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Flooding at Fork Retch in Mullins, SC.

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Major flooding continues in the Pee Dee region and Horry County. The Waccamaw River is expected to remain at major flood stage for the next 10-14 days, the Little Pee River at major flood through Thursday, and the Lumber River at moderate flood through Wednesday.

State agencies continue to support local relief missions in Dillon, Horry, Marion, and Williamsburg counties where residents are either evacuated due to flooding or are in need of immediate relief supplies.

Federal disaster declarations for public assistance (governments and some private entities) have been made for Beaufort, Berkeley, Charleston, Colleton, Darlington, Dillon, Dorchester, Florence, Georgetown, Horry, Jasper, Marion, and Williamsburg counties.

SCEMD is working closely with FEMA to process requests for private property debris removal. To date, SCEMD has received requests from the Town of Hilton Head Island, Beaufort County, and Horry County.

Federal disaster declarations for individual assistance (to individuals who have sustained losses due to the storm) have been made for Orangeburg and Marion counties.

More information on FEMA's Individuals and Households Program can be found [here](#).

Damage assessments to determine further eligibility for federal relief programs continue in 25 counties.

130 state roads and bridges remain closed. A full listing of closures can be found [here](#).

25 dams have been breached, 20 of which are state regulated and 5 unregulated. A list of breached dams can be found [here](#).

5,448 storm-related power outages remain statewide.

Some school districts in Dillon, Florence, Horry, Marion, Marlboro, and Williamsburg continue to be closed or operating on a delay.

5 emergency shelters remain open serving 166 occupants.

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