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To: Neil Rashley nrashley@scbankers.org
CC: Schimsa, Rebecca RebeccaSchimsa@gov.sc.gov
Date: 10/6/2016 9:00:00 AM
Subject: Re: Banks - Hurricane Matthew

That does! Thank you Neil.

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Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 6, 2016, at 8:49 AM, Neil Rashley <nrashley@scbankers.org> wrote:

Richele,

The way we followed this before is that banks close as any other business that is subject to the Governor's evacuation order. So we've felt that specifically closing banks by order wasn't really needed. Plus people may need access to banking as they leave – just like they might need a gas station or grocery store. Still we advise our banks that they are subject to the Governor's order if they are in affected counties and that safety of customers and employees come first. Some have already let us know of when they are closing.

As for Monday, we've advised them that although Monday is a federal holiday and a legal banking holiday there is no law says they must be closed. They're simply allowed to do so as a legal holiday. If they are allowed to return per the Governor's order and they wish to open to accommodate customers, they can do so.

It looks like from the projected course of the storm that Oct. 5th through 9th will be the affected days for the purposes of the order we typically do with your office. The 10th will need no order as it is already a legal banking holiday. Looking at the order that was done for the October flood we included Sunday. I don't see any problem doing that this time.

Does this help? I know y'all very busy but I am available if you'd like to talk. Otherwise e-mail is fine.

Neil

From: Taylor, Richele [<mailto:RicheleTaylor@gov.sc.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, October 06, 2016 8:38 AM
To: Neil Rashley
Cc: Schimsa, Rebecca
Subject: Re: Banks - Hurricane Matthew

Neil -

With the evacuation of various counties, do we have a need to close the banks? I know they are closed Monday and I'm not sure if this further impacts any decisions?

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On Oct 4, 2016, at 11:40 AM, Neil Rashley <nrashley@scbankers.org> wrote:

Thanks Rebecca.

Richele you can reach me by this e-mail, my office number below as well as my cell 803-467-2210 if you need to. I will monitor things from the banks end. Hopefully this thing will blow back out to sea. I'm sure you all are very busy right now.

Neil

From: Schimsa, Rebecca [<mailto:RebeccaSchimsa@gov.sc.gov>]
Sent: Tuesday, October 04, 2016 11:35 AM
To: Neil Rashley
Cc: Taylor, Richele
Subject: Re: Banks - Hurricane Matthew

Neil,

Yes, Richele Taylor, Governor's Chief Legal Counsel, and I will be handling these types of requests. Please send your requests to declare state holidays for banks to both of us at the appropriate time so we can prepare draft executive orders.

Thank you,

Rebecca

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 4, 2016, at 11:21 AM, Neil Rashley <nrashley@scbankers.org> wrote:

Rebecca,

I hope you're well.

As you're aware this storm keeps inching closer to the SC coast. I just want to confirm you are still my contact in the governor's office in case we need an order concerning banks that have to close.

Thanks,

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