



Texas Division of Emergency Management State Situation Report

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Event Name	25-0039 17NOV Severe Weather
Date	November 28, 2025
Time	10:00 AM
Operational Period	8:00 AM November 27, 2025, to 8:00 AM November 28, 2025
Report Number	9

TDEM Regions Affected	1, 2, 3, 5, 6 & 7
DDs Active	21, 22 & 24

STATEWIDE CURRENT SITUATION: On November 19, Governor Greg Abbott directed the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) to increase the readiness level of the Texas State Emergency Operations Center (SOC) to Level III (Increased Readiness) in preparation for severe storms threatening the state.

On November 18, Governor Abbott directed TDEM to activate state emergency response resources ahead of potential severe weather expected to affect large areas of the state.

OPERATIONAL PRIORITIES:

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

Region 1 (Includes DDs 1, 2, and 7)

DD 7 – Abilene (Includes Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Throckmorton, and Taylor Counties). On November 24, Disaster District Emergency Operations Center (DDEOC) 7 returned to Level IV (Normal Conditions).

Region 2 (Includes DDs 3, 4, and 22)

DD 4 – Dallas/Ft. Worth (Includes Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Erath, Hood, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Navarro, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rockwall, Somervell, Tarrant, and Wise Counties): On November 25, Disaster DDEOC 4 returned to Level IV.

DD 22 – Sherman (Includes Cooke, Fannin, and Grayson Counties): On November 25, DDEOC 22 returned to Level IV.

Region 3 (Includes DDs 5, 6, 14, and 15)

DD 14 – Lufkin (Includes Angelina, Houston, Nacogdoches, Newton, Polk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Trinity, and Tyler Counties): On November 25, DDEOC 14 returned to level IV.

Region 5 (Includes DDs 19, 20, and 21)

DD 21 – Weslaco (Includes Cameron, Hidalgo, and Willacy Counties): On November 25, DDEOC 21 returned to Level IV.

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

DD 18 – San Antonio (Includes Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Frio, Gillespie, Guadalupe, Karnes, Kendall, Kerr, McMullen, Medina, and Wilson Counties): On November 21, DDEOC 18 returned to Level IV-Normal Conditions.

DD 24 – Del Rio (Includes Dimmit, La Salle, Kinney, Maverick, Real, Uvalde, Val Verde, and Zavala Counties): On November 21, DDEOC 24 returned to Level IV.

Region 7 (Includes DDs 8, 9, and 10)

DD 8 – El Paso (Includes Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, and Presidio Counties): On November 21, DDEOC 8 returned to Level IV (Normal Conditions).

DD 10 – San Angelo (Includes Coke, Concho, Crockett, Edwards, Irion, Kimble, Mason, McCulloch, Menard, Reagan, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, and Tom Green Counties): On November 21, DDEOC 10 returned to Level IV (Normal Conditions).

Menard County: On November 20, Menard County faced flash and river flooding, prompting the County Judge to order mandatory evacuations from the RV Park and Baptist Encampment, affecting approximately 20 individuals. A shelter was activated until occupants returned to their homes.

RESPONDING STATE AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS REPORTS

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

On November 25, TX-TF1 demobilized seven of eight Swift Water boat squads, all Helicopter Search and Rescue Swimmers (HSART) and the TX-TF2 Type 3 Water Capable Urban Search and Rescue Team.

Texas A&M Forest Service (TAMFS):

One Texas Intrastate Fire Mutual Aid System (TIFMAS) Strike Team (ST) has activated and is prepositioned in College Station/RELLIS. The ST consists of 22 personnel, two Type 1 Engines, two Type 3 Engines, two Type 6 Engines, and one Tender.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD):

TPWD has prepared and identified Statewide resources consisting of Texas Game Wardens and State Park Police Officers ready to support as needed in response to the increased Severe Weather Threat affecting the State of Texas. Resources include Swift Water Rescue boat teams, helicopters with hoisting capabilities, and UAS teams. TPWD Game Wardens are working closely with TDEM and other partners through the State Operations Center to ensure TPWD resources and first responders are available should they be needed.

Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT):

TxDOT is working to maintain safe roadways for the traveling public.

Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS):

DSHS has released the DSHS Liaison Officer (LNO), State Coordination Officer (SCO), and Medical Incident Support Team (MIST).

Texas Emergency Medical Task Force (EMTF):

All EMTF assets demobilized on November 25.

[Assets released for holiday and returning on 12/01/25. SMA extended to 01/10/26.](#)

Texas Military Department (TMD):

TMD activated the following assets in support of TX-TF1: one Rotary Wing Medium Mission Ready Package (MRP) with hoist capability, one Ground Transportation Headquarters, and three Ground Transportation Platoons (GTP). TMD has activated 65 personnel, 21 vehicles, and two aircraft. TMD assets were released on November 25.

STATE RESOURCES COMMITTED

Agency	Resource Kind and Type	Personnel	Equipment	Status	Location
TX-TF1	WS STRAC	6	2	Assigned	Jim Wells Co.
TIFMAS	Strike Team Personnel	22	7	Assigned	RELLIS
TxDOT	EMC	1	0	Assigned	Austin

Agency	Resource Kind and Type	Personnel	Equipment	Status	Location
TxDOT	SOC LNO	2	0	Assigned	SOC
TxDOT	District EM Staff	16	8	Activated	San Angelo
TPWD	SOC LNO	2	2	Assigned	SOC
TPWD	Aviation	2	3	Available	Austin
TPWD	SAR Boat Teams	30	45	Available	Statewide
TPWD	Game Wardens/ State Park Police	60	100	Available	Statewide
TPWD	Drone (UAS) Pilots	40	80	Available	Statewide

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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