



NEVADA OPERATIONS CENTER (NvOC) SITREP

INCIDENT NAME – LOCATION: Atmospheric River #03082023-387 (Region 1 – Southern Nevada – Esmeralda County and Yomba Tribe (Nye County)), (Region 2 – Western Nevada – Carson, Churchill, Douglas, Humboldt, Lyon, Mineral, Storey, Washoe) and (Region 3 – Eastern Nevada – Elko and White Pine County)

TIME OF INCIDENT: 12:00 AM PST on 08MAR23

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION:

The first wave of Atmospheric River is still here and present in northern and western Nevada. It continues to snow at higher elevations, and on and off snowing in the valleys. This first wave of storms generated rain at lower elevations, melting snowpacks and causing flooding across low lying and floodplain areas, as well as lower creeks and streams. Water flow is expected to dissipate over 11MAR23 and 12MAR23 and is anticipated to pick back up again with the second wave of Atmospheric River potentially moving into the area on the afternoon of 13MAR23. The second wave of atmospheric river is anticipated to be colder than this previous storm and bring with it more snow and rain into already impacted and flooded areas, as well as generating more thaw and possible flooding.

SITREP #: 4

SOURCE: All Emergency Manager Jurisdictional Call at 11:00 AM PST on 12MAR23

CONDITIONS

CURRENT SITUATION (as of 11:00 AM on 12MAR23)

Chris Smallcomb NWS Reno: Expecting additional rain possible localized flooding issues, creeks and streams are unstable, high elevation snow showers this afternoon and evening. Thunderstorms in Central Valley. Mainstem of Walker River rising into flood stages and receding and will continue into tomorrow. Carson River eastward is receding at this point. Strong wind systems Monday and Tuesday. Some gusts above 60 miles per hour in Western and Northern Nevada.

Counties:

Churchill County Local Emergency Declaration 08MAR23

Storey County Local Emergency Declaration 10MAR23

Lyon County Local Emergency Declaration 10MAR23

Douglas County Local Emergency Declaration 10MAR23

State of Nevada Emergency Declaration 10MAR23

Yomba Tribe Emergency Declaration 11MAR23

Eureka County Local Emergency Declaration (verbal) 12MAR23

NEVADA COMMUNITY LIFELINE STATUS:





LIFELINE IMPACTS

Safety and Security

Region	Status
Region 2 – Western Nevada	<p>Douglas County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging <p>Lyon County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging <p>Storey County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations - Sandbagging
Tribal Nations	<p>Yomba Tribe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations- Isolated Community Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging

Transportation

Region	Status
Region 1 – Southern Nevada	Stable/No Impacts
Region 2 – Western Nevada	<p>Douglas County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Couple of new projects started for Valley and Lake <p>Lyon County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walker River blow out at Pitchfork Ranch SR-338 still closed from CA boarder to SR-208 (Smith Valley) SR-208 still closed from Pine Grove Rd to Wilson Canyon <p>Storey County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six Mile Canyon closed indefinitely
Tribal Nations	<p>Yomba Tribe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ingress and egress routes from the area are improving

Sheltering Operations and Mass Care (including food and water)

Region	Status



Tribal Nations	Yomba Tribe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will vacate valley residents if necessary
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ACTIONS AND MILESTONES

Local Response

Region	Status
Region 2 – Western Nevada	Douglas County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ditch work cause of some roadway closures. • Increasing staff for EOC Lyon County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessing for next week • Received 8000 sandbags

Region 3 – Eastern Nevada	No Reports from Region 3 jurisdictions
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Tribal Nations	Yomba Tribe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Isolated from the well from the North route, the south route is still being assessed. Yerington Paiute Tribe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to work on sandbag readiness for Tribal Colony. • Ingress and egress routes from the area are improved • Nye County working on supporting opening road and repair washouts
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State Response

ESF 1 Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responding to road closures • SR-338 closed due to road damage • SR-208 still partially closed
ESF 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bringing more crews
ESF 15 External Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requests that came in for support for public information have been filled until new requests are made. • Flood information 2023 page updated.
FEMA Liaison	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More federal support is enroute • IMAT bringing partners from DOD, EPA • DOT pushing emergency commodities •
PDA Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PDA information went out to all Emergency Managers via email by Corin Roth with instructions



Nevada Division of Emergency Management / Homeland Security

Prevent • Protect • Mitigate • Respond • Recover

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For assistance contact Suz Coyote 775-745-6806
USACE Liaison	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One officer enroute 1400 feet H 50,000 sandbags 16 hours out; pending weather HESCO

NEEDS AND LIMITING FACTORS

Local Response

Region	Status
Region 2 – Western Nevada	Lyon County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No additional needs
Region 3 – Eastern Nevada	
Tribal Nations	Yomba Tribe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requesting assistance with sandbags for current flooding

State Response

ESF 1 Transportation	Preparing for potential Presidential Declaration with damage assessments and cost estimates. Go to NVROADS.COM for updates on roads status.
ESF 4 Firefighting	4 NDF crews deployed to Yerington
ESF 6 Mass Care	
ESF 9 Search and Rescue	
ESF 10 Hazardous Materials	
ESF 11 Agriculture	
ESF 12 Energy	
ESF 13 Public Safety and Security	
ESF 15 External Affairs	No needs or limiting factors; just monitoring
ESF 16 Military Support	

COMMENTS AND FOLLOW-UPS

NEXT OPERATIONAL COORDINATION CALL: 13Mar23 @ 1100 on Teams
DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DUTY OFFICER: Lori DeGristina (775) 687-0498
 *through 13MAR23 @0800 then transitions to Megan Hall
 *Route all resource requests through Duty Officer