St. Johns County Reminds Residents to Stay Vigilant through Weekend

St. Johns County, Fl – St. Johns County Emergency Management, in conjunction with the National Weather Service and the National Hurricane Center, continues to monitor the path and possible impacts Hurricane Dorian may bring to our local community. No evacuation or sheltering orders have been issued at this time; however, we urge everyone in St. Johns County to continue monitoring the storm.

St. Johns County’s staff, first responders, law enforcement, and utilities, along with representatives from the City of St. Augustine, the City of St. Augustine Beach, and many other agencies, will remain fully operational throughout the weekend and continue to make preparations for potential impacts.

The latest projections indicate the storm making landfall in South Florida, then moving toward Northeast Florida. The storm is currently expected to bring extreme rainfall to our area, with some estimates up to 20 inches over the course of several days. However, storm tracks evolve rapidly as we have already seen with Hurricane Dorian. Please remain aware of the storm forecast and be ready to act if necessary. We encourage you to prepare your homes accordingly, have provisions for a minimum of 72 hours, and make sure your family plan is ready.

The Emergency Operations Center will remain activated and staffed to answer your questions through the weekend. The Emergency Operations Center Hotline is available from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. until the center becomes fully active. Should you have any questions, please call the Emergency Operations Center hotline at 904.824.5550. Additional information will be released as St. Johns County continues to prepare. Please visit www.sjcfl.us for more updates.

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