

# First Coast TIM Team Meeting

## Tuesday, September 21, 2021

### Meeting Minutes

*The list of attendees, agenda, and meeting handouts are attached to these meeting minutes.*

***\*For the health and safety of everyone, this meeting was held virtually to adhere to COVID-19 safety guidelines.***

#### **Introductions and TIM Updates**

- Craig Carnes opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.
- Craig stated the purpose of the meeting is to meet and discuss the traffic incident management responsibilities that we have, for the First Coast TIM area and to communicate, coordinate and collaborate with each other so that we can talk about our successes. Also to talk about issues that we've had out on the roadway since our last meeting, so that we can come together to reduce instant clearance times and improve our open roads, goals, our open roads policy goal of 90 minutes and to reduce secondary accidents.
- The July 2021 First Coast TIM Team Meeting Minutes were sent to the Team previously, and receiving no comments, they stand as approved.

#### **Overland Bridge and Your 10 & 95 Project Updates by Tim Heath**

- The Fuller Warren Bridge is still under construction for widening.
- Decorative hand railing is being installed on the Shared Use Path.
- Steel girders are being erected on the Ramp T bridge (I-95 Northbound to I-10 Westbound) and will cause some nightly detours.

#### **Construction Project Update by Hampton Ray**

- The I-10 Widening project is underway. There have been issues with motorists speeding through the corridors.
- The I-295 East Beltway Express Lanes are expected to open in November and will cause a lot of traffic switches. The delineators should be placed in early or mid-October.
- The Diverging Diamond Interchange is underway on JTB at San Pablo Rd. and hasn't had many issues.
- Construction just began for a continuous flow interchange for a displaced left turn on Southside Blvd. at Gate Parkway and is expected to take about a year to complete.
- Hampton thanked the Road Rangers and noted a Road Ranger who helped save a motorist's life by pulling them out of their burning vehicle.

#### **Emergency Operations Update by Amber Brock**

- Amber provided the Team a PowerPoint presentation for the 2021 Storm Season. A copy of the presentation will be included with these meeting minutes.

#### **ITS Update/ITS Projects/511/TMC Updates by Craig Carnes and Jason Evans**

- The Fuller Warren Bridge and I-10/I-95 project is coming to a close. Work is being done with the contractor and CEI team to make sure that all of the ITS components for that project are taken care. They will get tested and approved and then integrated into the SunGuide system so that the TMC can use them to the best of their ability.

- Craig stated that the I-10 Widening project is under construction but is undergoing some design changes, so we are just following along with them and trying to help them out on any issues they may come across in the field or anything that is different from how the design is laid it out.
- The TPAS (Truck Parking Availability System) project is coming to a close. Craig noted there are still issues, but the issues are with the product. As the project is accepted, work will continue with the manufacturer to make sure that everything under warranty is replaced and upgraded as needed.
- The I-295/I-95 North Interchange project is progressing very well.
- Jason noted that the ITS Maintenance Contractor is about to begin their annual tree trimming, so you may see crews out clearing branches and overgrowth to provide better views for the CCTV cameras.
- This is Rail Safety Week so some of the Interstate and arterial DMS signs will be promoting rail safety, especially along the US-1 corridor.
- The TMC has been doing a lot of prep work for the East Beltway Express Lanes as the devices are brought online and tested for the opening date later this year.

### **TIM Team Self-Assessment**

- Craig led the Team through the Self-Assessment questionnaire as the Team members collectively answered each question.

### **Announcements**

- The next meeting is scheduled for November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021, at 10 a.m. and will still be held virtually at this time. Updates for in person meetings will be sent out with the TIM Team meeting reminders.
- If anyone needs anything or has any questions, please contact Dee Dee Crews at [DeeDee.Crews@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:DeeDee.Crews@dot.state.fl.us) or (904) 903-2009.
- **Meeting Adjourned**



**FIRST COAST  
TRAFFIC INCIDENT MANAGEMENT TEAM  
AGENDA**

**September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021 10AM to 12PM**

**Link to Meeting: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/500779213>**

***WELCOME***

<b>INTRODUCTION</b>	<b>Team Members</b>
<b>PURPOSE OF MEETING</b>	<b>Dee Dee Crews</b>
<b>MINUTES – JULY 2021 APPROVAL</b>	<b>Team Members</b>
<b>YOUR 10&amp;95 PROJECT UPDATES</b>	<b>Tim Heath</b>
<b>CONSTRUCTION PROJECT UPDATE</b>	<b>Hampton Ray</b>
<b>EMERGENCY OPERATIONS UPDATE</b>	<b>Amber Brock</b>
<b>ITS UPDATE/ ITS PROJECTS - 511/TMC</b>	<b>Craig Carnes/ Jason Evans</b>
<b>TIM SELF-ASSESSMENT</b>	<b>Team Members</b>
<b>OPEN FORUM</b>	<b>Team Members</b>
<b>ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>	

➤ **Next Meeting November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021 (Go-To-Meeting)**

**MEETING ADJOURNED**

**MISSION:** The Florida Department of Transportation District 2 Traffic Incident Management Teams through partnering efforts strive to continuously reduce incident scene clearance times to deter congestion and improve safety. The Teams' objective is to exceed the Open Roads Policy thus ensuring mobility, economic prosperity, and quality of life.

**VISION:** Through cooperation, communication and training the Teams intend to reduce incident scene clearance times by 10% each year.



# 2021 Atlantic Tropical Cyclone Names

~~Ana~~

~~Bill~~

~~Claudette~~

~~Danny~~

~~Elsa~~

~~Fred~~

~~Grace~~

~~Henri~~

~~Ida~~

~~Julian~~

~~Kate~~

~~Larry~~

~~Mindy~~

~~Nicholas~~

~~Odette~~

~~Peter~~

~~Rose~~

~~Sam~~

~~Teresa~~

~~Victor~~

~~Wanda~~

Names provided by the World Meteorological Organization





# Two-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook

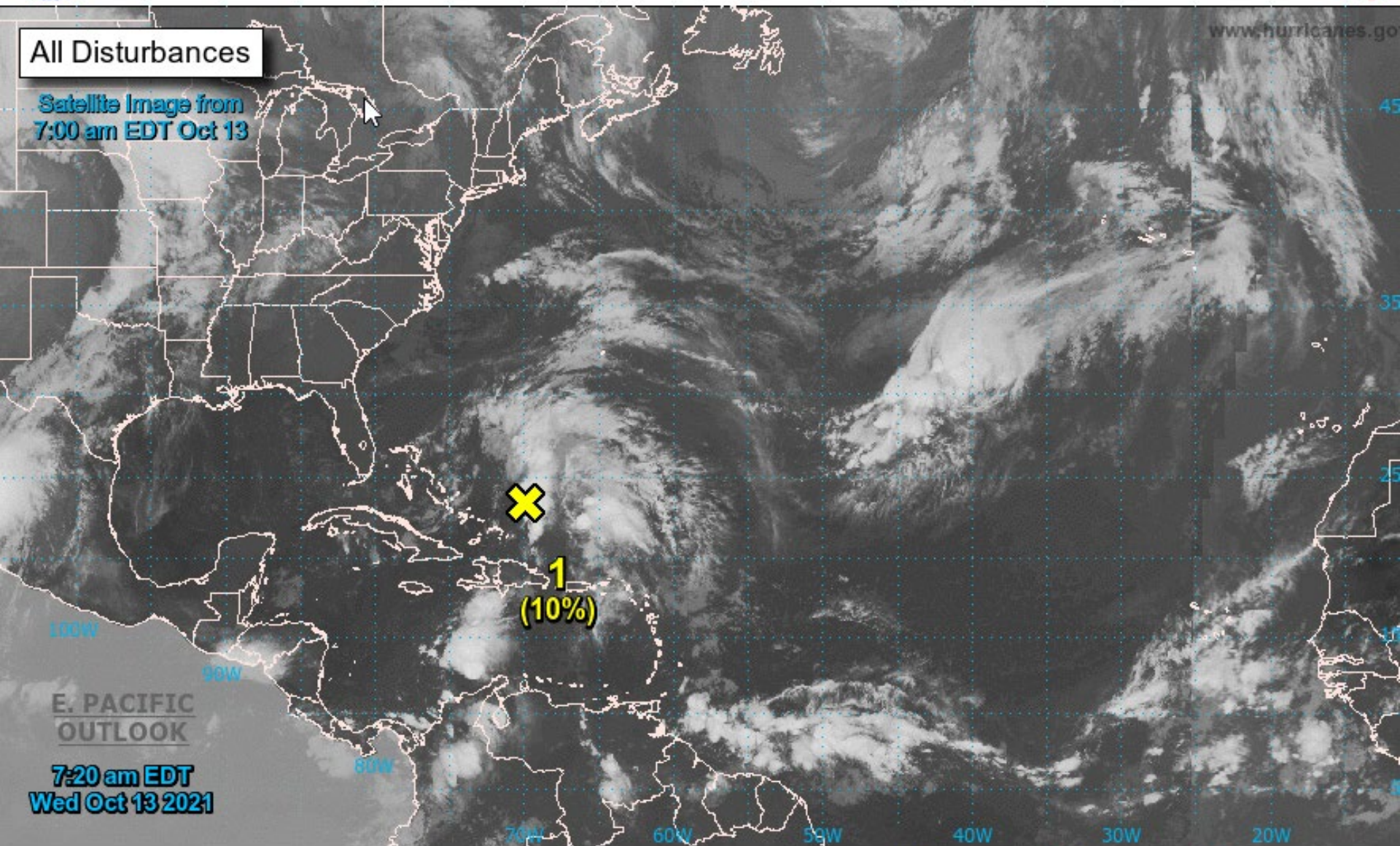
National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



www.hurricanes.gov

All Disturbances

Satellite Image from  
7:00 am EDT Oct 13



100W

90W

80W

70W

60W

50W

40W

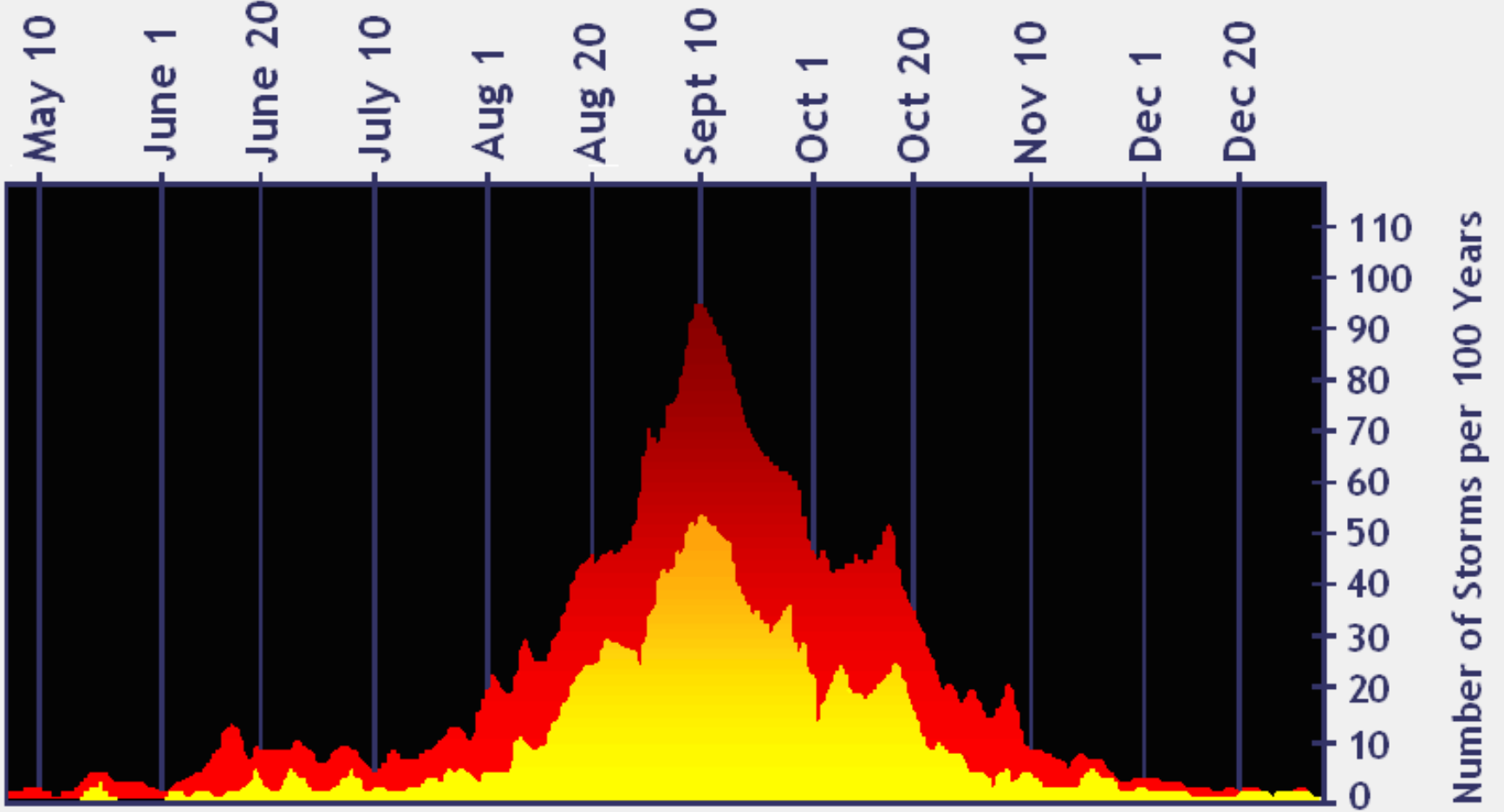
30W

20W

E. PACIFIC  
OUTLOOK

7:20 am EDT  
Wed Oct 13 2021

Current Disturbances and Two-Day Cyclone Formation Chance: < 40% 40-60% > 60%  
Tropical or Sub-Tropical Cyclone: Depression Storm Hurricane  
 Post-Tropical Cyclone or Remnants



■ Hurricanes and Tropical Storms  
■ Hurricanes

NOAA

## Winter Storm Names 2021 - 2022

Atticus	Hatcher	Oaklee	Vega
Bankston	Izzy	Phyllis	Willow
Carrie	Jasper	Quinlan	Xandy
Delphine	Kenan	Rachel	Yeager
Elmer	Landon	Silas	Zion
Frida	Miles	Tad	
Garrett	Nancy	Usher	



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