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HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS 2021

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NOAA predicts another active Atlantic hurricane season

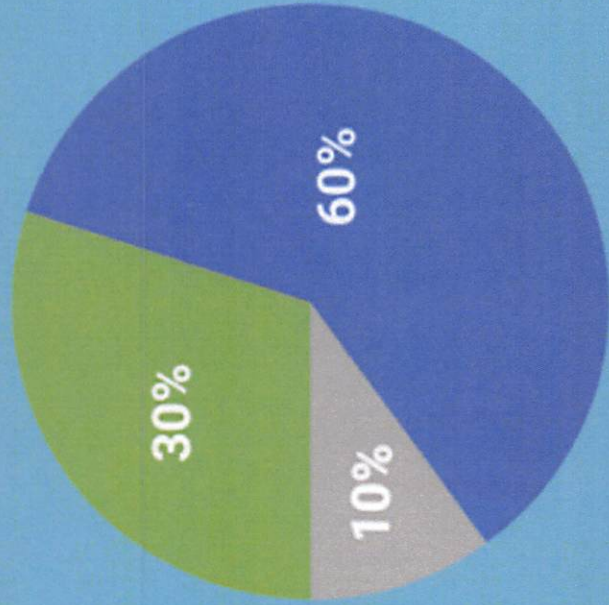
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May 20, 2021 — NOAA's Climate Prediction Center is predicting another above-normal Atlantic hurricane season. Forecasters predict a 60% chance of an above-normal season, a 30% chance of a near-normal season, and a 10% chance of a below-normal season. However, experts do not anticipate the historic level of storm activity seen in 2020.



2021 Atlantic Hurricane Season Outlook



■ Above-normal ■ Near-normal ■ Below-normal season
Season probability

Named storms
13-20

Hurricanes
6-10

Major hurricanes
3-5

Be prepared: Visit hurricanes.gov and follow @NWS and @NHC_Atlantic on Twitter.

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2021 Atlantic Tropical Cyclone Names

Ana
Bill
Claudette
Danny
Elsa
Fred
Grace

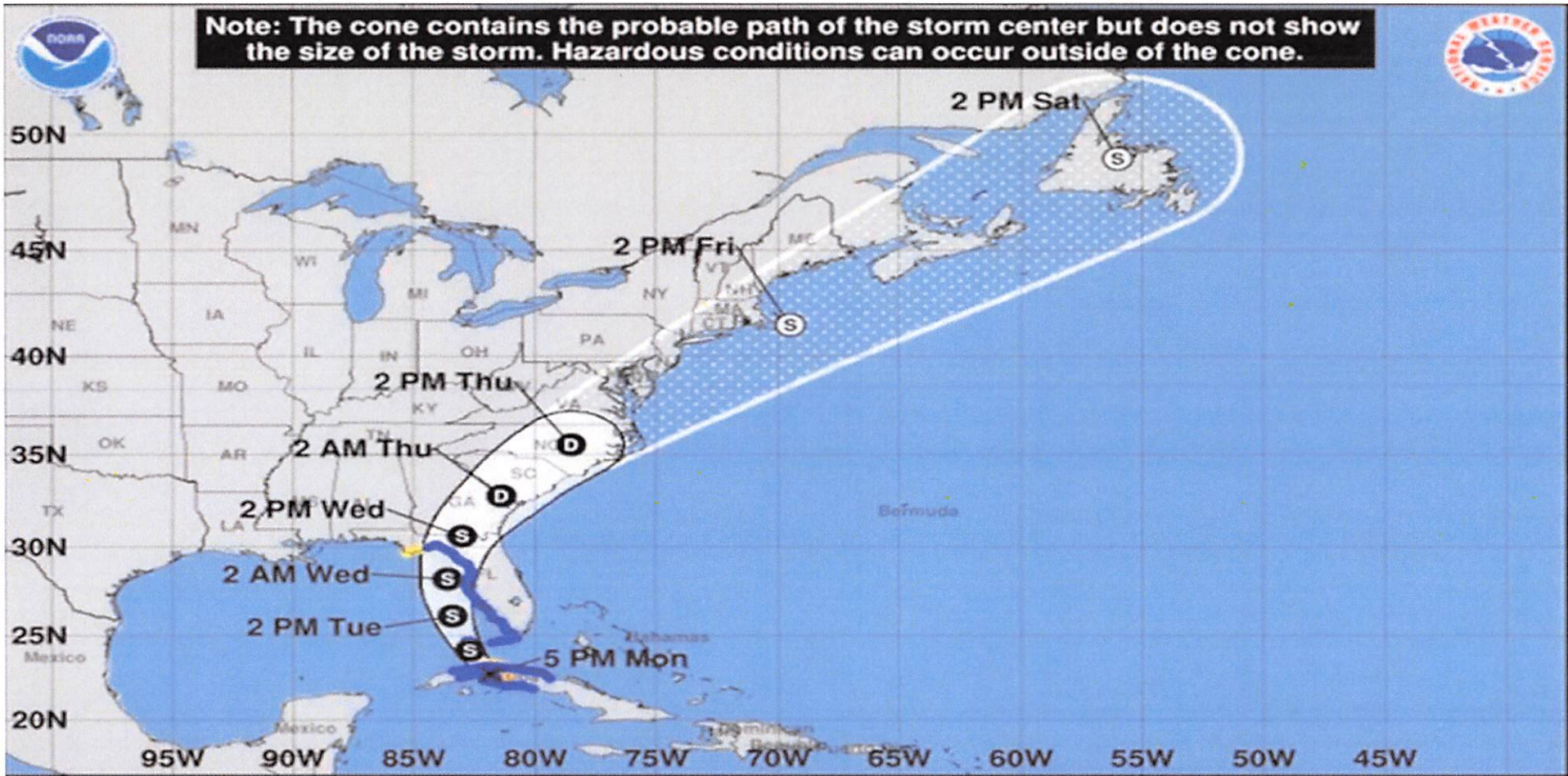
Henri
Ida
Julian
Kate
Larry
Mindy
Nicholas

Odette
Peter
Rose
Sam
Teresa
Victor
Wanda

Names provided by the World Meteorological Organization

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<p>Tropical Storm Elsa Monday July 05, 2021 5 PM EDT Advisory 22 NWS National Hurricane Center</p>	<p>Current information: x Center location 22.7 N 81.9 W Maximum sustained wind 50 mph Movement NW at 14 mph</p>	<p>Forecast positions: ● Tropical Cyclone ○ Post/Potential TC Sustained winds: D < 39 mph S 39-73 mph H 74-110 mph M > 110 mph</p>
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<p>Potential track area: Day 1-3 Day 4-5</p>	<p>Watches: Hurricane Trop Stm</p>	<p>Warnings: Hurricane Trop Stm</p>	<p>Current wind extent: Hurricane Trop Stm</p>
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Confirmed tornado in Jacksonville as Tropical Storm Elsa moves through northeast Florida



by: [Christina Edwards](#)

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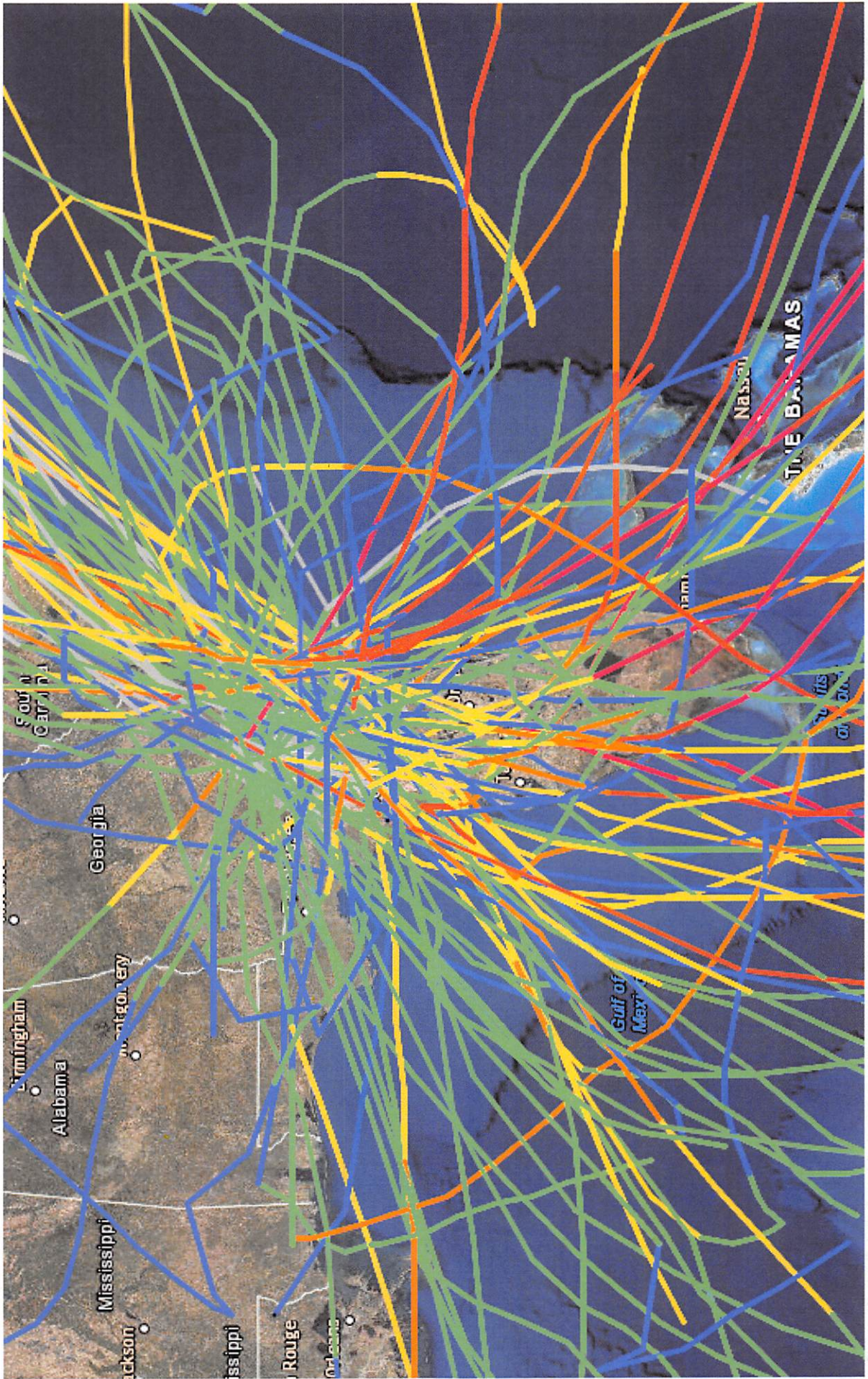
One of the potential hazards of a landfalling tropical system are tornadoes that form within the rainbands of the tropical system.

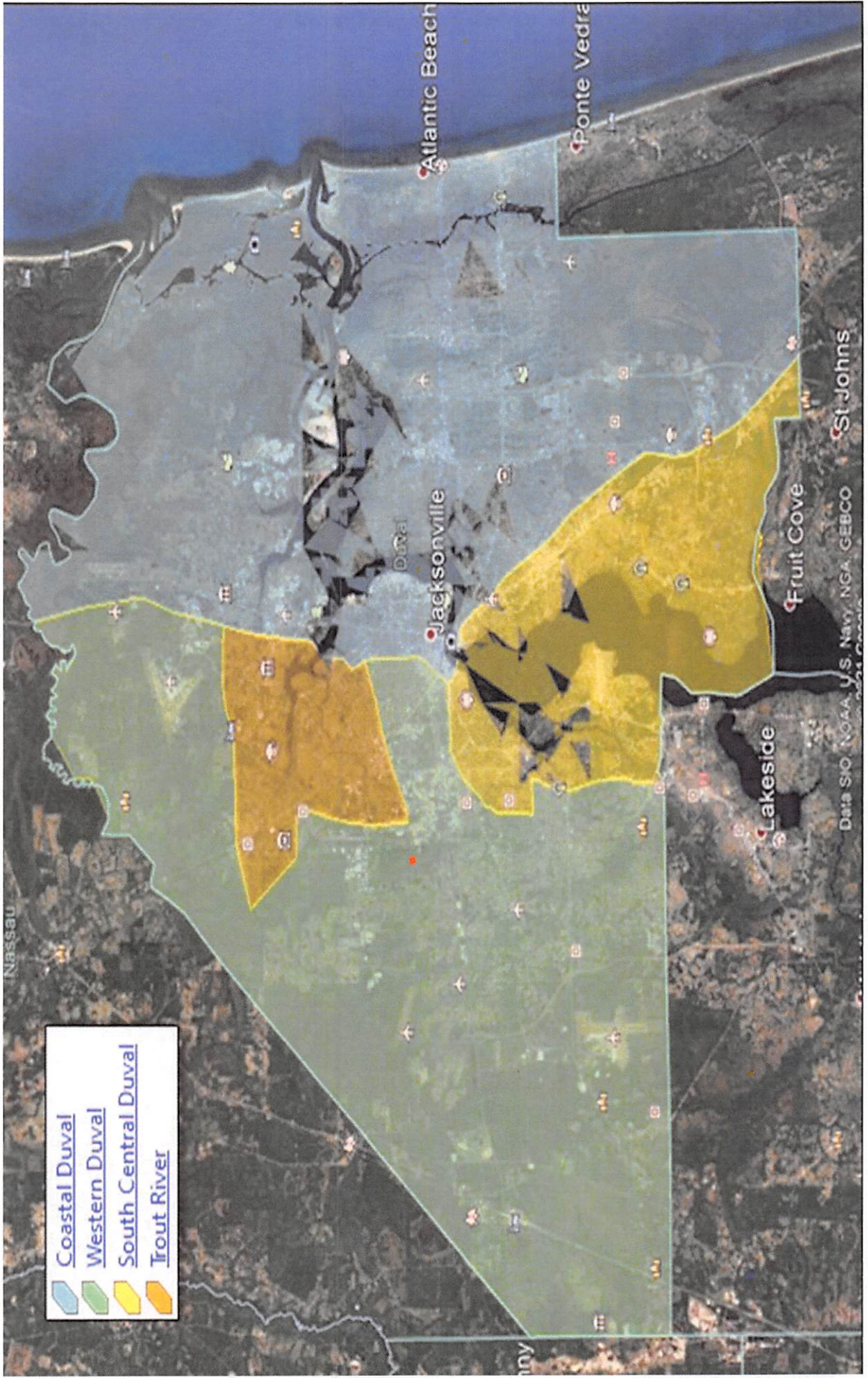




Tropical Cyclones Since 1851













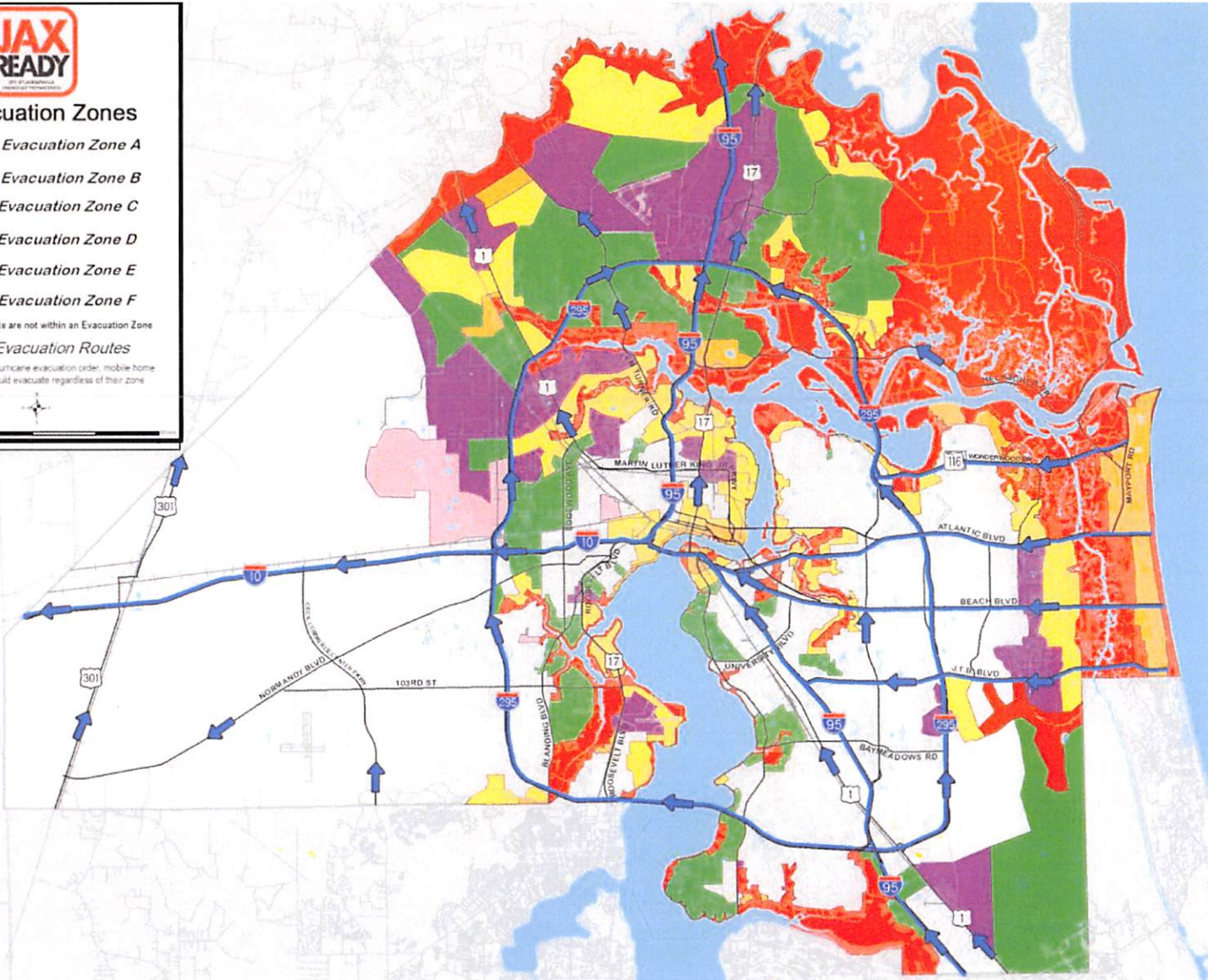
Evacuation Zones

-  Evacuation Zone A
-  Evacuation Zone B
-  Evacuation Zone C
-  Evacuation Zone D
-  Evacuation Zone E
-  Evacuation Zone F

Areas in white are not within an Evacuation Zone

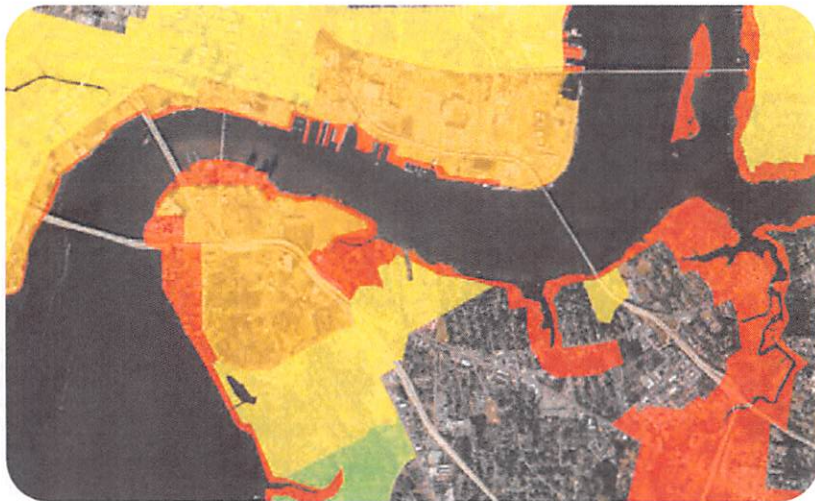
 Evacuation Routes

Note: During a hurricane evacuation order, mobile home residents should evacuate regardless of their zone

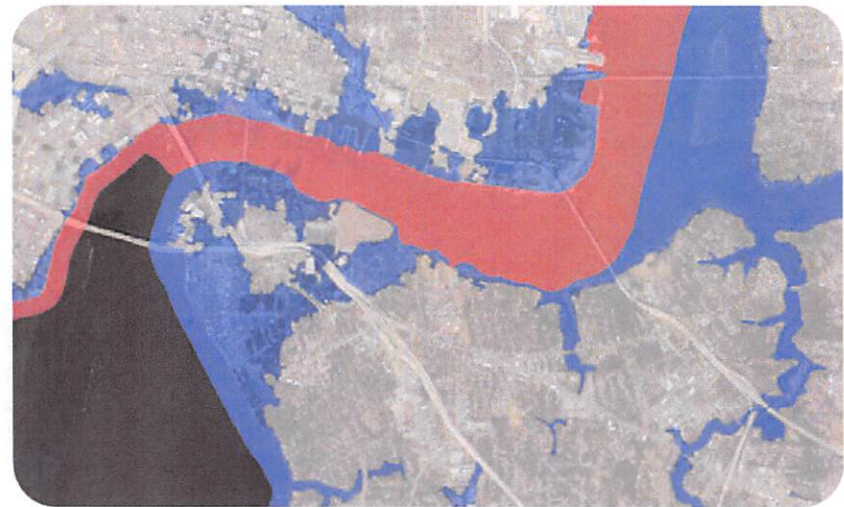


Evacuation Zones vs. Flood Zones

Evacuation Zones are calculated using many factors, such as wave action, precipitation, drainage systems, and areas that could become isolated from emergency services.



Flood Zones are geographic areas that FEMA has defined according to varying levels of flood risk. Flood zones are used for flood insurance ratings and building code requirements.



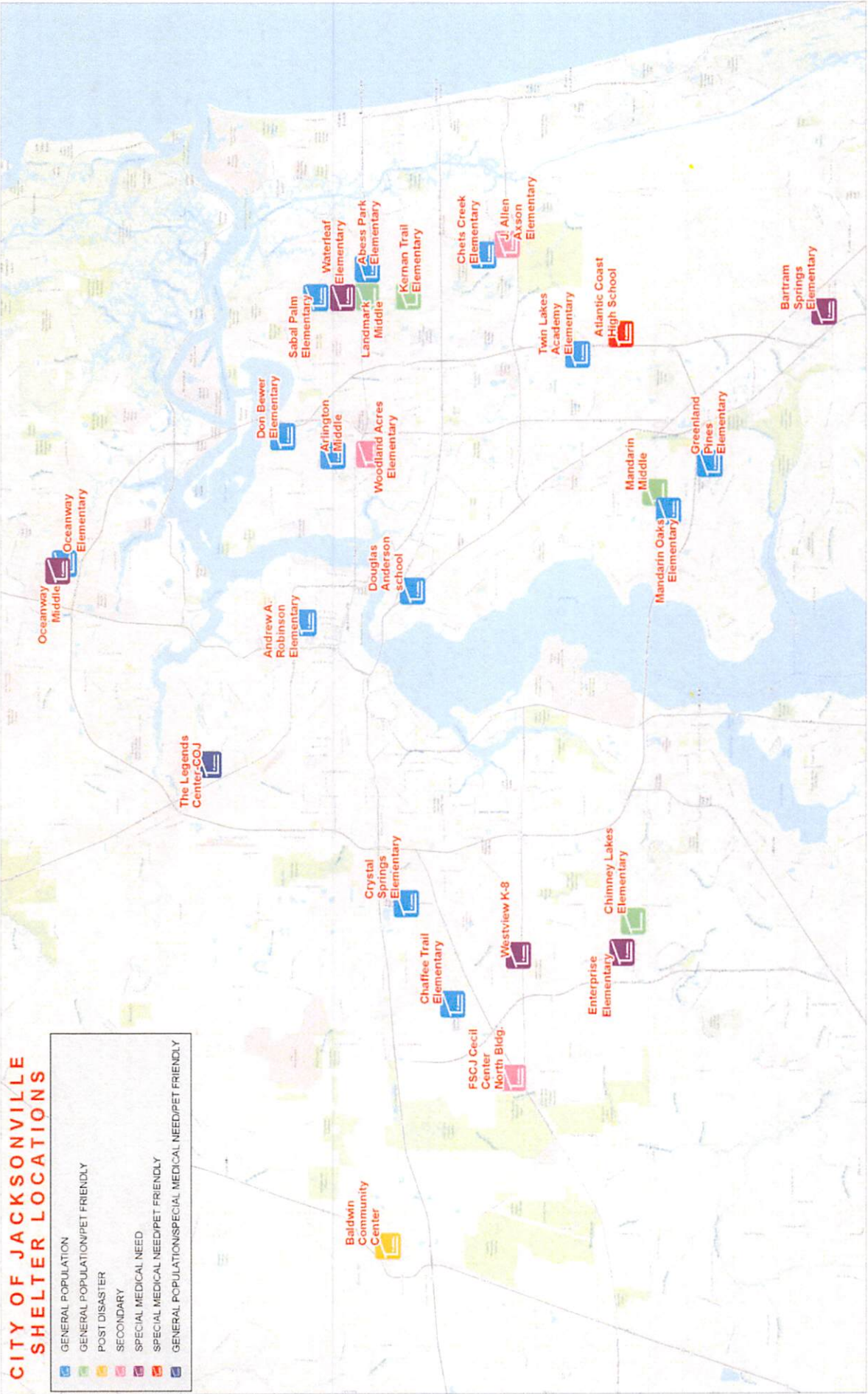


SHELTERS

• Total Shelters	29
• Total Special Needs Shelters	6
• Total Dual Population Shelters	1
• Pet Friendly Shelters	5
• Total Cots	5,621
• Adjustable Cots	485
• Sleeping Mats	1,149
• Pet Cages	322

CITY OF JACKSONVILLE SHELTER LOCATIONS

-  GENERAL POPULATION
-  GENERAL POPULATION/PET FRIENDLY
-  POST DISASTER
-  SECONDARY
-  SPECIAL MEDICAL NEED
-  SPECIAL MEDICAL NEED/PET FRIENDLY
-  GENERAL POPULATION/SPECIAL MEDICAL NEED/PET FRIENDLY



SPECIAL MEDICAL NEEDS REGISTRATION

If you have a health condition and require basic medical assistance during a disaster, contact us today to see if you qualify for Special Medical Needs. Visit our website at coj.net/specialmedicalneeds to complete the special medical needs registration form online or call (904) 630-CITY (2489). YOU MUST PRE-REGISTER if you plan to stay in a Special Medical Needs Shelter.



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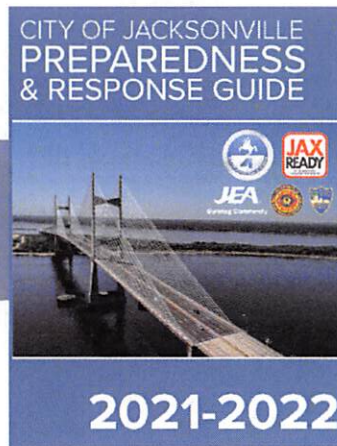
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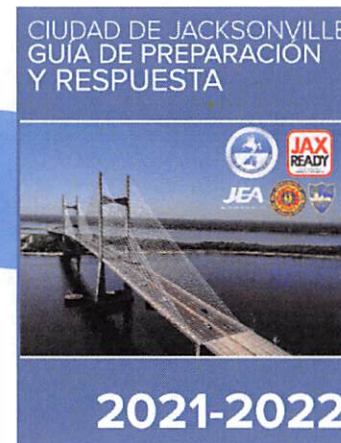


Read



Read the Preparedness and Response Guide.

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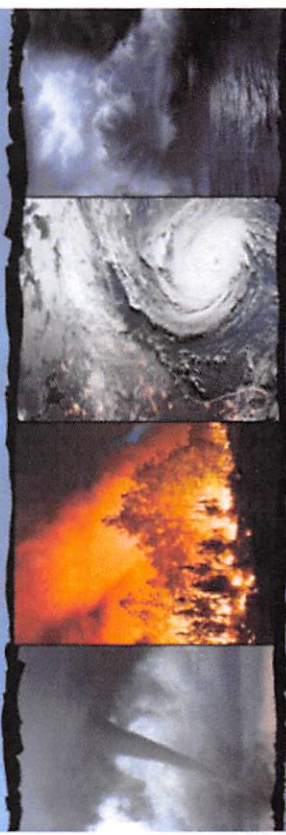
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PREPAREDNESS GUIDE

- The City of Jacksonville in partnership with JEA, will be mailing a copy of the 2021-2022 Preparedness & Response Guide to over 432,000 residential mailing address in Duval County
- The mailing process has already begun, so keep an eye out for your copy



CITY OF JACKSONVILLE EMERGENCY FAMILY PLAN



BE PREPARED FOR STORMS, HURRICANES, FLOODING,
WILDFIRES, AND OTHER NATURAL DISASTERS

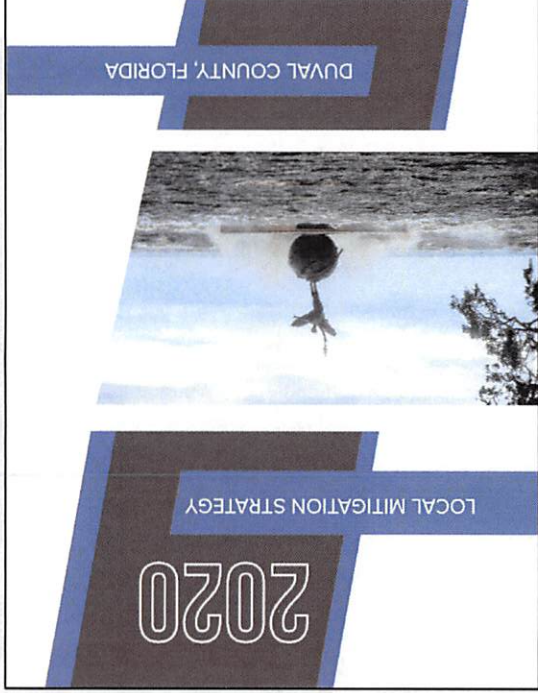
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LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY



A Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) is developed by every county in Florida.

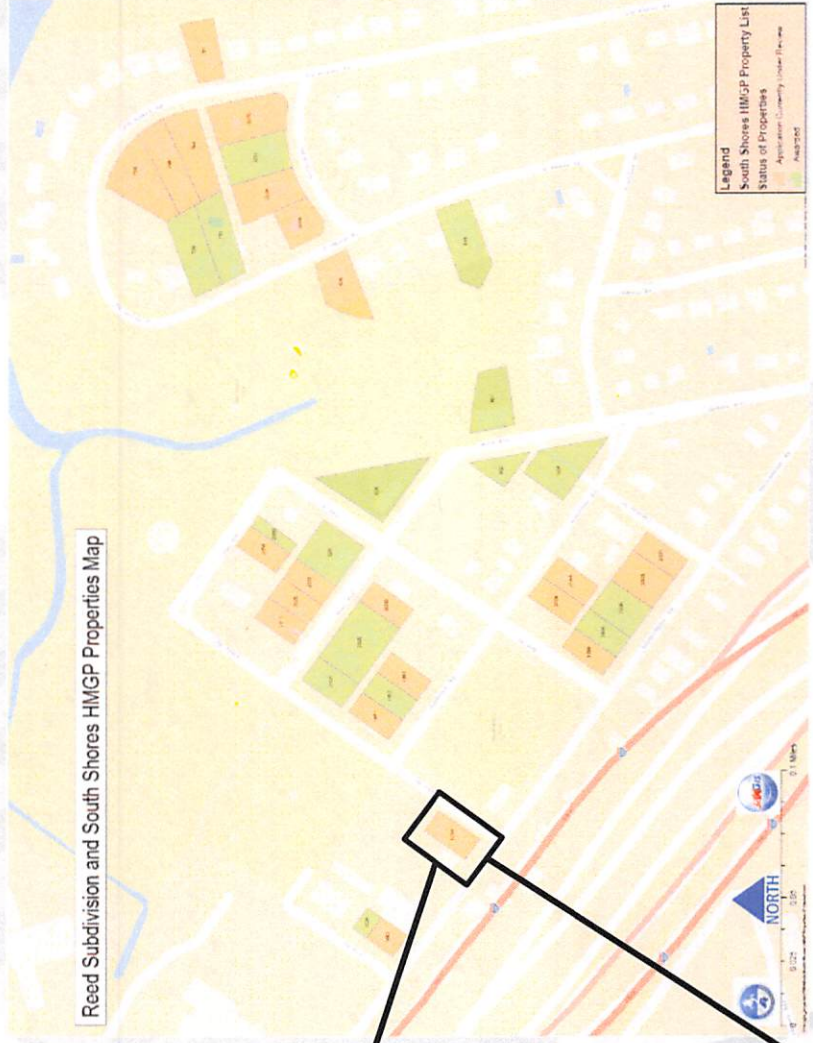


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DUVAL COUNTY LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY

The LMS has 139 mitigation projects primarily addressing **wind** and **flooding**.





MITIGATION

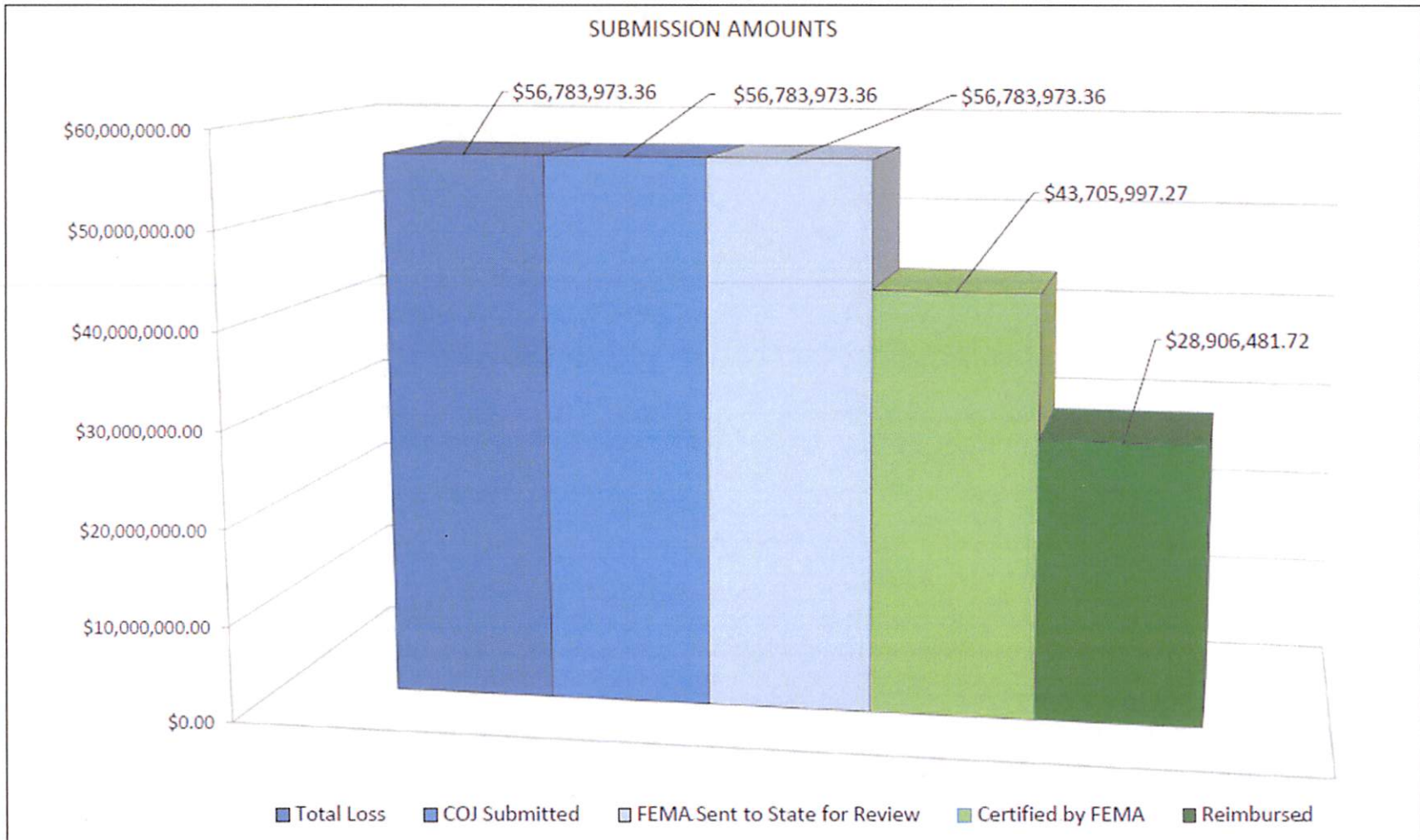
Federal Programs

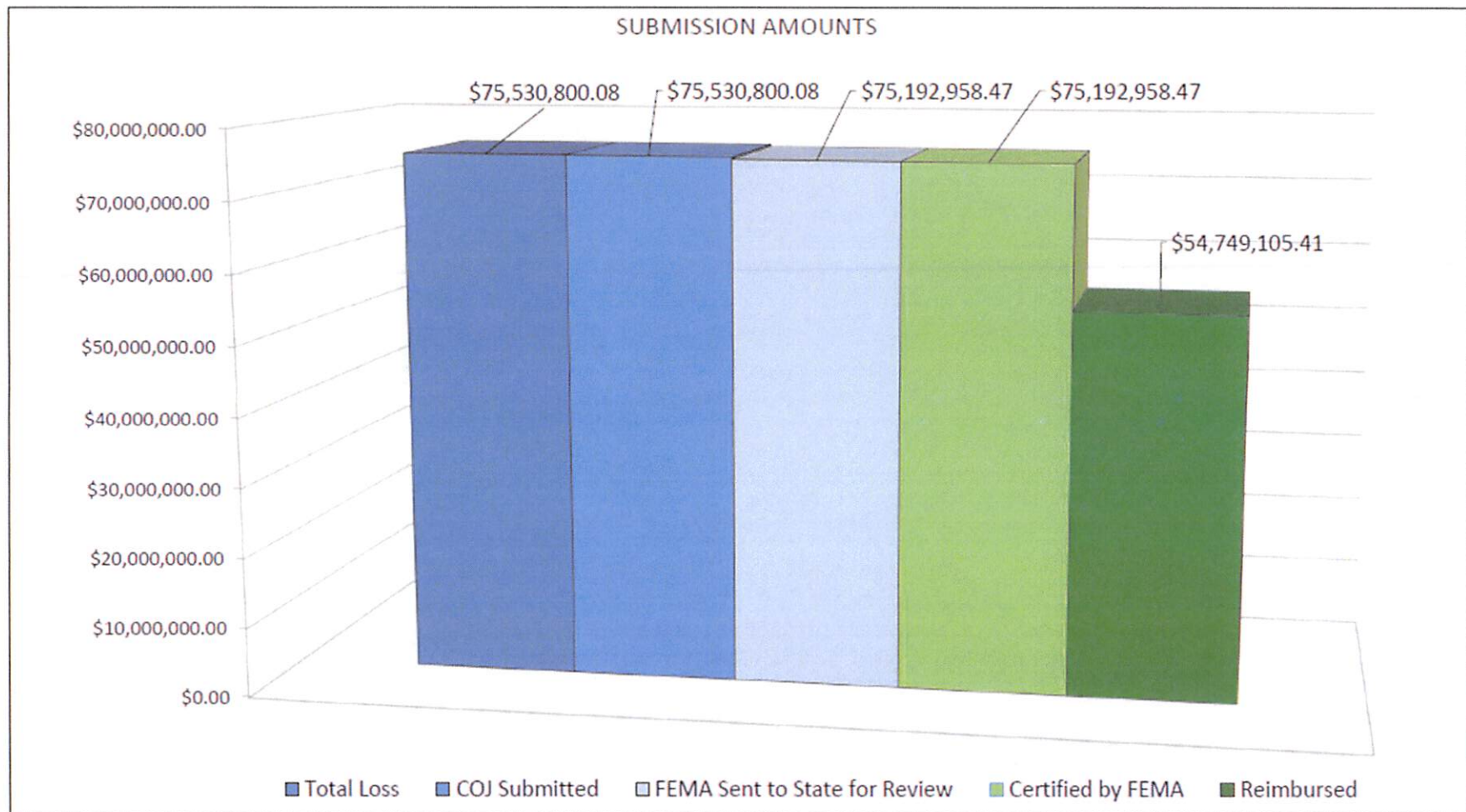
- Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
- Building Resilient Infrastructures and Communities (BRIC)
 - Formerly *Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program*
- Flood Mitigation Assistance Program



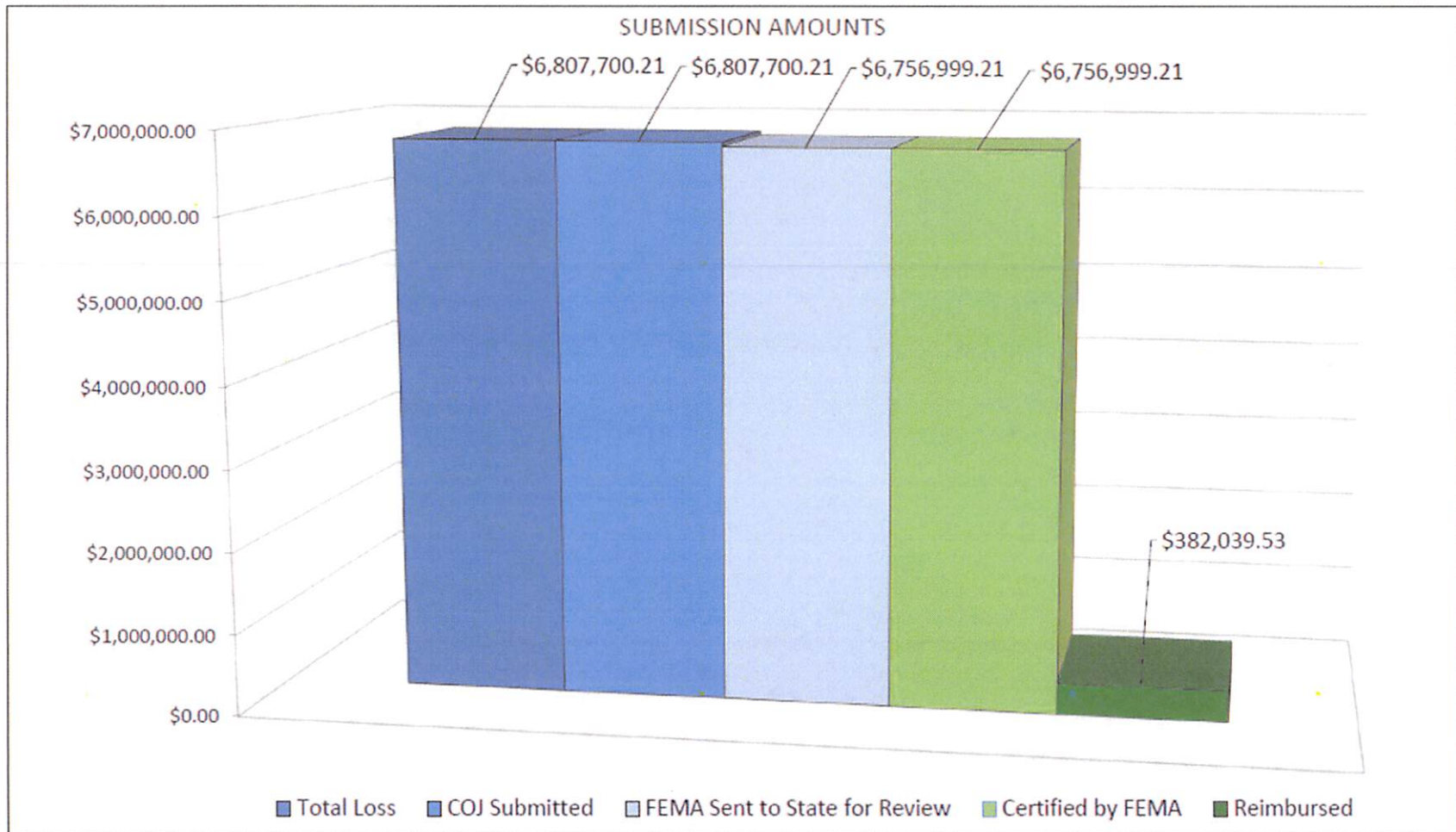
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FLORIDADISASTER.BIZ

DR-4283 HURRICANE MATTHEW
STATUS REPORT





DR-4486 HURRICANE DORIAN
STATUS REPORT



IMPORTANT MESSAGING

PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY

- Storm Shutters
- New Roof
- Roof Fastening
- Head and Foot Bolts
- Security Deadbolt
- Reinforced Garage
- Clean Gutters and Drains
- Elevate
- Dry Floodproofing
- Wet Floodproofing



GET AN INSURANCE CHECK -UP

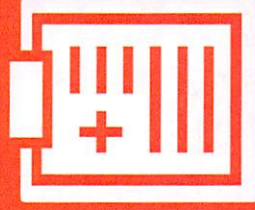
- Ask your Agent
- Inventory Contents
- Take Photographs
- Set Aside Funds

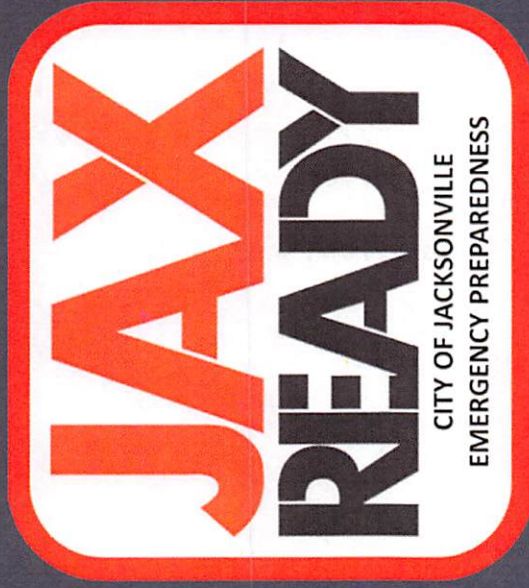
**MOST PROPERTY INSURANCE
POLICIES DO NOT COVER FLOOD
LOSSES**



MAKE A PLAN

- Know your Evacuation Zone and Route
- Know Where you Will Meet your Family
- Out-of-Town Contact
- Plan for your Entire Household
- Build a Kit





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