

Following are notes from the 27 May CISA/NBEOC Business & Infrastructure teleconference. These notes are not all encompassing but will provide basic insight to the discussions.

**Bob Rutledge** 

- Final COVID related conference call
- Future CISA meetings will be about hurricane and fire season
- COVID resources will continue to be available on-line.

Dana Arms and Robert Glenn

- Packed agenda with COVID and hurricane season and regional updates.
- Lots of threats out there.. need to be vigilant

Rachel (NRCC)

- 2K vaccination sites federally supported
- 269 million total doses
- 128 million fully vaccinated
- Goal is 70 percent of population by 4 July
- We are focused on equity in vaccination strategy
- Thank you for the partnership with the business community

Steve Goldstein (NOAA)

- Last year was above normal
- 2020 was number 5 in costliest hurricane season.
- We will be above normal again in 2021.
- 60 percent of above normal season
- 13 to 20 main cyclones in Atlantic.. 6 to 10 become hurricanes, 3 to 5 become major hurricanes
- No tropical systems spotted so far

Caroline (FEMA)

- A new all-hazards operational document has been released.
- New information on working within a COVID environment.

Region 2

- Suspending evictions until 30 July in Puerto Rico
- Slowly transitioning to normal operations
- ESF-14 is to stabilize lifelines during events
- We have looked at a number of scenarios on how this years hurricane season could unfold.

Region 4

- 8 southeastern states covered.
- Working with all states on hurricane preparedness and evacuation plans.
- Exercised non-congregate sheltering
- Fuel delivery driver shortfalls still a major issue

Ken (Energy)

- Supply chain issues is still a concern.



- Colonial pipeline, Texas power outage, driver shortage have caused significant issues.
- Things are improving and should be back to normal in the next few weeks.

ESF-6

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- Resourced 1,816 clinics.

Healthcare ready

- PPE supplies have recovered.
- Testing demand may increase in hurricane prone states
- Plastic producers in Texas are still recovering from the freeze in February

Bureau of Land Management

- Fire outlook
- June map in the west are at above normal fire potential due to drought
- July map reflect the arrival of the annual monsoon. Just do not know how much rainfall.
- Lightning could cause issues in Northern California
- August map has Northwest at above normal potential due to dry conditions
- September potential rains out west should help.