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## **NEVADA OPERATIONS CENTER (NVOC) SITREP**

**INCIDENT NAME – LOCATION:** 2023 Atmospheric River - 2 #03092023-387 (Region 1 – Southern Nevada – Esmeralda County, Nye County, and Yomba Tribe), (Region 2 – Western Nevada – Carson, Churchill, Douglas, Humboldt, Lyon, Mineral, Storey, Washoe) and (Region 3 – Eastern Nevada – Elko, Eureka, Lander, and White Pine County)

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

**INCIDENT DESCRIPTION:** An Atmospheric River will impact Nevada starting this evening 13MAR23 with peak rain, snow, and winds throughout Nevada Tuesday 14MAR23.

#### **SITREP #:** 5

SOURCE: All Emergency Manager Jurisdictional Call at 11:00 AM PST on 13MAR23

## CONDITIONS

#### CURRENT SITATION (as of 11:00 AM on 13MAR23)

Per the National Weather Service (NWS) Reno, scattered rain and snow showers are expected 13MAR23 with brief travel impacts in mountain passes. It will be quieter however, and a good time to prepare ahead of the next storm. The next Atmospheric River will ramp up this evening with peak rain, snow and winds areawide Tuesday 14MAR23. Heavy, wet snow is forecast for the Sierra above 7,500 – 8,000 feet with periods of rain and flooding concerns below 7,000 feet. Wind gusts above 60 miles per hour are expected. Anticipate travel disruptions from flooding, snow load and avalanche issues. Areas along Carson Valley, Smith Valley, and the Carson River could see more serious impacts due to already high flows.

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 13MAR23 Yerington Paiute Emergency Declaration (verbal) 13MAR23 Walker River Paiute Emergency Declaration (verbal) 13MAR23





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	IFELINE IMPACTS
	Safety and Security
Region	Status
Region 2 – Western Nevada	<ul> <li>Douglas County</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Lyon County</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Storey County</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Washoe County</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging</li> </ul>
Tribal Nations	<ul> <li>Washoe Tribe</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Yomba Tribe</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Isolated Community</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Yerington Paiute Tribe</li> <li>Community Safety Lifeline Subcomponent Operations – Sandbagging</li> </ul>
	Transportation
Region	Status
Region 2 – Western Nevada	<ul> <li>Lyon County</li> <li>Walker River breach at Pitchfork Ranch</li> <li>SR 338 still closed from CA border to SR 208 (Smith Valley)</li> <li>SR 208 still closed from Pine Grove Rd to Wilson Canyon</li> </ul>
Tribal Nations	Yomba Tribe



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٠	Ingress and egress routes from the area are	
	improving	

ACTIONS AND MILESTONES		
Local Response		
Region	Status	
Region 1 – Southern Nevada Region 2 – Western Nevada	Nye County         • Clearing and repairing roadways         • Assisting Yomba Tribe with sandbags         Carson City	
Region 2 – Western Nevada	<ul> <li>Concerns with Wastewater Facility at max capacity</li> </ul>	
	Douglas County	
	<ul> <li>EOC activated and fully staffed</li> <li>NDF crews assisting with sandbag operations</li> <li>Conducting damage assessments</li> <li>Search and Rescue evacuated residents on Leviathan Mine Rd that wanted to leave</li> <li>Assisting 5-7 residents in Ruthenstroth</li> <li>Evacuation shelter and livestock shelter open</li> <li>Meeting with Virginia Irrigation Company and State Water Division Dam Inspector to move more water out of Allerman Dam (high volume pump in place)</li> <li>Safeway in Tahoe Douglas by Nevada Beach is closed due to concern of roof collapse, Raley's is closed due to partial collapse</li> </ul>	
	Lyon County	
	<ul> <li>Partial EOC activation</li> <li>NDF crews disseminated 4,000 sandbags</li> <li>Call center may activate 14MAR23</li> </ul>	
	Storey County	
	<ul><li>EOC partially activated</li><li>6 mile Canyon opened</li></ul>	
	Washoe County	
	EOC activation, monitoring	



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	Continued sandbag operations		
Region 3 – Eastern Nevada Eureka County			
	<ul> <li>Managing isolated cattle ranches and mining operations</li> </ul>		
Tribal Nations	Washoe Tribe		
	<ul> <li>Discussing possible declaration</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Flooding affecting 3 homes, driveways and some roadways</li> </ul>		
	Yomba Tribe		
	<ul> <li>Isolated from the north route, the south route is still being assessed</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Nye County working on supporting opening road and repair washouts</li> </ul>		
Yerington Paiute Tribe			
	<ul> <li>Continue to work on sandbag readiness for Tribal Colony</li> </ul>		
	State Response		
ESF 1 Transportation	Working with DEM for excavators and		
	operators		
	<ul> <li>SR 338 closed due to road damage</li> </ul>		
	SR 208 still closed		
ESF 4 Firefighting	NDF crews in Douglas and Churchill		
ESF 6 Mass Care	Working with Team Rubicon for Yerington		
	Paiute sandbag operations		
ESF 8 Public Health	Reached out to Counties for any health needs		
ESF 10 Hazardous Materials	Duty Officer Spill Hotline established		
ESF 13 Public Safety and Security	<ul><li>Duty Officer Spill Hotline established</li><li>Monitoring</li></ul>		
	<ul> <li>Monitoring</li> <li>Reached out to counties and filled one request</li> </ul>		
ESF 13 Public Safety and Security	<ul> <li>Monitoring</li> <li>Reached out to counties and filled one request</li> <li>Added flood information to Division of</li> </ul>		
ESF 13 Public Safety and Security ESF 15 External Affairs	<ul> <li>Monitoring</li> <li>Reached out to counties and filled one request</li> <li>Added flood information to Division of Emergency Management (DEM) website Link</li> </ul>		
ESF 13 Public Safety and Security ESF 15 External Affairs ESF 16 Military Support	<ul> <li>Monitoring</li> <li>Reached out to counties and filled one request</li> <li>Added flood information to Division of</li> </ul>		
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USACE Liaison	<ul> <li>Anticipating more requests for sandbags and HESCO barriers</li> <li>50,000 sandbags arriving 13MAR23</li> <li>HESCO barriers arrived and delivered</li> </ul>
PDA Team	<ul> <li>PDA information went out to all Emergency Managers</li> </ul>

NEEDS AND LIMITING FACTORS		
	Local Response	
Region	Status	
Region 2 – Western Nevada	Churchill County	
	<ul> <li>Possible resource request for excavators and</li> </ul>	
	operators	
Region 3 – Eastern Nevada	Region 3 – Eastern Nevada Eureka County	
	<ul> <li>Possible resource request for sandbags and</li> </ul>	
	HESCO barriers	
Tribal Nations	Yomba Shoshone	
	<ul> <li>Requesting assistance with sandbags for</li> </ul>	
	current flooding	
	State Response	
ESF 1 Transportation	SR 338 closed	
	SR 208 closed	
	<ul> <li>Working with DEM for excavators and</li> </ul>	
	operators	
ESF 4 Firefighting	<ul> <li>No needs or limiting factors</li> </ul>	
ESF 6 Mass Care	<ul> <li>No needs or limiting factors</li> </ul>	
ESF 8 Public Health	<ul> <li>No needs or limiting factors</li> </ul>	
ESF 10 Hazardous Materials	<ul> <li>No needs or limiting factors</li> </ul>	
ESF 13 Public Safety and Security	No needs or limiting factors	
ESF 15 External Affairs	No needs or limiting factors	
ESF 16 Military Support	No needs or limiting factors	

## COMMENTS AND FOLLOW-UPS

**NEXT OPERATIONAL COORDINATION CALL:** 11:00 AM PST on 14MAR23 **DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DUTY OFFICER:** Megan Hall (775) 687-0498 *\*Route all resource requests through Duty Officer*