

Tropical Storm Erika Update No. 1

Your are receiving this email because you have expressed an interest or are the designated flood control/drainage entity.

The District wishes to inform all property managers and drainage committee members of the National Hurricane Center's weather outlook for Tropical Storm Erika issued today, August 25, 2015 at 11:00am.

The National Hurricane Center <u>www.nhc.noaa.gov</u> is issuing advisories on Tropical Storm Erika, located near latitude 15.2 North, longitude 51.0 West. Erika is moving toward the west near 20 mph (31 km/h), and a west-northwestward motion at a slightly slower forward speed is expected over the next 48 hours. On the forecast track, the center of Erika will be near the Leeward Islands Wednesday night and early Thursday.

Although it is too early to reliably predict the storm's development and potential impact on our area, the District encourages all communities to inspect their drainage facilities and perform any necessary flood protection maintenance. Please do not hesitate to contact the District if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Lake Worth Drainage District 561-498-5363 <u>info@lwdd.net</u> www.lwdd.net

This message is only for those property owners within the boundary of the District. In general the District boundary is Okeechobee Blvd. south to the Hillsboro Canal (or Broward County line) and from State Road 7 to I-95.

All others should contact the South Florida Water Management District at 561-686-8800 or Palm Beach County Emergency Management at 561-712-6400.

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