



CONTACT:
Nicole Berzin
Public Information Officer
239-313-1542
Nicole.Berzin@fmbgov.com

For Immediate Release – Sunday, August 4, 2024

2731 Oak Street., Fort Myers Beach, Fla. 33931

**Town of Fort Myers Beach Emergency Management continues to monitor Tropical Storm Debby:
5:30pm Update**

Town of Fort Myers Beach, FL – Fort Myers Beach Emergency Management continues to monitor Tropical Storm Debby as it moves past our Island.

Town Manager, Andy Hyatt, appeared on FOX Weather to discuss the impacts felt on Fort Myers Beach from Tropical Storm Debby. The Town of Fort Myers Beach encourages our residents to continue to shelter in place and stay off the roads. It is possible there is still debris in the water from Hurricane Ian, that could resurface, making it dangerous to swim or drive through water that has made its way on land.

Staff are now on Island, evaluating damages and beginning clean up. The Town will continue to update our residents throughout the remainder of the storm. Stay informed by monitoring your local weather channels and following the Town of Fort Myers Beach [Facebook](#) and website [News Flashes](#).

If you have not done so yet, sign up for CodeRed: [Community Notification Enrollment](#); this is an emergency notification system that allows registered users to receive telephone, text and/or email alerts.

The Town of Fort Myers Beach would once again like to thank our residents and business owners for doing their part to prepare for Tropical Storm Debby and for continuing to stay prepared for future weather events.

###

The Town of Fort Myers Beach is on Estero Island off the southwest Florida coast of the Gulf of Mexico. The beach stretches for seven miles and is known for white sand, shell finds, and sunsets. The Town took a direct hit in September 2022 from Hurricane Ian, a category five storm, and is in active recovery. Many shops and restaurants are restored and open for business! The Town has been incorporated since 1995.