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Message from the Office of Emergency Management

Here we are at the peak of hurricane season. Hurricane Season runs from June 1st to November 30th for the Atlantic Basin.

The National Oceanic and Atmosphere Administration (NOAA) has updated their prediction for the remainder of the season.

NOAA	Average
10-17 Named Storms	12
5-9 Hurricanes	6
2-4 Major Hurricanes	3

There is now a 45% chance for above normal tropical activity this season, NOAA said from the original prediction of 30%. As always be prepared for any storms that may come our way. You can followed Hurricane's at the following web-site. Nhc.noaa.gov.

You can download the New Jersey Hurricane Guide at readynj.gov under Hurricanes. This site also provides you with any information or preparedness tips you may have. Your local OEM Office can also answer your questions. There are many links from the page you can seek information from.

From our home page you can click on Public Safety then on Emergency Management for information.

The South Hackensack Office of Emergency Management is available via phone at 201-440-1815 ext. # 165. We do make presentations to groups and businesses at your request.

Be Prepared, Not Scared, Yours in Preparedness
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