



## PRESS RELEASE

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### Post Irma Update

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#### Post Irma Update #1: City Response Teams Commence Post-Storm Safety Assessments

At daybreak, City of St. Petersburg response teams will hit the streets to assess storm damage and address safety concerns.

Immediate storm response includes:

- \*The St. Petersburg Police Department and St. Petersburg Fire Department will conduct search and rescue missions, as well as quick damage assessments
- \*The Public Works Department will begin damage assessment of public infrastructure, including traffic lights, sign damage, and individual residential damage
- \*The Parks and Recreation Department and Sanitation Department will begin street debris and downed tree removal

The curfew will be lifted at 8 a.m., but residents are urged to stay in their current safe place until city officials can confirm it is safe to return home.

