



INCIDENT REPORT

Wisconsin Emergency Operations Center

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Incident Report #1 – Dane County flooding and Delavan tornado

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Dane County has declared a State of Emergency after overnight torrential rains caused widespread flooding. Multiple roads and bridges are closed and evacuations continue this morning. Some of the impacted areas include Mazomanie, Black Earth, Cross Plains, Middleton and Madison.

The National Weather Service says approximately 11-13” of rain fell west of Madison. Water rescues are currently underway in Mazomanie, with multiple teams working to get people to safety. Approximately 100 people are at the shelter at the Mazomanie Fire Station.

Highway 14 between Madison and West of Mazomanie is closed. A detour has been set up in Sauk County, which is directing Hwy 14 traffic to Hwy 60 to Hwy 12. A full list of road closures is available at 511wi.gov.

Private property owners are asked to report damage by calling 2-1-1. Business owners should contact their local unit of government.

The State of Wisconsin and Dane County will be conducting aerial surveillance over flood damaged parts of the area between noon and 3 p.m. this afternoon. Amateur drone operators are being asked to voluntarily refrain from flying over flooded areas while the assessment is being conducted.

Monday’s storm also resulted in a possible tornado in Delavan, WI. What is believed to have been a weak tornado touched down around 8 p.m. Monday, causing minor damage and no reports of any injuries. The National Weather Service is scheduled to evaluate the scene today.

The Statewide Emergency Operations Center is currently elevated as the state is monitoring the situation and providing assistance to local emergency responders as requested.