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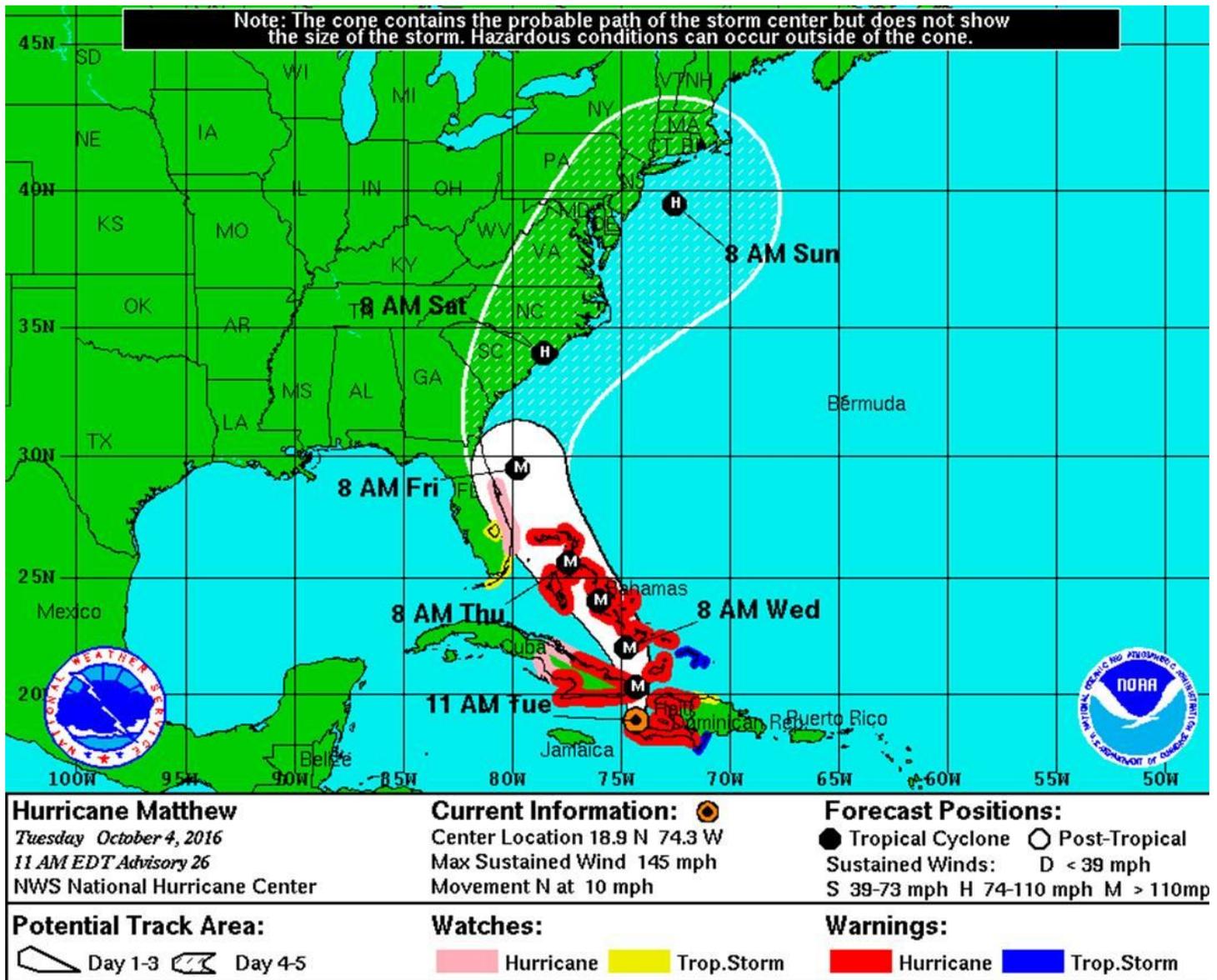
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Subject: RE: EMD Update: Hurricane Matthew (11am advisory)



From: Schimsa, Rebecca

Sent: Tuesday, October 04, 2016 6:51 AM

To: Haley, Nikki; Haley, Michael; Patel, Swati; Taylor, Richele; Godfrey, Rob

Subject: Re: EMD Update: Hurricane Matthew (5am advisory)

From EMD:

A new evacuation timeline has been developed after learning tropical storm force winds could arrive sooner than anticipated. The intent was to shift the timeline to the left to ensure the evacuation was completed and

staff moved to safety prior to the arrival of tropical storm force winds. See attached.

**Key milestones:**

New Evacuation time: 1800 (6:00 pm) [Wednesday, Oct. 5th](#)

Move OPCON 3 as soon as possible (e-36 at 0600) and declare a state of emergency

Active the National Guard by [noon today](#) - or sooner

Evacuation support personnel would need to move into the region as soon as possible

Move to OPCON 2 at 1800 (6pm) tonight and begin messaging the decision

Coordination with State and local partners is already underway to determine if this can be accomplished. This has not been fully vetted but wanted to ensure you were aware of the shift in thinking.

On Oct 4, 2016, at 5:41 AM, Schimsa, Rebecca <[RebeccaSchimsa@gov.sc.gov](mailto:RebeccaSchimsa@gov.sc.gov)> wrote:

The latest NHC track is below.

**From Kim Stenson:**

Based on this run it would appear that the Floyd scenario is coming into play. It is likely that this storm will cause evacuations from Florida to North Carolina. Two issues, among many others, that we will have to work today will be coordinating with border states on evacuation plans and competing for assets during both evacuation and immediate response.

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