



ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Action Packet

Friday, February 18, 2011

8:45 am

Webster Hall (212 K)

**Dean Cannon
Speaker**

**Dorothy L. Hukill
Chair**

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

Economic Affairs Committee

2/18/2011 8:45:00AM

Location: Webster Hall (212 Knott)

Summary: No Bills Considered

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Attendance:

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X		
Joseph Abruzzo	X		
Frank Artiles	X		
Esteban Bovo, Jr.	X		
Jim Boyd	X		
Chris Dorworth	X		
Brad Drake	X		
Doug Holder	X		
Evan Jenne	X		
Peter Nehr	X		
Bryan Nelson	X		
Jeanette Nuñez	X		
Steven Perman	X		
Kenneth Roberson	X		
Irving Slosberg	X		
Geraldine Thompson			X
James Waldman	X		
Ritch Workman			X
Totals:	16	0	2

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Other Business Appearance:

Review - Gulf Coast Claims Facility

Kenneth Feinberg, Administrator (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only

Gulf Coast Claims Facility

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Which Types of Claims Can Be Processed by the GCCF?

- Removal and Clean Up Costs;
- Damages to Real or Personal Property;
- Lost Earnings or Profits;
- Loss of Subsistence Use of Natural Resources;
- Physical Injury or Death.

Click [here](#) for the complete reports of the legislative work groups that investigated the impact of the oil spill.

*Facts and information generated by the Gulf Coast Claims Facility [Florida Status Report](#).

August 22, 2013. Those who have filed interim claims are eligible to file other interim claims or final claims at a later date.

Criticism of GCCF Claims Procedures:

While the GCCF was created to expedite compensation for damage caused by the oil spill, disgruntled claimants and critics have raised concerns over several aspects of BP's Claim's Process.

One concern is that the formula for calculating future damages is based on projections that Gulf Coast residents will not experience significant spill related damages after 2012. While these projections come from independent studies outside of BP, critics argue that two years is too conservative an estimate, citing the Exxon Valdez oil spill which occurred in 1989, the repercussions from which are still being felt in some areas.

Another issue is that payments for future damages are calculated based on documented damages from April 20th, 2010, until December 31st, 2010. Many businesses believe that calculations within these dates underestimate the true value of their damages because the early months of the year tend to be the most profitable for many industries.

The GCCF has invited claimants with concerns regarding the processing of future damages to file interim claims, which only compensate for documented damages, as damages from the spill arise.

Legislative Response:

Former House Speaker Larry Cretul established six working groups to study the immediate and ongoing impacts of the spill and recommend solutions based on their findings. Of the six groups, one was assigned to analyze the scope of private sector damages and the methods BP has taken to compensate individuals and business that were affected by the spill.

After evaluating the damages caused by the spill, the legislative workgroup recommended continued government oversight of the BP claims process. They also advised that state agencies impacted by the spill should make relevant information known to private industries. In addition they advocated for reexamining the fairness of state laws in providing remedies for disasters like the oil spill for claimants who choose to take legal action outside of the BP claims process.

Over the last few months, several members of the Florida House of Representatives have received complaints from constituents regarding breakdowns and inconsistencies within the claims process. As a result of these issues and given the proximity to the beginning of the 2011 Legislation Session, Speaker Dean Cannon directed the Economic Affairs Committee to conduct a review of the private compensation process, inviting all Members who represent areas impacted by the spill to participate in the committee's investigation. As a component of this investigation, Kenneth Feinberg will testify before the Economic Affairs Committee on February 18, 2011.



Quick Facts:

Total # of Florida claimants: **164,632**

Total # of claimants paid to date: **68,431**

Total # claimants pending payment: **96,201**

\$\$ Paid to Florida claimants to date: **\$ 1,346,991,676**

Want to File a Claim?

Visit the [GCCF Website](#) to file a claim online or track a previously filed claim.

Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill

Background:

The Deepwater Horizon oil spill, also known as the BP or Gulf of Mexico oil spill, occurred on April 20, 2010, as a result of an explosion that destroyed an offshore drilling rig approximately 130 miles southeast of New Orleans. The explosion killed 11 workers on the rig and spilled an estimated 4.1 million barrels of crude oil into the Gulf of Mexico over 86 days.

The incident triggered the largest oil spill response in U.S. history. BP, the company identified as the responsible party, was charged with undertaking clean-up efforts overseen by the U.S. Coast Guard. The spill resulted in oil reaching the shores of several states in the Gulf Coast area, including Florida. The environmental and economic impacts of this incident continue to be researched.

Gulf Coast Claims Facility Actions:

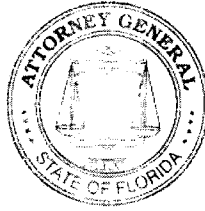
In order to settle claims as fairly and quickly as possible, BP and the Federal Government established the Gulf Coast Claims Facility (GCCF) to compensate those who have suffered damages resulting from the spill. Mr. Kenneth Feinberg was selected to administer the process claims through the GCCF. Payments made by the GCCF would come from an escrow account created by BP, to which BP agreed to contribute \$20 billion over the next four years. The GCCF opened on August 23, 2010. The GCCF published a [draft version](#) of their claims process for public review which was available February 2-16, 2011.

Under the current claims process, those wishing to file a claim have several [options](#) for receiving compensation from BP:

Voluntary Quick Payment Final Claim- These are claims for those who have already received aid from BP's Emergency Advanced Payment program. Quick Payment claims are an automatic payment which compensate individuals \$5,000 and businesses \$25,000. After receiving a quick payment claim, claimants are not entitled to make any additional claims toward oil spill damages.

Voluntary Full Review Final Claim- These claims are for those seeking compensation for documented damages as well as projected future damages caused by the spill. Those filing a full review final claim will receive an amount equal to two times the amount of their documented damages. The projected damages are calculated based on projections that state claimants will suffer 70 percent of their 2010 damages in 2011, and 30 percent in 2012, with all oil spill related damages ceasing by 2013. Those who receive a full review final claim are not entitled to make any additional claims toward oil spill damages.

Voluntary Interim Payment Claim- These claims are for those seeking compensation for documented damages who wish to wait to receive compensation for future damages from the spill. Claimants can file an interim claim once every calendar year quarter until the claims process ends on



STATE OF FLORIDA

**PAM BONDI
ATTORNEY GENERAL**

February 16, 2011

VIA U.S. MAIL AND E-MAIL

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Re: Gulf Coast Claims Facility ("GCCF")

Dear Mr. Feinberg:

As the State of Florida's chief legal officer, I have made improving the GCCF claims process a top priority. While traveling around Florida, I have heard firsthand the frustrations of Florida citizens and businesses regarding the unexpected delays, denials, lack of information, and inconsistencies in payments they have experienced when dealing with the GCCF. These frustrations have only increased due to the GCCF's refusal to process, much less pay, the more than fifty thousand (50,000) pending interim or final claims from Florida.

You have indicated that these claims were held in limbo in order to finalize a long-delayed payment methodology. I would urge you to promptly pay the tens of thousands of interim claims, not only due to the desperate financial situation faced by many Floridians but because such action is required by the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 ("OPA"). Paying these interim claims would also lessen the importance of an immediate implementation of a final payment methodology.

The purpose of this letter is to offer my comments on the "methodology" provided to my office (and the public) on February 2, 2011.¹ In summary, I find that the

¹ We will discuss my numerous other concerns with the GCCF, including those raised in my previous letter to you, in our meeting on Friday. I also plan to meet with BP in the near future on these issues, as it is ultimately responsible for providing a claims process that complies with OPA.

draft document does not provide answers to the important issues surrounding the claims process – including the continuing lack of transparency. Moreover, the multiplier lacks scientific support, especially as the basis for resolving final claims that would require the execution of a broad release. Finally, the proposed burden of proof for claimants is unduly restrictive.

While I had hoped that any methodology would deliver some much-needed transparency, the draft document provides almost no useful information for claimants. I am particularly disappointed that Floridians still don't know if their claim will be paid, in what amount or by what time. The draft document, which you apparently intend to implement shortly, is a methodology only in name.

The three-year (100%-70%-30%) timetable set forth in the draft document is based on exceedingly optimistic assumptions about unknown environmental and economic conditions and doesn't match the longer experiences with the Exxon Valdez and other major oil spills. There has been (and apparently will be) no independent peer review of these assumptions, the standard operating procedure in the scientific community. In essence, the so-called methodology involves a fixed formula for determining a final payment offer, assuming the correctness of the initial payment for 2010 and the applicability of the timetables.

While you have made numerous public comments about consulting various "experts," the attachments to the draft document include information from only two sources, the Analysis.Research.Planning Corporation and Dr. John W. "Wes" Tunnell, Jr. of Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi. The ARPC website indicates that the company is a consulting firm with a focus on providing expert testimony and settlement administration services for corporate defendants in toxic tort matters. *See* <http://www.arpc.com/AboutARPC/tabid/54/Default.aspx> ("Our clients include nearly every major asbestos defendant and asbestos trust"). Moreover, Dr. Tunnell's report was specifically commissioned by you; it appears that he only had two weeks (over the holiday break) to prepare the "expert" report.

The Tunnell Report appears to be based largely on inconclusive research from prior oil spill cases and environmental studies, some of which are several decades old. The report is an opinion rather than a scientific study, as it does not propose any methodology by which its assumptions and predictions can be tested. This "report" is one professor's hastily drawn opinion on when four fishery categories from the Gulf (crabs, oysters, fin-fish, and shrimp) may return to pre-spill harvest status. The report is replete with limitations, including:

- "[E]stablishing a recovery date and time is more difficult than determining the impact from the spill itself. In fact, establishing an exact recovery time is essentially impossible."²
- "The Ixtoc I oil spill of 1979-80 was the world's largest accidental marine oil spill until the DWH spill, and it released 140 million gallons of oil into

² Tunnell Report, p. iii.

the Gulf over almost 10 months of time.³ Although small remnants of Ixtoc tar mats can still be found today at a few remote Mexican localities, the majority of Gulf species and habitats seem to have recovered. Unfortunately, there were no long-term comprehensive studies done to confirm recovery, so we cannot be certain. In addition, it is unclear today whether the Gulf of Mexico is as resilient as it was 30 years ago, due to the many and continuing environmental impacts.”⁴

- “Changes in feeding behavior or reproductive behavior could affect populations for years from re-oiling of submerged or hidden oil that was not removed. The unprecedented and unexpected crash in the herring fishery five years after the Exxon Valdez oil spill is a classic example of the unknown that can surprisingly appear years later.”⁵
- “In addition to the obvious and direct death of biota or habitats that can occur during an oil spill, there are many possible sublethal effects which can occur, and they can be quite insidious and are very difficult to detect or measure. These effects might include reduced reproductive capacity, or sizes of individual organisms might be smaller as a result of exposure to oil components, or a result of reduced amounts of food or habitat. The effects of oil on plankton (food for larvae of fish and invertebrates) are currently unknown, and may never be known. ... Unfortunately, there are few published field studies on the impact of an oil spill on Gulf shrimp.”⁶
- “In areas where oysters died as a result of freshwater diversion and flooding, oyster reefs should be recolonized by young oysters in 2011 (assuming there are no large scale flooding events in 2011), but they will not likely be of harvestable size until late 2012 or 2013. In areas where oyster reefs were heavily oiled, oyster reefs may not recover for 6-8, or even 10 years.”⁷
- “Realistically, the true loss to the ecosystem and fisheries may not be accurately known for years, or even decades ... In conclusion, making an exact call for the time of recovery of any fishery group after a major oil spill is impossible.”⁸

The Tunnell Report does nothing to predict the short-term or long-term impact of the Deepwater Horizon oil spill on the tourism industry or on the demand for any Gulf seafood products, including the four fishery categories. Further, the GCCF has offered no justification for attempting to extrapolate these timetables or multipliers to non-fishing

³ The report states that the Deepwater Horizon oil spill released “over 200 million gallons of oil into the Gulf of Mexico from 20 April to 15 July 2010, a period of 87 days.” *Id.*, p. 1.

⁴ *Id.*, pp. 7-8.

⁵ *Id.*, p. 15.

⁶ *Id.*, pp. 22, 24.

⁷ *Id.*, pp. 32-33.

⁸ *Id.*, pp. 37-38.

industries, like tourism.

It is particularly inappropriate to use the Tunnell Report to make crucial decisions for final claims (where the GCCF has insisted upon the execution of a broad release form, including for unknown claims) given the existence of other, more scientific processes. As set forth in 33 U.S.C. § 2706(e), OPA mandates a thorough and scientifically-based natural resource damages assessment involving all interested parties, including the responsible parties. The goal of OPA is to make the environment and public whole for natural resource injuries resulting from an oil spill, either through restoration or compensation. That process is already well under way. BP has also set aside \$500 million to establish a Gulf of Mexico Research Initiative to conduct a 10-year study of the effects of the Deepwater Horizon incident and the potential associated impacts on the environment and public health, acknowledging the need for scientifically-based, and peer-reviewed analysis of sampling results, impact modeling, and studies. Thus, even BP believes that a long-term analysis is necessary in light of the uncertainty over the impacts from the Deepwater Horizon oil spill.

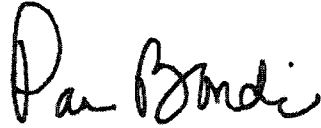
The fact of the matter is that the environmental impacts to the Gulf Coast cannot be neatly packaged into a one-size-fits-all model that fails to take into account the unique situation that each individual or business claimant may face. The criteria established in the methodology may be beneficial to some claimants, but not to others. Each claim should be evaluated to determine the most accurate recovery period, which may vary from case-to-case. A recovery period of five years or longer may be appropriate in some situations.

Moreover, I am troubled that the calculation of any final payment offer would be based upon only the eight months of losses incurred in 2010 after the Deepwater Horizon blowout. At the very least, any calculation of a final payment offer should be annualized, especially since some businesses depend on the early part of the year for much of their profits. It is also misleading to say that a final payment offer represents two times the actual documented losses in 2010. The payment for 2011 and 2012 is approximately equal to the payment for 2010, although 2010 is only a partial year. The calculation of a final payment offer should also consider changes in future earning capacity and be sufficiently generous to encompass the level of uncertainty faced by that claimant.

I am also very concerned about the heavy burden of proof (“direct connection”) that the GCCF is seeking to impose on claimants through this methodology. For example, how would you suggest a business effectively document and quantify the lost business from tourists that never showed up? It appears that each time a claimant files a claim, even if his claims have been paid in the past, he will be required to prove once again that the damages were the result of the oil spill, but with an increasing level of scrutiny. This suggests a process that imposes an unreasonable burden and cost on claimants, especially where the nature of a claim is recurring in nature (*e.g.*, a seafood processor whose plant has laid off workers due to a lack of demand for Gulf seafood). At the very least, the GCCF could assume that the business would have had at least the same level of income as the prior year.

The economic impact of this environmental disaster will be felt for many years to come by Florida's businesses and its people if the GCCF claims process is not made both fair and efficient, including through the payment of interim claims. I look forward to continuing our discussions in person on Friday.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Pam Bondi". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Pam Bondi
Attorney General

cc: John E. "Jack" Lynch Jr., Esq.

Florida Program Statistics (Status Report as of February 16, 2011)

All Claimants	No. of Claimants
Total Unique Claimants	165,647
1. Individual	128,858
2. Business	36,789
<i>Represented Claimants: 3,204</i>	

Paid Claimants	Paid Claimants	Total Amount Paid
Total Paid Claimants	68,444	\$ 1,333,150,476.00
Separate Fund for Real Estate Brokers and Agents		\$ 29,000,000.00
	Total Paid:	\$ 1,362,150,476.00

All Submitted and Paid Claimants <i>(Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)</i>	Claimants with Filed Claims	Paid Claimants	Paid Claims	Amount Paid
1. Emergency Advance Payment	148,997	68,442	68,475	\$ 981,399,076.00
2. Final: Quick Pay	36,065	35,239	35,249	\$ 351,555,000.00
3. Final: Full Review <i>(net of Claimants with Quick Payment Issued)</i>	30,932	1	1	\$ 7,500.00
4. Interim Payment <i>(net of Claimants with Quick Payment Issued)</i>	20,824	1	1	\$ 188,900.00
Total	236,818	103,683	103,726	\$ 1,333,150,476.00

Submitted and Paid Claimants - Individual <i>(Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)</i>	Claimants with Filed Claims	Paid Claimants	Paid Claims	Amount Paid
1. Emergency Advance Payment	115,735	48,626	48,636	\$ 386,135,900.00
2. Final: Quick Pay	27,067	26,466	26,468	\$ 132,330,000.00
3. Final: Full Review <i>(net of Claimants with Quick Payment Issued)</i>	25,091	1	1	\$ 7,500.00
4. Interim Payment <i>(net of Claimants with Quick Payment Issued)</i>	15,716	0	0	\$ -
Sub-Total	183,609	75,093	75,105	\$ 518,473,400.00

Submitted and Paid Claimants - Business <i>(Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)</i>	Claimants with Filed Claims	Paid Claimants	Paid Claims	Amount Paid
1. Emergency Advance Payment	33,262	19,816	19,839	\$ 595,263,176.00
2. Final: Quick Pay	8,998	8,773	8,781	\$ 219,225,000.00
3. Final: Full Review <i>(net of Claimants with Quick Payment Issued)</i>	5,841	0	0	\$ -
4. Interim Payment <i>(net of Claimants with Quick Payment Issued)</i>	5,108	1	1	\$ 188,900.00
Sub-Total	53,209	28,590	28,621	\$ 814,677,076.00

Separate Fund for Real Estate Brokers and Agents				\$ 29,000,000.00
Grand Total Paid to Date	236,818	103,683	103,726	\$ 1,362,150,476.00

Paid Claims by Category <i>(includes Individual and Business)</i>	No. of Claimants	No. of Claims	Amount Paid
1. Removal and Clean Up Costs	23	31	\$ 230,605.88
2. Real or Personal Property	34	55	\$ 262,100.00
3. Lost Earnings or Profits	68,394	103,630	\$ 1,332,640,027.26
4. Loss of Subsistence Use of Natural Resources	0	0	\$ -
5. Physical Injury / Death	8	10	\$ 17,742.86
Total	68,459	103,726	\$ 1,333,150,476.00

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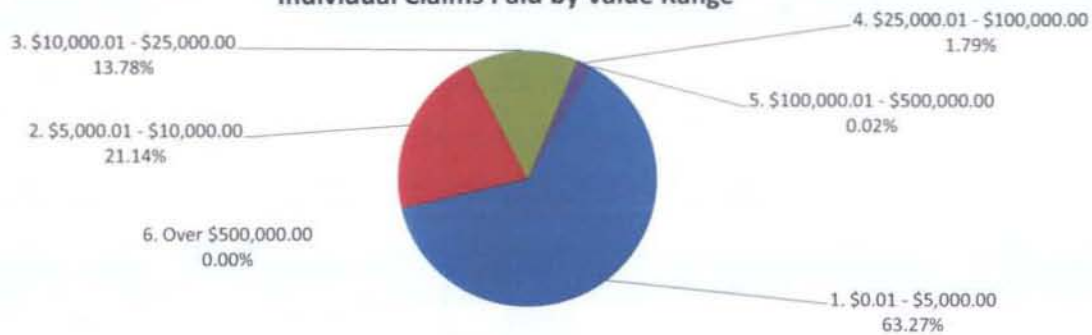
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Individual Claims by Amount

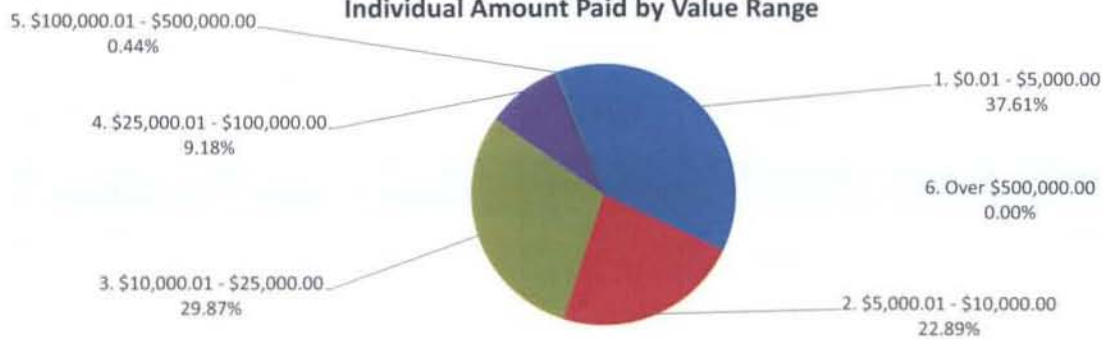
(Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)

Paid Claims by Amount	No. of Claims	Amount Paid
1. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	47,517	\$ 195,022,400.00
2. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	15,877	\$ 118,676,600.00
3. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	10,351	\$ 154,867,000.00
4. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	1,343	\$ 47,618,500.00
5. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	17	\$ 2,288,900.00
6. Over \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
Total	75,105	\$ 518,473,400.00

Individual Claims Paid by Value Range



Individual Amount Paid by Value Range

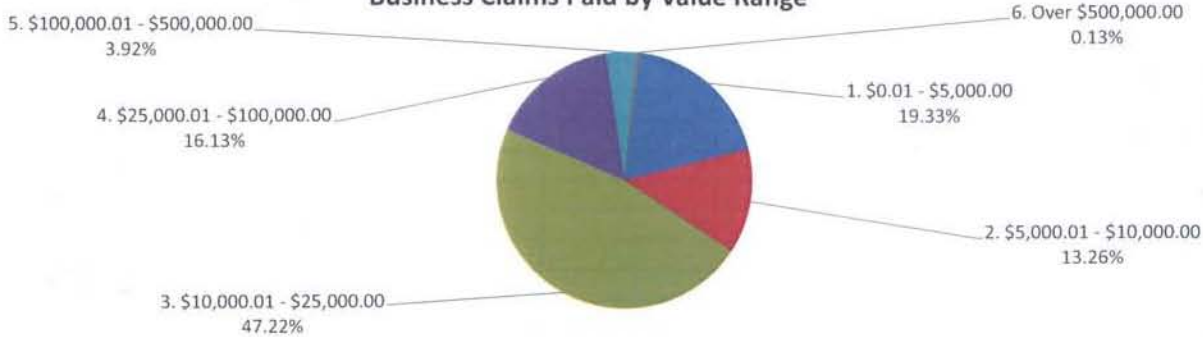


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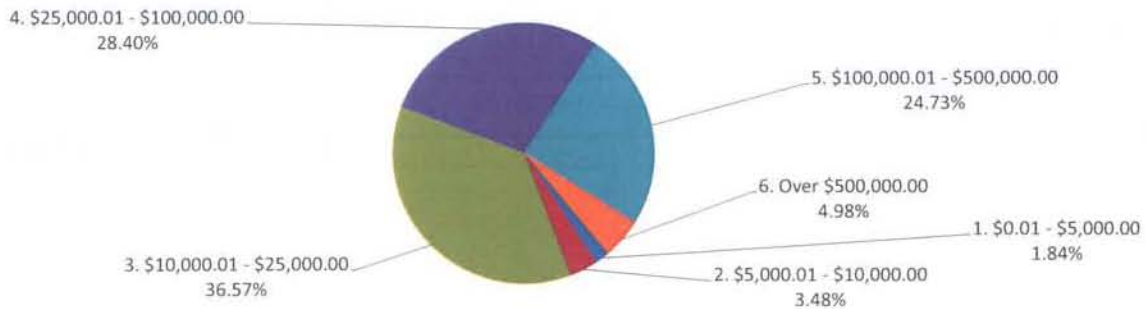
Business Claims by Amount (Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)

Paid Claims by Amount	No. of Claims	Amount Paid
1. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	5,533	\$ 14,973,405.88
2. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	3,796	\$ 28,338,269.38
3. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	13,516	\$ 297,927,724.74
4. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	4,617	\$ 231,372,700.00
5. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	1,121	\$ 201,496,300.00
6. Over \$500,000.00	38	\$ 40,568,676.00
Total	28,621	\$ 814,677,076.00

Business Claims Paid by Value Range



Business Amount Paid by Value Range



Florida Program Statistics*(Status Report as of February 16, 2011)***Claims by Category and Amount***(Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)*

Paid Claims by Category and Amount	No. of Claims	Amount Paid
1. Removal and Clean Up Costs		
a. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	22	\$ 44,405.88
b. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	3	\$ 19,400.00
c. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	5	\$ 104,700.00
d. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	1	\$ 62,100.00
e. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
f. Over \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
Sub-Total	31	\$ 230,605.88
2. Real or Personal Property		
a. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	47	\$ 145,000.00
b. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	4	\$ 22,000.00
c. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	2	\$ 29,500.00
d. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	2	\$ 65,600.00
e. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
f. Over \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
Sub-Total	55	\$ 262,100.00
3. Lost Earnings or Profits		
a. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	52,972	\$ 209,795,800.00
b. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	19,665	\$ 146,966,326.52
c. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	23,860	\$ 452,660,524.74
d. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	5,957	\$ 278,863,500.00
e. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	1,138	\$ 203,785,200.00
f. Over \$500,000.00	38	\$ 40,568,676.00
Sub-Total	103,630	\$ 1,332,640,027.26

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Claims by Category and Amount

(Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)

Paid Claims by Category and Amount	No. of Claims	Amount Paid
4. Loss of Subsistence Use of Natural Resources		
a. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	0	\$ -
b. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	0	\$ -
c. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	0	\$ -
d. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	0	\$ -
e. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
f. Over \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
Sub-Total	0	\$ -
5. Physical Injury / Death		
a. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	9	\$ 10,600.00
b. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	1	\$ 7,142.86
c. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	0	\$ -
d. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	0	\$ -
e. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
f. Over \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
Sub-Total	10	\$ 17,742.86
6. Other Claims		
a. \$0.01 - \$5,000.00	0	\$ -
b. \$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	0	\$ -
c. \$10,000.01 - \$25,000.00	0	\$ -
d. \$25,000.01 - \$100,000.00	0	\$ -
e. \$100,000.01 - \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
f. Over \$500,000.00	0	\$ -
Sub-Total	0	\$ -
Total	103,726	\$ 1,333,150,476.00

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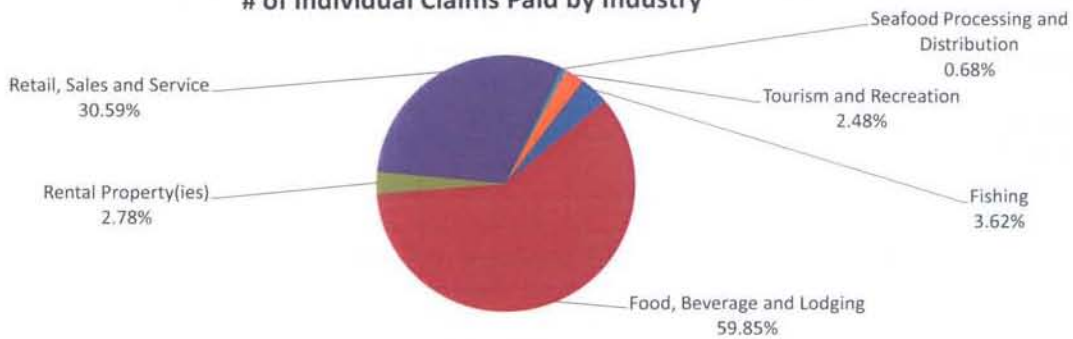
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Individual Lost Earnings or Profits Claims Paid by Industry

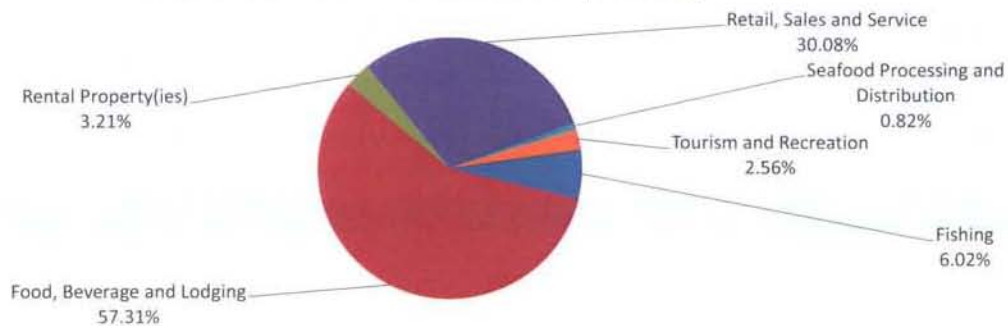
(Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)

Paid Claims By Industry	No. of Claims	Amount Paid
Fishing	2,719	\$ 31,211,100.00
Food, Beverage and Lodging	44,910	\$ 296,967,960.98
Rental Property(ies)	2,088	\$ 16,658,800.00
Retail, Sales and Service	22,953	\$ 155,874,239.02
Seafood Processing and Distribution	507	\$ 4,253,600.00
Tourism and Recreation	1,859	\$ 13,249,700.00
Total	75,036	\$ 518,215,400.00

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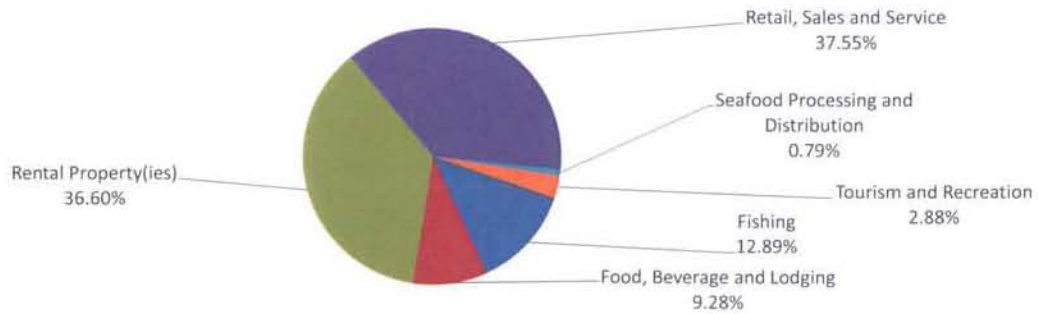


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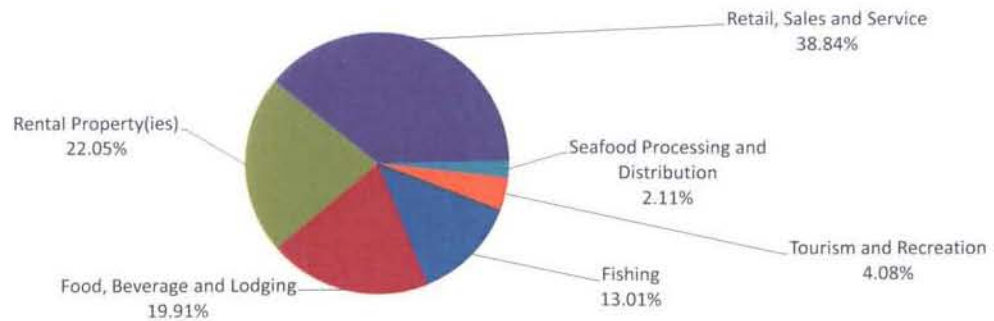
Business Lost Earnings or Profits Claims Paid by Industry (Claimants may have more than one Claim Category)

Paid Claims By Industry	No. of Claims	Amount Paid
Fishing	3,687	\$ 105,984,000.00
Food, Beverage and Lodging	2,654	\$ 162,117,000.00
Rental Property(ies)	10,465	\$ 179,616,870.12
Retail, Sales and Service	10,738	\$ 316,292,757.14
Seafood Processing and Distribution	227	\$ 17,182,200.00
Tourism and Recreation	823	\$ 33,231,800.00
Total	28,594	\$ 814,424,627.26



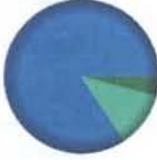

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County	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Wilcox (Alabama)	126	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Both
		Resident of County	12	\$172,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	3	\$67,000.00	
		Totals:	15	\$239,000.00	
Winston (Alabama)	34	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident
		Resident of County	5	\$153,000.00	
		Totals:	5	\$153,000.00	
		Aachua (Florida)	225	<u>Claimant Type</u>	
Resident of County	29			\$345,000.00	
Resident and Loss in County	5			\$145,600.00	
Claim Loss in County	2			\$21,000.00	
Totals:	36			\$511,600.00	
Bay (Florida)	47,488	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	796	\$9,250,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	13,512	\$188,913,576.00	
		Claim Loss in County	2,509	\$26,368,500.00	
		Totals:	16,817	\$224,532,476.00	
Brevard (Florida)	462	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	18	\$395,100.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	10	\$681,400.00	
		Claim Loss in County	3	\$36,800.00	
		Totals:	31	\$1,113,300.00	

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Broward (Florida)	2,060	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	56	\$1,319,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	17	\$3,623,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	13	\$298,900.00	
		Totals:	86	\$5,241,400.00	
Calhoun (Florida)	321	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	32	\$317,100.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	1	\$6,000.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$4,200.00	
		Totals:	34	\$327,300.00	
Charlotte (Florida)	666	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	16	\$164,100.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	66	\$2,152,200.00	
		Claim Loss in County	23	\$145,900.00	
		Totals:	105	\$2,462,200.00	
Citrus (Florida)	613	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	31	\$497,200.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	111	\$2,272,300.00	
		Claim Loss in County	10	\$257,500.00	
		Totals:	152	\$3,027,000.00	
Clay (Florida)	164	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	10	\$62,500.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	2	\$126,000.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$18,700.00	
		Totals:	13	\$207,200.00	

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Collier (Florida)	17,732	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	172	\$1,324,500.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	3,291	\$30,170,400.00	
		Claim Loss in County	238	\$1,995,100.00	
Totals:		3,701	\$33,490,000.00		
Columbia (Florida)	47	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Both
		Resident of County	6	\$101,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	1	\$40,000.00	
		Totals:		7	
Desoto (Florida)	25	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Both
		Resident and Loss in County	2	\$20,000.00	
		Totals:		2	
Dixie (Florida)	111	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	1	\$3,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	13	\$537,800.00	
		Claim Loss in County	5	\$101,200.00	
Totals:		19	\$642,000.00		
Duval (Florida)	960	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	78	\$1,110,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	18	\$1,329,200.00	
		Claim Loss in County	10	\$201,400.00	
Totals:		106	\$2,640,600.00		

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Escambia (Florida)	31,807		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	2,069	\$22,340,300.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	7,078	\$95,014,800.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1,607	\$19,442,900.00	
		Totals:	10,754	\$136,798,000.00	
Flagler (Florida)	50		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident
		Resident of County	3	\$68,600.00	
		Totals:	3	\$68,600.00	
Franklin (Florida)	3,722		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	52	\$627,300.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	1,370	\$18,657,700.00	
		Claim Loss in County	185	\$2,997,800.00	
		Totals:	1,607	\$22,282,800.00	
Gadsden (Florida)	199		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	11	\$182,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	3	\$47,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$6,000.00	
		Totals:	15	\$235,500.00	
Gilchrist (Florida)	17		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident
		Resident of County	2	\$12,700.00	
		Totals:	2	\$12,700.00	

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Glades (Florida)	6				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident
		Resident of County	2	\$13,400.00	
		Totals:	2	\$13,400.00	
Gulf (Florida)	2,928				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	181	\$1,979,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	616	\$11,842,000.00	
		Claim Loss in County	179	\$2,077,000.00	
Totals:	976	\$15,898,000.00			
Hardee (Florida)	17				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident
		Resident of County	1	\$15,000.00	
		Totals:	1	\$15,000.00	
Hendry (Florida)	136				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident
		Resident of County	2	\$25,800.00	
		Totals:	2	\$25,800.00	
Hernando (Florida)	458				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	33	\$502,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	51	\$1,207,200.00	
		Claim Loss in County	22	\$513,600.00	
Totals:	106	\$2,223,200.00			

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Highlands (Florida)	126				<p>Legend: Loss</p>
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$12,600.00	
		Totals:	1	\$12,600.00	
Hillsborough (Florida)	5,104				<p>Legend: Resident, Loss, Both</p>
		Resident of County	162	\$1,887,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	399	\$6,084,600.00	
		Claim Loss in County	162	\$1,967,300.00	
		Totals:	723	\$9,938,900.00	
Holmes (Florida)	845				<p>Legend: Resident, Loss, Both</p>
		Resident of County	160	\$1,511,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	52	\$810,000.00	
		Claim Loss in County	17	\$124,000.00	
		Totals:	229	\$2,445,400.00	
Indian River (Florida)	142				<p>Legend: Resident, Loss, Both</p>
		Resident of County	4	\$25,900.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	4	\$161,500.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$65,000.00	
		Totals:	9	\$252,400.00	
Jackson (Florida)	760				<p>Legend: Resident, Loss, Both</p>
		Resident of County	61	\$779,200.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	4	\$114,500.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$7,900.00	
		Totals:	66	\$901,600.00	

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Jefferson (Florida)	34				
		Resident of County	5	\$112,200.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	3	\$4,200.00	
		Claim Loss in County	2	\$7,000.00	
	Totals:		10	\$123,400.00	
Lafayette (Florida)	12				
		Resident and Loss in County	1	\$226,700.00	
		Totals:	1	\$226,700.00	
Lake (Florida)	194				
		Resident of County	12	\$76,300.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	5	\$138,600.00	
		Totals:	17	\$214,900.00	
Lee (Florida)	8,301				
		Resident of County	254	\$2,382,600.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	893	\$10,849,200.00	
		Claim Loss in County	154	\$1,194,900.00	
		Totals:	1,301	\$14,426,700.00	
Leon (Florida)	1,385				
		Resident of County	159	\$2,572,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	9	\$291,300.00	
		Claim Loss in County	6	\$87,800.00	
		Totals:	174	\$2,951,100.00	

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Levy (Florida)	484				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	17	\$284,700.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	115	\$2,578,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	13	\$259,000.00	
		Totals:	145	\$3,121,800.00	
Liberty (Florida)	123				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	21	\$246,600.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	4	\$43,200.00	
		Claim Loss in County	3	\$59,200.00	
		Totals:	28	\$349,000.00	
Madison (Florida)	45				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss
		Resident of County	1	\$8,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	2	\$21,200.00	
		Totals:	3	\$29,300.00	
Manatee (Florida)	1,391				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	61	\$967,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	154	\$3,892,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	65	\$1,039,900.00	
		Totals:	280	\$5,899,400.00	
Marion (Florida)	249				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	17	\$186,900.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	5	\$66,200.00	
		Claim Loss in County	2	\$59,800.00	
		Totals:	24	\$312,900.00	

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Martin (Florida)	116	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	5	\$39,900.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	6	\$155,400.00	
		Claim Loss in County	2	\$34,600.00	
		Totals:	13	\$229,900.00	
Miami-dade (Florida)	4,204	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	451	\$3,100,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	122	\$1,724,500.00	
		Claim Loss in County	18	\$447,900.00	
		Totals:	591	\$5,272,400.00	
Monroe (Florida)	9,760	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	63	\$1,104,800.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	3,235	\$62,913,900.00	
		Claim Loss in County	488	\$4,079,500.00	
		Totals:	3,786	\$68,098,200.00	
Nassau (Florida)	71	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	5	\$81,800.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	2	\$31,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	4	\$67,800.00	
		Totals:	11	\$180,700.00	
Okaloosa (Florida)	39,600	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	1,908	\$21,034,000.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	10,764	\$171,479,900.00	
		Claim Loss in County	4,484	\$54,280,600.00	
		Totals:	17,156	\$246,794,500.00	

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Okeechobee (Florida)	24				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss
		Resident of County	1	\$3,500.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$5,000.00	
		Totals:	2	\$8,500.00	
Orange (Florida)	2,756				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Both
		Resident of County	115	\$1,268,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	8	\$228,600.00	
		Totals:	123	\$1,497,000.00	
Osceola (Florida)	254				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident
		Resident of County	10	\$63,500.00	
		Totals:	10	\$63,500.00	
Palm Beach (Florida)	1,765				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	42	\$1,659,300.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	13	\$671,700.00	
		Claim Loss in County	2	\$12,200.00	
Totals:	57	\$2,343,200.00			
Pasco (Florida)	1,485				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	131	\$1,624,600.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	142	\$3,988,500.00	
		Claim Loss in County	31	\$385,500.00	
Totals:	304	\$5,998,600.00			

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County (Florida)	Total Claims	Claimant Type	Claims Paid	Amount Paid	Payments in County
Pinellas (Florida)	10,831		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	135	\$2,229,700.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	2,271	\$32,378,300.00	
		Claim Loss in County	295	\$3,177,700.00	
		Totals:	2,701	\$37,785,700.00	
Polk (Florida)	818		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	28	\$634,500.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	9	\$247,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1	\$9,200.00	
		Totals:	38	\$890,800.00	
Putnam (Florida)	44		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Both
		Resident and Loss in County	3	\$108,400.00	
		Totals:	3	\$108,400.00	
Santa Rosa (Florida)	15,057		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	1,429	\$15,673,300.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	2,600	\$46,730,900.00	
		Claim Loss in County	1,682	\$18,731,000.00	
		Totals:	5,711	\$81,135,200.00	
Sarasota (Florida)	1,595		<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<p>Payments in County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident Loss Both
		Resident of County	47	\$621,800.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	105	\$2,501,300.00	
		Claim Loss in County	41	\$380,200.00	
		Totals:	193	\$3,503,300.00	

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Seminole (Florida)	256				<p>Legend: Resident</p>
		Resident of County	24	\$330,200.00	
		Totals:	24	\$330,200.00	
St. Johns (Florida)	164				<p>Legend: Resident, Both</p>
		Resident of County	11	\$182,900.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	4	\$76,500.00	
Totals:		15	\$259,400.00		
St. Lucie (Florida)	290				<p>Legend: Resident, Both</p>
		Resident of County	8	\$105,400.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	3	\$65,000.00	
Totals:		11	\$170,400.00		
Sumter (Florida)	47				<p>Legend: Resident, Both</p>
		Resident of County	9	\$202,100.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	1	\$16,000.00	
Totals:		10	\$218,100.00		
Suwannee (Florida)	32				<p>Legend: Resident, Both</p>
		Resident of County	3	\$30,900.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	1	\$4,300.00	
Totals:		4	\$35,200.00		

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Taylor (Florida)	219				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	8	\$294,200.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	45	\$1,601,500.00	
		Claim Loss in County	5	\$41,800.00	
		Totals:	58	\$1,937,500.00	
Union (Florida)	4				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident
		Resident of County	1	\$7,800.00	
		Totals:	1	\$7,800.00	
Unknown (Florida)	570				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident
		Resident of County	73	\$1,117,300.00	
		Totals:	73	\$1,117,300.00	
Volusia (Florida)	301				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	18	\$1,133,500.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	6	\$627,000.00	
		Claim Loss in County	3	\$33,800.00	
		Totals:	27	\$1,794,300.00	
Wakulla (Florida)	1,210				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	47	\$1,033,300.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	356	\$7,573,600.00	
		Claim Loss in County	33	\$727,400.00	
		Totals:	436	\$9,334,300.00	

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Walton (Florida)	18,000	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	1,385	\$23,163,200.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	4,120	\$71,927,900.00	
		Claim Loss in County	3,143	\$32,098,900.00	
		Totals:	8,648	\$127,190,000.00	
Washington (Florida)	1,611	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	341	\$3,020,800.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	62	\$551,600.00	
		Claim Loss in County	11	\$92,400.00	
		Totals:	414	\$3,664,800.00	
Acadia (Louisiana)	412	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss ■ Both
		Resident of County	18	\$422,500.00	
		Resident and Loss in County	11	\$470,700.00	
		Claim Loss in County	7	\$148,000.00	
		Totals:	36	\$1,041,200.00	
Allen (Louisiana)	82	<u>Claimant Type</u>	<u>Claims Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	Payments in County <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Resident ■ Loss
		Resident of County	2	\$34,100.00	
		Claim Loss in County	2	\$38,600.00	
		Totals:	4	\$72,700.00	
		Ascension (Louisiana)	2,420	<u>Claimant Type</u>	
Resident of County	81			\$979,900.00	
Resident and Loss in County	17			\$426,300.00	
Claim Loss in County	2			\$20,900.00	
Totals:	100			\$1,427,100.00	