Tropical Depression Twelve Capital Area Chapter of the American Red Cross Situation Report # 2

5:00PM Thursday September 4 2003

Situation

Tropical Storm Warnings remain posted along the coast for the four (4) coastal counties served by the Capital Area Chapter. Three (3) to Five (5) inches of rain are expected in the next 24 to 48 hours in the southeastern portion of the chapter's jurisdiction.

Activities

The chapter's Emergency Operations Center was activated at 9:00AM Thursday September 4 2003. The operational hours of the Emergency Operations Center are currently 8:30AM through 5:00PM.

The following shelters have been placed on standby:

Gadsden County	Chattahoochee Elementary School
	Havana Elementary School
	Stewart Street Elementary School
Jefferson County	Jefferson County High School
Leon County	Carolyn Brevard Elementary School
	Florida High School
	Lawton Chiles High School
	Senior Citizens Center
Liberty County	W R Toler Elementary School
Madison County	Madison County High School
Taylor County	Elks Lodge
Wakulla County	Crawfordville Elementary School

Activities in the Emergency Operations Center have focused on systems checks and the following:

A call down of all the chapter's host and risk shelters will took place this morning.

The Hurricane Shelter Information Hotline at *ARC or 850/894-6741 is on standby and can be activated with ten (10) minutes notice.

On-Line Damage Assessment has been activated and can be accessed at:

www.tallytown.com/redcross

The following functions have been staffed in the chapter's Emergency Operations Center:

Administration
Mass Care (Feeding)
Mass Care (Sheltering)
Health Services
Logistics
Government Liaison