



FL Chapter C3 Committee Report July 11, 2026

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Our Florida members dodged impact from the 2025 Tropical Storm Season. The funds remaining in the FY' 26 C3 account reserved for mobilization were converted into additional emergency food supplies for future use. Emergency Food Rations (ReadyWise) were ordered and received with a pallet stored in both Panama City and Port St. Lucie. Thanks to Robert Carlson and his Port St. Lucie team for making room in their warehouse to store this extra pallet of supplies.

With our new FY' 27 budget, we will be looking to find a place on the Atlantic Coast for another pallet of emergency food supplies. The goal is to have Emergency Supplies close to any location in Florida should the need occur to mobilize for support in the case of natural disaster or other emergency situations.

C3 committee meetings have been scheduled for the 4th Wednesday of every month, at 3pm EST, from June through the end of the year, but we can alter this schedule if there is a better time. We had a committee meeting on June 24th where we discussed the upcoming hurricane season, and high-end goals for the C3 Crew in Calander year 2026. Among these objectives were the acquisition of additional emergency supplies, the development of standardized mutual aid agreements, and the participation in Disaster Response Exercises to practice response mobilizations and coordination.

During this meeting, Chairman Clint Murphy shared his participation in Emergency Management Day in Tallahassee highlighted by a tour of the new Emergency Operations Center recently completed in Tallahassee. This center is a self-sustained structure with sleeping accommodations, state-of-the-art control and communications Center, and an in house full kitchen to allow uninterrupted 24/7 coordination during disaster events. The structure itself was designed to handle winds up to 200 miles per hour in case the disaster in question was a local event.

Clint Murphy also attended the FDEM Emergency Management Symposium in Orlando the June 1 – 5, 2026. This is the 3rd Annual Symposium with the Agenda focused on all aspects of Emergency Management, Disaster Response, FEMA Coordination, Emergency Logistics, and lessons learned from previous disasters.



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DEMES Mutual Aid system

This course is designed to review the Mutual Aid DEMES and reimbursement processes and requirements. The course will include a brief overview of the Mutual Aid program in Florida, a review of the **DEMES Mutual Aid system** and components, and an in-depth look at reimbursement documentation and requirements.



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