St. Johns County  
Department of Emergency Management  
Press Release

Hurricane Charley – Advisory 8

Date: August 14, 2004  
Time: 2:00 AM  
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Charley exiting Florida – Heading for the Carolinas

A Hurricane Warning remains in effect from Cocoa Beach Florida Northward to Oregon Inlet North Carolina on the Southeast Coast…

At 2:00 am the center of Hurricane Charley was located over the Atlantic near Latitude 30.1 North | Longitude 80.8 West, or about 190 miles South-Southwest of Charleston, South Carolina.

Charley is moving North-Northeast near 25 mph and this motion is expected to continue with an increase in forward speed during the next 24 hours. On this track, Charley will be nearing the South Carolina Coast later today.

St. Johns County Protective Actions

− St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners has declared a Local State of Emergency.
− St. Johns County Emergency Operations Center will be activated throughout the event.
− There are currently no road closures within St. Johns County.
− Crescent Beach Bridge is closed to Marine Traffic.

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