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# Damage Assessment Team Completes Assessment of Flood Impacted Forest Falls and Oak Glen

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In response to this week's floods that impacted Forest Falls, Yucaipa, and the Oak Glen areas, San Bernardino County Fire mobilized our Office of the Fire Marshal "Damage Assessment Team". These significant mudflows caused widespread damage in areas adjacent to recent burn scars. The 15-person Damage Assessment Team has deployed to the impacted areas, systemically assessing homes for damages and compiling a thorough report.

The team has completed their assessment of the areas with the following totals:

Forest Falls:

- 6 Single-family residences destroyed
- 1 Single family residence deck/parking area destroyed

Oak Glen:

- 2 Single-family residence destroyed
- 8 Single-family residences sustained moderate/minor damage
- 1 Commercial building destroyed
- 1 Commercial building sustained moderate damaged
- 6 Outbuildings destroyed
- 14 Outbuildings sustained moderate/minor damage

The team utilizes the latest technology and developed a Rapid Damage Assessment Solution. This technology provides real-time damage assessment utilizing live maps; conducts damage assessment field surveys digitally using mobile devices in order to provide real-time updates to the Incident Command; provides a dashboard to Incident Command and damage assessment personnel containing real-time situational awareness, the total number of buildings assessed, and their assessment rating; real-time live updating maps as to what

geographical areas have been assessed and the location of damage assessment field personnel; allows for the collection of photos of the damage; creates automated reports and GIS-based maps, and so much more.

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# Motorcyclist severely injured after colliding with vehicle in Hesperia

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The driver of a Yamaha motorcycle was hospitalized with major injuries after he collided with a Mitsubishi Lancer on Main Street in Hesperia.

A motorcyclist was hospitalized with major injuries after he collided with a vehicle on Main Street in Hesperia.

The Hesperia Sheriff's Station reported that at about 8:58 a.m. on Tuesday, deputies and **San Bernardino County Fire** personnel responded to the collision near the intersection of Main Street and Maple Avenue.

Upon arrival, deputies found a motorcycle rider down in the roadway and suffering from major injuries, sheriff's officials reported.

Investigating deputies determined the rider of a 2011 Yamaha was traveling west on Main Street, while a 2016 Mitsubishi Lancer was traveling east on Main Street.

When the adult female driver of the Mitsubishi attempted to turn left into a business parking lot, she turned directly into the path of the motorcycle, causing the collision.

The motorcycle rider suffered major injuries and he was flown by helicopter to a hospital for advanced treatment. The driver of the Mitsubishi was not injured and cooperated with the investigation at the scene, the sheriff's report said.

Alcohol or drugs do not appear to be a factor in the collision, which remains under investigation.

Anyone with information regarding the incident is urged by the Sheriff's Department to contact the Hesperia Sheriff's Station at 760-947-1500. Callers wishing to remain anonymous should contact the We-Tip Hotline at 800-78-CRIME (27463) or visit [wetip.com](http://wetip.com).

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