

**March 3rd Flooding Event
Capital Area Chapter
American Red Cross**

**Situation Report # 2
Sunday March 3rd 2002 3:00 PM**

Administration

The Capital Area Chapter's Emergency Operations Center at 187 Office Plaza Dr in Tallahassee remains activated. Planned hours of operation today is through 7:00PM. Planned hours of operation beginning Monday March 4th will be 8:30AM through 4:30PM. Functions are staffed at the following phone numbers:

Administration	878-6080
Mass Care	205-6097
Damage Assessment	205-6100
Health Services	205-6099
Family Services	205-6101

A total of 34 staff members have been working throughout the today.

Mass Care

The shelter at Lakeview Baptist Church was closed at 1:00PM. No one was served at the shelter.

ERV # 1074 and ERV # II are itinerating through know flood areas providing Mass Care support.

Meals Served: 89

Damage Assessment

Eight (8) Damage Assessment teams have been assigned to the field as part of the Integrated Service Delivery teams. One (1) home has been reported with major damage. Seventeen (17) homes, four (4) mobile homes and twenty (20) apartments have been reported with minor damage. As of 3:00PM thirty (30) units have been reported with isolation and street flooding issues but are inaccessible to the teams.

On-Line Damage Assessment has been initiated at www.tallytown.com/redcross.

Family Services

Eight (8) Family Services teams are assigned to the field as part of the Integrated Service Delivery teams. Ten (10) cases have been opened and financial assistance has been provided to five (5) of these. Most damage is minimal with carpet damage most prevalent.

Health Services

No identified disaster health problems have been reported. Both Tallahassee Memorial and Tallahassee Community hospitals were contacted and no disaster related health problems have been seen by either institution.

Public Affairs

Interviews were given to Channel 6 - TV and the Tallahassee Democrat - Newspaper.

Planning Assumptions

We are planning our response and recovery efforts for the possibility of 50 minor flooded homes. County storm water management officials have reported that they are watching the Monson Slough and Oakridge Road area and indicate the situation may be similar to Tropical Storm Barry. Contingency plans are being made to locate the MOCO (Mobile Community Disaster Education Classroom) to the Oakridge Road area to be able to support outreach efforts if they become necessary.