

STATE OF VERMONT VERMONT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



DAILY SITUATION REPORT Tuesday, December 05, 2023

Report Period: 12/4/2023 07:00 to 12/5/2023 07:00 Vermont State Emergency Operations Center

Status- MONITORING

INCIDENTS AND EVENTS:

- Irasburg A liquid propane tanker truck accident that caught fire occurred on Vermont Route 14, impacting the Black River, requiring evacuations and road closures. The VT Hazardous Material Response Team (VTHMRT) and the Agency of Natural Resources were notified.
- St. Johnsbury An unknown quantity of a petroleum-based fluid suspected to be hydraulic fluid, spilled on sidewalks throughout the city. The Agency of Natural Resources was notified.
- Plymouth A negligible amount of transformer oil was spilled. The Agency of Natural Resources was notified.

RESOURCES DEPLOYED:

- The VT Hazardous Material Response Team (VTHMRT) responded to the Irasburg incident with a strike team, Propane trailer and vehicles in support of the Irasburg and Orleans Fire Departments. The incident is expected to be ongoing.
- The Vermont Task Force One, Urban Search & Rescue team has deployed equipment to support the incident response in Irasburg.
- Vermont Disaster Animal Response Team (VDART) has deployed personnel to assist with the Evacuation Center in Irasburg.
- The Division of Fire Safety (DFS) deployed a Fire Marshal to assist with the opening of the Irasburg Evacuation Center.

CURRENT FEDERAL DECLARATIONS:

The following Public Assistance grants remain open for Vermont:

- DR1995-Severe storms and flooding, 04/23/11 05/09/11.
- DR4232-Severe storms and flooding, 06/09/15 (submitted for closure, 11/21/23).
- DR4330-Severe storms and flooding, 06/28/17 07/01/17.
- DR4380-Severe storms and flooding, 05/04/18 05/05/18.
- DR4445-Severe storms and flooding, 04/15/19.
- DR4474-Severe storm and flooding, 10/31/19 11/01/19.
- DR4532-Vermont COVID-19 Pandemic, 01/20/20 05/11/23.
- DR4621-Severe storm and flooding, 07/29/21 07/30/21.
- DR4695-Severe storm and flooding, 12/22/22 12/24/22.
- DR4720-Severe storms and flooding, 07/07/23 07/21/23.
- DR4744-Severe storms and flooding, 08/03/23 08/05/23.

QUICK REFERENCE LINKS:

VTALERT.GOV

WEATHER:

Enhanced Hazardous Weather Outlook National Weather Service Burlington

VERMONT HIGHWAYS:

Vermont 511 Road Information

HOMELAND SECURITY

National Terrorism Advisory System (NTAS)

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National Weather Service Albany
Local Weather
National Hurricane Center
USGS Lake Champlain Conditions

RIVER FLOW INFORMATION:

USGS Daily Stream Flow Conditions New England River Forecast Center

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