



Pinellas County Emergency Operations Center **SITUATION REPORT #1**

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1. INCIDENT NAME Heavy Rainfall / Potential Flooding	2. DATE 07/14/2025	3. TIME 1:00 PM
4. EOC ACTIVATION LEVEL Level 3 – Enhanced Monitoring	5. LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARED? No	6. PREPARED BY EOC Planning Section

CURRENT SITUATION		GRAPHICS
<p>A developing area of low pressure moving westward over the State of Florida, combined with increased tropical moisture is expected to bring up to 4" – 6" of rainfall across Pinellas County over the next five days.</p> <p>The National Hurricane Center (NHC) has given this area a 30% chance of developing into a tropical depression within the next seven days.</p> <p>The Weather Prediction Center (WPC) has placed Pinellas County in a Slight Risk (Level 2 / 4) for excessive rainfall and flash flooding today (07/14) through early Wednesday (07/16).</p> <p>Additionally, the Storm Prediction Center (SPC) has placed Pinellas County in a Marginal Risk (Level 1 / 5) for severe weather today, with the primary threat being damaging wind gusts.</p> <p>Pinellas County Emergency Management (PCEM) recommends everyone review emergency plans and share forecast information/messaging with residents, partners, and their communities.</p>		

IMPACTS
<ul style="list-style-type: none">4" – 6" of rainfall with isolated higher amounts will be possible across Pinellas County through the next five days (07/14 – 07/19), with most of the rain falling today (07/14) through Wednesday (07/16).Isolated to scattered flooding (including localized flash flooding) will be possible during periods of very heavy rain, especially in areas with poor drainage.An isolated severe thunderstorm with gusty winds in excess of 60 MPH will be possible today (07/14).Even if the system develops into a Tropical Depression near Florida, it is forecast to move away from Pinellas County towards Louisiana and/or Texas.

COUNTY ACTIVITIES
<ul style="list-style-type: none">The Emergency Operations Center (EOC) is at Level 3 – Enhanced Monitoring.PCEM is monitoring the situation and forecasts in coordination with the National Weather Service.Pinellas County Public Works (PCPW) – Floodplain Management is assessing rainfall forecasts, infrastructure inspections and the need for lowering of lakes, and the potential for flooding impacts.PCEM and Pinellas County Communications (PCC) are coordinating public messaging efforts.This will be the only Situation Report on this incident unless significant changes or conditions occur.

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Share weather forecasts and protective measure actions with your partners and communities.Review emergency plans and supplies.Have multiple ways to receive weather warnings such as Alert Pinellas or Weather Radios.Monitor weather reports and forecasts regularly:<ol style="list-style-type: none">weather.gov/tampa, wpc.ncep.noaa.gov, spc.noaa.gov, and nhc.noaa.govMonitor Pinellas County Social Media Sites:<ol style="list-style-type: none">x.com/PinellasEM and pinellas.gov/social-networkingPublic Information Resources<ol style="list-style-type: none">ready.gov/floods and disaster.pinellas.gov	7. Approved By: Cathie Perkins	8. Title: Emergency Management Director

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