



Hidalgo County
Emergency Management

HURRICANE HOTLINE OPENS AT 8 A.M.

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EDINBURG — Hidalgo County's Hurricane Hotline opens at 8 a.m. tomorrow and will be open until 5 p.m. to take callers' questions about Hurricane Ike and the effects it may have on the local area.

The hotline, staffed by knowledgeable and trained county employees from various offices, will be open Thursday and Friday. Days and hours of operation may change post-landfall based on the track and intensity of the hurricane.

The hotline number is 1-866-613-5277.

Currently, Ike is moving northwest away from the Rio Grande Valley. However, residents are encouraged to maintain a level of preparedness and a sense of heightened awareness, as Ike has been unpredictable from the start.

For more information, visit www.co.hidalgo.tx.us