are encouraged to take advantage of the free Blue Roof Program run by the Army Corps of Engineers which is set up at Bayshore Baptist Church located at 11315 Spencer Hwy from 8am - 6 pm to get assistance which includes the installation of commercial grade tarps for homes that have suffered roof damages during the hurricane. The number is 1-888-766-3258.

The La Porte Library located at 600 S. Broadway will be open Friday and Saturday from 10 am - 5:00 p.m. with 25 computers that citizens can use to apply for FEMA assistance.

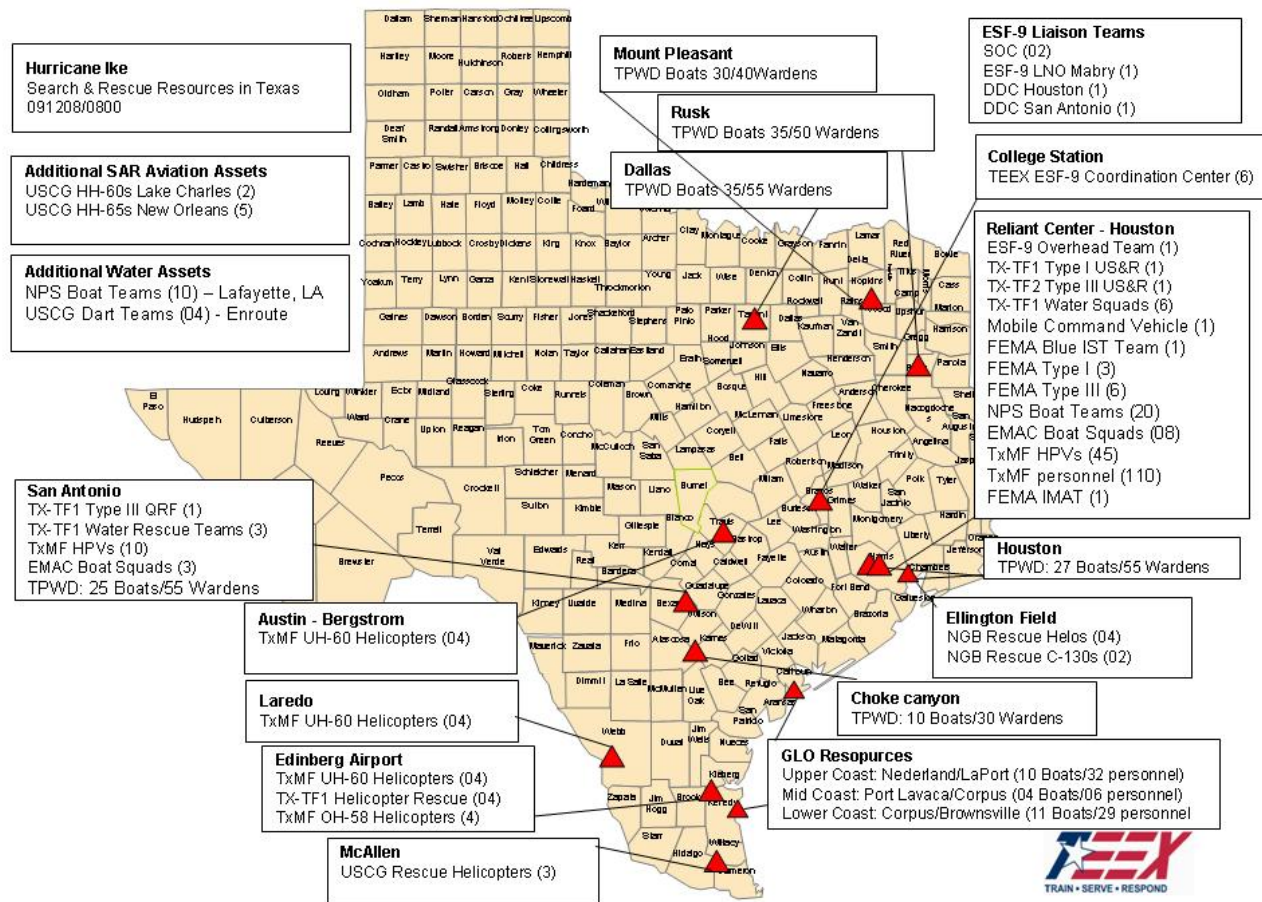
4. SHELTER INFORMATION: Anyone requesting a shelter can phone 2-1-1 and the shelter information number, 214-653-7629, will be given to them. This number goes to the Dallas County Homeland Security Office which is maintaining the a-list of open shelters, space and rotation for receiving evacuees.

Region 3B Hurricane IKE Shelter Count Date/Time: 9/19/08 as of 0700 hrs									
Shelter Name	City	County	Point of Contact	General Pop.	Rpnd r	Special Needs	Total Pop.	Responder Total Pop.	ARC Managed
Bldg 1537/Rpndr	San Antonio	Bexar	210-215-8243		251		0	2700	N
Emma Frey Elem	San Antonio	Bexar	210-414-9699	0			600		Closed
Pfeiffer Acdmy	San Antonio	Bexar	210-416-7539	0			750		Closed
Bldg 1536	San Antonio	Bexar	210-854-3603	1308			8000		N
Bowie Elementary	San Antonio	Bexar	210-215-1374	0			800		Closed
Seguin Coliseum	Seguin	Guadalupe	830-401-2416	0			350		Closed
Comal Complex	New Braunfels	Comal	830-832-0412	0			2500		Closed
Willie DeLeon Civic Cntr	Uvalde	Uvalde	830-591-6724	0				200	Closed
Gonzales Complex	Various	Gonzales	830-672-2716	0			X		Closed
Alamo Hts Christian	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8611			38	150		N
Trinity Tripoint	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8611			47	250		N
Trinity Baptist	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8611			37	250		N
Alamo Hts UMC	San Antonio	Bexar				49	90		
NE Baptist Church	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8671			27	100		N
First Presbyterian	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8671			20	58		N
Park Hills Baptist	San Antonio	Bexar	210-336-5053			33	80		N
Churchill Baptist	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8671			45	85		N
Seguin UMC	Seguin	Guadalupe	210-535-0187			0	100		Closed
Shearer Hills	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8741			13	100		N
Bandera Rd Community	San Antonio	Bexar	210-206-8741			18	72		N
Primera Iglesia	San Antonio	Bexar				0	80		N
Winn FMS	San Antonio	Bexar	210-336-2486			127	250		N
Kelly 1536 Section D	San Antonio	Bexar	210-336-5101			156	250		N
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5. RESPONDING AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS AND RESOURCES COMMITTED:

Agency/Organization	Resources Committed
Texas Forest Service (TFS)	5 Type 3 Regional Incident Management Teams deployed Personnel to support shelter operations Lone Star State Incident Management Team Personnel to various DDC's & EOC's 5 LNO's stationed in the SOC
Texas Department of Public Safety (TXDPS)	950 Highway Patrol Troopers 4 Helicopters 42 Sergeants, 12 Lieutenants, 7 Captain Communication Command One Trailer
Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ)	LNO's stationed in the SOC Providing Shelter for 100 DPS Officers in Beeville
Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD)	50 Game Wardens – Houston 16 Captains - Beaumont 17 Game Wardens 5 Airboat Operators (Game Wardens) 10 Game Wardens – Jasper 1 Captain 10 Game Wardens – Navasota/Grimes County 50 Game Wardens – Rusk 30 Game Wardens to support Vidor, Rose City, Neches River, Sabine River, Cow Bayou & Adams Bayou 8 Game Wardens – Woodville

	6 Game Wardens - Livingston
Coca-Cola	67 Trailers of Water
Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT)	1587 Personnel 5 Dozer 56 Loaders 8 Maintainers 773 Other vehicles or trailers 34 Portable Changeable Message Signs 118 Permanent Dynamic Signs
Health & Human Services Commission (HHSC)	1322 truck loads of water 1161 truck loads of ice
Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS)	500 Ambulances 140 Ambulances 7 Fixed Wing aircraft 13 Helicopters – San Antonio 19 Strike Teams w/Task Force Ike
Public Works Response Team (PWRT)	2 LNO stationed in Austin at the SOC 3 Assessment Teams in Orange 2 Resource Teams in Galveston 100+ Members plus vehicles and equipment
Sun Coast	Providing fuel support for San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Lufkin & Beeville
Texas Military Forces (TXMF)	10 UH-60 Helicopters – San Antonio & Kingsville 5 OH-58 Helicopters – San Antonio 5 C130 Aircraft – Corpus Christi High Profile Vehicles – Coastal Bend & San Antonio Personnel – Coastal Bend & San Antonio
Texas Engineering & Extension Service/Texas Task Force One (TEEX/TX-TF1)	ESF-9 Overhead Team - Houston Joint Air-Ground Coordination Team with LNO's - Houston TX-TF1 Type 1 US& R Team - Houston TX-TF2 Type III US&R Team - Houston Quick Response Force – San Antonio TX-TF1 Swiftwater Teams – San Antonio & Houston TX-TF1 Helicopter Rescue Specialists - Austin EMAC Swiftwater Teams – San Antonio & Houston FEMA US&R Teams - Houston
Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services (DADS)	Assisting DSHS in monitoring Medical Special Needs numbers.
US Border Patrol (USBP)	Standing by to assist with law enforcement support for contra-flow. The USBP will rotate 3 shifts with 4 agents per shift.
American Red Cross	Coordinating sheltering sites with local jurisdictions.



6. COMMENTS:

The Governor’s Division of Emergency Management is monitoring the situation and will issue additional reports as necessary. The Hurricane Ike conference calls will be conducted daily at 10:30 a.m. until further notice. The SOC is at Level I (Emergency Conditions) to support Hurricane Ike operations.

The four levels of SOC activation are:

- Level I (Emergency Conditions)
- Level II (Escalated Response Conditions)
- Level III (Increased Readiness Conditions)
- Level IV (Normal Conditions)

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