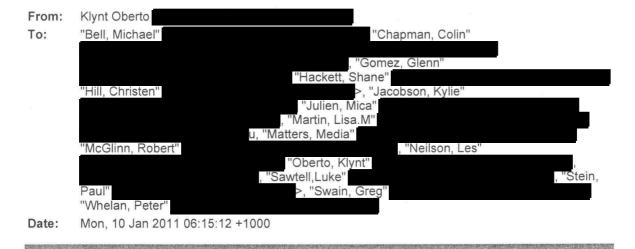
Re: SITREP : 0007 - (0600HRS) Monday 10 January 2011

4 WJM - 9"



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Flooding inundation to habitable areas of homes: NIL reported

Where there are major incidents/events: NIL reported WEATHER

Monday - Rain, heavy at times. Local thunder. Moderate to fresh SE to NE winds At 0345HRS, BoM advised that heavy bands of rain are coming in from the East. Rain will be heavy at times. It is still expected that falls of greater than 100mm will fall across Brisbane, with 30-50mm expected to fall in the next couple of hours in locations.

Forecast: Tuesday - Rain periods, possible thunder Wednesday - A few showers Thursday - A shower or two

FLOOD INFORMATION CENTRE UPDATE

FLOODWISE Rainfall Summary

Over the last 24 hours an average of 77mm of rainfall has occurred with the highest falls of 129mm occurring in Brisbane Forest Park and 118mm in The Gap. The lowest rainfall of 29mm occurred at Underwood.

In the last 6 hours an average of 13mm of rainfall has occurred with the highest 6 hour rainfall of 31mm occurring in Brighton and 27mm in Bracken Ridge.

Minor flooding is occurring at the following Location(s):-Enoggera Ck at Enoggera Dam with water levels Falling

Roads are flooded at the following Location(s):-

Colleges Crossing Mt Crosby Mt Crosby Weir Mt Crosby BOSCOMBE RD Brookfield

FloodWise indicates flooding in Moggil Creek, Brookfield. RRG have been dispatched to investigate if there has been any impacts on the Community.

Brisbane River

High Tides

Today's high tide, including the expected run off from the creeks, is expected to be 1.65m AHD (2.89m tide level). "High tide - Salt water over road" signs are still displayed in the known locations of king tide inundation. LAS will continue to monitor.

Dam Release

River levels upstream of the dam are rising quickly with significant inflow being generated from the intense heavy rainfall.

The dam will increase its releases starting this morning with the objective of keeping the combined flows in the lower Brisbane river to 4000m3/s which will cause a predicted level of 2.5m AHD (3.7m tide level) at the Brisbane City gauge by approximately Wednesday.

Based on the expected schedule of release the effects will result in inundation in low lying areas including habitable areas.

We have contacted SEQWater and have expressed concern about the proposal and consequences of a 4000m3/s flood through Brisbane. As a result SEQWater are reviewing their release strategy with their modeling expected to be completed by 0700HRS and will then be passed onto the BoM who will model the expected levels through the lower Brisbane reach.

These levels are dependent on the forecast rainfall over the next two days and will be re-assessed each day by the FIC, SEQWater and BoM.

FIC will continue to model the likely areas (streets and suburbs) impacted from these flows (4000m3/s) with results being available approximately 1400HRS today.

BMTMC

Road's Closed

Mt Crosby Weir between Allawah Rd and Stumers Rd Mt Crosby.(Motorist closest river crossing is now the Centenary Bridge at Jindalee) Paradise Road, Larapinta Illaweena Street Drewvale Youngs Crossing Road, Joyner Wembley Rd, Berrinba Rafting Ground Rd at Rees Way, Greentrees Ave and Deerhurst Rd, Brookfield Widdop St Clayfield Melton St Nundah Gap Creek Road Brookfield Marshall Road Rocklea Formosa Rd between Stanborough and Dairy Swamp rd Gumdale Murphys Creek Road, Lockyer Manly Rd between New Cleveland Rd and Castlerea St, Manly Ropley Rd, Wynnum West Rosewood Warrill View Rd, Rosewood Molle Rd Ransome between New Cleveland and Chelsea Rd Haigslea-Amberley Rd 5 Mile Creek Ipswich Rosewood Rd 7 Mile Creek

Warrego Highway between Toowoomba and Dalby is closed until further notice.

The Gatton-Clifton Road is closed to all traffic between Doyles Camp Bridge and MCGinleys Road. There is a 5 tonne load limit between McGinleys Road and the New England Hwy. (updated 3.30pm 5.1.11)

Mt Sylvia Road is closed to all traffic from the second last floodway due to road damage. Motorists are advised to seek an alternative route.

Kholo Rd bridge is closed due to water release from Wivenhoe Dam. Colleges Crossing is closed due to water release from Wivenhoe Dam.

Ferry Services

Moggill Ferry is out of service

RRG

Officers have conducted extensive patrols in hot spot areas and have confirmed that at this time there have been no serious incidents to report, and nil damage to residential properties, vehicles or personal property.

Gap Creek Road has been closed due to water on road in both directions - landslide at gap end of road. LAS to inspect

SES (no change from SITREP : 0006) Brisbane City SES Unit SES activations: 60 Total completed: 52 Total outstanding: 8

SES members activated: 59

Groups activated: East, South, North, North East, Metro, West. Worst suburbsaffected: No Particular area / The Gap sandbagging 9 3 Roof jobs High priority job/s: Yes Nursing home 424 Bowen tce, New Farm High risk tasks: Nil

No Issues, roof: 29, sandbagging: 31

CALL CENTRE

No significant issues to report.

LDCC

LDCC remains activated.

LDCC Staff:

DMG: 3 LAS: 1 FIC: 1

DM DUTY OFFICER/LDCC INCIDENT CONTROLLER Michael Bell

DUTY OFFICER TELEPHONE NUMBER (24hrs)

Next SITREP due Monday, 1200HRS.

Michael Bell LDCC