

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
POLLUTION/SITUATION REPORT
Missouri Floods 2015 - Polrep/Sitrep



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Region VII

Subject: **SITREP #8**
Missouri Floods 2015
Southeast Missouri, MO

To:
Thru: 1/7/2016
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Reporting Period:

Executive Summary

See previous SitReps for this information.

1. Introduction

1.1 Background

Site Number:	Contract Number:
D.O. Number:	Action Memo Date:
Response Authority: Stafford Act	Response Type:
Response Lead: FEMA	Incident Category:
NPL Status: Non NPL	Operable Unit:
Mobilization Date: 12/31/2015	Start Date: 12/31/2015
Demob Date:	Completion Date:
CERCLIS ID:	RCRIS ID:
ERNS No.:	State Notification:

1.1.1 Incident Category

See previous SitReps for this information.

1.1.2 Site Description

See previous SitReps for this information.

1.1.2.1 Location

See previous SitReps for this information.

1.1.2.2 Description of Threat

Flooding in Missouri

1.1.3 Preliminary Removal Assessment/Removal Site Inspection Results.

Continued coordination with MDNR

1.2 Incident Objectives

See previous SitReps for this information.

1.3 Critical Resource Needs

No information available at this time.

1.4 Strategic Considerations

See previous SitReps for this information.

2. Current Activities

2.1 Operations Section

2.1.1 Narrative

FEMA has issued a mission assignment to EPA to staff the ESF#10 desk at the FEMA RRCC, the FEMA JFO, and to conduct ESF#10 operations for HHW and orphan containers. Working to obtain another mission assignment to supplement funding.

2.1.2 Response Actions to Date

See previous SitReps for previous information.

January 7, 2016

Collection of flood related ESF#10 related material continuing and will be brought back to the newly established staging area on MoDOT property near Route 66 State Park off I44 in Eureka, MO - drop off, open to public. Collections are beginning at the Eureka (Legion Park) location. EPA delivering goods to this location.

Oversight of collections in Pacific and Arnold has begun - curbside. Collected items are being documented upon receipt. Continuing collections in Union, Eureka, Valley Park and Fenton - curbside.

Orphan drums are being reported directly to EPA via the dashboard created by EPA. MDNR has also established a link on their website to report drums. MoDOT has issued directions to MoDOT employees on how to deal with drums and containers.

EPA documentation and instructions for segregation are being distributed to municipalities. Residents are being made aware of the need to sort.

Discussions are continuing for the need of another mission assignment.

2.1.3 Enforcement Activities, Identity of Potentially Responsible Parties (PRPs)

2.1.4 Progress Metrics

DATE	COUNTY/CITY	CONTAINERS	CYLINDERS	WHITE GOODS	E-GOODS	TOTAL TODAY
1/7	Arnold	590	10	20	20	640
1/7	Valley Park	33	25	9	13	80
1/7	Eureka	41	2	11	16	70
1/7	Fenton	46	3	10	12	71
1/7	Pacific	107	13	10	23	153
TOTAL		817	53	60	84	1014

2.2 Planning Section

2.2.1 Anticipated Activities

Staff the FEMA JFO and provide assistance as needed to the state.

Assess and recon flooded areas to begin HHW and Orphan drum and container operations.

The Region 7 REOC was activated to assist with all field operations.

2.2.1.1 Planned Response Activities

Establish additional staging locations and coordinate with the state on HHW and orphan container collection and recovery operations.

2.2.1.2 Next Steps

Conduct pre-sampling of staging areas once access agreements have been established. Begin recovering HHW and orphan containers and bring back to staging area.

2.2.2 Issues

2.3 Logistics Section

Currently, only 4 EPA OSCs have been mobilized and each will take care of their own logistics.

2.4 Finance Section

No information available at this time.

2.5 Other Command Staff

2.5.1 Safety Officer

Each of the EPA OSCs will act as safety officers during the initial setup stage of this assignment.

2.5.2 Liaison Officer

2.5.3 Information Officer

An EPA information officer from the Kansas City Regional office is coordinating with the disaster related JIC.

3. Participating Entities

3.1 Unified Command

FEMA, EPA, and MDNR

3.2 Cooperating Agencies

4. Personnel On Site

There are currently 4 EPA OSCs in theatre. Contracting documents were finalized, resulting in contractor personnel arriving onsite January 6, 2016.

5. Definition of Terms

No information available at this time.

6. Additional sources of information

No information available at this time.

7. Situational Reference Materials

No information available at this time.