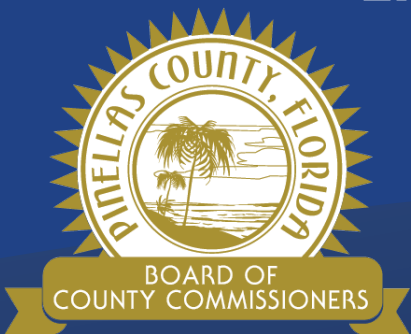


Cathie Perkins, Director



Hurricane Season 2024 After Action Report- AAR



Actions

- **Posted summary AAR online**
- **Community presentations and outreach**
 - 175 events - 18,600+ people
 - At Risk Communities
 - Mitigation Expos
- **Updated plans and procedures**
- **Information/Data integration**
- **Training**
- **Additional Contracts**
- **CDBG-DR**



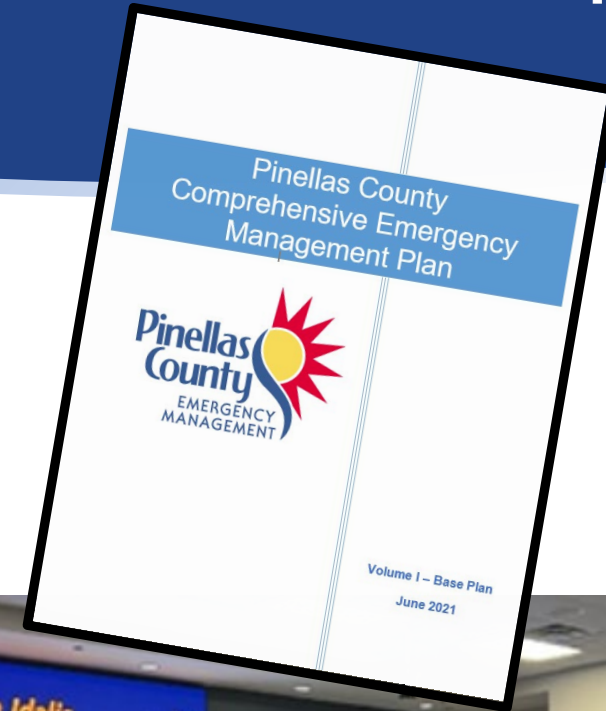
Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan- CEMP

FL Statute 252 requirement

- Updated every 4 years
- Adopted by BCC

CEMP Timeline

- Draft to BCC for review - late Aug
- Submittal to state for approval - mid Oct
- BCC Adoption - Jan/Feb 2026



Weather Alerts

Generated by NWS

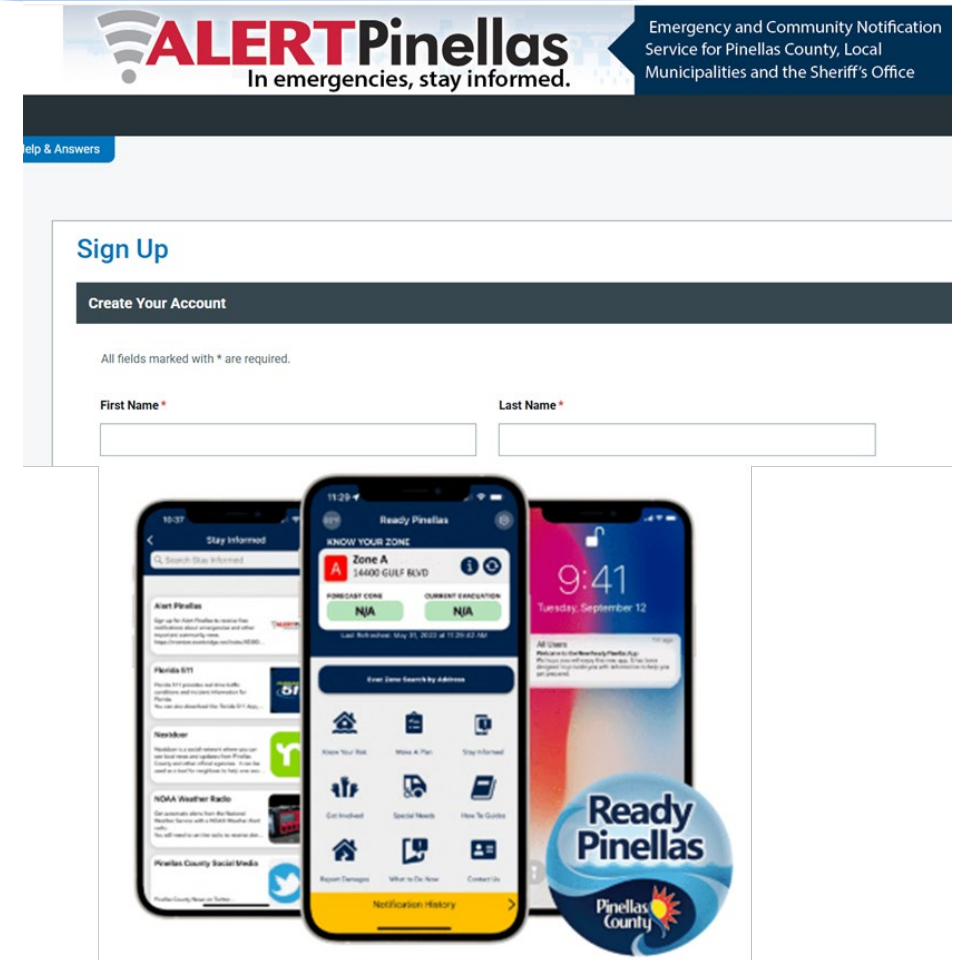
- NOAA Weather Radio
- Alert Pinellas
 - Everbridge sign up
 - Default events
- Emergency or Weather Alert System



[Alert Pinellas
Signup](#)

County Generated –
Marginal Risk

Commercial Weather Apps



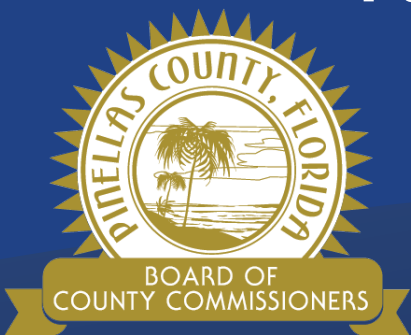
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Regional Debris Management



Public Works

Kelli Hammer Levy, Public Works Director



Our Vision: To Be the Standard for Public Service in America



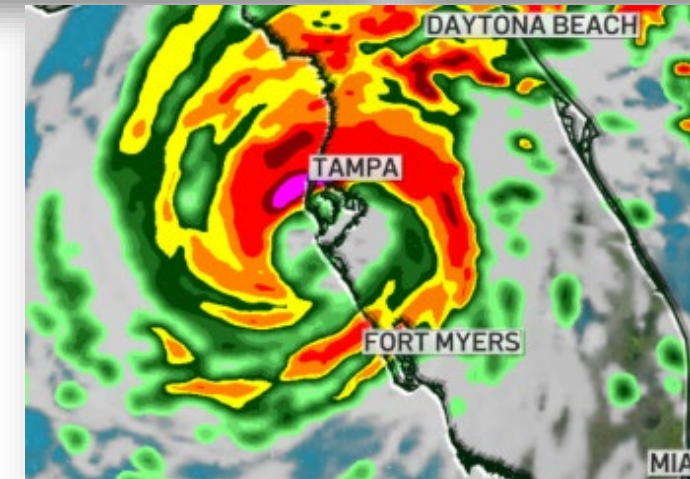
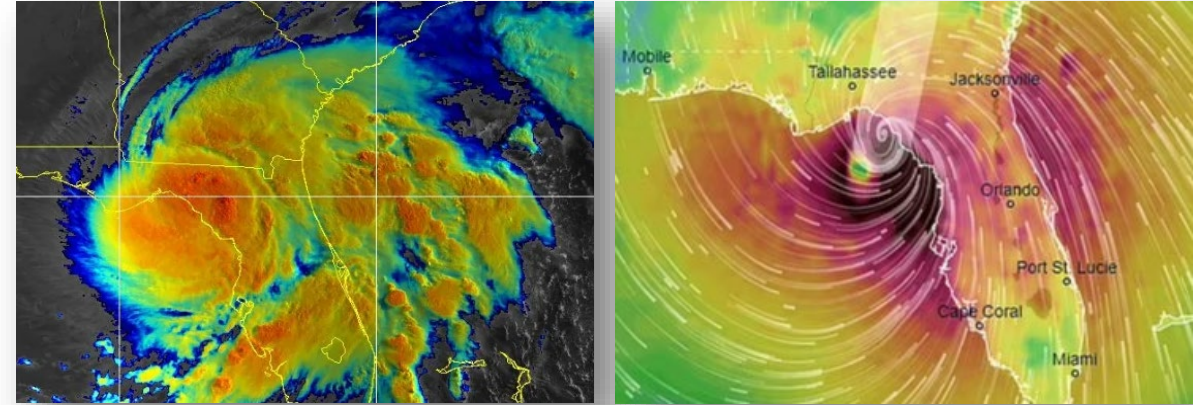
Hurricane Season 2024

Multiple Storms = Different Challenges

- Debby: 7" – 10" inches of rain
- Helene: Storm surge and coastal flooding
- Milton: 8" – 20" inches of rain, compound flooding, and wind

2024 Lessons Learned

- Debris contractor's expectations
- Never enough debris management sites
- Clear roles with municipal partners
- Improved communication with residents



Preparing for 2025

Debris Contract Updates

2023 - 2028 Contract

- 5 contractors available
- 5% increase

2024 Emergency Contract

- Expires April 2026

New Contract – In Process

- Market rate
- New pay items

Updated Municipal Interlocal Agreement



Preparing for 2025

Disaster Debris Management Sites

More DDMS Locations

- 20 County Sites
- 31 Municipal/Partner Sites

Citizen Drop Off Locations

- Keystone
- Sod Farm South **(New)**
- ICOT (2025 final year)
- McKay Creek **(New)**
- School Board Site – Palm Harbor **(New)**
- Wall Springs **(New)**

Municipal DDMS Required by State Law



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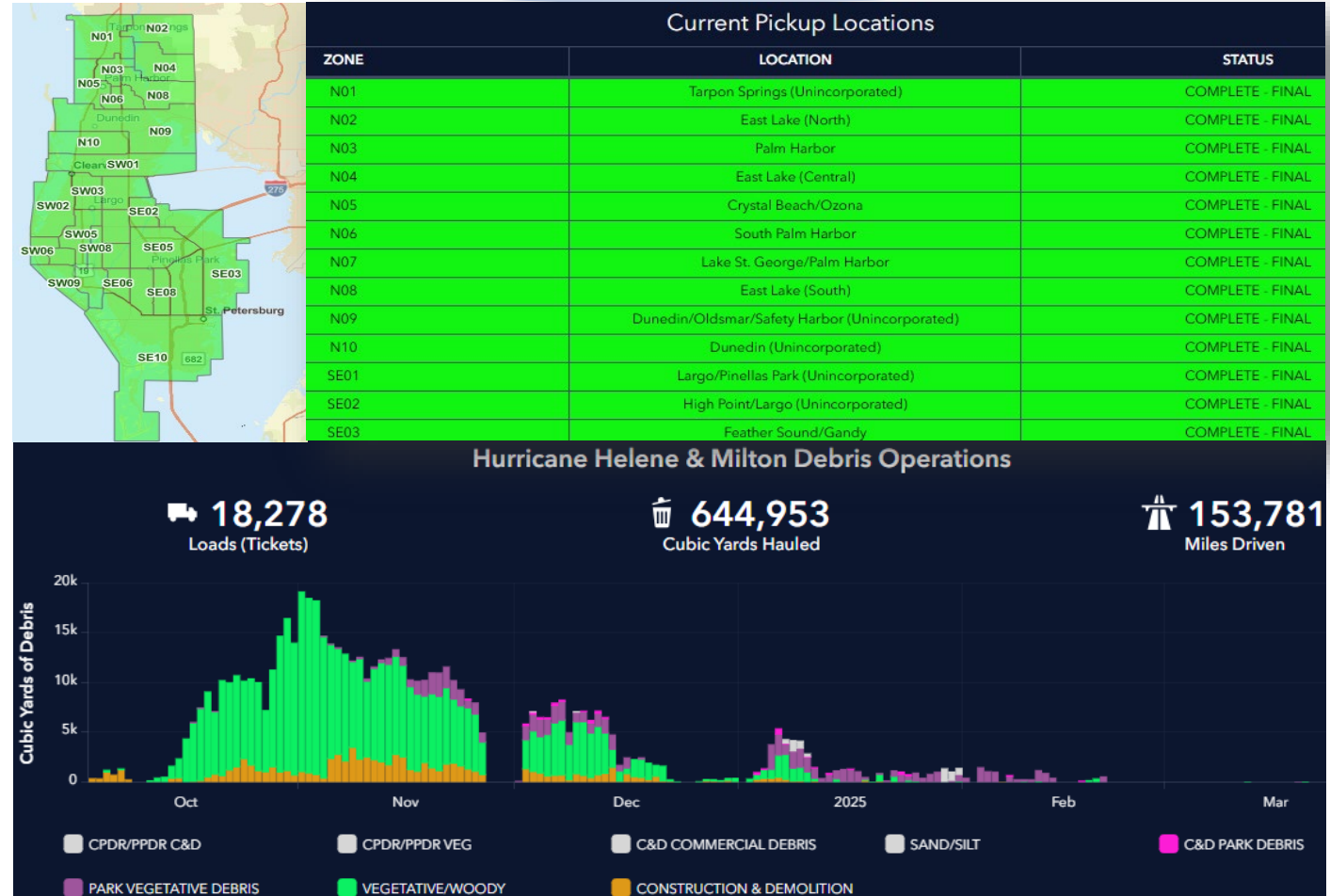
Debris Planning and Management

Public Works Staff Teams

- Crews & equipment
- Close out/verification

Debris Routing

- Debris zones & maps
 - New technology
 - Improved route forecasting and tracking
- dashboards: [Pinellas.gov/debris](https://pinellas.gov/debris)



Preparing for 2025

Communication

Working with Partner Agencies

- Municipalities
- Duke, FDOT, Sheriff/LPD

Pre-Planning with Contractors

Internal Planning

- Updates to response plans
- Training & tabletop exercises
- Communications testing and process improvements



Preparing for 2025

Enhanced Public Outreach

Improved Citizen Awareness

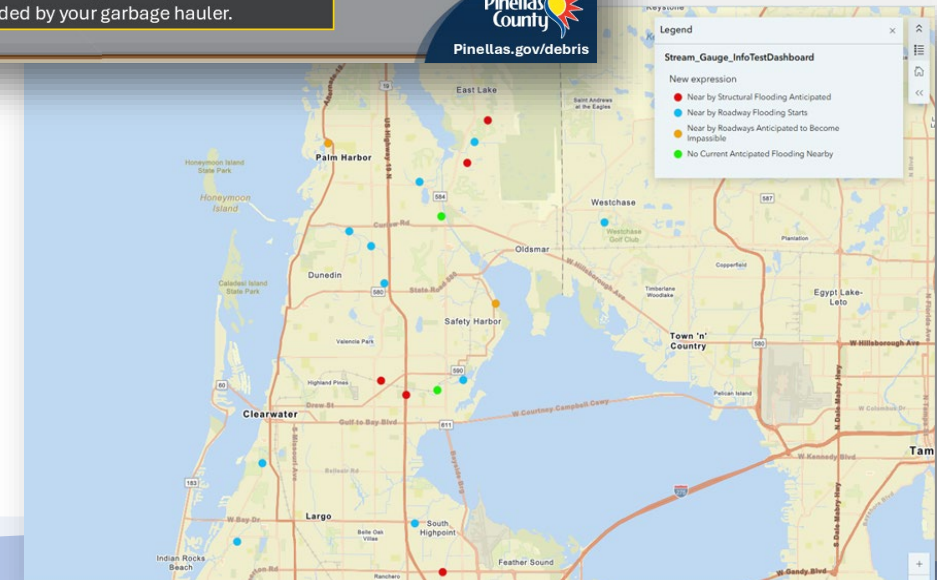
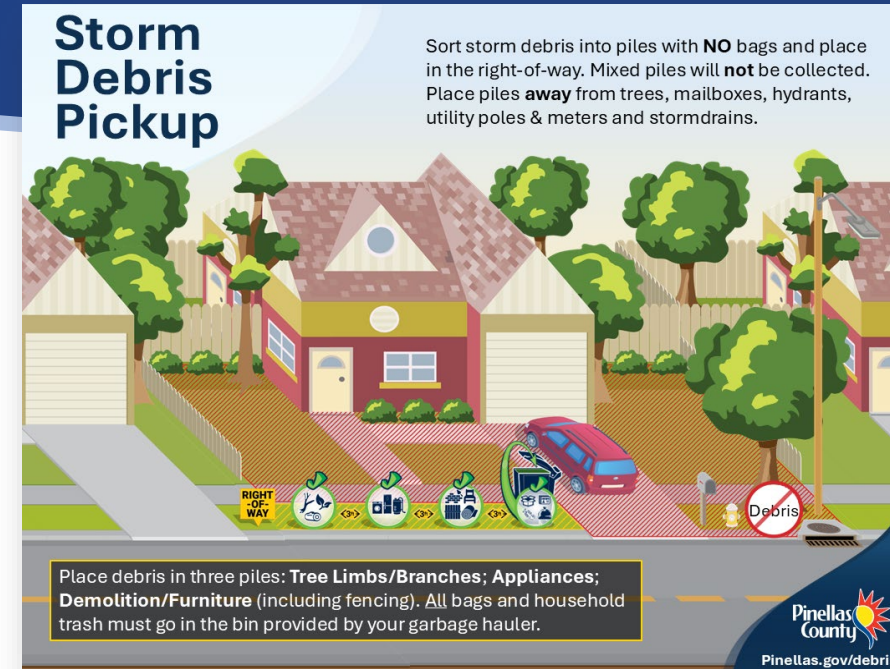
- Enhanced web and social media graphics
- Real-time flood monitoring/forecasting
- Additional public dashboards

Hurricane Expos

- Palm Harbor
- St. Petersburg
- Tarpon Springs

Pre-Storm Sandbag Events

- June 13 – 14: Walsingham and John Chesnut
- July 26 – Wall Springs and Lealman Exchange





Thank You