

**DATE:**

August 10, 2016

**TO:**

The Honorable Tom Wolf  
Governor  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

**FROM:**

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**TIME PERIOD:**

This report covers the period 0600 hours, August 9, 2016, through 0600 hours, August 10, 2016.

**STATUS REPORT:** (as of 0600 hours)

**THREAT STATUS:**

**National Terrorism Advisory System:**

There are no current alerts.

**CRCC STATUS:**

**Commonwealth Resource Coordination Center (CRCC) Activation:** None

**County EOC Activations:** None

**CAPABILITIES STATUS:**

**PA All-Hazards Type-3 Incident Management Team** – Deployed to Howard County, Maryland in support of flooding recovery efforts.

**PA-Task Force 1 (PA-TF1) – Urban Search & Rescue** – Mission Capable

**PA-Task Force 2 (PA-TF2) – Search & Rescue** – Mission Capable

**INFRASTRUCTURE STATUS:**

**Major Road Closures:** None

**Power Outage Reports:** As of 0520 hours, 2,661 customers

**Telephone Outage Reports:** None

**SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:**

**OPEN:**

**FLASH FLOODING - Erie County, 8/9/16** – A severe weather system moved across Erie County resulting in multiple instances of flooding, power outages, and lightning strikes. A Flash Flood Warning is in effect until 0700 this morning.

**MANDATORY WATER RESTRICTIONS – Cameron County, 8/2/16** – Driftwood Borough instituted voluntary water restrictions back in July due to lack of rain and low flow conditions at their Nanny Run Reservoir. As of August 2, the borough is under mandatory water restrictions. The borough has applied to DEP for an emergency permit to use a well at the filter treatment plant to sustain the water system as needed. It is unknown how long it will take to process the permit or if DEP will give approval to use this well.

**EMAC REQUEST/ PA IMT RESPONSE – Maryland, 7/31/16** – In response to an Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) request from the State of Maryland the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has sent a Type III Incident Management Team (IMT) to Howard County, Maryland. The team is there to assist with logistics support for a flooding incident in Howard County which occurred due to adverse weather that passed through Maryland last week. Maryland requested the deployment of the PA IMT be extended until 8/14/16. Replacement personnel deployed on Saturday, August 6th and will stay until Sunday August 14th. Those who are demobilizing returned August 7th.

**CLOSED:**

**PHONE OUTAGE – Greene County, 8/9/16** – A planned county-wide phone outage occurred when Windstream Communications cut their main cable into the central switch office in order to move it for road construction. Originally Greene County was not advised of this outage but this was a scheduled outage.

**DISASTER DECLARATIONS:**

7/25/2016 – The Mayor of Dunmore Borough issued a Declaration of Disaster Emergency for the borough due to severe weather.

7/19/2016 – The U.S. Small Business Administration issued a SBA disaster declaration for Fayette, Greene, Somerset, Washington and Westmoreland counties for damages during the flooding event on June 17, 2016. The effective date is 7/19/16 and termination date for applications is 9/19/16. Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) application termination date is 4/19/17.

3/23/16 - The U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency announced that federal disaster aid has been made available to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to supplement commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area affected by the severe winter storm which occurred January 22-23, 2016. The designation is FEMA-4267-DR.

**CONTIGUOUS STATE EVENTS OF POTENTIAL INTEREST TO PENNSYLVANIA:**

<b>Delaware:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>Maryland:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>New Jersey:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>New York:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>Ohio:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>West Virginia:</b>	No significant events at this time.

**24-hour Projected Weather Statewide:**

**National Weather Service, 0602 hours, 08/10/16:**

A plume of deep tropical moisture will stream northeast from the Gulf Coast region and create very warm and humid conditions today right through the upcoming weekend.

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There will be several opportunities for mainly afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms during the upcoming six days. The best chance for widespread showers and thunderstorms with locally heavy rainfall will be over the upcoming weekend into early next week as a cold front drifts slowly southeast through the commonwealth.

The heat and humidity will peak Thursday through Saturday. The high temperature this afternoon will range from the lower 80s in the northern mountains to near 90 degrees in the lower Delaware Valley. It will be muggy again tonight with temperatures in the 70s to around 80 much of the time. Lows around sunrise Thursday will range from the mid to upper 60s across the mountains to the lower and mid 70s in the Susquehanna Valley.

### WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

A Flash Flood Warning is in effect in Erie County until 0700 today.

A Flash Flood Warning is in effect in Warren County until 0830 today.

An excessive Heat Watch is in effect in Delaware, Chester, Montgomery, Bucks, and Philadelphia Counties until 1800, 9/13/16.



### TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK:

