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### **Weather Damage Reports to MEMA**

**Pearl** – The Mississippi Emergency Management Agency has received damage reports from 10 counties affected by severe weather that moved through the state Monday night and this morning. Many damage assessments are ongoing in affected areas of the state.

A total of 32 minor injuries have been reported. Two of the injured are still hospitalized for observation according to county emergency managers.

#### **Initial damage reports by county are as follows:**

- **Attala:** Two homes major damage, eight homes minor damage, nine mobile homes destroyed, two mobile homes major damage and 14 minor damage. Six injuries reported.
- **Leake:** One home destroyed and three with minor damage.
- **Lee:** Trees and power lines down throughout the county.
- **Lowndes:** Power lines down throughout the county.
- **Monroe:** One home destroyed, four homes major damage, nine homes minor damage, eight mobile homes destroyed, five mobile homes major damage, 14 mobile homes minor damage. Eleven injures were also reported.
- **Oktober:** Preliminary damage reports include damage to 11 homes. In the Pines Mobile Home Park, 15 mobile homes destroyed, 18 major damage, 20 minor damage, 44 others affected. Seven businesses are reporting minor damage. Fifteen injuries were also reported.
- **Smith:** One home and two mobile homes destroyed. Nine homes with minor damage.
- **Tallahatchie:** Reports of flooding in the Charleston area.
- **Warren:** Reports of sporadic power outages and trees down.
- **Yazoo:** Eight homes major damage, five homes minor damage, 18 homes affected, two mobile homes major damage, one mobile home minor damage, two apartments major damage, one business destroyed, seven businesses with major damage and 16 businesses with minor damage.

These are initial reports from county emergency managers. Additional damage assessments are underway. MEMA will continue to provide additional reports as information becomes available.

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