

2010

TROPICAL STORM HERMINE

Deployment Statistics

Lasted a total of 1 day

27 Personnel activated supporting the following resources:

- 4 Water Rescue Squads
- 4 Helicopter Search and Rescue Technicians
- ESF-9 Coordination Center

Type - **RAIN**

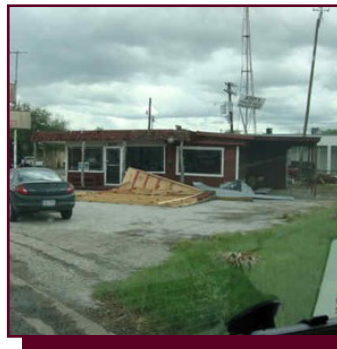
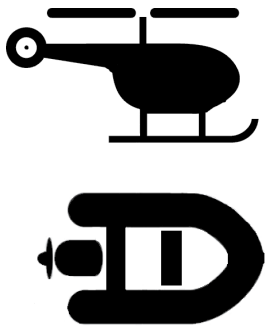


At approximately 2:00 a.m. on September 8, 2010, TX-TF1 was activated by TDEM due to extensive flooding from heavy rains across central Texas that stemmed from Tropical Storm Hermine. Tropical Storm Hermine produced torrential downpours over the Texas Hill Country causing significant flooding. As a result, TX-TF1 activated 4 Water Rescue Squads and forward deployed 2 teams to Williamson County and 2 teams to Hill County. The teams were centrally located and able to assist multiple jurisdictions with boat based rescues.

TX-TF1 also mobilized 4 HSARTS supporting 2 UH-60 Blackhawk helicopters and staged them in Austin. At approximately 12:00 p.m. the 4 HSARTS were forward deployed to Temple, TX, to be closer to the impacted area. The HSARTS and Water Rescue Squads worked with local officials throughout the event to provide assistance to jurisdictions when requested.

The ESF-9 Coordination Center in College Station, TX, was also activated to provide support throughout the incident to all deployed assets.

On the evening of September 8, after the threat of flooding across Texas had subsided, TDEM demobilized all TX-TF1 personnel.



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