



# Hurricane Delta October 8, 2020



**Current Situation:** In preparation for TC Delta, personnel and resources are staged across, or en-route to, potentially impacted areas in the path of the storm. Forecast: Tropical Cyclone Delta is a category 2 hurricane approximately 450 miles south of Louisiana. Hurricane Delta is moving at approximately a 305 degree heading (WNNW) at 15 mph with sustained winds of 100 mph. Delta will move over the central and southern Gulf Thursday and strengthen as it approaches the northern Gulf Coast Friday. Landfall is expected late Friday bringing life-threatening storm surge and hurricane force winds along the LA coast. Flash, urban, and stream flooding is likely from the central Gulf into the lower to middle Mississippi Valley. (NWS NHC Intermediate Advisory 15, 10/8/20, 5:00 a.m. ET)

LIFELINES SUMMARY	
No shortfalls or limiting factors; IST in place, evacuations continue	
ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>SAR:</b> 3 US&amp;R Type 3 task forces issued Alert Orders 10/7</li> <li><b>Community Safety:</b> DoD posturing 18 rotary wing aircraft and 30 high water vehicles on Prepare-to-Deploy orders in preparation for response operations (DOD Update, 10/7/20, 1:27 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Security:</b> Deployed federal force protection logistics package containing equipment to establish command center and mobilize response teams on 10/7, will be stored overnight in Birmingham, AL and deploy where needed based on storm impacts (ESF-13 Update, 10/7/2020, 2:06 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Evacuation: Mandatory (full or partial):</b> 3 Parishes (Cameron, Iberia, Terrebonne); <b>Voluntary:</b> 14 Parishes (Assumption, Lafourche, Tangipahoa, Jefferson, Plaquemines, Acadia, Terrebonne, Iberia, St. Landry, St. Martin, St. Mary, Calcasieu, Lafayette, Beauregard) (Region 6 Update, 10/7/20, 12:53 p.m. ET)</li> <li>Sourcing additional Ambulances for a request to provide EMS support for Hospitals conducting Evacuations in Cameron and Calcasieu parishes (Region 6 Update, 10/7/20, 8:47 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>SAR:</b> 5 IST Advance Team members arrived in Baton Rouge 10/7, full IST (additional 31 persons) will arrive 10/8; <b>US&amp;R Taskforces:</b> 2 Type 3 &amp; 1 Type 1 will stage in Ponchatoula 10/8; 2 Type 3 will stage in Hammond; 1 Type 3 will stage in College Station, TX 10/8 (ESF-9 Update, 10/7/2020, 11:27 a.m. ET)</li> <li>LA National Guard (LANG) activated 25 State Active Duty personnel in preparation for TC Delta; Nearly 750 personnel authorized for State Active Duty; Joint Liaison Team (JLT) at Camp Beauregard, LA have activated 5 personnel (NGB Update, 10/7/20, 1:24 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Security:</b> Region 6 IMT personnel (8) deploying to Baton Rouge 10/8 (ESF-13 Update, 10/7/2020, 2:06 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
MS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MS National Guard (MSNG) Joint Operations Center (JOC) reports 67 persons and 20 vehicles supporting MS in State Active Duty status (NGB Update, 10/7/20, 1:40 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
AL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Evacuation: Mandatory:</b> 2 Counties; Mobile (Tourists and Dauphin Island); Baldwin (Tourists and south of Gulf Intercoastal Water) (Region 4 Update, 10/7/20, 12:48 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
No shortfalls or limiting factors; Logistics Support Teams in place & commodities staged	
ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Food/Water:</b> FEMA pre-staged meals, water, tarps, and plastic sheeting within Regions 4 and 6; logistic support teams are fully operational and prepared to reposition commodities to meet potential state requests; No interruptions to the logistics supply chain anticipated; No shortfalls or unmet needs reported (ESF-7 Update, 10/7/20, 10:11 a.m. ET)</li> <li>Salvation Army preparing to deploy post-landfall; 7 mobile feeding units on standby in TX and 6 Salvation Army teams identified and ready to deploy (ESF-6 Update, 10/7/20, 12:49 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Shelter:</b> 500 additional beds en route to Selma, AL for readiness staging &amp; will be available for deployment if needed (ESF-7 Update, 10/7/20, 4:33 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Food:</b> 14 NGO mobile feeding units positioned if required (ESF-6 Update, 10/7/20, 12:49 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Water: Drinking Water:</b> 4 drinking water systems serving a population of 2,424 are experiencing water outages due to TC Laura; 21 systems remain under boil water advisories affecting 14,560 people; no shortfalls reported (ESF-3 Update, 10/7/20, 2:30 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Wastewater:</b> Pre-positioning Infrastructure Assessment Management Cell to execute water/wastewater facility assessments &amp; at other critical facilities as required (ESF-3 Update, 10/7/20, 1:48 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Shelter:</b> Responder lodging sites in Lakes Charles to evacuate 10/8, all staff and occupants will relocate to Houston until 10/12 (ESF-7 Update, 10/7/20, 4:33 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Congregate:</b> 25 open, population: 38; <b>Total Population:</b> 38; Alexandria Mega Shelter (MSNS) opening 10/7 and Bastrop State Shelter opening 10/8; local parish sheltering operations on standby (Region 6 Update, 10/7/20, 5:15 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Non-Congregate:</b> 47 open, population: 6,000; <b>Out of State:</b> 3 open, population: 2,161; <b>Total Population:</b> 8,161 (Region 6 Update, 10/7/20, 6:00 a.m. ET)</li> </ul>
MS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Shelter: Congregate Shelters:</b> 12 open with a 337-person capacity on standby (Region 4 Update, 10/7/20, 2:26 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
AL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Shelter: Congregate Shelters:</b> 4 open with a 700-person capacity on standby (Region 4 Update, 10/7/20, 2:26 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
Lifeline remains yellow due to COVID-19 response; No shortfalls or limiting factors reported	
ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Staging 1 IMT in Dallas, TX by end of day 10/8 and 2 DMATs by end of day 10/9; there is a 72-hour alert placed for the ASPR Rapid Response Team (ESF-8 Update, 10/7/20, 2:06 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Federal Ambulances staged in LA providing Acute Life Support and Paratransit support (ESF-8 Update, 10/7/20, 2:06 p.m. ET)</li> <li>Plaquemines Parish River Bend Nursing Home will evacuate residents 10/8; West Jefferson Healthcare Center and Terrebonne Place evacuating; 2 nursing homes evacuated from St. Mary Parish; anticipate additional 4 locations to evacuate from the Orleans/Jefferson Parish (Region 6 Update, 10/7/20, 5:07 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>

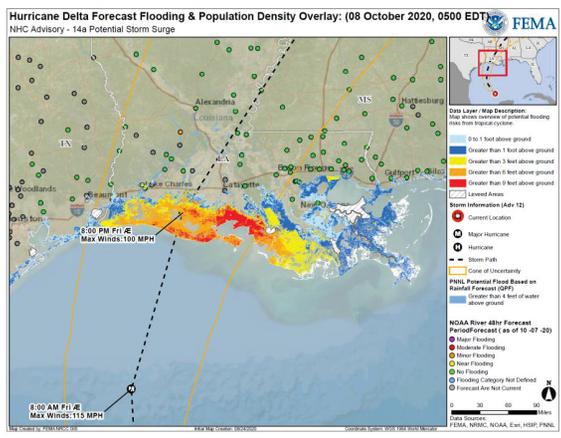


**Hurricane Delta**  
Thursday October 08, 2020  
4 AM CDT Advisory 15  
NWS National Hurricane Center

**Current information: x**  
Center location 23.4 N 91.8 W  
Maximum sustained wind 100 mph  
Movement NW at 15 mph

**Forecast positions:**  
● Tropical Cyclone ○ Post/Potential TC  
Sustained winds: D < 39 mph  
S 39-73 mph H 74-110 mph M > 110 mph

**Potential track area: Watches:** Day 1-3 Day 4-5  
**Warnings:** Hurricane Trop Stm  
**Current wind extent:** Hurricane Trop Stm



Activations	HQ
Regions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>NRCC:</b> Day: Level II; Night: Enhanced Watch</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Region 4:</b> RRCC: Activating to Level III (Days) 10/8; RWC: Monitoring</li> <li><b>Region 6:</b> RRCC: Level II; RWC: Monitoring</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Declaration:</b> State of Emergency; EM declaration Approved <b>State EOC:</b> 24/7 operations (COVID-19 &amp; TC Laura)</li> </ul>
MS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>State EOC:</b> Partial Activation (COVID-19 &amp; TC Sally) EM Declaration requested</li> </ul>
AL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Declaration:</b> State of Emergency; Governor submitted a request for an EM declaration</li> <li><b>State EOC:</b> Partial Activation (COVID-19 &amp; TC Sally)</li> </ul>

LIFELINES SUMMARY	
No shortfalls or limiting factors reported; Power Teams staging; Nuclear plants taking precautionary actions	
ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Short-term power outages expected post-landfall; no long-term effects anticipated at present time; no unmet needs (ESF-12 Update, 10/7/20, 5:04 p.m. ET)</li> <li>Reports indicate sufficient assets pre-staged to meet potential impacts to power, including generators, Bill of Material (BOM) kits, and fuel (ESF-7 Update, 10/7/20, 10:11 a.m. ET)</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Power:</b> 8,200 linemen currently in State for power restoration with another 6,200 available if needed (R6 Update, 10/7/20, 5:15 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Nuclear:</b> Waterford and River Bend nuclear stations making storm preparations; Waterford pausing refueling to protect personnel; River Bend to make decision on sequestering personnel Thursday; no shortfalls reported (NRC, Region 6 Update, 10/7/20, 12:56 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Oil/Gas:</b> Approximately 29% of the current oil production and 9% of the natural gas production in the Gulf of Mexico has been shut-in (ESF-12 Update, 10/7/20, 4:14 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Temporary:</b> USACE Temporary Emergency Power Team (Type III) pre-positioning to support LA (conducting assessments upon request); generators in place at Camp Beauregard for installation if needed; no shortfalls reported (ESF-3 Update, 10/7/20, 1:48 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
MS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Power: Nuclear:</b> Grand Gulf Nuclear Station making storm preparations; Farley and Browns Ferry stations monitoring; no shortfalls reported (NRC, Region 4 Update, 10/7/20, 12:56 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
AL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NSTR</li> </ul>
No shortfalls or limiting factors; DEC-MERS Teams supporting Region and State C2	
ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Disaster Information Reporting System (DIRS) activation expected 10/9 which will report on impacts to communications infrastructure (ESF-2 Update 10/7/20, 1:02 p.m. ET)</li> <li>Disaster Emergency Communications Mobile Emergency Response Support (DEC-MERS), Mobile Communications Operations Vehicles (MCOV), and equipment are supporting Federal, Region 4, Region 6, and State Command and Control missions with voice, video, and data communications; No shortfalls reported (ESF-2 Update 10/7/20, 2:07 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Public Safety:</b> State established a texting update and alert system, where people may opt-in by texting "HurricaneDelta" to 67283 (NRCC Social Media Listening Report, 10/7/20, 3:00 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
MS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NSTR</li> </ul>
AL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NSTR</li> </ul>
No shortfalls or limiting factors; Debris Management SMEs in place	
ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Roads:</b> USACE pre-positioning Debris Subject Matter Experts to support FEMA Region 6 (ESF-3 Update, 10/7/20, 12:59 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Air:</b> Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) activated the Joint Crisis Action Team to provide post-storm assessments of aviation infrastructure (ESF-1 Update, 10/7/20, 9:53 a.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Rail:</b> Amtrak implementing service modification plan for potentially affected areas (ESF-14 Update, 10/7/20, 3:10 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ports:</b> Open with Restrictions: Port of Lake Charles; all other ports open (USCG ESF-1 Update, 10/7/20, 2:14 p.m. ET)</li> <li><b>Roads:</b> LA Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) announced that tolls will be suspended on the LA 1 Expressway in Leveille, Lafourche Parish beginning October 7 at 0900 CT (NRCC Social Media Listening Report, 10/7/20, 3:00 p.m. ET)</li> <li>Orleans Parish coordinating Hwy 90 and Hwy 11 bridge closures (Region 6 Update, 10/7/20, 5:15 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
MS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ports:</b> All open (USCG ESF-1 Update, 10/7/20, 2:20 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
AL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ports:</b> Open with restrictions: Ports of Pensacola and Mobile; all other ports open (USCG ESF-1 Update, 10/7/20, 2:19 p.m. ET)</li> </ul>
No shortfalls or limiting factors; EPA & USCG standing by	
ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No requirements or shortfalls reported; EPA &amp; USCG standing by pending potential requirements to support (ESF-10 Update, 10/7/20, 10:14 a.m. ET)</li> </ul>