

Texas Division of Emergency Management State Situation Report

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Event Name	25-0026 02JUL Severe Weather
Date	August 31, 2025
Time	10:00 AM
Operational Period	8:00 AM August 30, 2025, to 8:00 AM August 31, 2025
Report Number	59

Regions Affected	
TDEM Regions Affected	6
DDs Active	

STATEWIDE CURRENT SITUATION: On August 20, Governor Abbott <u>announced</u> that the federal government has updated President Trump's Major Disaster Declaration to include Uvalde County in response to a request from Texas following the recent flooding across the state.

On August 20, Governor Abbott <u>announced</u> the Governor's Small Business Disaster Recovery Fair in Kerrville on Thursday, August 28, where he will deliver keynote remarks. As Texas continues to help communities recover and rebuild following the devastating flooding in July, the Governor's Small Business Disaster Recovery Fair will bring together state and federal agency partners and resource providers to share information, resources, and assistance for small businesses impacted by the historic floods.

On August 12, Governor Abbott <u>directed</u> the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) to request that Uvalde County be added to President Trump's Major Disaster Declaration following last month's flooding across Texas.

On July 30, Governor Abbott <u>announced</u> 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.

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.

RESPONDING STATE AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS REPORTS

Incident Support Task Force (ISTF):

Demobilization efforts have begun, over 60 ISTF members have been deployed, providing support in Burnet, Kerr, San Angelo, San Saba, Tom Green, Travis, and Williamson counties.

Mass Care:

Long-Term Recovery Groups (LTRG) are being established to support local communities. Ongoing efforts are concentrated on facilitating a seamless transition of Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD)-led community response activities into sustainable, community-based recovery initiatives beyond the initial response phase.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service (AgriLife):

AgriLife has received 522 entries from the State of Texas Assessment Tool portal from landowners with agricultural damage to fencing, crops, livestock, and equipment, with 185 requesting assistance from AgriLife. There are four Disaster Assessment and Recovery (DAR) personnel who are activated.

Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service Public Works Response Team (PWRT): PWRT has four members in Kerrville who continue to assist TX-TF 1 in the drone mission over the Guadalupe River. One PWRT member was demobilized on August 30.

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

TX-TF1 personnel continue to assist in debris removal and search and rescue missions in the Guadalupe River Basin.

Texas A&M Forest Service (TAMFS):

As of August 14, 16 personnel are deployed consisting of one TIFMAS Strike Team and one Drone team assisting TX-TF1 in Kerr County.

Department of Information Resources (DIR):

The Texas.gov homepage banner has been updated to include flood recovery resources and a link to the Kerr County Flood Relief Fund.

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ):

TCEQ has authorized 25 temporary debris management sites.

Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA):

The Agri-Stress Helpline offers 24/7 assistance via call or text at 1-833-897-2474. 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):

Over 60 DPS personnel worked 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 20, DSHS Command has approved extension of active EMTF assets through September 13.

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 33,348 encounters, 496 treated, 195 transported.

Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT):

As of August 13, TxDOT debris contractors have hauled 77,044 cubic yards of debris.

Texas Military Department (TMD): None Reported.

Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA):

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

Volunteer Organizations Active in Disasters (VOAD)

Southern Baptists of Texas Convention Disaster Relief (SBTC):

As of August 17, an SBTC laundry unit is supporting Texas Task Force 1 at Tapatio Hill Country Resort, Boerne and has provided 355 loads washed. To date, SBTC has provided 20,300 volunteer hours, and 1,866 ministry contacts.

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	3	3	Assigned	SOC

Agency	Resource Kind and Type	Personnel	Equip	Status	Location
TDEM	ISTF Field Staff	5	5	Assigned	Field
TDEM	VOAD	4	4	Assigned	SOC
TxDOT	EMC	1	0	Assigned	Austin
TxDOT	SOC Liaison	1	1	Assigned	Austin
TxDOT	District Staff	30	15	Assigned	TxDOT Districts
TX-TF1	Overhead	2	0	Assigned	Kerr Co.
TX-TF1	Type III TF	42	6	Assigned	Kerr Co.
AgriLife	SOC Liaison	1	1	Assigned	SOC
AgriLife	IMT Support	1	1	Assigned	Kerr Co.
AgriLife	DAR Specialist STAM	2	2	Assigned	Kerr Co.
AgriLife	DRC	2	2	Assigned	Kerr Co.
AgriLife	DRC	2	2	Assigned	Leander/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		1	Activated	Kerr Co.
DSHS	SCO	1		Assigned	SOC
DSHS	Truck and Trailer		6	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	UTV		3	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Wildland Paramedics	6	6	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	TFL	1		Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	MIST	3		Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Ambulance	10	5	Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	ASTL	3		Assigned	Kerrville
DSHS	Peer Support Team Members	2		Assigned	Kerrville
DPS	SOC Support	1	1	Assigned	SOC
DPS	Tactical Marine	4	4	Assigned	Kerr Co.
DPS	THP Troopers, CID Agents, Rangers, PIO	54	54	Assigned	Kerr Co.
DPS	DPS Drone	1	1	Assigned	Kerr Co.
HHSC	Disaster Behavioral Health Coordination	1	0	Assigned	Kerr Co. Unified Command

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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	San Saba DRC
PUC	SOC Liaison	1	0	Assigned	SOC
TAMFS	Overhead	2	2	Assigned	Region 6
TIFMAS	Strike Team Personnel	14	6	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.
TPWD	SOC Liaison	1	1	Assigned	Austin

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 I (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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