

## Rick Staly, Sheriff FLAGLER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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## **HURRICANE UPDATE #9**

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Sheriff Rick Staly released a community alert video at 7pm Tuesday on Hurricane Dorian and the curfew now in effect for Hurricane Evacuation Zones A, B, and F. The video is available here: <u>https://youtu.be/wXn9THLAtWA</u>

## Transcript below:

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Good Evening, I am your Sheriff Rick Staly and I'm standing in front of the Green Roof Inn.

The 7PM curfew is now in effect for Hurricane Evacuation Zones A, B, and F in Flagler County and remains in effect until County Emergency Management advises all is clear. This means that if you failed to follow the evacuation orders, you are now to stay indoors for the duration of the storm.

No one should be on the roads, whether that be in vehicles or walking around. The weather is picking up and it is in the best interest of everyone as well as our first responders that you stay indoors in a safe shelter.

If you are moving around in an evacuation zone, expect to be stopped by a deputy sheriff or police officer. You do not want to spend the remainder of the hurricane in the Green Roof Inn.

The bridges to the barrier island will close when sustained winds reach 45 mph as it is then too dangerous to be on the bridges and first responders will not to be able respond to an emergency.

For those not in an evacuation zone, while you do not have a curfew in place, we strongly suggest that you remain indoors and stay off the roads as much as possible. Most fatalities and injuries occur during and after a storm. We don't want you to become a victim of Hurricane Dorian.

Hurricane Dorian remains a slow-moving storm and we can expect poor weather, rain and wind in Flagler County throughout all-day Wednesday.

Thank you for following the evacuation and curfew orders. They will be lifted as soon as we know it's safe for you to return or move around. ###

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