

FEMA-DR-4399-FL

SITE INSPECTION MITIGATION REPORT FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PORT ST. JOE

Type: WO# 38351
Applicant: First United Methodist Church of Port St. Joe FIPS#: 045-12767-00
County: Gulf
Site: Parking Lots, Lot Areas and Surrounding Structures, and Signage
Date: 05/28/2019
Location: 1001 Constitution Drive, Port St. Joe, FL 32456
Lat/Long: Refer to Site Inspection Report
Attendees: Refer to PA Grants Manager for list of attendees

DI# 248731 Category: C 25 % work complete

Known dimensions, damages, and current conditions:

This DI consists of damages to the various parking lots, sidewalks, and walkways (including appurtenances) associated with the First United Methodist Church (FUMC) campus, as well as various signage and wood dumpster fence. Many sections of sidewalk have significant cracks and uplift. The wood fence enclosure at the dumpster was destroyed, although some (but not all) of the wood support posts remain in place. Most of the small channel-post supported signs were recovered, but they require re-installation. The larger church marquee sign sustained only minor damage; it warrants repair rather than replacement.

Cause of Damage:

High winds from Hurricane Michael and the associated storm surge from St. Joseph Bay that rolled over the FUMC campus were the cause of all the lost and damaged items associated with this DI. In some instances, falling trees may have exacerbated damage impacts to certain components. In particular, when the hurricane toppled most of the trees at the FUMC campus, the disturbance of pine tree root systems located in the vicinity of certain sidewalk segments may have contributed to the sidewalk cracking and uplift that currently exists.

Repair to pre-disaster condition:

The Applicant's intent with respect to the losses and damages incurred under this DI is to replace the items to pre-disaster conditions with in-kind equipment and materials.

Potential mitigation measures:

Based on the presumed cause of some of the damages, discussion with the Applicant, and the nature and/or minimal extent of the items damaged, no practical, potential mitigation measures have been identified for this DI, nor are any sought by the Applicant.

Photos: See attached photo sheets.

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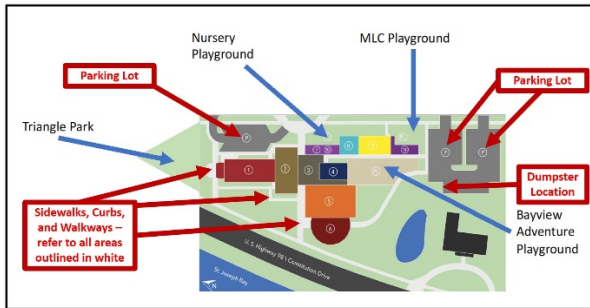


Photo 1: Location of parking lots and sidewalks relative to FUMC facility. Refer to SIR for Lat/Long (typ).

Photo 2: Damaged concrete sidewalk.



Photo 3: Damaged concrete sidewalk.

Photo 4: Damaged concrete curb (car parking stop).

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Photo 5: Wood posts at location of former dumpster enclosure fence.



Photo 6: Damaged signage awaiting re-installation - stockpiled near southern parking lot.



Photo 7: Damaged church sign.



Photo 8: Google Maps satellite view of selected FUMC campus features (see red ovals and arrows).