

Hurricane Olivia-Hawaii September 10, 2018

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Gov. Ige signed an emergency proclamation that will provide relief for disaster damages, losses and suffering caused by Hurricane Olivia. Even if Olivia arrives as a Tropical Storm, as predicted, Hawai'i is in danger of experiencing high winds, heavy rains, high surf, storm surges and flooding that threaten to harm communities and cause extensive damage to public and private property across the state.

The proclamation declares the counties of Hawai'i, Maui, Kalawao, Kaua'i and the City and County of Honolulu disaster areas for the purpose of implementing emergency management functions. The proclamation also authorizes the expenditure of state monies as appropriated for the speedy and efficient relief of damages, losses, and suffering resulting from Hurricane Olivia.

"We're monitoring this storm closely and taking steps now to ensure that we're prepared for its impacts to the state. A tropical storm could bring heavy rain and flooding, especially in places that are saturated from previous storms. Now is the time to prepare," said Gov. David Ige.

The emergency proclamation expires on September 17, 2018.

Governor's Disaster Proclamation: https://governor.hawaii.gov/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/180909_Pre-landfall-emergency-declaration-for-Olivia.pdf

Department of Emergency Services

3949 Diamond Head Road

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96816

(808) 733-4300

<http://www.dod.hawaii.gov/hiema>

<https://www.facebook.com/HawaiiEMA>

https://www.twitter.com/Hawaii_EMA

Latest Information:

Hurricane Olivia is moving toward Hawaii and is currently about 1,000 miles away. It may hit Hawaii as a tropical storm in the middle of this week, starting on Tuesday, September 11. Do not focus on the exact track or forecast of the intensity, because

anywhere in the islands could feel significant impacts even if they are far from the center of the storm.

As of Sunday, September 9, the National Hurricane Center is tracking Hurricane Olivia, which has crossed into the Central Pacific region (where Hawaii is located).

Hurricane Olivia is currently about a thousand miles east of Hawaii. Olivia is headed in the direction of the islands and may hit the the state as a tropical storm starting Tuesday, September 11 (see map above). Regardless of where the center of the storm is, the entire state could experience dangerous tropical storm conditions.

The Department of Health advises all residents of Hawaii to have an emergency plan and an emergency kit, in preparation for such natural disasters (See “What Should I Do?” in the sections below for more information).

Current advisories can be found by visiting:

<http://www.health.hawaii.gov/prepare/current-issues-and-advisories>

Open Shelters-County Run:

Hawai'i County: No shelters open at this time. No school or road closures listed.
For updates, visit: <http://www.hawaiicounty.gov/active-alerts>

Maui County: No shelters open at this time. No school or road closures listed.
For updates, visit: <https://www.mauicounty.gov/AlertCenter.aspx>

Kalawao County: No school or road closures listed.
For updates, visit: <https://www.kauai.gov/KEMA>

City and County of Honolulu:
For updates visit: <https://www.honolulu.gov/dem>

Red Cross Hawaii

4155 Diamond Head Road
Honolulu, HI 96816
(808) 734-2101

<https://www.redcross.org/local/hawaii/about-us/locations.html>

Open Shelters: (Residual from Hurricane Lane)

Maui County: Lahaina Cristian Fellowship, 4275 Hine Way, Lahaina, HI 96761

Hawai'i County: Evacuation Center-Pahoa Regional Recreation Facility – Gym
15-2910 Kuuhome St., Pahoa, HI 96778

Department of Transportation

869 Punchbowl Street

Honolulu, HI 96813

(808) 587-2150

<http://www.hidot.hawaii.gov>

<https://www.twitter.com/DOTHawaii>

<https://www.facebook.com/HawaiiDepartmentOfTransportation>

Currently, there are no traffic closures due to Hurricane Olivia.

For other updates, visit: <http://hidot.hawaii.gov/weather-advisories>

For a map of road conditions, visit: <http://www.goakamai.org> or call 5-1-1.

United Way/211 Information and Referrals Lines

These information and referral lines may know of additional resources currently providing assistance, such as food pantries, clothing closets, emergency shelters, and agencies offering financial assistance. Please call and provide your zip code and demographic information in order to receive referrals.

From all local numbers, dial: 2-1-1.

All other callers may dial: (877) 275-6569

Resource assistance is also available from the website at: <http://www.211.org>

Or you may visit the state-specific website at: <http://www.auw211.org>

NATIONAL RESOURCES:

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA)

500 C Street SW

Washington, DC 20472

(800) 621-3362

<http://www.fema.gov>

<https://www.facebook.com/FEMA>

<https://twitter.com/fema>

Please visit the website and click on “*Disaster Declarations*”. If a disaster is declared, please call to apply for assistance by phone, or visit: <https://www.disasterassistance.gov> to apply online.

DISASTERASSISTANCE.GOV

<https://www.disasterassistance.gov>

Offers information about local resources for disasters, including: FEMA Disaster Recovery Centers (DRCs), Red Cross, food, shelter, state emergency management agencies, and hospital locators.

To determine if individual disaster assistance is available through FEMA, please visit the website and enter the address.

To locate your local state emergency management agency for disaster information and updates, please visit: <http://www.fema.gov/emergency-management-agencies>

AMERICAN RED CROSS NATIONAL

National Headquarters
2025 East Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006
(202) 303-4498 or (800) 733-2767
<http://www.redcross.org>

Please call or visit the website to locate your local chapter and open shelters.

AMERICAN RED CROSS SAFE AND WELL LIST

<https://safeandwell.communityos.org/cms/index.php>

Residents affected can notify their friends and family that they are safe by visiting the website and selecting “*List Myself as Safe and Well.*” Individuals can also search for loved ones by selecting “*Search Registrants.*”

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE

Weather alerts by state are available at <http://www.weather.gov/alerts>.

THE WEATHER CHANNEL

Local forecasts and severe weather alerts, available at <http://www.weather.com>.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND ROAD CLOSURE INFORMATION

<http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/trafficinfo>

SAFE TRAVEL USA

<http://www.safetravelusa.com>