



Texas Division of Emergency Management State Situation Report

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Event Name	25-0026 02JUL Severe Weather
Date	August 8, 2025
Time	10:00 AM
Operational Period	8:00 AM August 7, 2025, to 8:00 AM August 8, 2025
Report Number	36

Regions Affected	
TDEM Regions Affected	6
DDs Active	18

STATEWIDE CURRENT SITUATION: On July 30, Governor Abbott announced 10 additional Texas counties have been added to President Trump's Major Disaster Declaration following recent flooding across the state. Those counties include Edwards, Guadalupe, Kimble, Lampasas, McCulloch, Menard, Real, Reeves, Schleicher, and Sutton.

On July 24, Governor Abbott directed the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) to request Real County be added to President Trump's Major Disaster Declaration following the recent catastrophic flooding that impacted communities across the state.

On July 23, Governor Abbott updated his disaster declaration following recent catastrophic flooding across Texas to include Edwards, Kinney, Real, and Schleicher counties, bringing the total to 30 counties. Additionally, the Governor directed TDEM to request that additional counties be added to President Trump's Major Disaster Declaration.

On July 22, Governor Abbott thanked his fellow governors across the country for providing critical emergency response and recovery resources to Texas following a request for support after devastating flooding across the state.

On July 19, Governor Abbott announced that the federal government has updated President Trump's Major Disaster Declaration to include Hamilton and Travis counties in response to the recent flooding across Texas.

OPERATIONAL PRIORITIES:

- Protect life and property.
- Support rapid & effective response.
- Collect and disseminate accurate incident information to improve decision-making.
- Accurately track incident costs associated with assigned resources for cost recovery.

Region 6 (Includes DDs 17, 18, and 24)

DD 18 – New Braunfels (Includes Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Frio, Gillespie, Guadalupe, Karnes, Kendall, Kerr, McMullen, Medina, and Wilson Counties):

On July 6, DDEOC 18 activated to Level III.

RESPONDING STATE AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS REPORTS

Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM): Communications Coordination Group (CCG):

As of July 19, cellular providers have provided cellphone charging accessories that include wall and car charging adapters, portable batteries, and headlamps. T-Mobile has provided a Command Trailer to support operations at the Unified Command Center. The Mobile Connectivity Center (MCC) provided by AT&T will remain at the Hunt Store located at 1634 TX-39, from 10:00AM to 3:00PM.

Incident Support Task Force (ISTF):

The ISTF continues to assist jurisdictions across the state through coordination and resource alignment. Demobilization efforts have begun. To date, a total of 60 ISTF members have deployed, providing support in Burnet, Kerr, San Saba, Tom Green, Travis, and Williamson counties.

Mass Care:

Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD) is supporting efforts at the reunification centers (Team Rubicon, Global Empowerment Mission, Convoy of Hope, ITDRC).

The ISTF Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) team remains actively engaged in community response efforts, including volunteer and donations management, residential debris cleanup, and survivor services. Support is being provided across multiple sites such as Family Assistance Centers (FACs), Multi-Agency Resource Centers (MARC), Volunteer Reception Centers (VRCs), and Disaster Recovery Centers (DRC). Coordination continues to be a priority to align efforts, close service gaps, and advance long-term recovery goals. A Volunteer Reception Center is located at 855 Hays St., Kerrville, TX

Disaster Funds:

Statewide: OneStar Foundation

Region 6: Community Foundation of the Hill Country

Region 7: San Angelo Area Foundation

Region 8: ARK of the Highland Lakes

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service (AgriLife):

Additional Disaster Recovery Centers (DRC) will be open in Menard and Leander from August 4 to August 8 providing landowner recovery resources. [As of August 6, 14 bags \(700 lbs.\) of livestock feed have been distributed.](#)

As of August 6, there are eight Damage Assessment and Recovery (DAR) personnel activated. There were 507 entries from the State of Texas Assessment Tool portal from landowners with agricultural damage to fencing, crops, livestock, and equipment and 178 of those are requesting assistance from AgriLife. DAR Specialists and County Extension Agents (CEA) are assigned to the DRCs. DRC representatives have provided Ag recovery information to over 470 landowners.

Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service Texas Task Force 1 (TEEX/TX-TF1):

On August 5, seven of eight SWR boat squads, TX-TF2, and HSART rescue swimmers demobilized.

On August 3, resources continued search and rescue missions in the Guadalupe River basin. Crews are performing wide area searches along steep elevation areas using canines as needed.

On July 31, Search and Rescue (SAR) missions continue in the Guadalupe River basin searching the debris piles and line searching steep elevation areas using K9s as needed.

Texas A&M Forest Service (TAMFS):

As of August 7, 57 personnel are deployed consisting of one TAMFS Saw Module, One Skid Steer, three TIFMAS Strike Teams, and two Mobile Command Posts. Additionally, TAMFS has one TAMFS LNO at the SOC, and TIFMAS has one LNO assisting in Kerr County.

Department of Information Resources (DIR):

DIR is continuing to monitor the situation using cybersecurity tooling and threat intelligence feeds. No cyber threats related to this weather event have been identified. The Texas.gov homepage banner has been updated to include flood recovery resources and a link to the Kerr County Flood Relief Fund.

Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC):

One LNO remains assigned to the SOC and will support 24-hour operations if needed.

Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission (TABC):

Fourteen of TABC's Special Response Team (SRT) members are working alongside Texas DPS and TPWD in checkpoint, and search and recovery operations. Twenty SRT members remain on standby and are ready to respond if needed.

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ):

TCEQ has staff available to respond to any air, water, and waste-related issues. TCEQ has authorized 19 temporary debris management sites.

Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA):

TDA is staffing shifts at the SOC to monitor unmet needs in the agricultural community. The free, confidential Agri-Stress Helpline offers 24/7 support via call or text for those experiencing stress or loss. So far, it has helped over 285 Texans in 114 counties. Call or text 1-833-897-2474 for assistance.

TDA's Hay Hotline is open for those wishing to donate hay. Donors can register at <https://texasagriculture.gov/Home/Production-Agriculture/Hay-Hotline> and will be contacted if requests are received.

Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS):

As of July 19, DPS continues assisting Texas Task Force 1 (TX-TF1) search teams with searches along the river and tributaries in Region 6. Over 300 DPS personnel are actively working in coordination with local, state, and federal partners in search and recovery efforts, assisting at evacuation shelters, reunification centers, and providing security.

Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS):

As of August 7, a total of 1,802 vaccines has been administered to first responders including 902 Tdap and 900 Hepatitis A. On August 4, a Wildland Paramedic Unit (WPU) was added to support SAR operations with two paramedics, a truck and trailer, and ATV.

Texas Emergency Medical Task Force (EMTF):

Search and recovery operations continued with ESF-9 assets and Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Support in Kerr County. The total patient contacts for this activation are 23,379 encounters, 474 treated, 194 transported.

Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT):

As of July 29, TxDOT had five locations on state-maintained roads closed due to flood damage. TxDOT liaisons are meeting daily with TDEM, TCEQ, and local authorities to coordinate debris management.

Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC):

As of July 25, one Other Needs Assistance (ONA) member has been deployed to each of the Disaster Recovery Centers (DRC) located in Burnet, Georgetown, Hunt, Kerrville, Leander, San Angelo, and San Saba.

Texas Military Department (TMD):

As of August 7, TMD has activated 74 personnel, four vehicles, and one aircraft in support of our state partners. Replacement in place operations continue. There is an SOC Support Team in Austin, a Search and Extraction (SAE) MRP, Fatality Search and

Recovery (FSRT) MRP, and a General Support Unit have been deployed to provide support for SAR operations.

Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA):

TDHCA is actively supporting the community action agency partners at the local level and coordinating resources with HUD.

The following partners are collaborating with local officials to identify and assist impacted households with immediate food/gas/hotel needs.

- Tom Green County: Concho Valley Community Action Agency
- Kerr County: Community Council of South-Central Texas
- Guadalupe County: Community Council of South-Central Texas
- San Saba County: Hill Country Community Action Association

Texas Parks and Wildlife (TPWD):

Texas Game Warden Unmanned Aerial System (UAS) pilots are supporting the recovery and debris removal missions in the Kerr County area and will continue to support response operations as needed.

American Red Cross (ARC):

As of [August 8](#), there are [2](#) ARC-managed shelters in Tom Green and Williamson counties with a total of [31](#) clients. Additionally, ARC has distributed 1,066 clean-up kits.

ARC continues delivering support to families of the hospitalized, missing, or deceased at the Kerrville Family Assistance Center (FAC). In Tom Green and Williamson Counties, ARC continued Shelter Resident Transition (SRT) casework, and feeding operations. The Virtual Family Assistance Center (VFAC) is operating daily from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM to provide support to families of individuals who are deceased, missing, or hospitalized.

FEMA Disaster Recovery Centers (DRC) are providing intake services and connecting clients with appropriate resources, supporting payment resolution, assisting with Webform enrollment, and working to help resolve issues related to unmet needs. The ARC is providing Disaster Mental Health (DMH) and Disaster Spiritual Care (DSC) support to clients, workforce, and the community.

The current locations with ARC staffing include:

- First Baptist Church - 625 Washington St, Kerrville
- Hunt - LJ Vineyards 1551 TX-39, Hunt
- San Angelo - Concho Valley Transit Annex, 506 N. Chadbourne St., San Angelo
- Concho Valley Transit Annex, 506 N. Chadbourne St, San Angelo
- Burnet Community Center, 401 E. Jackson St., Burnet, TX

ARC is conducting Immediate Assistance (IA) intake at four (4) sites in Burnet, Kerr, and Tom Green Counties with support from External Relations team.

The Salvation Army (TSA):

TSA has provided 6,877 meals, 32,366 drinks, 27,691 snacks, 1,438 hygiene kits, 1,066 clean up kits, 324 cleaning supplies, and 1,229 articles of clothing.

Southern Baptists of Texas Convention Disaster Relief (SBTC):

SBTC laundry unit in support of TDEM Point of Distribution (POD) at Round Mountain Baptist Church in Leander will demobilize at the end of the day August 7. SBTC has provided 19,750 volunteer hours, 1,708 ministry contacts, and 14,458 meals.

State Resources Committed

Agency	Resource Kind and Type	Personnel	Equip	Status	Location
TDEM	Mass Care ESF 6	1	1	Assigned	SOC
TDEM	ISTF HQ Staff	6	6	Assigned	SOC
TDEM	ISTF Field Staff	10	10	Assigned	Field
TDEM	VOAD	1	1	Assigned	SOC
TMD	UH-60 RWA	4	1	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TMD	GSU	30	4	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TMD	FSRT	10	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TMD	SAE	23	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TMD	SOC Support	7	0	Assigned	Austin
TxDOT	EMC	1	0	Assigned	Austin
TxDOT	SOC Liaison	1	1	Assigned	Austin
TxDOT	District Staff	30	15	Assigned	TxDOT Districts
TX-TF1	Overhead	9	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TX-TF1 WS Bedford/ Haltom	SWR Boat Squads	6	2	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TX-TF1	Type I TF	40	6	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TX-TF3 WS RGV	Flat Bottom Boat Squad	5	2	Assigned	Kerr Co.
FL-PCSO (EMAC)	Canine Search Group	4	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
NC-SBI (EMAC)	Canine Search Group	5	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
AgriLife	SOC Liaison	1	1	Assigned	SOC
AgriLife	IMT Support	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
AgriLife	DAR Specialist STAM	3	3	Assigned	Kerr Co.
AgriLife	DRC	2	2	Assigned	Kerr Co.

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AgriLife	DRC	4	4	Assigned	Leander and Round Mountain
AgriLife	DRC	1	1	Assigned	San Saba Co.
AgriLife	DRC	1	1	Assigned	Burnet Co.
AgriLife	DRC	1	1	Assigned	Menard Co.
AgriLife	DRC	1	1	Assigned	McCullough Co.
AgriLife	DRC	1	1	Assigned	Guadalupe Co.
CCG	COW		2	Activated	Burnet Co.
CCG	COW		8	Activated	Kerr Co.
CCG	COW		3	Activated	Kendall Co.
CCG	COW		1	Activated	Travis Co.
CCG	TERT Call Takers/ Dispatchers	0	3	Activated	Kerr Co. PD
CCG	Mobile Repeater		1	Assigned	Burnett
CCG	Wi-Fi Trailer (T-Mobile)		1	Assigned	Kerr Co.
CCG	Mobile Connectivity Center (MCC) (AT&T)		1	Assigned	Kerr Co.
CCG	Starlink		2	Assigned	Kerr Co.
DSHS	DSHS LNO	1		Assigned	SOC
DSHS	SCO	1		Assigned	SOC
DSHS	MIST	1	1	Assigned	SOC
DSHS	Ambulance Staging Manager	2	2	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	ASM	1		Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Deputy ASM	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Vehicle Staging Technician	2	2	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Accountability Technician	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Comms Tech	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Group Supervisor	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	MD	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	RN	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Paramedics	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Logistical Support	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	TFL	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville

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DSHS	Area TFL	1	1	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	MIST	7	7	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Ambulance	30	15	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	AST-L	4	4	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Peer Support Members	4	4	Assigned	Kerrville
DPS	SOC Support	1	1	Assigned	SOC
DPS	Tactical Marine Unit	9	8	Assigned	Kerr Counties
DPS	Tactical Marine	4	4	Assigned	Kerr Co.
DPS	THP Troopers, CID Agents, Rangers, PIO	333	333	Assigned	Kerr Co.
DPS	DPS Aviation	2	3	Assigned	Kerr Co.
DPS	GIS	2	0	Assigned	SOC and DPS Office
DPS	Aviation	10	1 helo w/ hoist	Assigned	San Antonio
HHSC	SOC Liaison	1	0	Assigned	SOC
HHSC	Disaster Behavioral Health Coordination	4	0	Assigned	Kerr Co. Unified Command
HHSC	Emergency Management ONA	1		Assigned	Kerrville DRC
HHSC	Emergency Management ONA	1	0	Assigned	Tom Green DRC
HHSC	Emergency Management ONA	1	0	Assigned	Georgetown DRC
HHSC	Emergency Management ONA	1	0	Assigned	San Saba DRC
HHSC	Emergency Management ONA	1	0	Assigned	Burnet DRC
HHSC	Emergency Management ONA	1	0	Assigned	Leander DRC
HHSC	Emergency Management ONA	1	0	Assigned	Hunt DRC
PUC	SOC Liaison	1	0	Assigned	SOC
PWRT	SOC Liaison	1	0	Assigned	SOC
TAMFS	Overhead	3	3	Assigned	Region 6
TAMFS	Saw Personnel	7	7	Assigned	Region 6
TIFMAS	Overhead	1	1	Assigned	Region 6

Agency	Resource Kind and Type	Personnel	Equip	Status	Location
TIFMAS	Strike Team Personnel	46	20	Assigned	Region 6
TAMU	Veterinary Response Team	12	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TCEQ	Staff	1	0	Assigned	SOC
TDLR	IMT Liaison	1	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TABC	SOC Support	1	1	Assigned	SOC
TABC	SRT	14	14	Assigned	Kerrville
TABC	SRT	20	20	Activated	Statewide
TPWD	SOC Liaison	1	1	Assigned	Austin
TPWD	UAS Operator	2	2	Assigned	Kerr County

FINAL COMMENTS: The State Operations Center (SOC) is at Level III (Increased Readiness Conditions). The Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) continues to monitor the situation and will provide additional situation reports as needed.

The four levels of SOC activation are:

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

This Situation Report can be found on the TDEM webpage at:
<https://tdem.texas.gov/response/state-operations-center#tab-3>

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