



# St. Johns County Emergency Management

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## **Tropical Storm Isaias Increases in Intensity, Shifts East Away from St. Johns County**

**St. Johns County, FL** – Tropical Storm Isaias has increased slightly in intensity, but has shifted east and has reduced St. Johns County’s vulnerability to tropical storm force winds. In addition, the National Weather Service has indicated a reduced threat of flooding and storm surge in our area. St. Johns County is now projected to experience one to two feet of storm surge and one to four inches of rain on Monday.

The Emergency Operations Center will remain open overnight on Sunday and throughout Monday for emergency response as necessary. In addition, the Emergency Operations Center Hotline, 904.824.5550, will remain available to the public through midnight on Sunday and will resume operations at 6 a.m. on Monday. St. Johns County’s Public Works, Utility, and other departments are monitoring the storm and are prepared to initiate recovery efforts, as necessary, once the storm passes.

Residents may find local Tropical Storm Isaias information on the County's website at [www.sjcfl.us/HurricaneIsaias](http://www.sjcfl.us/HurricaneIsaias). Weather updates related to Tropical Storm Isaias may be found at [www.weather.gov/jax](http://www.weather.gov/jax) or [www.nhc.noaa.gov](http://www.nhc.noaa.gov). For additional information, please call the St. Johns County Emergency Operations Center Hotline at 904.824.5550.

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