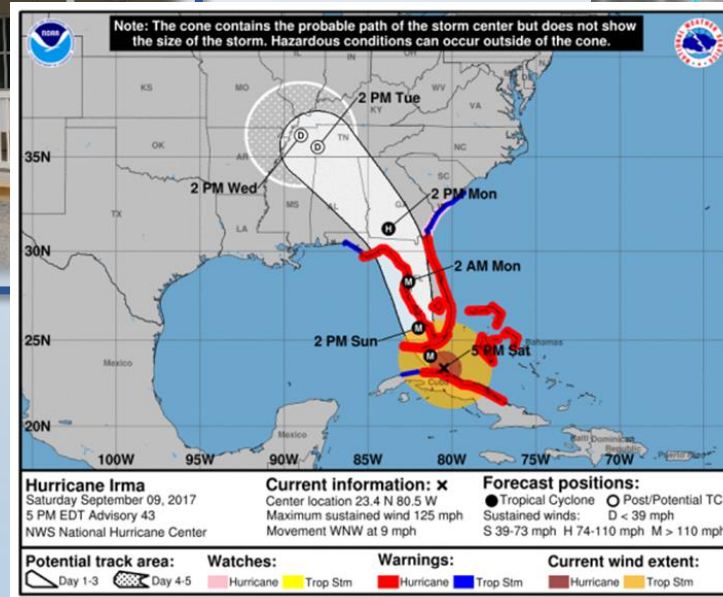
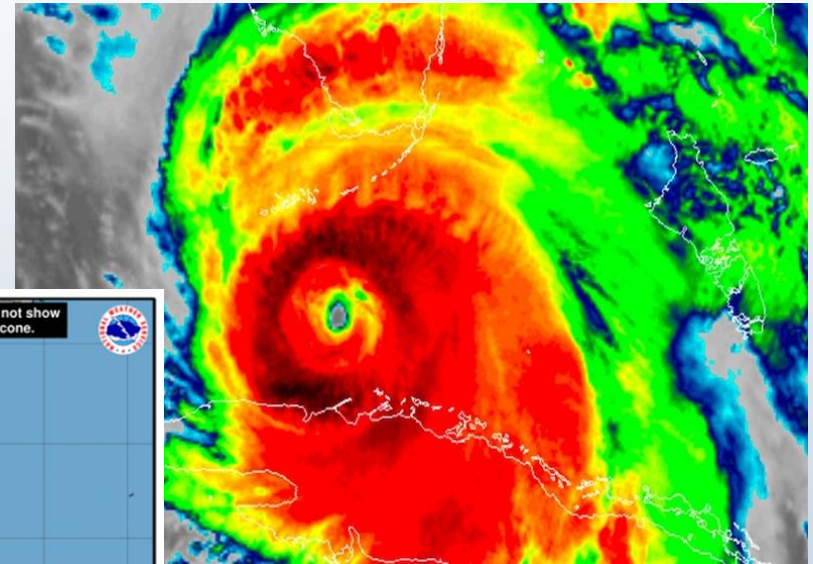


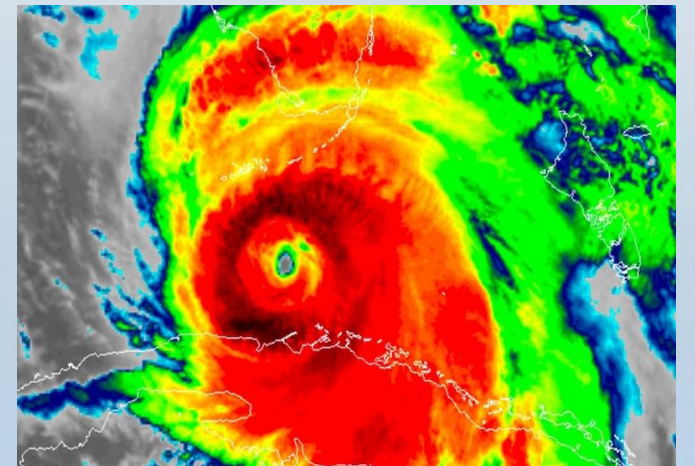
# Hurricane Irma Sheltering



# Hurricane Irma

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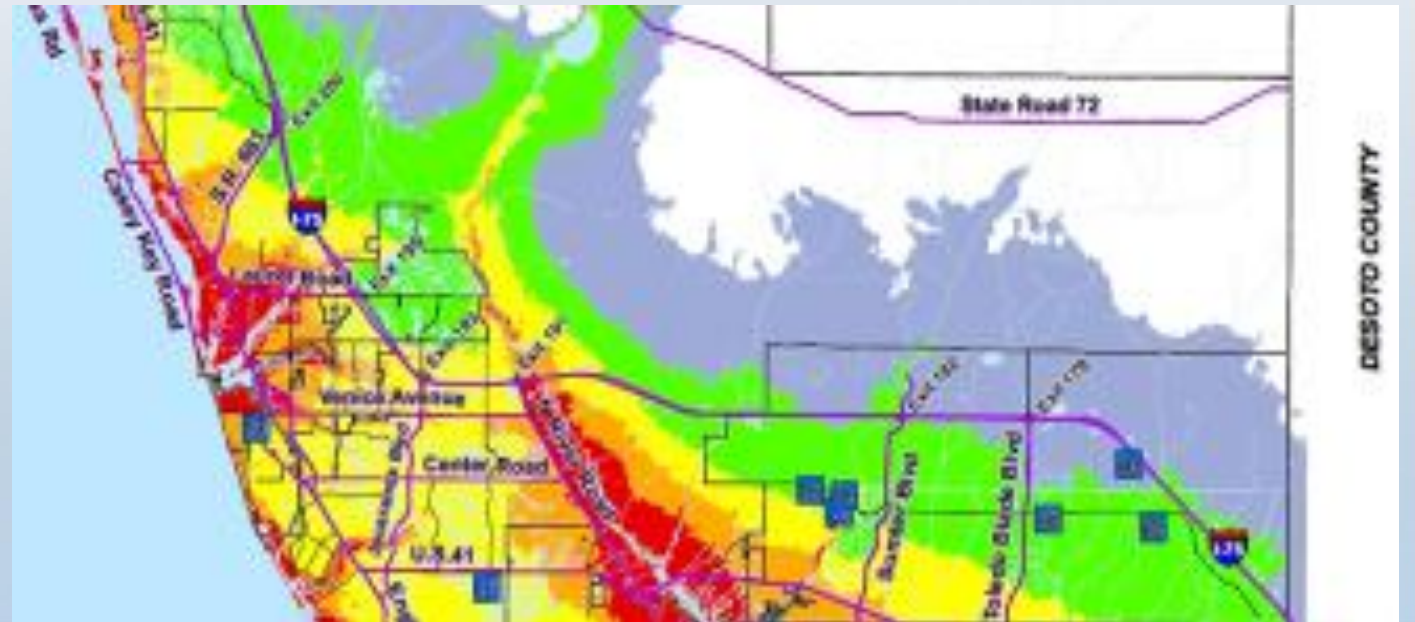
- 10 General Population Shelters opened
- 3 Medically Dependent Shelters opened
- Almost 19,000 residents in General Shelters
- Almost 1,600 residents in Medical Shelters
- Total Population Sheltered: Over 20,000
- 2,200 pets in all shelters



# Hurricane Irma Sheltering

## North Port Area Shelters

- North Port High School
- Heron Creek Middle School
- Woodland Middle School
- (2) Special Needs Shelters



# Hurricane Evacuation Center Enhancements

- Hurricane Evacuation Centers vs. Shelters
- Pet-friendly program
- Evacuation orders and Know Your Level
- Enhanced partnership with School District
- eRole and Administrative Directive updates
- Employee daycare program
- Training for County and School District employees
- City of North Port Evacuation Center support
- Revisions and updates to Evacuation Center operational guidelines
- Medically Dependent Evacuation Center operation upgrades
- Legislative request to support Regional Evacuation Center



## Recommendations

**Recommendation 8.7.1:** Develop a Memorandum of Understanding/Memorandum of Agreement (MOU/MOA) with Charlotte County for housing their residents and medically dependent individuals in Sarasota County shelters.

**Recommendation 8.7.2:** Develop a Memorandum of Understanding/Memorandum of Agreement (MOU/MOA) with Charlotte County for support from Charlotte County School District staff and County personnel along with law enforcement for security and fire rescue for emergency medical services.

# Recommendation Updates

- Multiple meetings regarding Evacuation Center support
  - Operational commitments and staffing in Charlotte County prevent support of hurricane Evacuation Centers in Sarasota County
  - Bargaining contracts also prevent support through the School District
- MOU for support of Medically Dependent Operations in process
- Staff will continue to work with Charlotte County team on potential methods to support Sarasota County Hurricane Evacuation Center activations.

# Questions

