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Situation Report

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State of Indiana
Operation Hoosier Relief

October **1 thru 3**, 2005 - 1730

Direct Support to Mississippi:

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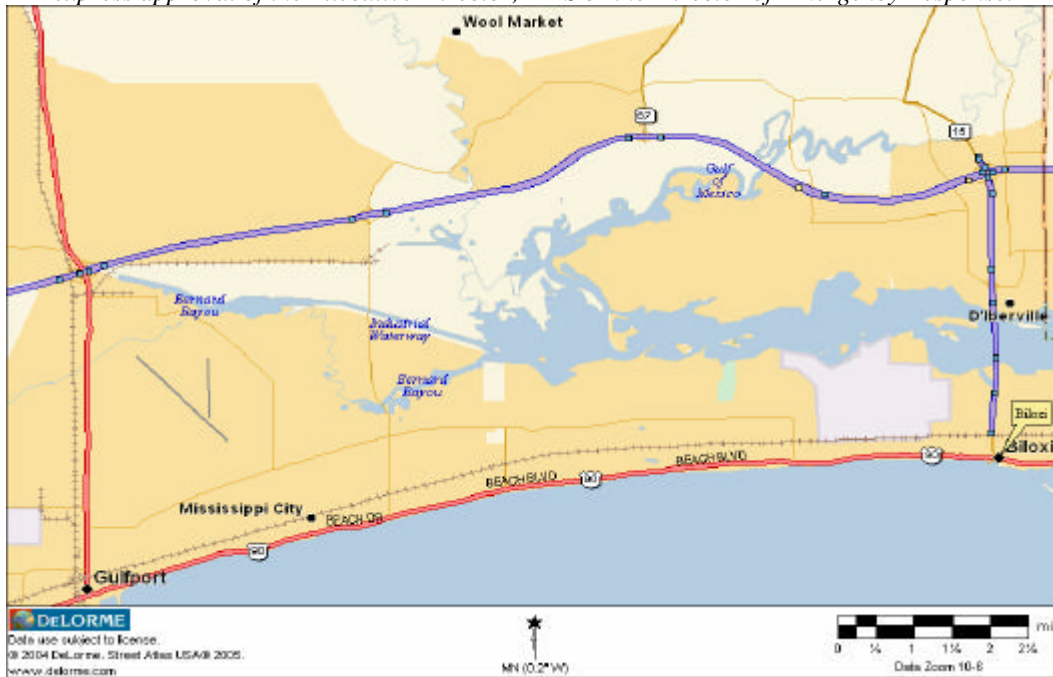
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NOTE # 1: *We are in receipt of EMAC REQ-A Form (mission # 602) requesting an extension to the deployment of Law Enforcement Officers under EMAC REQ-A # 90 (the Operation Hoosier Relief Task Force) until the 17th of October. We have yet to reply utilizing Part II.*

NOTE # 2: *We are also in receipt of EMAC REQ-A Form (mission 627) requesting an extension to the deployment of 52 National Guard support troops for the Indiana Task Force. Part II was signed at xxxx this morning and the REQ-A was faxed to Mississippi at yyyy. Awaiting a signed/completed part III.*

Operation Hoosier Relief Task Force – Biloxi, MS

Situation Report for 9/2805

Sent: Fri 9/30/2005 2207 PM

SITUATION REPORT

September 30, 2005

Report by Amy Lindsey, IDHS

WEATHER

Mild morning with temps in the upper 70s and comfortable dew points. Afternoon brought a change in humidity as the sweat began to break on foreheads. Tomorrow's forecast- high

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temperatures in the mid to upper 80s. Chance of rain 30%. Forecast will be a broken record for the next 5-7 days. Amy is monitoring the tropical conditions, as several depressions (low pressure systems) exist in the Western Atlantic and Caribbean.

ISSUES

Transition day today. New crew (green team) came in last night at 10pm. Old crew (blue team) left at 5:40pm. They got a nice send off from the Guard and some civilians even cried a few tears. Nurses sang a song about life at Camp Indiana. Consensus that Mississippi does not understand Unified Command and incident is getting out of control as other states begin pulling out. Local fire and law enforcement agencies not allowing or hesitant to allow personnel to have days off with relief provided by outside agencies. Locals are very nervous about Indiana's departure.

Dept. of Homeland Security (DHS)- Ken Woodall

Barbeque grill being taken back to Fatima Church. NG units will take this mission. Blue Team nurse stuck with dirty needle 2 days ago and just reported incident today. Advise team leaders to please report "all" injuries immediately. Nurse was sent to Biloxi hospital however, the time between injury and treatment had been too long. Nurse was advised by ER Doctor to seek medical follow-up upon returning home. Dave Perkins will arrive on base tomorrow to do mission/ needs assessments (especially in Pass Christian). Dave will begin process of shutting down camp in the next couple weeks. Advised medical staff to begin looking at surplus medical stock that may not be needed and prepare a plan to deliver supplies to other locations in Biloxi and surrounding area.

Transition of green team went smooth. Green team personnel seem to be acclimating to Camp Indiana quickly. The Blue Team did an excellent job in assisting in the transition.

Medical Liaison- Tom Nowacki

1 warehouse remains for replenishment of Camp Indiana medical supplies. 3 new contacts made for additional warehouse space. Request from male pharmacist for medical supply trailer from FEMA for an area in eastern Biloxi. Man requesting trailer has disappeared so the trailer request has been put on hold. Mary Frances from Our Lady of Fatima is requesting medications. Will send a group out to talk to her.

Dept. of Natural Resources (DNR)- Terry Hyndman

Introduced Dean Jenkins as replacement. 27 conservation officers living at a camp in Van Cleaves. 17 new officers arrived at Camp Indiana last night. Group will be working on rural water patrols in the 3-county area. Old crew (blue team) showing new crews (green team) local islands that need patrolling. Florida crews are completely gone from Biloxi area. Hancock County having problems with water patrols due to too much work and not enough officers. Arlington, V.A. team helping over there, but are getting ready to leave. Confusion beginning to set in among locals as to who is in charge and what they will do when other states go home. Stolen boat in river. Huge amount of boat theft being reported.

Public Information Officer (PIO)- John Salb

Today the transition of PIO responsibilities between Andy and I was completed. The

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changeover went smoothly and I greatly appreciated his support and encouragement. Last evening the camp was visited by a television news crew from Louisville, KY. NBC affiliate, WAVE-TV had a news crew assisting parent company television station WLOX since the hurricane. The crew filmed an overview on camp life focusing on sleeping quarters, the food line, and other services provided by the National Guard for the camp. Personal interviews were given by Andy Zerkle, ISP PIO Jerry Goodin, and Indiana Conservation Officer Bill Beville. Both Goodin and Beville live within the WAVE viewing area. ISP PIO Ray Poole and John Salb will be working jointly on a press release this weekend. Today State Troopers along with members of the Indiana National Guard assisted a local law enforcement officer needing help with storm damage and cleanup. They are targeting Monday for the release date.

ISP- Major Melville:

Camp security- 1 person patrolling camp at all times for security purposes. 30 people working with Biloxi PD during day, 10 working at night. 15 officers working with Harrison County officers. Curfew lifted in Biloxi as of today. Gulfport curfew remains in effect. Local officer had major damage to home- ISP officers helped him clean debris out of his house so he could get contractors to rebuild his home. ISP personnel will return home October 12th. No further personnel will arrive at Camp Indiana unless the Camp needs security detail.

Personnel reports from overnight (7pm-7am) 9/29-30:

2-Camp Indiana security, 2-Domestic calls, 1-Burglary call, 1-Salvation Army relief effort at Yankee Stadium, 4-Security for First Lady Visit, 1-Drug arrest for possession of drug paraphernalia, 2-DWI, 1-Arrest for Methadone possession, 1-Medical Center security, 30-Warnings issued, 2-Vehicle stops, 2-Curfew stops resulting in arrests, 1-House entry, 1-Suspicious vehicle stop, 1-Warehouse security, 17-Police service calls, 8-Curfew warnings issued, 1-Attempt to serve a warrant, 1-Warrant arrest, 1-Arrest, 5-Reports, 1-Looting call, 2-Accident calls, 1-Theft in progress, 1-911 call, 1-Alarm call. Water delivery-IPD reports they have never given out so much water to public, 2-Shootings (1-Biloxi & 1-Harrison County), Curfew lifted as of today in Biloxi. Gates closed at Camp Indiana between entrance road and coliseum. Operation Hoosier Relief assisted (2 units) Biloxi PD officer empty his home

MEDICAL-

Administration-Tanya Williams (ISDH): Attended meeting yesterday with Harrison Co. EOC on medical statistics/needs for the county. Harrison Co. is working on lists of available beds, medications, etc. Firefighter from Pass Christian requested medical help for the town. IN medical staff advised of ICS request process.

Clinical- Marilyn Whitney: 5 clinics being run. 200 patients contacted today. Of those 200, 124 were medically treated; of the total 200 patients, 118 received Tetanus vaccines. Of the 200 patients, 42 prescriptions were written. Total of 2,985 pills dispensed with approximately 50% of those pills being over-the-counter medications. At the Buddhist Temple, IN medical

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staff spoke with personnel about eventual pull-out of our medical staff. Our staff will work at the Temple 3 mornings during the week. Church of Christ operations will cease after this Sunday. WIC site patient visits down today (patients coming specifically for medical care). New group oriented this morning. Will reconfigure pharmacy area at Camp Indiana. "Podiatrist" from Yankee Stadium is on the radar of Biloxi Police as a potential fraud. He's treating all sorts of illnesses not related to feet. Last name of the "podiatrist" is "Devil". IN State Police advised that if our group has direct contact with him, they are to report his location to ISP.

MENTAL HEALTH- *Drew Klatte:*

Total of 207 persons seen today. Met with local mental health personnel to begin transition. Dr. Courtney worked with children today and will work with school groups during her tour. Call from Jason Cummins from MS EMA who will begin to evaluate health clinics in all 3 MS Gulf Coast counties to determine needs. Jason will begin to run clinics in the area. Red Cross called regarding medical staff helping at Red Cross shelters. Drew will ask Red Cross spokesperson to visit Camp Indiana regarding request.

Psychologist from Yankee Stadium (In Biloxi- run by Salvation Army) came by Camp Indiana requesting mental health counseling at the stadium. Drew will send 2 people out there tomorrow and Woody will do recon at the stadium. Mental health group will work with Gulfport Fire Dept. MS State Mental Health group requested our help with counseling MS Highway Patrol. MS electric companies requesting mental health counseling as well.

GUARD- *Maj. Bruce Millen:*

Used more fuel than anticipated-will make fuel run tomorrow. 10 missions today. Assisted Biloxi PD with personal issues. Garbage truck drivers will be staged near MS Coliseum for the next few days. Drivers requested showers from IN Guard. Permission was granted for shower time from 6-7pm. Several locals and contractors have been given permission to use parts of the Camp Indiana facilities (mostly showers). 14 soldiers going with medical groups tomorrow. Visited Gulf Coast Mental Health facility in Hancock County. Extensive damage done to facility. Guard working to get shower facility at Mental Health building so they're able to get back to business.

Sent: Sat 10/1/2005 2:48 PM

SITUATION REPORT

October 1, 2005

Report by Amy Lindsey, IDHS

WEATHER

HOT and HUMID!!! Tomorrow's forecast-SAME. Chance of rain 30%. Tropical storms seem to be a distant, if even credible, threat to Camp Indiana.

ISSUES

2 responders injured today. 1 Guard person with back strain and heat exhaustion and 1

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female nurse with heat exhaustion. Port-a-pots being exchanged from current provider to a Tennessee company under contract with FEMA. Outgoing provider will service our port-a-pots as a neighborly gesture for a few more days, but then will have to pull out and head home. They are not being paid to help us out (contract with Harrison County is over). Dave Perkins arrived at camp today and is evaluating missions to begin shutting down Camp Indiana. Camp will begin standing down on October 12th (most of the law enforcement group, DNR, medical and mental health) and will completely pull out October 14th. Need to get ATVs, full-size refrigerator, and other supplies back to Indiana. GOOD NEWS- Spc. Jim Rees met with an elderly woman (Eddie Mae Smith) today needing a FEMA trailer to live in and was getting nowhere with her request. Relatives and friends have not succeeded in getting a trailer for her from FEMA. Rees gave her a packet of information for FEMA aid. A couple hours later, he met First Lady Laura Bush and informed her of the situation with Ms. Smith. The First Lady took Ms. Smith's name and address and promised she'd personally ensure Ms. Smith got the help she needed.

Medical Liaison- Tom Nowacki

Free medications (to treat shingles) requested by medical team were delivered today.

Dept. of Natural Resources (DNR)- Dean Jenkins

4 officers in rural areas today. Heavy residue (unknown substance) on boats from water. Advised residents to use bleach to remove substance. Ship Island contact heavy today. Unusually heavy traffic in that area. Towed several boats today. Escatawa (nickname "Cat") River area is having several thefts of boats and materials. Will provide night patrols to the area. South Bend trailer was being pulled back to Indiana by a DNR officer and was hit by a strong gust of wind. Trailer and vehicle jack-knifed and trailer has been left in Alabama and South Bend group will work on getting it back to Indiana.

Public Information Officer (PIO)- John Salb

Worked on news release regarding joint effort of ING, ISP, and Biloxi Police officer to clean house with 9 feet of water and a structural fire. There was a report that pictures might have been taken of Indiana mental health workers with Mississippi's First Lady. John has searched the Sun Herald's website finding no story or picture. He will call their office Monday morning during regular business hours. While Conservation Officers were on patrol yesterday, they were approached by a reporter from the Gulf Coast News. He asked them if he could accompany them on patrol and report on what they are doing for the residents of Mississippi. Lt. Jenkins was going to make the contact. A mental health worker was contacted by a reporter from the South Bend Tribune wanting a story about her role in Camp Indiana. She approached John about contacting the reporter. John explained that she was the story and encouraged her to return the phone call.

ISP- Major Melville:

Katrina's Kloset (at MS Coliseum) has free food tent. Kloset is run by a foundation and has bought out food from Wall Mart and another retailer. Man who runs the Kloset (Scott) is not exactly a people person and has been debriefed by our mental health folks once already. Reported activity on yesterday's SITREP was actually from 9/28-9/29 rather than reported

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dates of 9/29-9/30.

Personnel reports from overnight (7pm-7am) 9/29-30

7-PD Accidents, 1-Public Intoxication arrest, 1-Burglary (residential), 3-Warrant arrests, 7-Debris removal, 7-Domestic calls, 1-Drug related, 10-Police services, 7-Ride along, 1-Security, 1-Camp security, 10-Security (Salvation Army), 2-Vehicle theft, 3-Warnings, 2-Traffic warnings, 2-Other, 1-Shooting, 5-Supplemental manpower, 2-Beach patrol (4-wheelers), 1-Curfew violation.

MEDICAL-

Administration-Tanya Williams (ISDH): Toured sites with Woody and D. Perkins to evaluate needs and continued support. Memorial Hospital toll free phone number is answering questions concerning local doctors and when they might be returning to the area and how to fill medication refills. Mental health questions being asked by local residents. Bay St. Louis area is requesting mental health counseling. Visited Nevada 1 grant-provided mobile hospital run by U.S. public health service (staffed by people from across the country). Will begin inventory of medical supplies and equipment and will donate unneeded supplies to local facilities. *Clinical*- Marilyn Whitney (Kosciusko County): Looking for antipsychotic medications to treat locals. Steady workflow today. Several clinics not meeting on weekends. Little Rock and Fatima were open today as was the Church of Christ's street outreach. 313 total patients today. Of this 145 were on the streets. 181 of 313 were medically treated; 118 tetanus shots; 12 prescriptions written; 3387 pills dispensed not including inhalers or liquid medicine. 50% OTC medications and remaining is prescription medication. Bigger clinics are more prescription medications, while streets asking for more OTC. Church of Christ clinic may close tomorrow due to slow patient flow and close proximity to Fatima site. May send more personnel to do street outreach and slowly close down clinics. Will look into working near WIC and Little Rock clinics on the west side of town. Indiana medical staffer working at Little Rock church had heat exhaustion. She was treated, will be fine, and will be sent to work at an indoor site tomorrow. Tetanus supply is fine. Hepatitis supply is being saved for those working in waters. Rumor has it that one person has active Hepatitis at a local Red Cross shelter (Good Deeds center). Medical staff will look into what kind of Hepatitis that person has and will look into treating those working around the infected person.

MENTAL HEALTH- Drew Klatte:

Total of 511 persons seen today. Suzanne: Visited 3 firehouses in Gulfport. Also visited United Children's Health Fund group from Washington (they provide mental health care for poor people). MS Dept. of Public Health will be working with UCHF and will be committing to 1 year in Biloxi. UCHF will work with local schools to provide long-term mental health care to teachers and students. School will be opening Monday so children will need more mental health care. Many children have been out of the area over the last few weeks. A curriculum will be developed with locals schools to provide for mental health care. No organization at the moment for children's mental health care. Drew: Medical and mental health teamed up at Little Rock and Yankee Stadium today. Rumor that Red Cross will be giving out \$350 vouchers on Monday at Community Center in East Biloxi. Expecting 3000-4000 people at the site. Security will be provided by Biloxi PD and ISP (5 people from IN

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law enforcement group). Mental health people working at FEMA Disaster Recovery Centers in Biloxi and Gulfport. More federal mental health treatment teams coming to Biloxi tomorrow. These teams will be working at the DRCs as well. Children's Health Fund Board of Directors was in town today. Jane Pauley is on the Board and Drew got to meet her. Drew filled her in on Indiana's activities and she mentioned she was glad to hear Indiana was doing such a great job and had such an important role in the relief.

GUARD- *Maj. Bruce Millen:*

Hoosier National Guard Support Element conducted 7 missions today. We fueled up two Tank and Pump units to replenish the fuel consumed during the transition of 90+ police officers and medical personnel. We received 1000 gallons of mogas from Camp Shelby and 1070 gallons of Diesel from the Gulfport Fuel Distribution center. Mr. Johnny Bracy, the Mississippi State Adjutant of the American Legion, visited Operation Hoosier Relief today. MSG Elmore gave Mr. Bracy a tour of our Area of Operations. Mr. Bracy will be visiting Indianapolis tomorrow and will share a report of his visit with us. Major Millen and his staff are working on plans for wrapping up military operations at TF Hoosier in anticipation of our return to Indiana. Kathi Callahan from the USO visited with some soldiers today and will return Monday evening to provide some baked goods to share with the soldiers. We had one soldier treated for back strain and upper respiratory infection. CPT Downs and SSG Merriweather are coordinating R+R schedules this weekend to allow soldiers time for laundry, shopping, movies etc. MSG Elmore and WO1 Lohsl resolved a pay problem for 1 soldier today. MAJ Millen directed the soldier to correct his direct deposit information to avoid future problems. Morale seems high and the soldiers are motivated.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS *Petri Hayes:*

Provided transportation to medical sites. Petri would like rosters of all staff being transported. Please have personnel pick up trash in vehicles. Air conditioner is out in 1 van.

Sent: Sun 10/2/2005 2:03 PM

SITUATION REPORT

October 2, 2005

Report by Amy Lindsey, IDHS

WEATHER

HOT and HUMID!!! Tomorrow's forecast-SAME. Chance of rain 20%. Coastal flood watch in effect until Tuesday evening.

ISSUES

Random pop-up shower last night soaked the camp. FEMA personnel have been driving around the area not doing much other than being touristy. ISP and National Guard have stopped numerous vehicles.

DHS *Dave Perkins:*

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Port-a-johns being replaced; 20 will be made available to us by tomorrow. Looking for 3 large lanterns and their remote controls that belong to the MCC.

- ISP last day of work Oct. 11th with departure on October 12th. Kansas City, KS will begin sending in officers to assist Biloxi PD.
- DNR last mission on 11th and departure on 12th.
- Medical- shut down clinics on Oct. 13th and depart on Oct. 14th 6pm.
- Mental health last day Oct. 13th and depart Oct. 14th. Will be replaced by Project Recovery from MS Mental Health group.
- Guard- last day Oct. 14th with departure at 6am on Oct. 15th. 4 vehicles will depart on the 14th due to slow speed of vehicles. Guard is working on demobilization plan now. Last meal will be Oct. 14th.
- DOC last day 14th departing on 15th at 6am.
- Woody leaving the 10th.

Those people wanting to get out on the water must give 24 hours notice. DNR will take people on tours.

Medical Liaison- *Tom Nowacki*

Called ESF 8 but no one was available since it's a Sunday. Will try again tomorrow.

Dept. of Natural Resources (DNR)- *Dean Jenkins*

Jackson Co. personnel in E Pascagoula had 2 reports of looting so will provide boat patrols with night vision tonight. Ketchamall Lake has many swimmers and officers advised of water pollutants. Swimmers rushed out of water as soon as advised of pollutants. Would like to know if any local agencies are provided water quality information. Milliten Creek methamphetamine lab discovered. Passed out food and water to locals. Residences near Escatawa (Moss Point) River have been hit badly and residents feel as if they've been neglected by all agencies. Camp Indiana will try to get people out to help the residents.

Public Information Officer (PIO)- *John Salb*

The USO stopped in camp on Saturday and distributed care sacks, offered snacks. They will return Monday night when more soldiers and camp personnel are around. The American Legion State Adjunct, Johnny Bracy, visited camp and was shown around camp by Sgt. Dave Elmore of the National Guard. A Hoosier now living in Mississippi, he enjoyed being in camp and the tour of the MCC. Bracy spoke about an award that he will recommend be given in honor of the Indiana National Guard's role in hurricane relief. That award would be given out sometime this summer in Indianapolis. I continue visiting with unit leaders looking for workers wishing for me to contact their hometown radio or newspapers. I have emphasized that there would be more interest in the smaller markets rather than the large. John Fleck from FEMA stopped by Camp Indiana to take pictures.

ISP- *Major Melville:*

HURRICANE RELIEF DETAIL ACTIVITY LOG

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09/30/05 (evening) to 10/1/05 (evening)

12-PD accidents, 3-OWI arrests, 2-Burglary, 3-Residential burglary, 2-Criminal arrests, 1-Drug arrest, 1-Warrant arrest, 11-Other arrests, 7-Debris removal, 1-Domestic, 1-Drug related, 1-Felony arrest, 3-Looting, 10-Patrol, 44-Police services, 2-Reports, 3-Camp security, 5-Salvation Army security, 5-Stadium security, 2-Medical center (Episcopal), 4-Traffic arrests, 1-Stolen vehicle recovery, 29-Warnings, 5-Decon of uniforms, 1-Meeting with Red Cross for security of future financial distribution program.

MEDICAL-

*Administration-*Tanya Williams (ISDH):

Spent most of day trying to get a hold of possible health contact regarding Hepatitis case at the Red Cross shelter (see yesterday's report). Finally found 1 person who will look into the case. Had requests for help from group called RAM (Remote Area Medicine) that will be working at Biloxi Community Center to help see 1000-4000 people and provide Tetanus vaccinations. Our group may help by providing a couple nurses once we find out more information. Much confusion is surrounding this event due to little need for large group medical treatment. Ecosystem is returning to normal and Environmental Health specialist is concerned about all the blow flies. Would like have fly strips around camp.

Clinical- Marilyn Whitney (Kosciusko County):

Slow day today due to clinics being closed on Sunday. 317 people seen today which includes 271 in the street group and 34 at Fatima, 11 at Camp Indiana, 1 at Church of Christ. Of 317, treated 172, gave 99 Tetanus shots, wrote 24 prescriptions, gave 2230 pills. Sent out large (20 person) street team today. Visited area north of I-10 that had 5 feet of flood water. Group will revisit area tomorrow. Medical staff came back at 3pm today due to slow activity. Scouted new location at corner of 36th and 19th streets in Gulfport. This is a poor area called St. Therese Little Flower Church. Church was having a cook out and invited Indiana group to join. One of the ladies at the church works for a hip hop radio station and will be advertising our clinic on-air starting tomorrow. Clinic will be setting up tomorrow and begin full operations Tuesday.

MENTAL HEALTH- Drew Klatte:

Total of 380 persons seen today. Sent staff to DRCs and Gulfport Memorial for a half day. Day ended early so staff could catch up on personal issues like laundry. A federal group, National Organization for Victims Assistance (NOVA), is in town to help with mental health issues today. Local mental health group advised the group to talk to Drew for mission assignments. Drew advised the local health care professionals that he was not in charge and all missions had to come from them, not him. Drew took the NOVA group to visit illegal immigrants (mostly shrimpers) who are afraid of the government and will not sign any documents for fear the government will take their boats/land. NOVA will provide Vietnamese interpreters for the shrimpers. May begin helping MS Power and Light and will support our medical folks as needed.

GUARD - Maj. Bruce Millen:

Set up additional tent for DOC today. Joined DNR today on a few missions. Will begin

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placing soldiers with DNR for new perspective on mission. 4 regular missions today.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - Petri Hayes:

Very busy day driving around street teams. Will be leaving Camp Indiana Saturday at 8am. Will be replaced by 1 of the current drivers at Camp Indiana. No further personnel will be coming down from Indiana.

MDI Fuel Tanker Support – Camp Shelby, MS:

SITREP

No Situation Report from the Tanker Task Force today.

Local Government, Direct Support to Louisiana:

Law Enforcement Agency Support – Jefferson Parrish

Hendricks County Sheriff – 11 officers (*returned 9/17*)

Carroll County Sheriff – 7 officers (*returned 9/8*)

Wabash County Sheriff – 1 officer (*returned 9/9*)

Henry County Sheriff – 19 officers (*returned – date unknown*)

Putnam County Sheriff – 21 officers (*returned 9/9*)

Madison County Sheriff – 21 officers (*returned 9/9*)

Delaware County Sheriff – 11 officers (*returned 9/9*)

Morgan County Sheriff – 3 officers (*returned 9/9*)

Marion PD – 8 officers (*2nd rotation home; 3rd rotation departing on 10/9*)

EMS Support – New Orleans

LaGrange County/Noble County – 4 ALS Paramedics and 2 ambulances
(*Still in Louisiana, estimated return date is +/- Sep 30*)

Local Government, Direct Support to Mississippi:

50-Man Law Enforcement Task Force – Mississippi (general)

The City of Indianapolis has offered a 50-man ERG team for deployment to MS. *While no specific request was made for the team by the State of Mississippi, IPD's offer did not go unnoticed. A portion of IPD's ERG is now a portion of the State of Indiana's Operation Hoosier Relief Task Force in Biloxi, MS. Welcome aboard!*

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Adopt-a-Town:

LaGrange County has adopted the City of D'Iberville, MS. The first team to visit Mississippi returned to LaGrange County last night. A report on their activities will be included when received.

Carmel, IN (Hamilton County) has adopted Long Beach, MS. Carmel PD has donated 8 recently retired police cruisers to Long Beach PD to replace those lost in Hurricane Katrina. Parish-to-Parish adoptions are also taking place within the religious community. Additionally, Carmel VFW Post 10003 donated some much-needed cash to its counterpart VFW Post 3937.

Adopt-a-County:

Lawrence County, Indiana is adopting Lawrence County, Mississippi.

Hancock County, Indiana is partnering with Hancock County, Mississippi. Two truckloads of needed material was delivered to Hancock County, MS last week by representatives of Hancock County.

Volunteer Support to Mississippi or Louisiana:

- **No report received 10/3**

Direct Support to Texas:

Through the EMAC process, we have offered a Swift-Water Rescue/Law Enforcement Task Force should the State of Texas need our services. The team would be self-sufficient, much as the Task Force in Biloxi, MS. While the EMAC Broadcast Message for swift-water rescue personnel has been cancelled, our information is still in their hopper for potential future use. No response to our offering has been received as of this time.

NEXT REPORT DUE AT / AROUND: *October 4, 2005 – 1700*

Very respectfully,

Bob Demuth
Shift Supervisor

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