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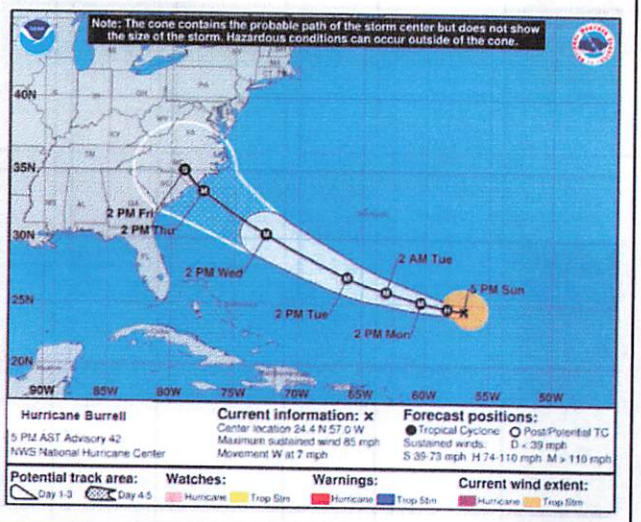
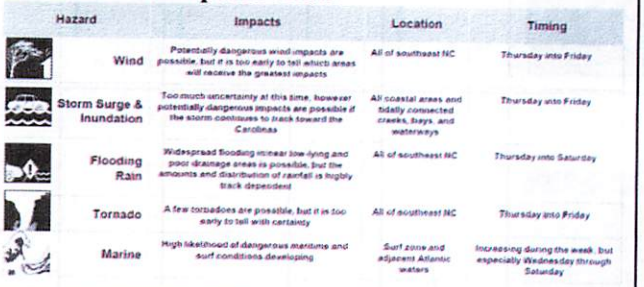
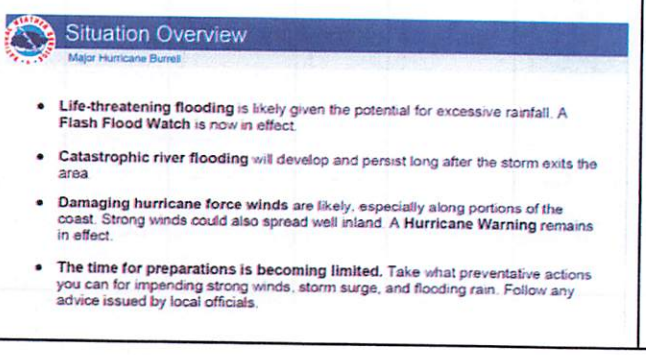
Hurricane Cone 	✓				
Hazards and Impacts Table 	✓				
Situation Overview 	✓				

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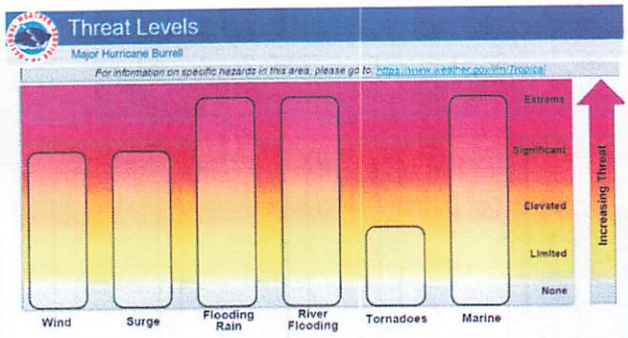
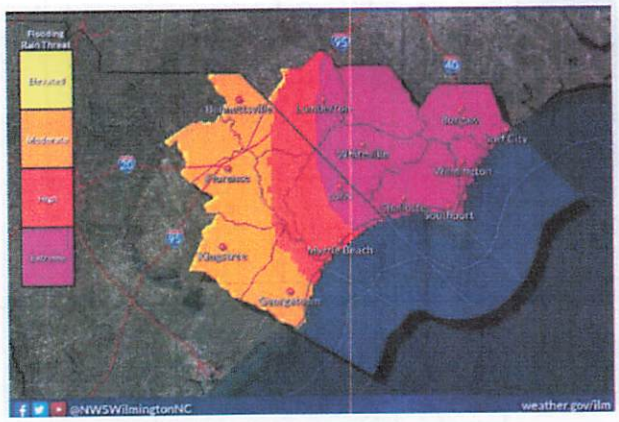
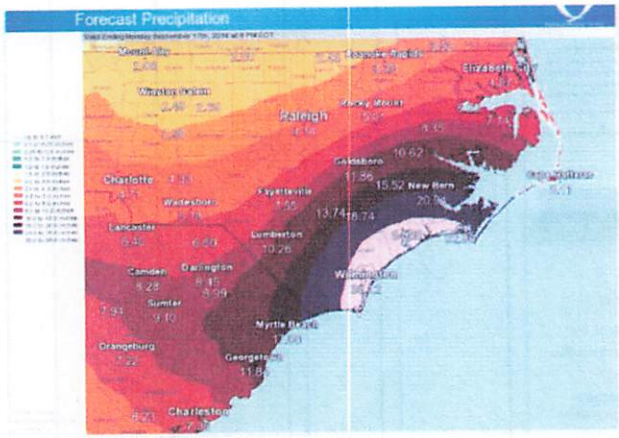
Threat Levels 			✓		
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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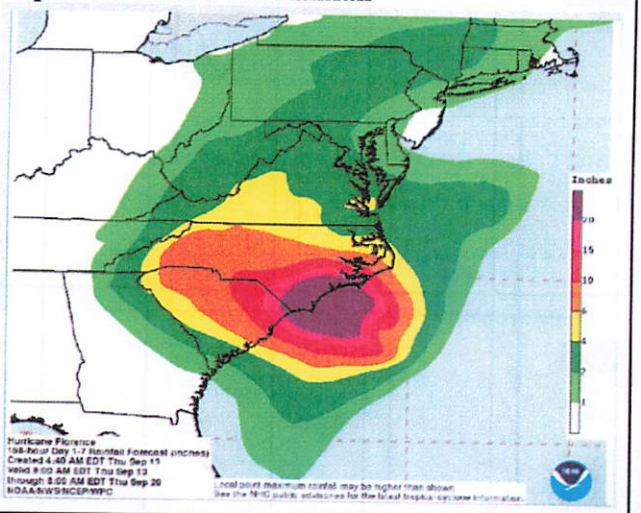
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 		✓			
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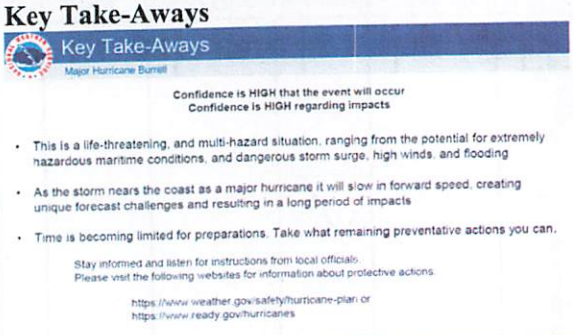
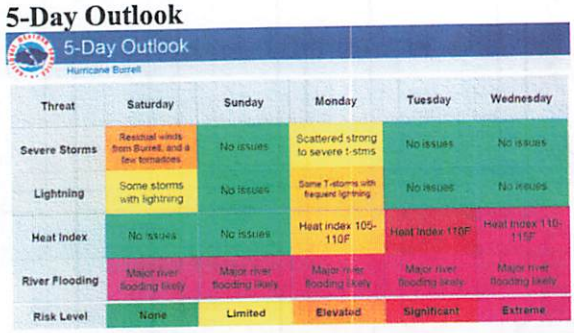
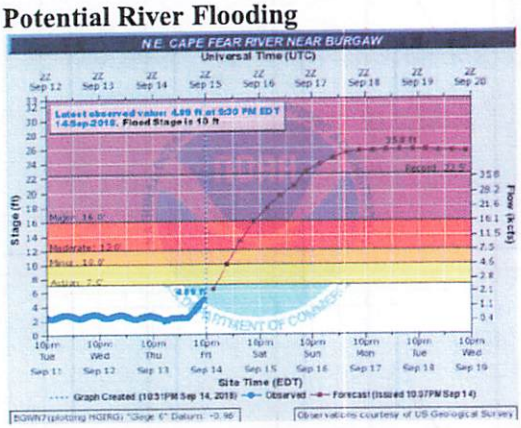
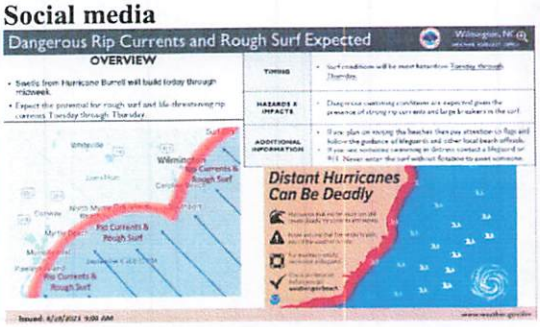
Key Take-Aways 			✓		
5-Day Outlook 			✓		
Potential River Flooding 			✓		
Social media 			✓		

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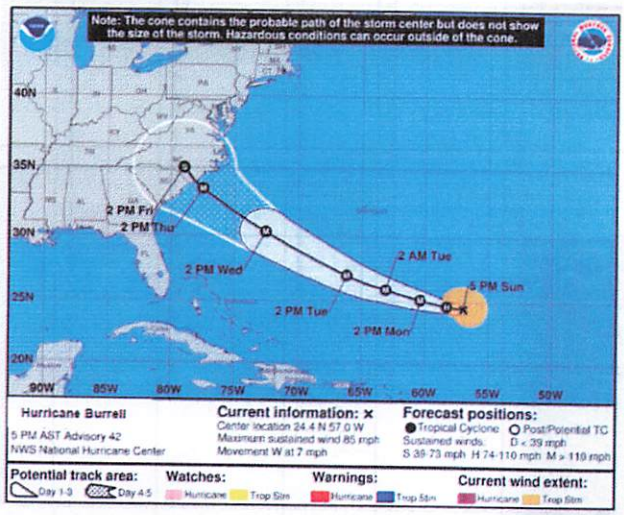
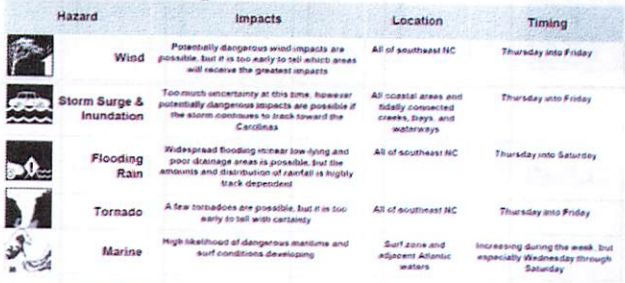
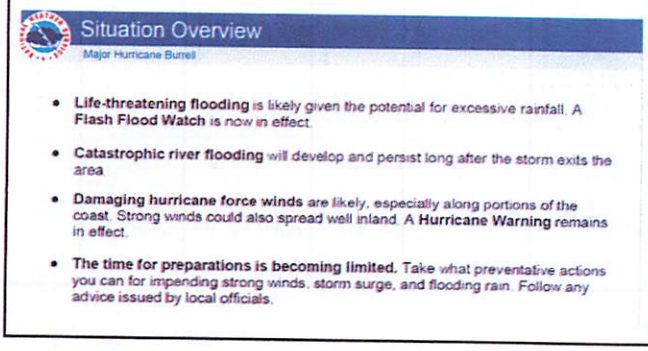
Hurricane Cone 	✓				
Hazards and Impacts Table 					
Situation Overview 					

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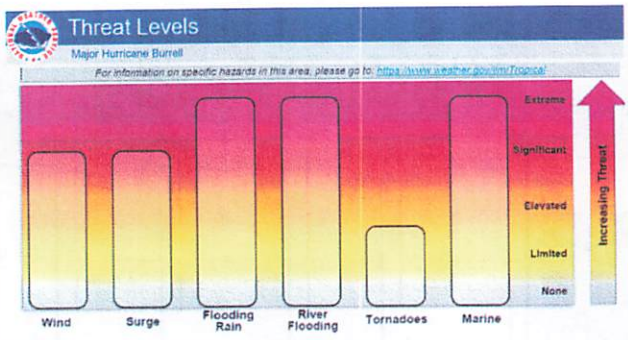
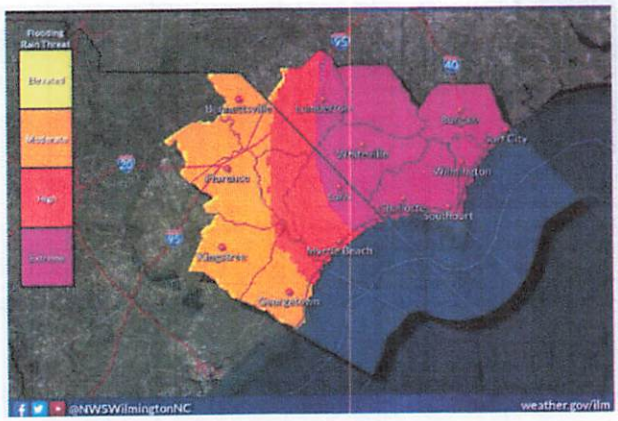
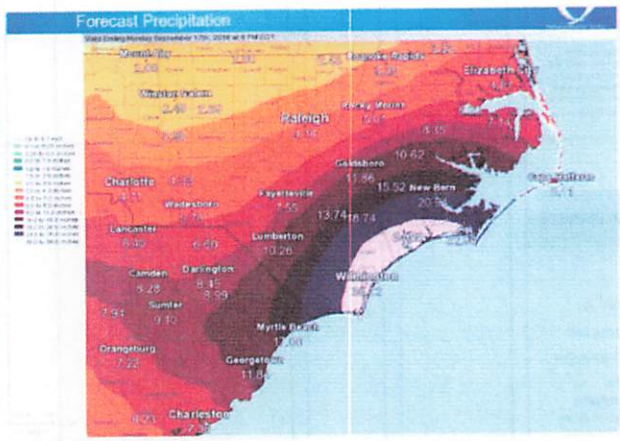
Threat Levels 	✓				
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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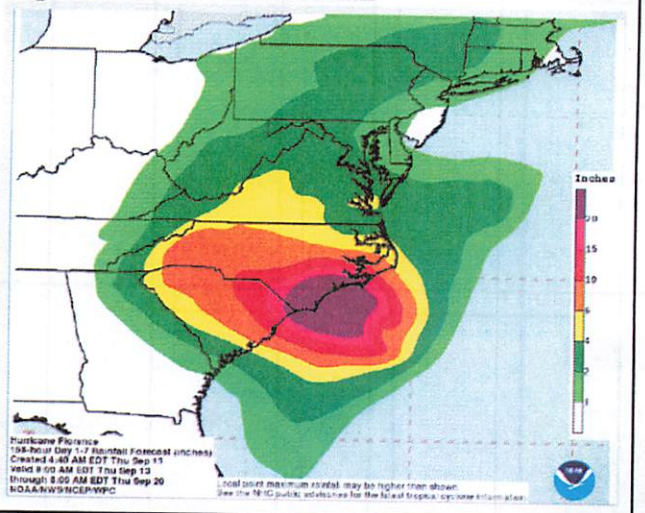
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 					
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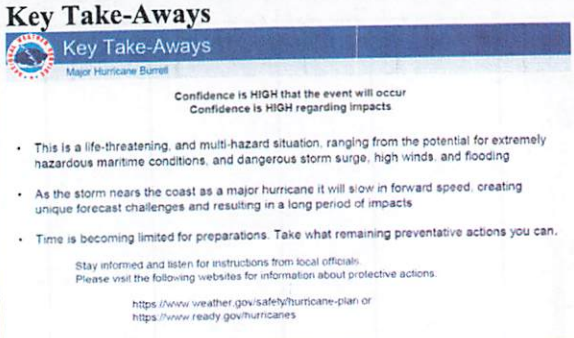
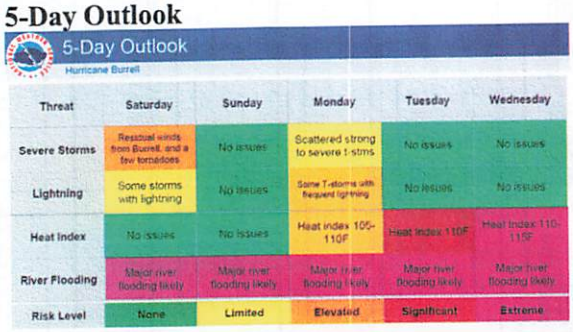
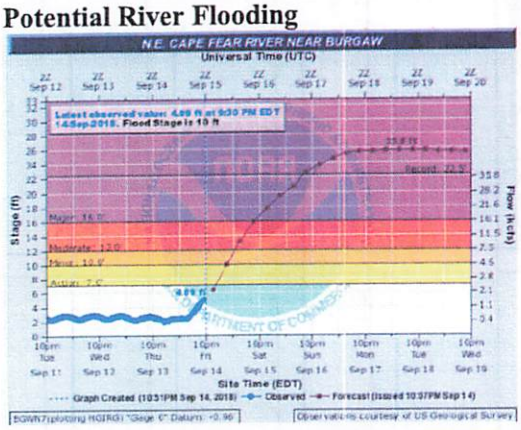
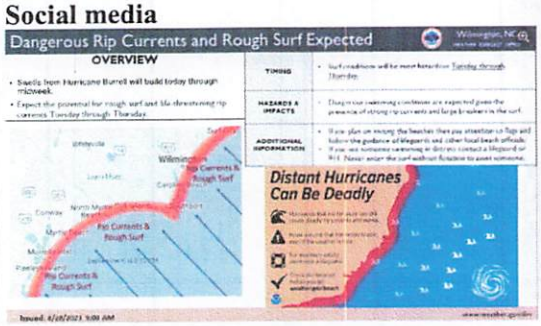
Key Take-Aways  		✓			
5-Day Outlook  		✓			
Potential River Flooding  		✓			
Social media  		✓			

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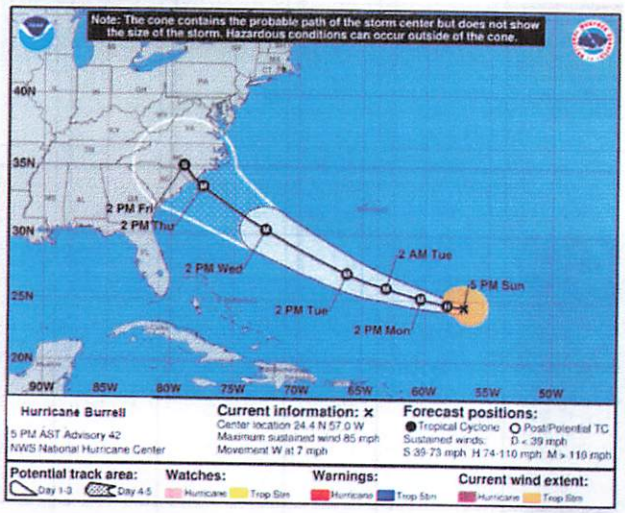

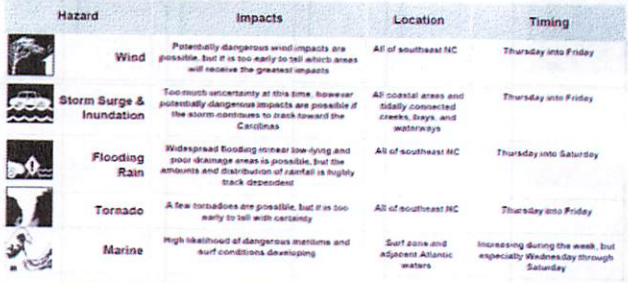

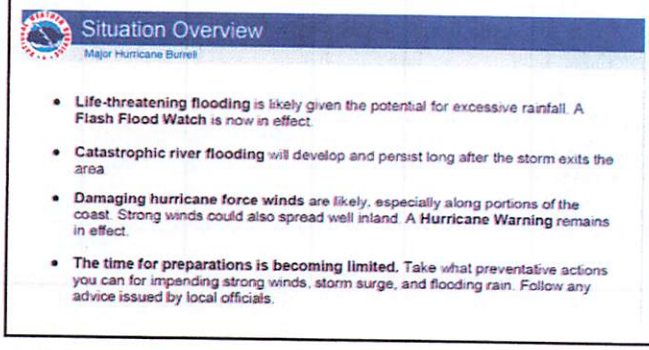

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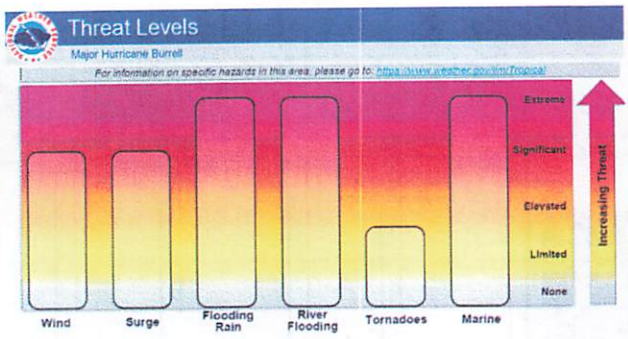
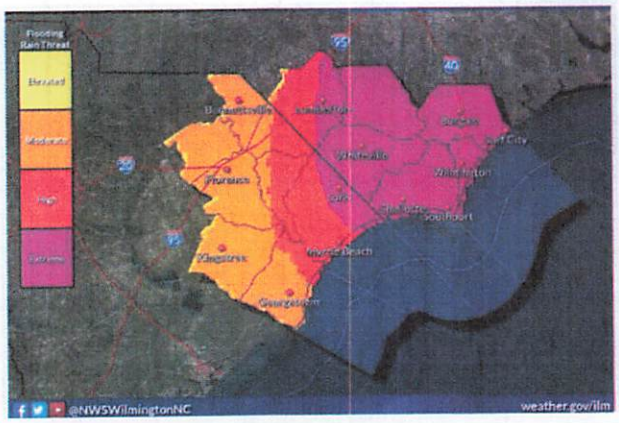
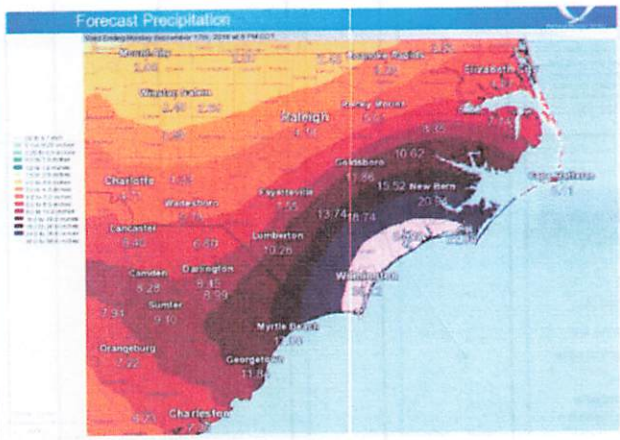
Threat Levels 		✓			
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 			✓		

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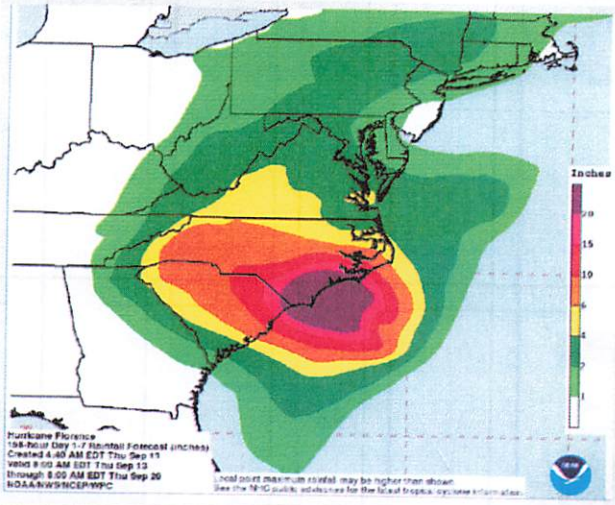
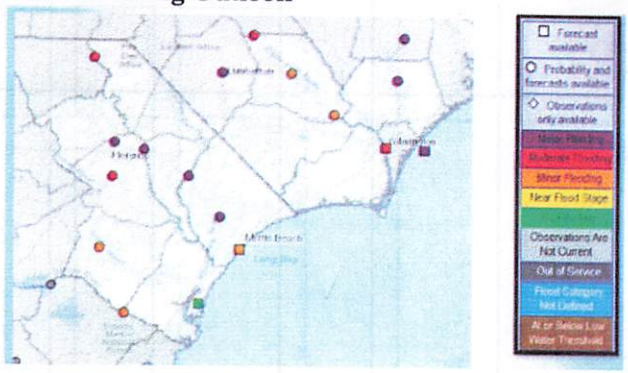
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 					
River Flooding Outlook 					
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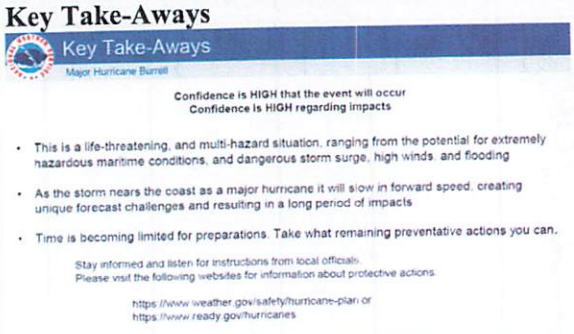
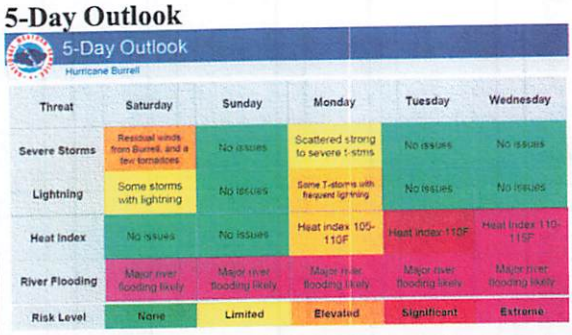
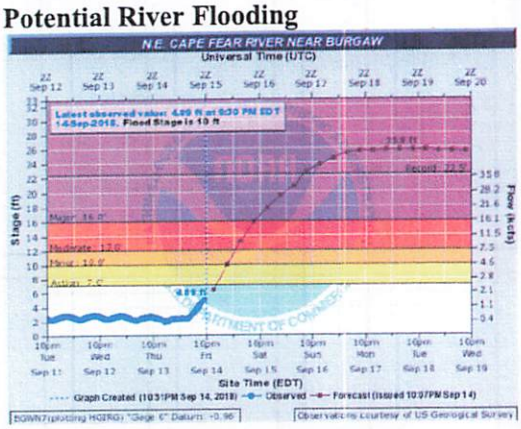
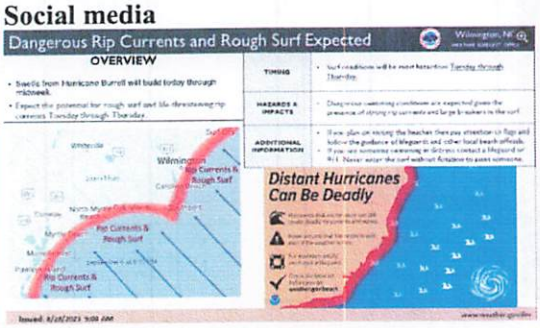
Key Take-Aways 		✓			
5-Day Outlook 	✓				
Potential River Flooding 		✓			
Social media 		✓			

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NONE

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THANK YOU VERY MUCH

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5. Do you prefer text-based or graphical/visual NWS products in trying to understand your level of risk from flooding? Circle one.

Text (Graphics) Combined text and graphics

Please explain. Don't have computer of smart phone

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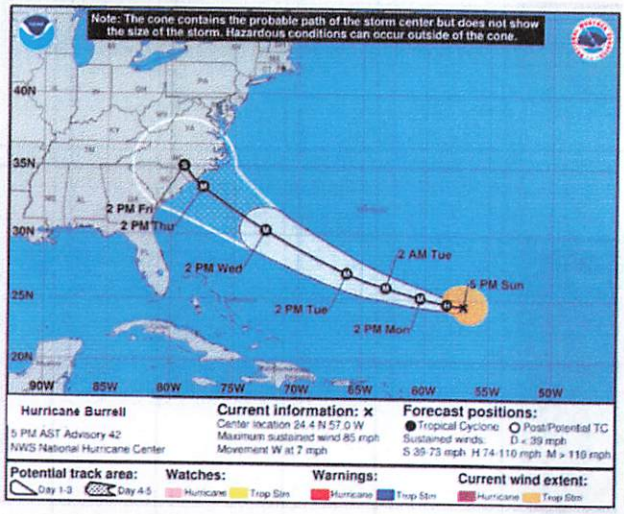
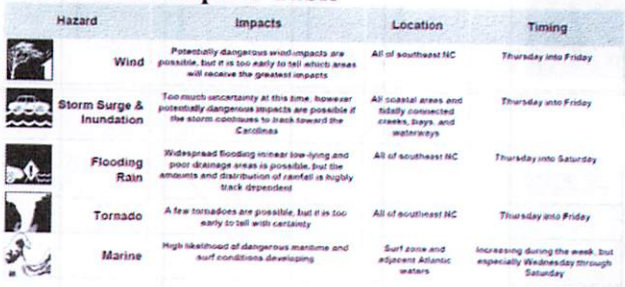
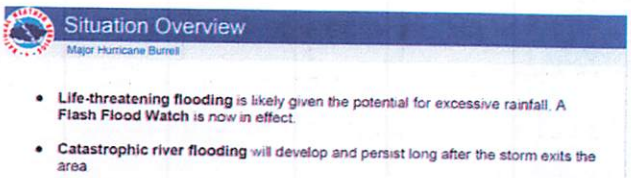
Hurricane Cone 	✓				
Hazards and Impacts Table 			✓		
Situation Overview 			✓		

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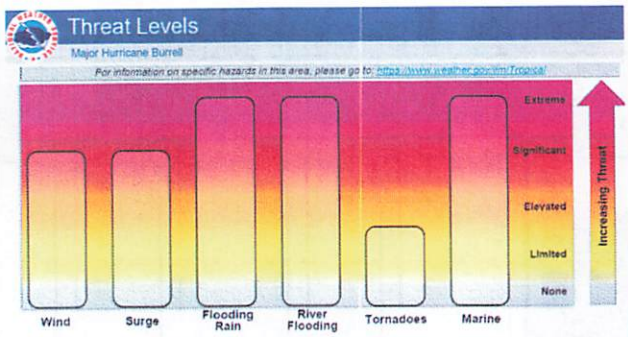
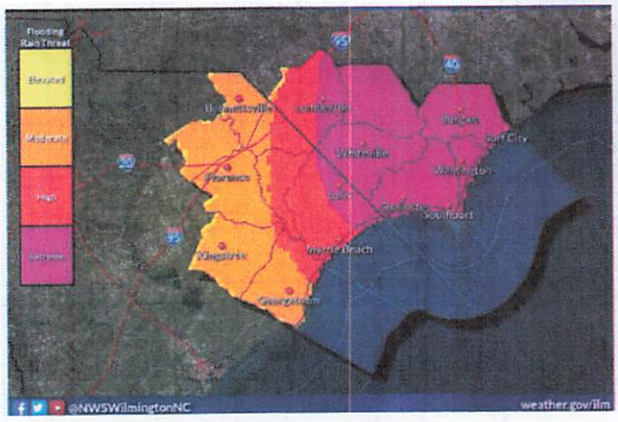
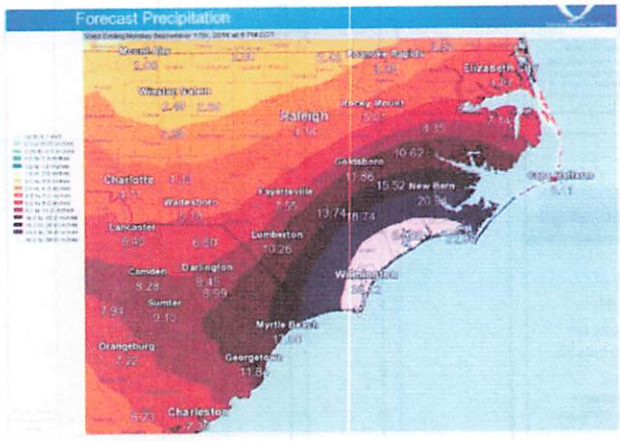
Threat Levels 			✓		
Inland Flooding 			✓		
Forecast Precipitation 			✓		

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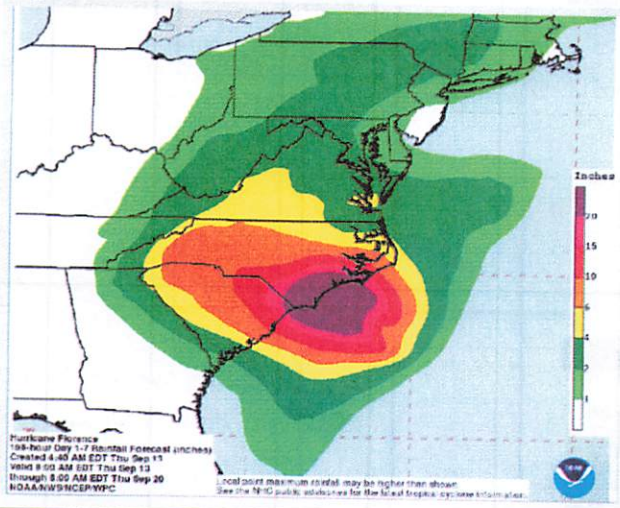
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 					
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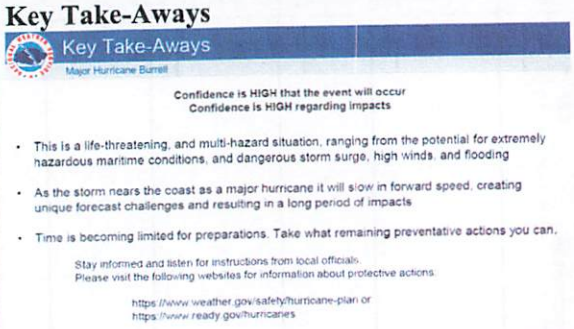
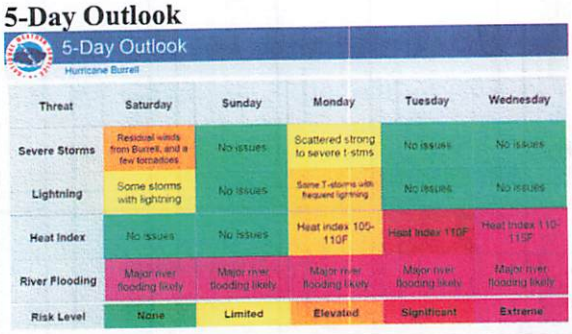
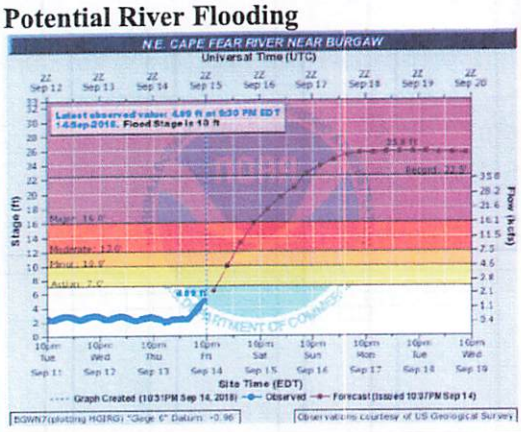
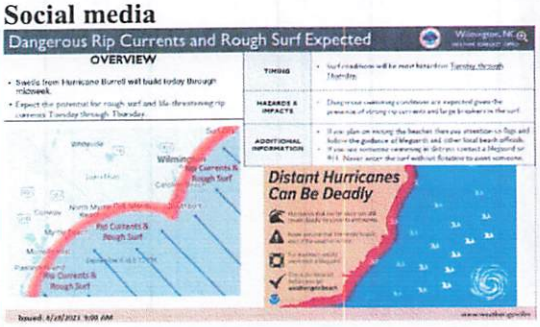
Key Take-Aways 					
5-Day Outlook 					
Potential River Flooding 					
Social media 					

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no barriers if utilities are operational

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Thorough presentation - no further questions

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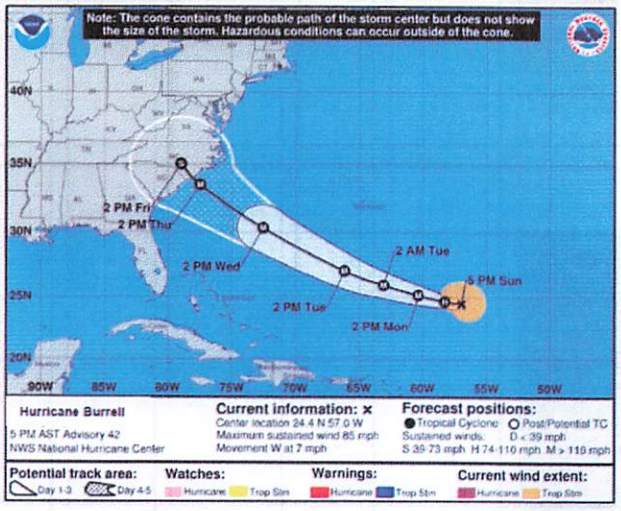
Hurricane Cone 		✓			
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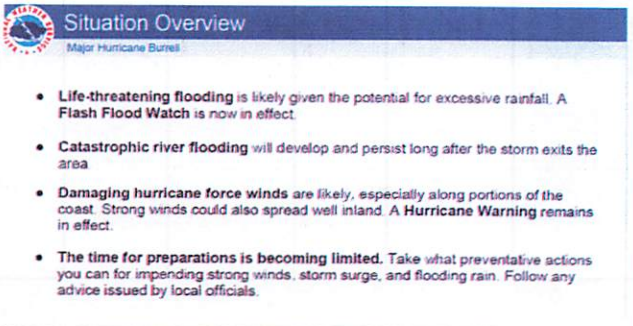
Situation Overview 		✓			

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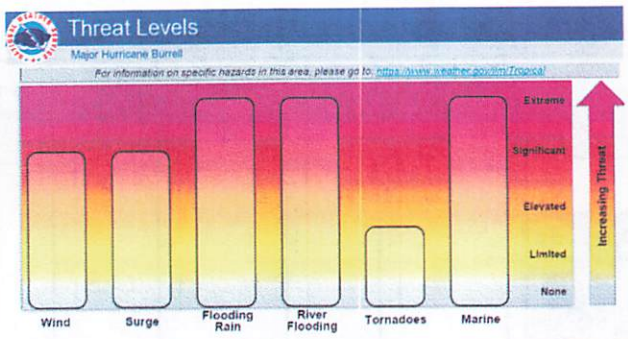
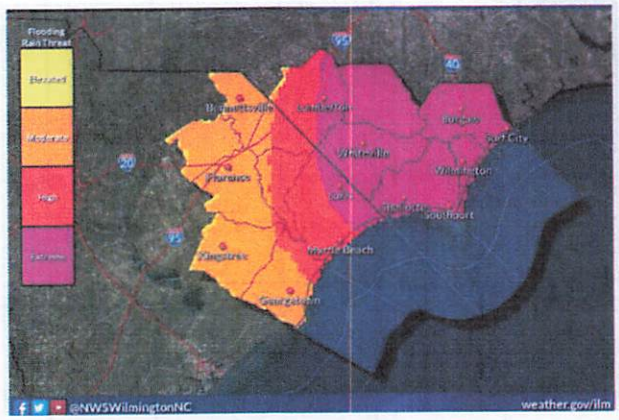
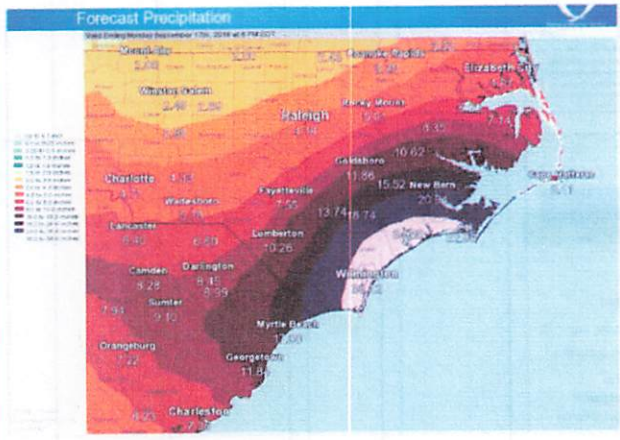
Threat Levels 			✓		
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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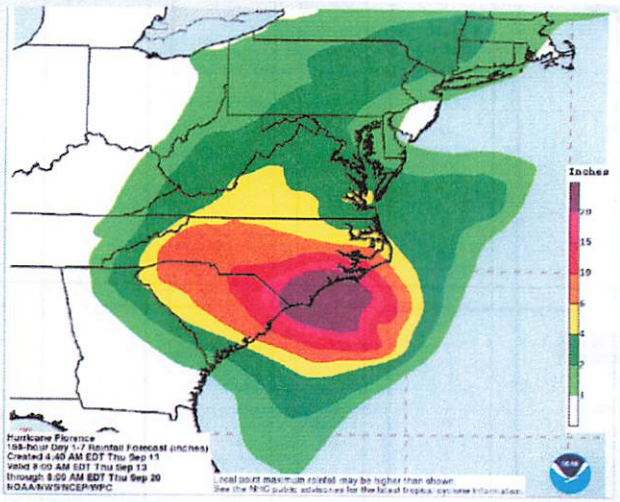
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 		✓			
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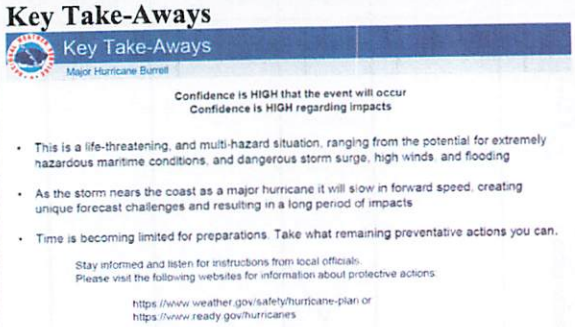
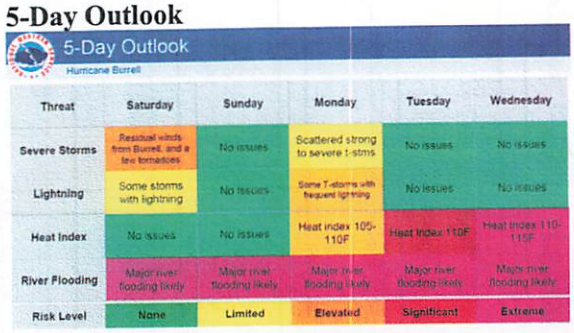
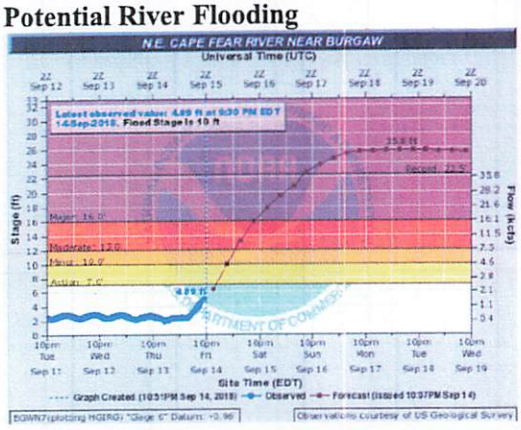
Key Take-Aways 		✓			
5-Day Outlook 			✓		
Potential River Flooding 	✓				
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Threat levels slide

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- No Knowing our neighborhood River forecast
But other area rivers which is not helpful.
Info not sent out in all channels, phone, about alerts, TV
Radio etc.

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age of people in that area & how you are putting the info out in that area.

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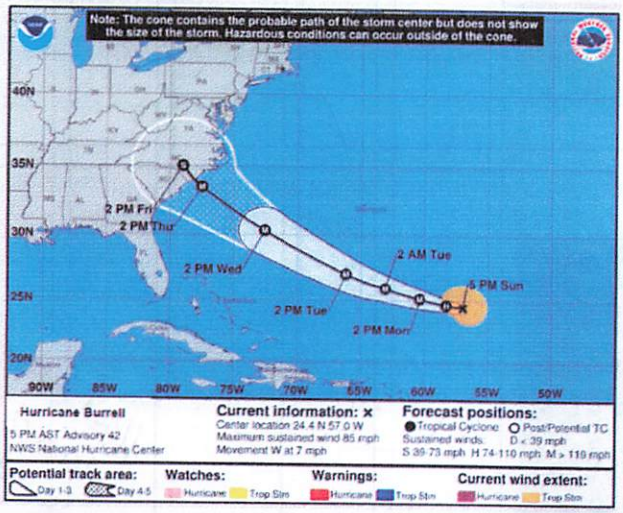
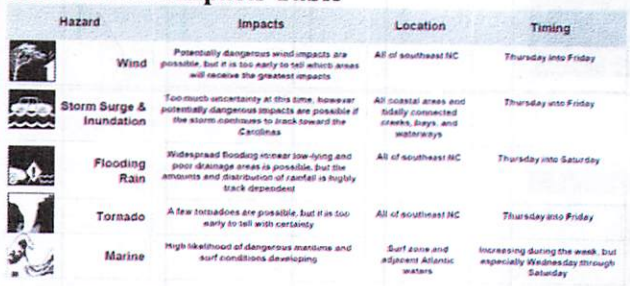
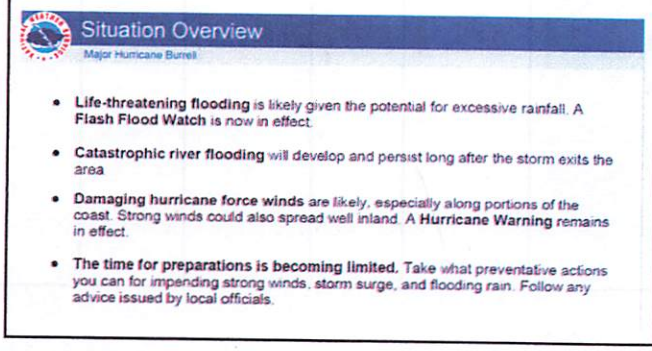
Hurricane Cone 			✓		
Hazards and Impacts Table 				✓ need to be neighbor not just in general	
Situation Overview 				✓ (same as above noted)	

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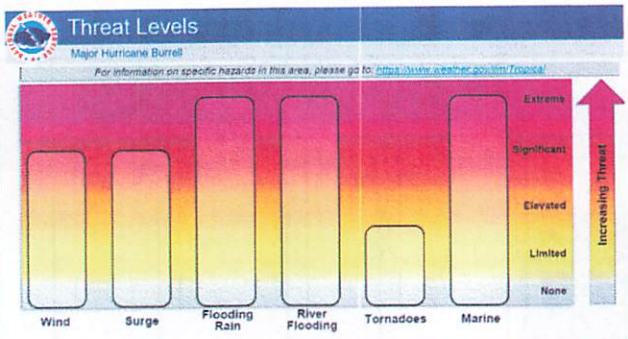
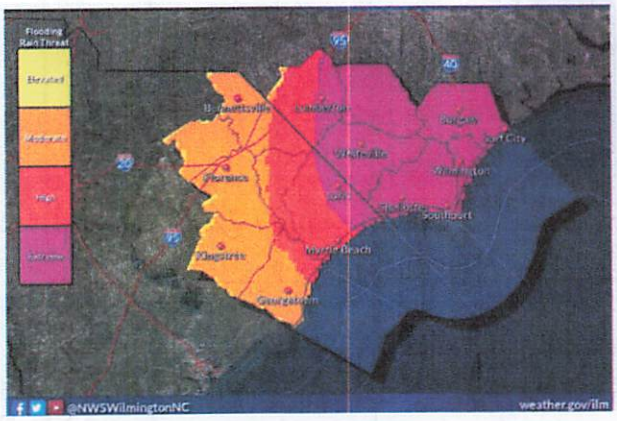
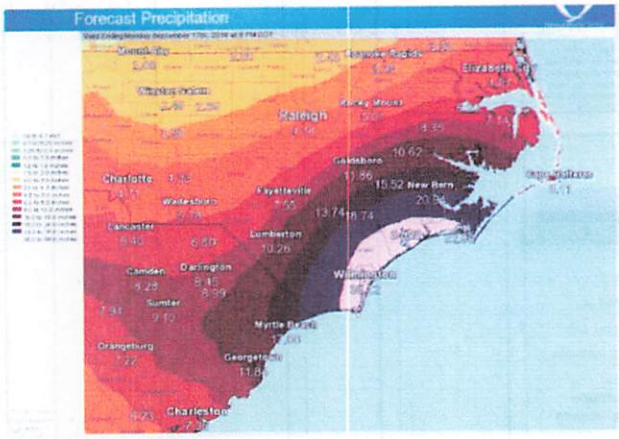
Threat Levels 		✓	Needs to be specific to the neighborhood		
Inland Flooding 				✓	Houdarcas need to see above us to know what's coming from above us.
Forecast Precipitation 	✓				

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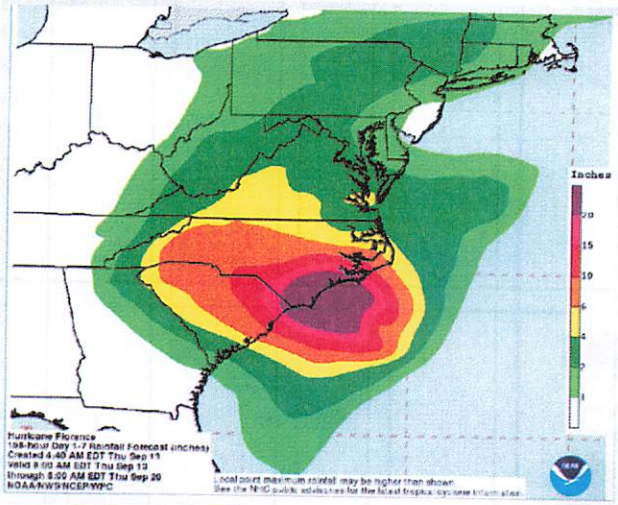
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 	✓				
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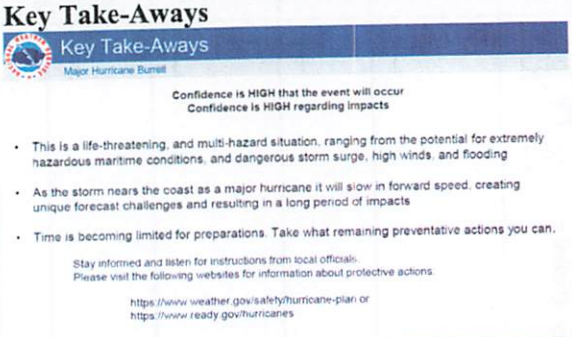
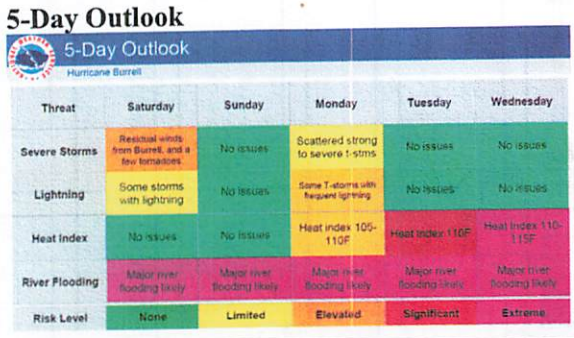
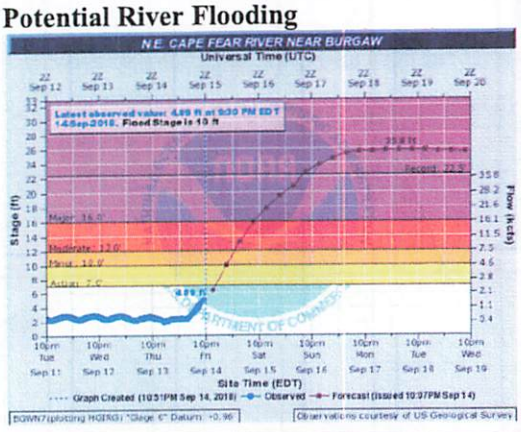
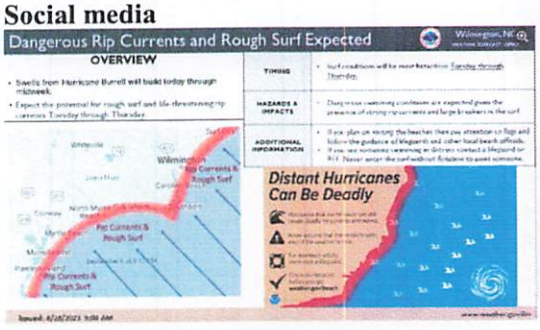
Key Take-Aways 	✓				
5-Day Outlook 	✓				
Potential River Flooding 	✓				
Social media 					✓

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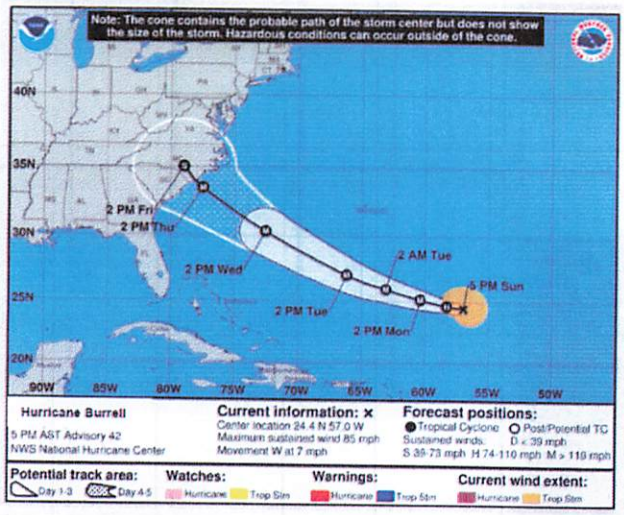
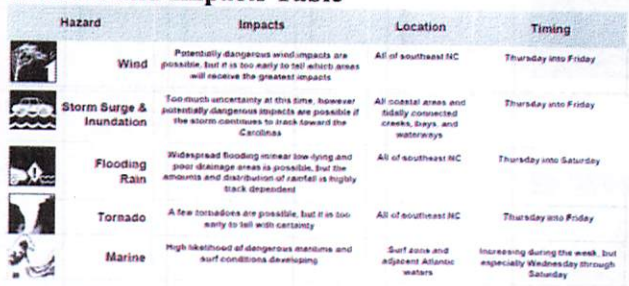
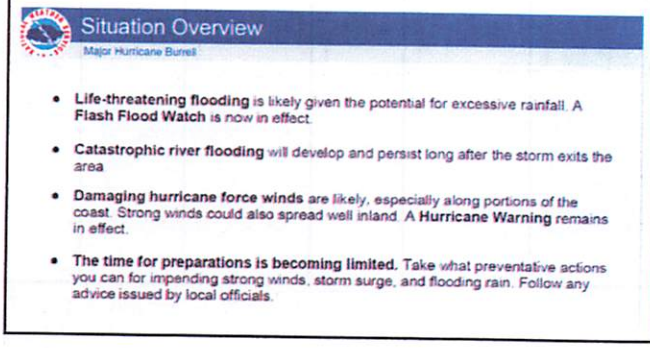
Hurricane Cone 	✓				
Hazards and Impacts Table 	✓				
Situation Overview 	✓				

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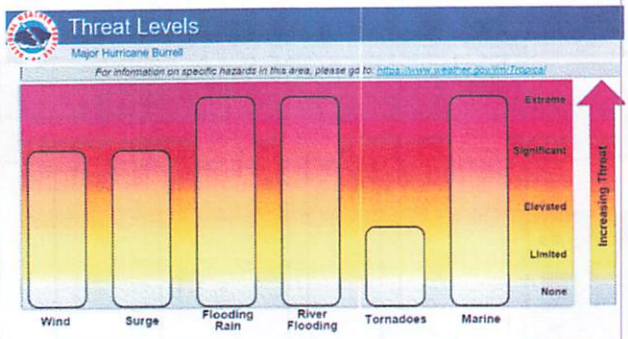
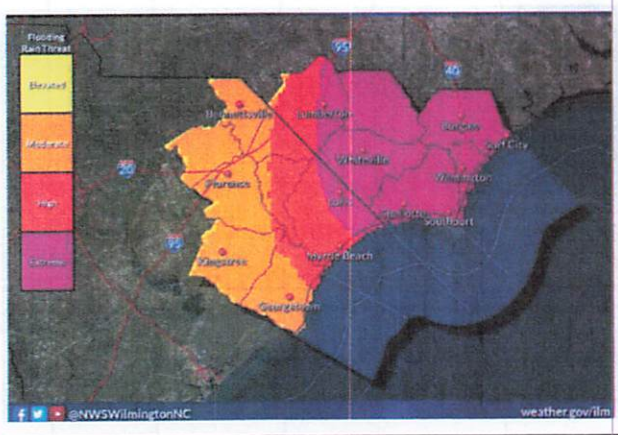
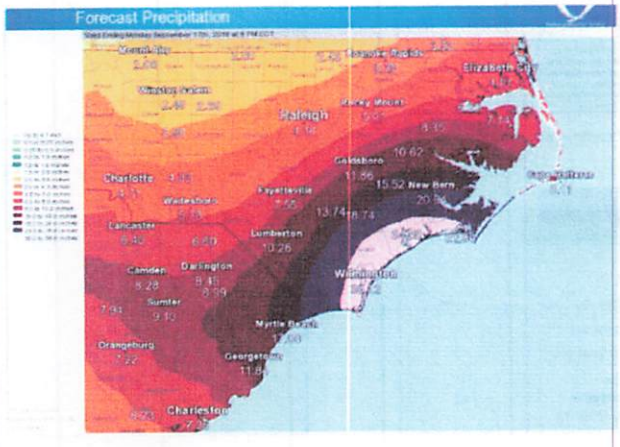
Threat Levels 		✓			
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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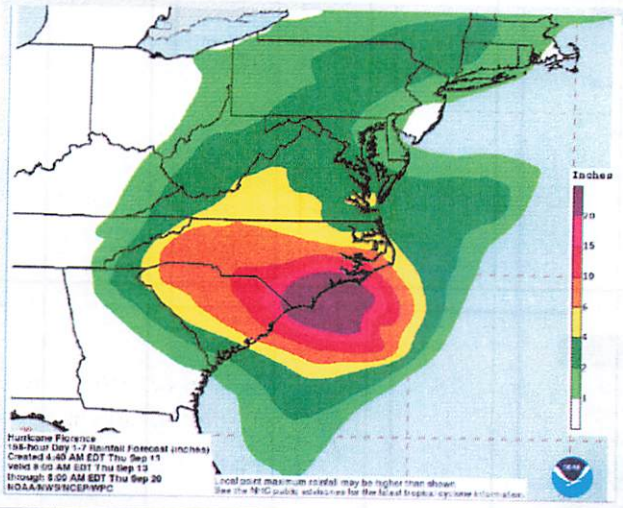
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 		✓			
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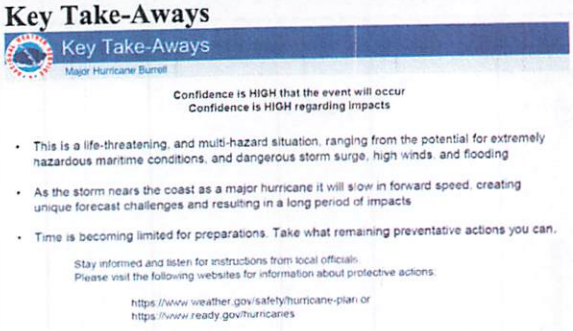
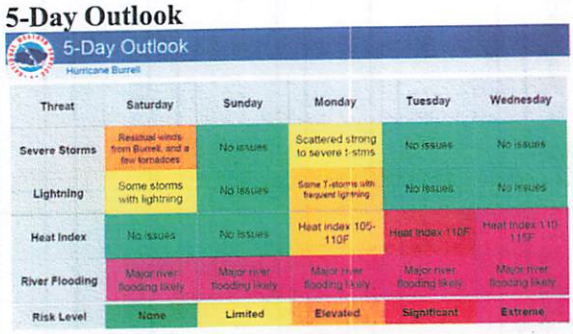
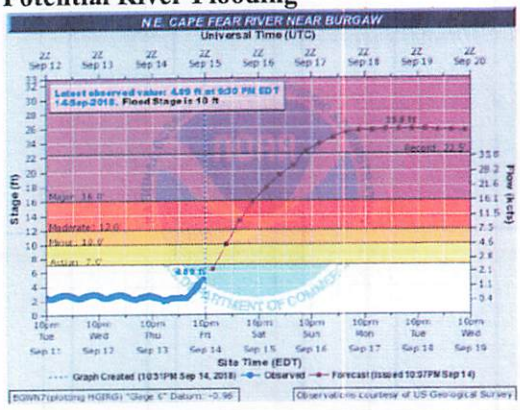
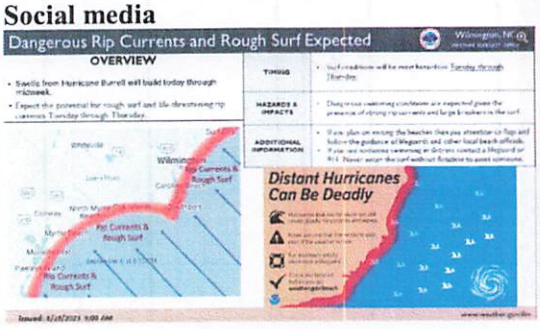
Key Take-Aways 			✓		
5-Day Outlook 		✓			
Potential River Flooding 		✓			
Social media 			✓		

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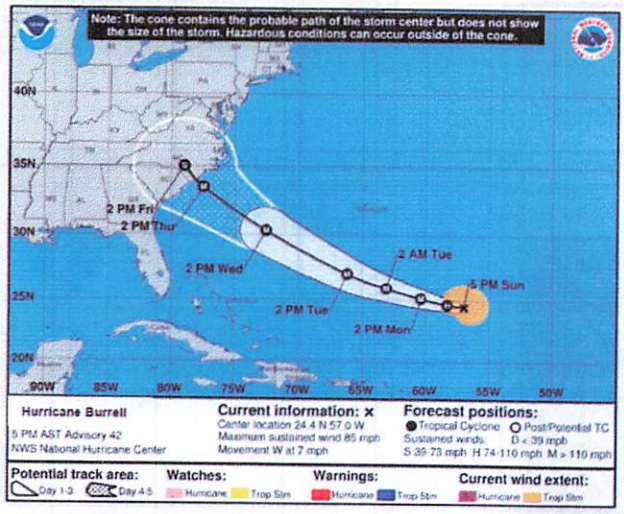

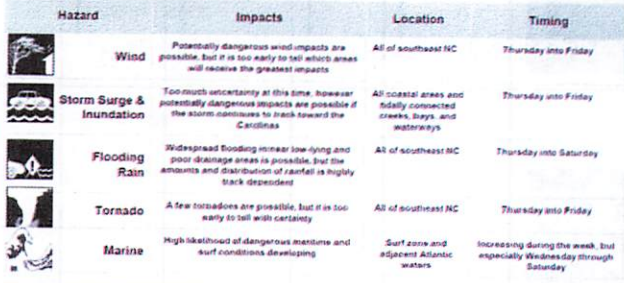

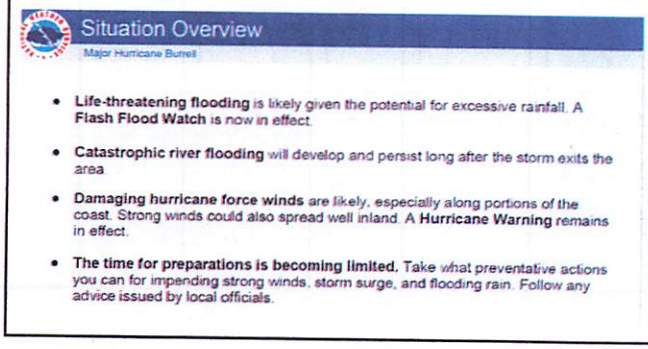

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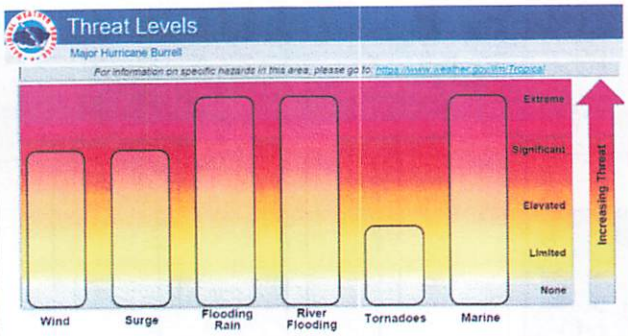
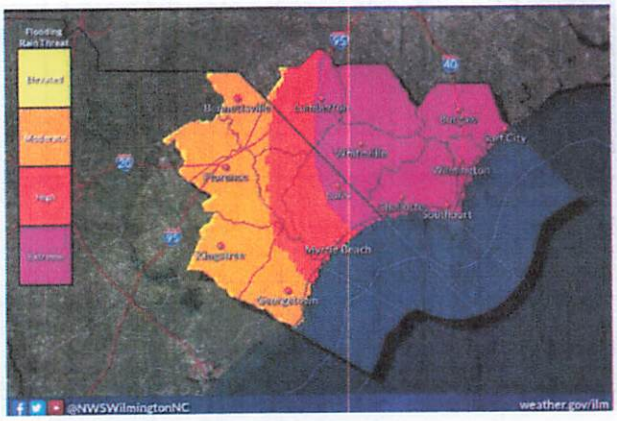
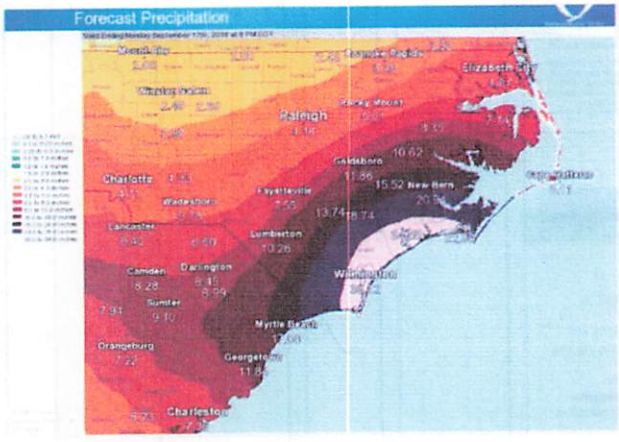
Threat Levels 	✓				
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 			✓		

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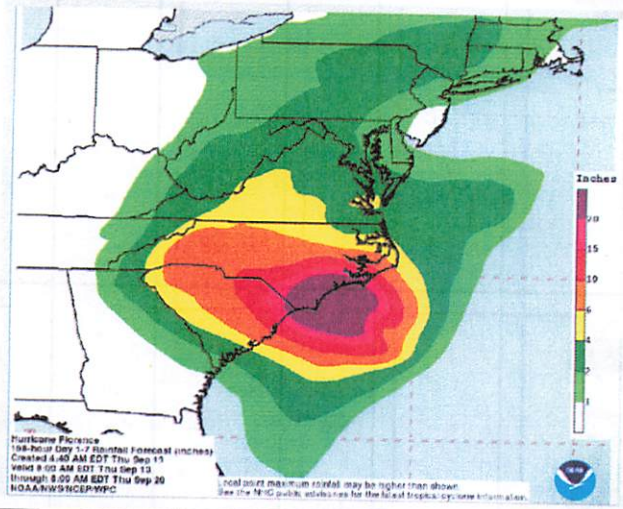
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 		✓			
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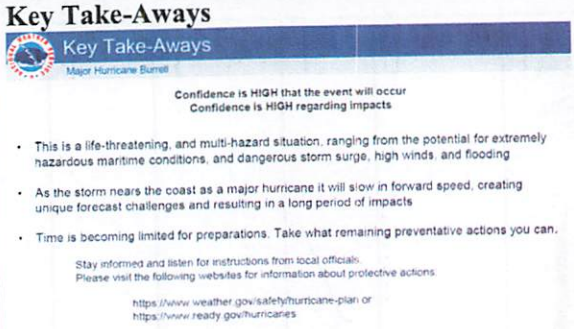
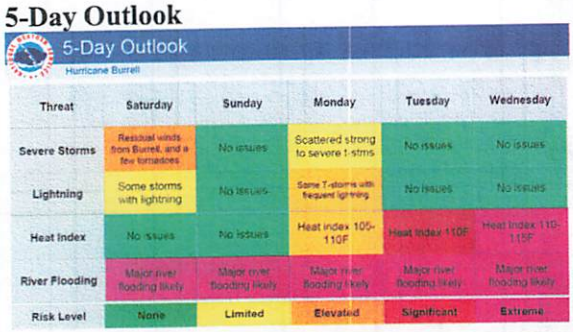
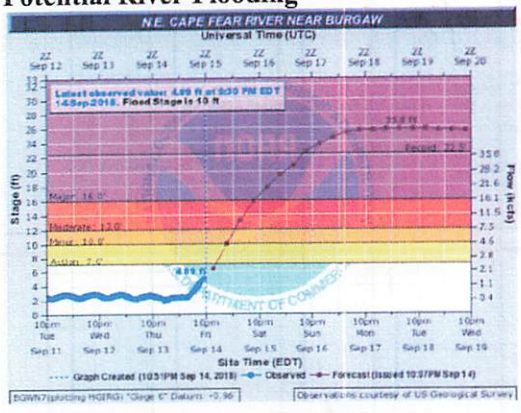
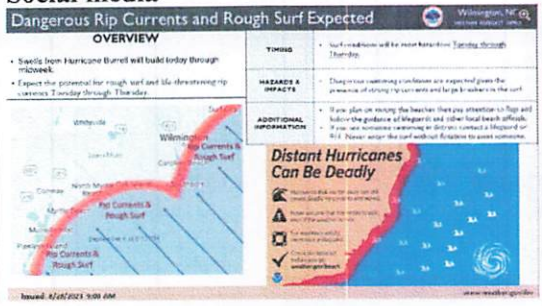
Key Take-Aways 	✓				
5-Day Outlook 		✓			
Potential River Flooding 	✓				
Social media 		✓			

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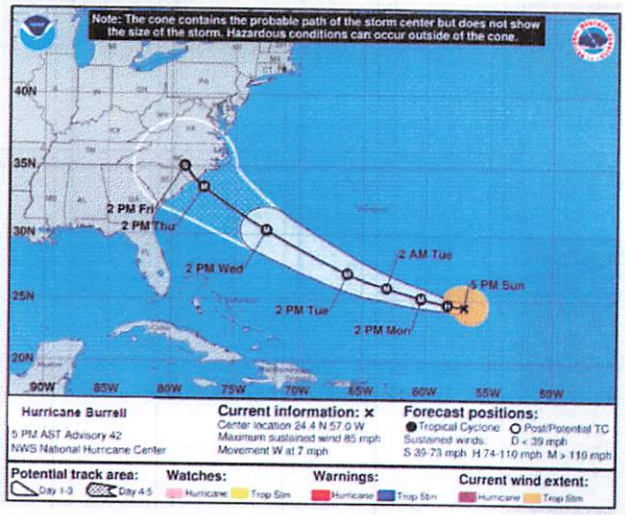
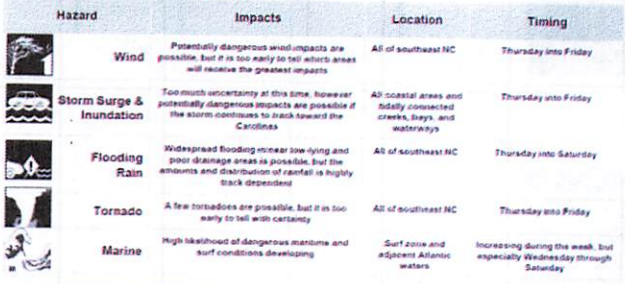
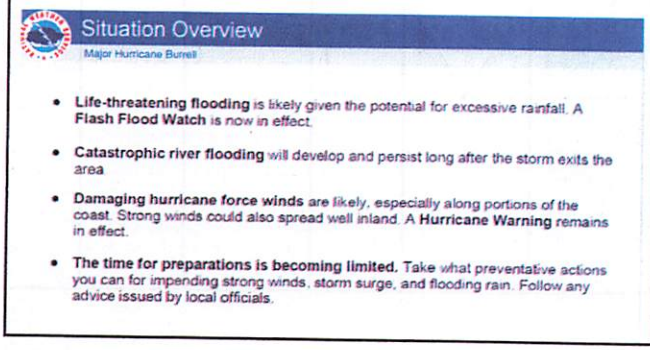
Hurricane Cone 		✓			
Hazards and Impacts Table 		✓			
Situation Overview 		✓			

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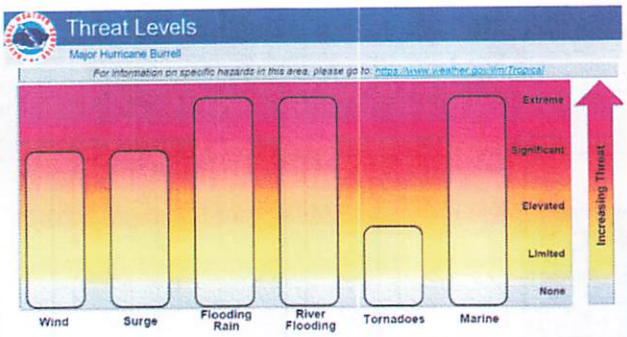
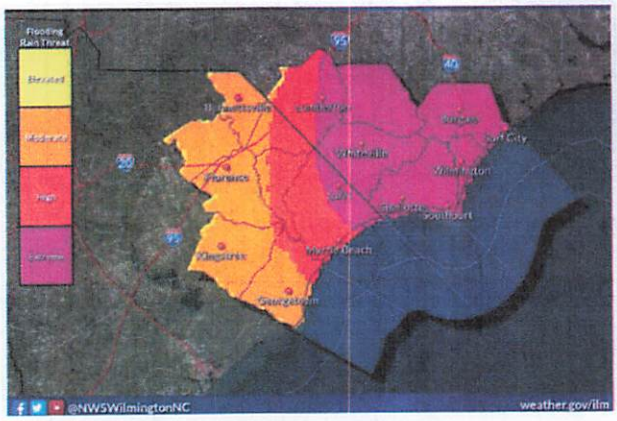
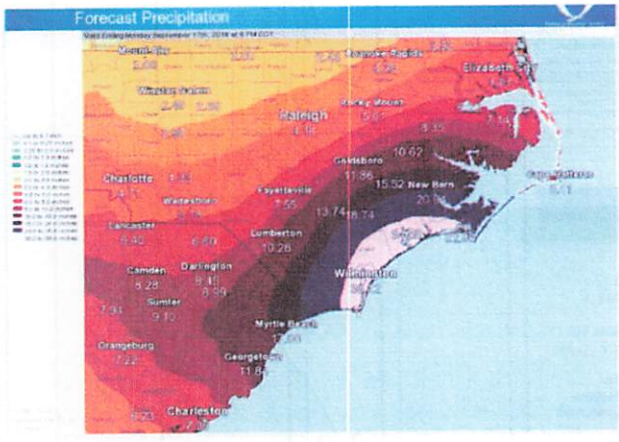
Threat Levels 		✓			
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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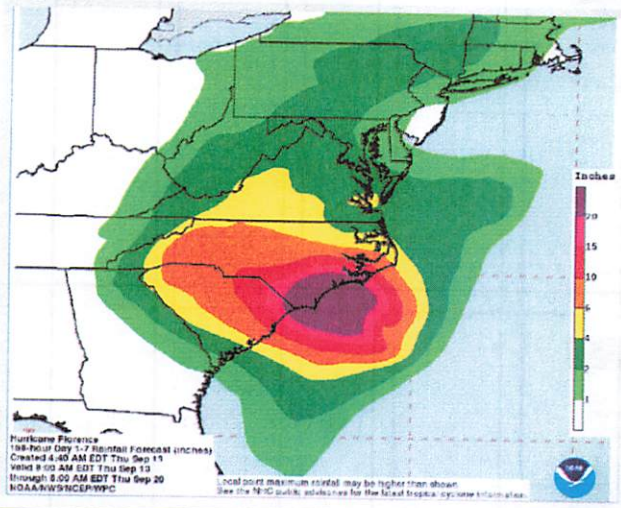
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 		✓			
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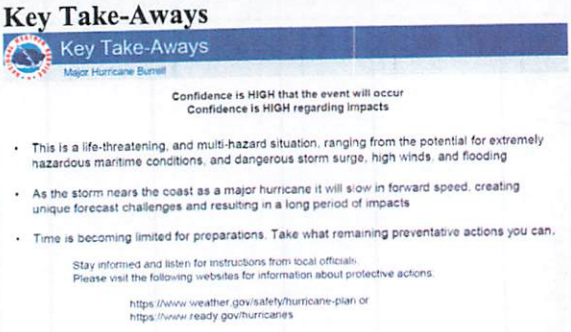
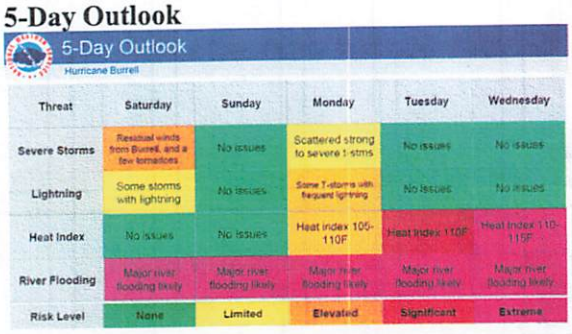
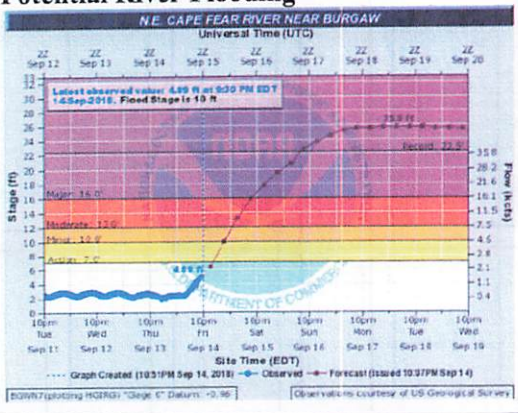
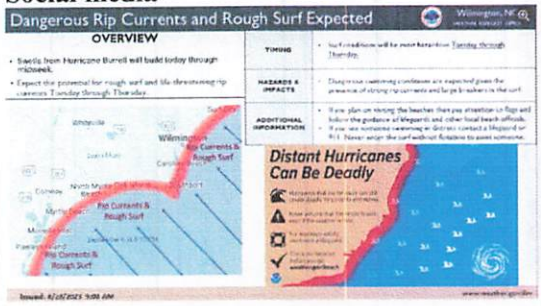
Key Take-Aways 		✓			
5-Day Outlook 	✓				
Potential River Flooding 		✓			
Social media 		✓			

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News Paper

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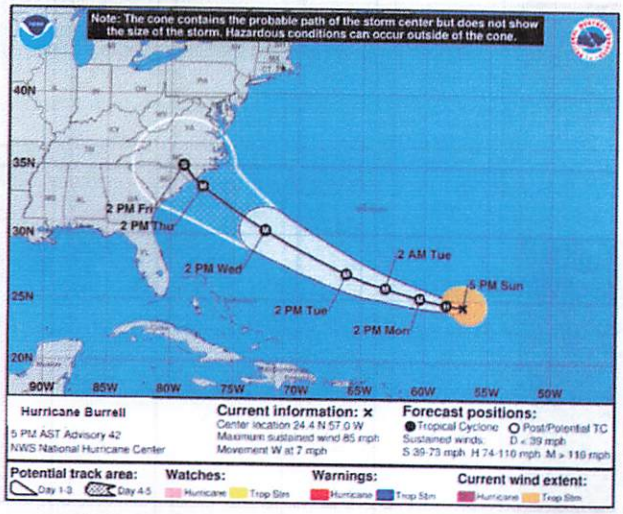

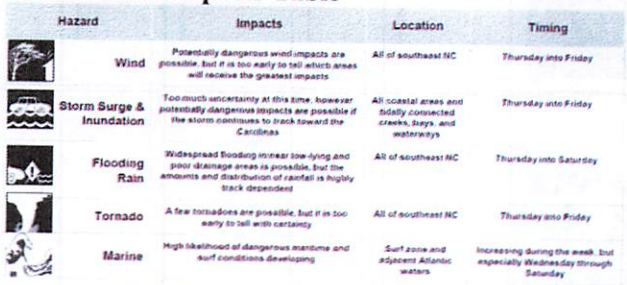

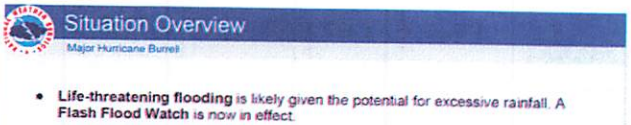

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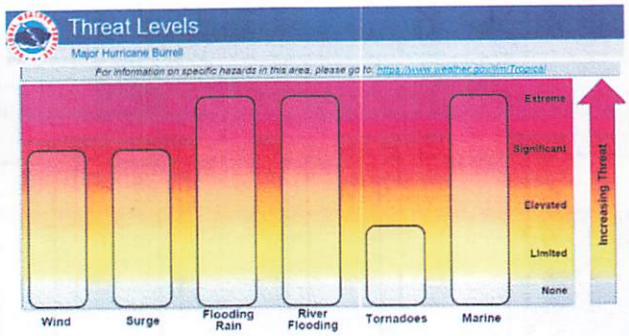
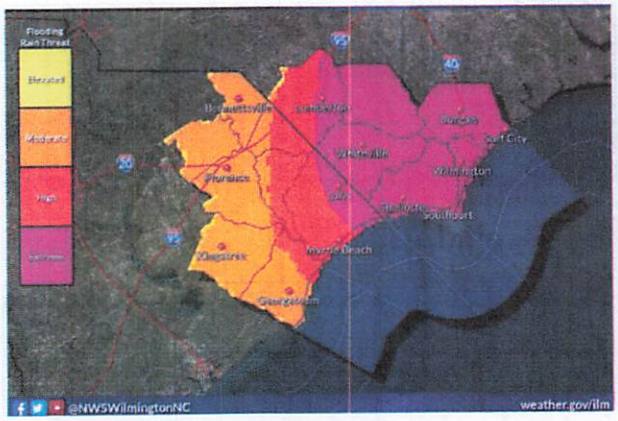
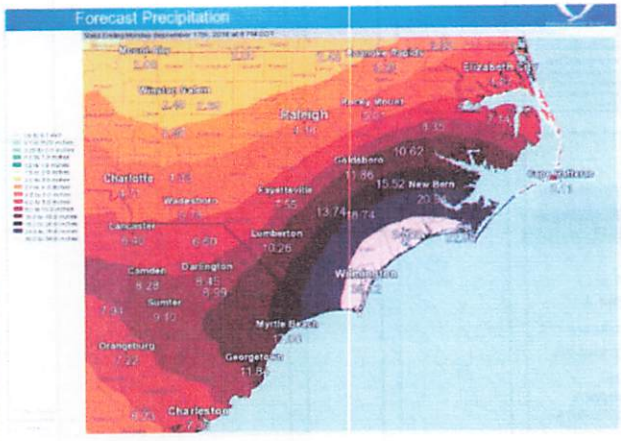
Threat Levels 		✓			
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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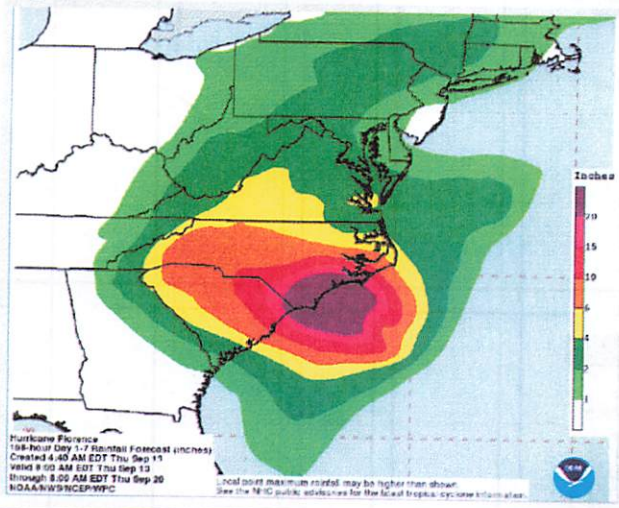
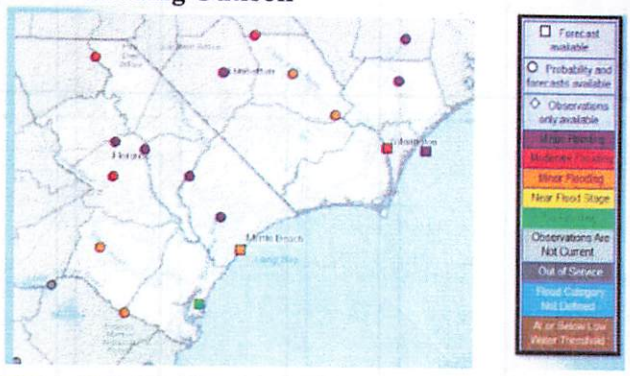
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 	✓				
River Flooding Outlook 	✓				
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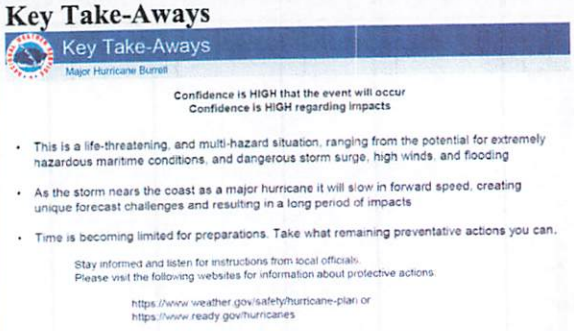
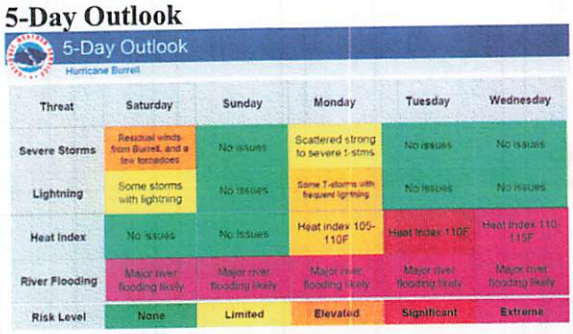
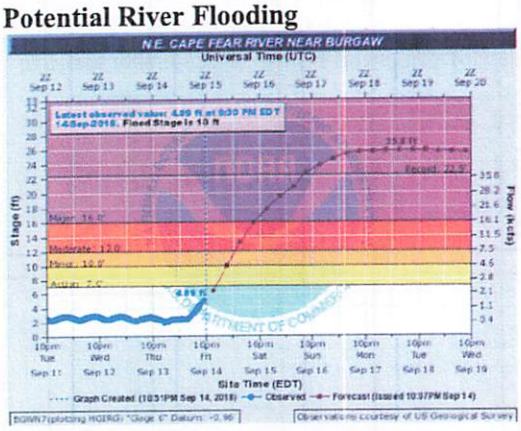
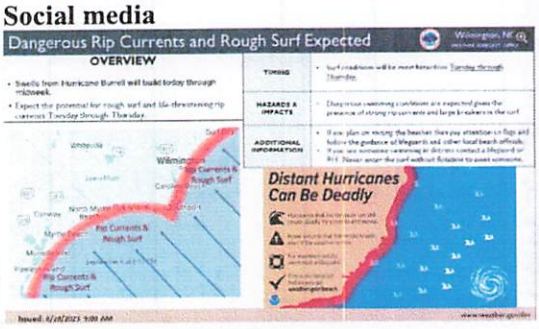
Key Take-Aways  			✓		
5-Day Outlook  		✓			
Potential River Flooding  	✓				
Social media  			✓		

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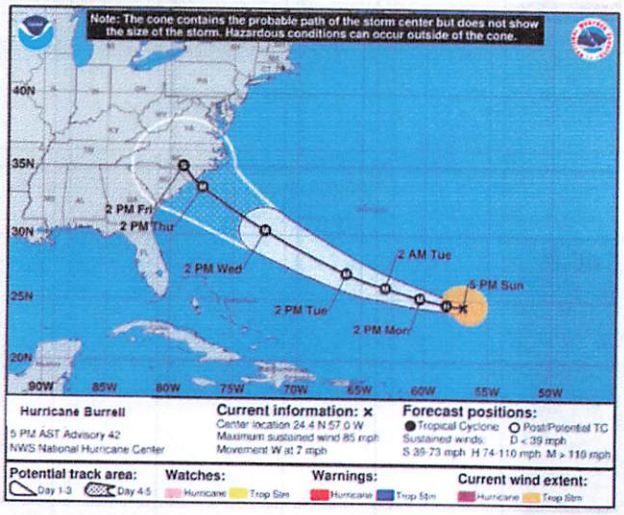

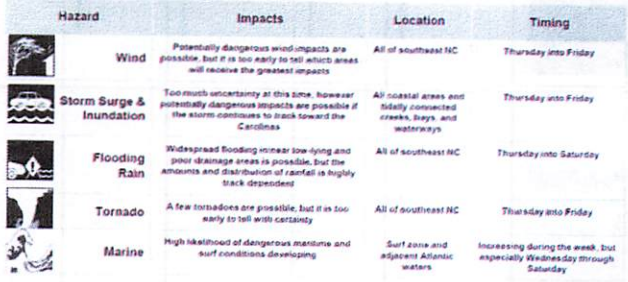

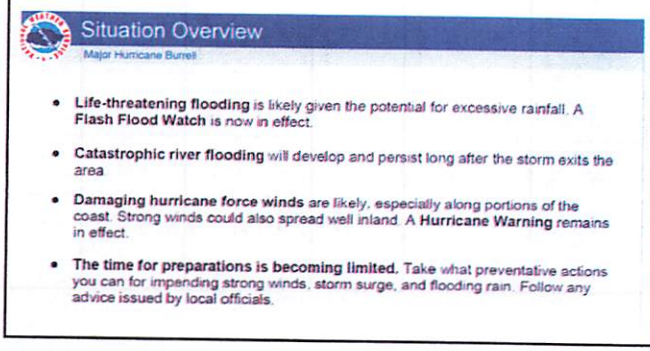

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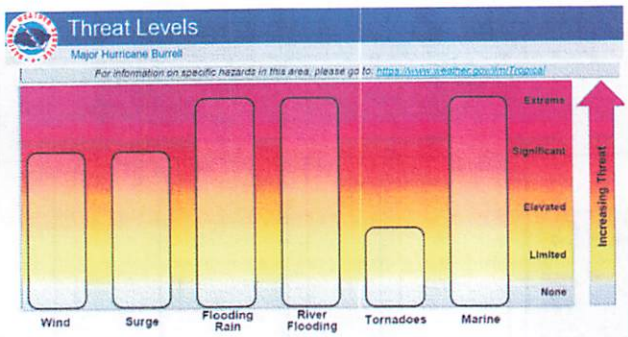
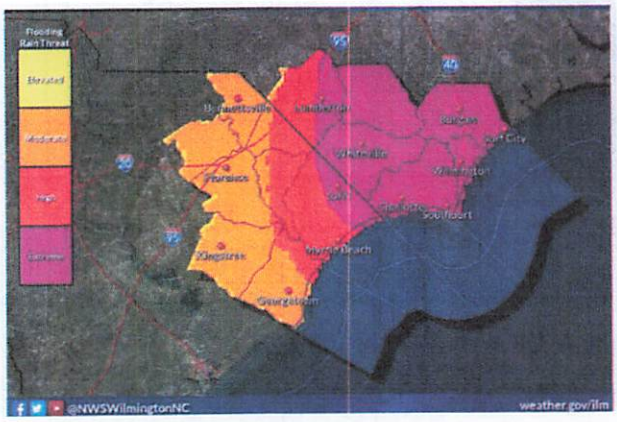
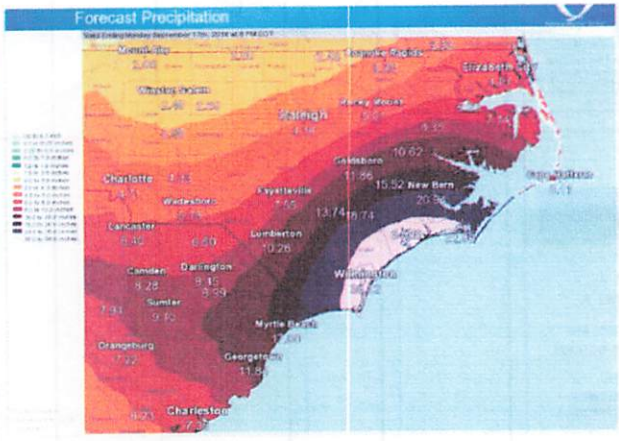
Threat Levels 			✓		
Inland Flooding 			✓		
Forecast Precipitation 			✓		

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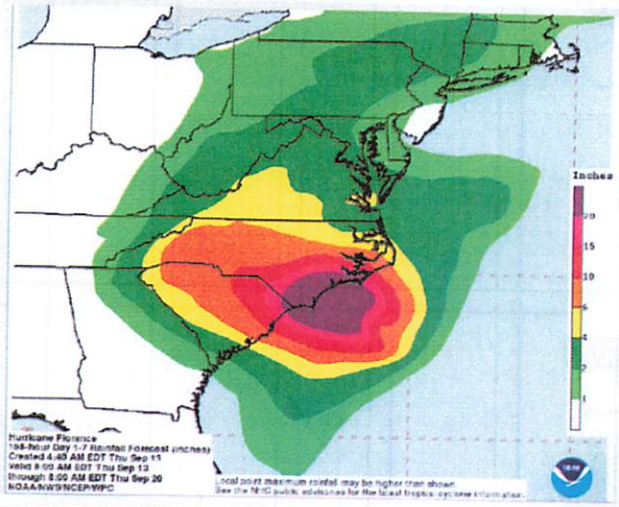
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 		✓			
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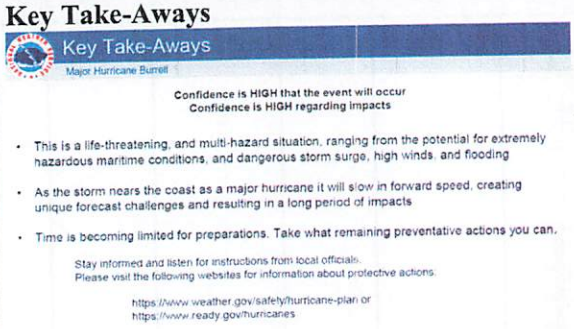
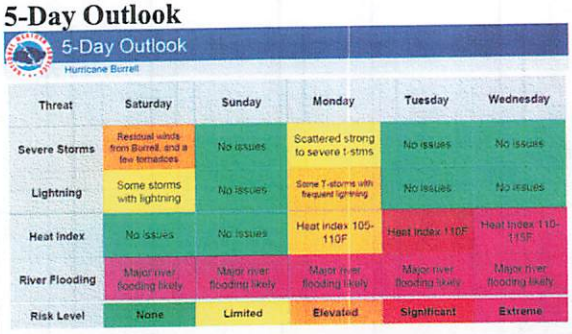
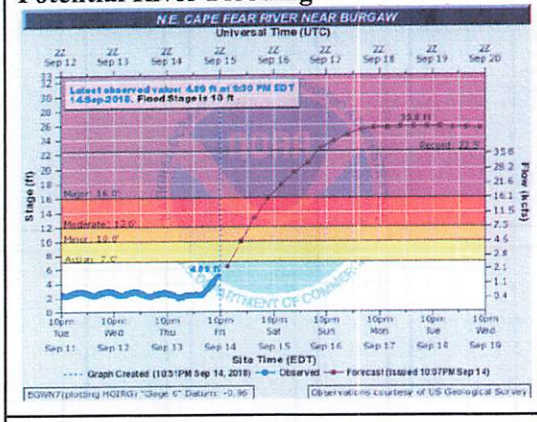
Key Take-Aways 		✓			
5-Day Outlook 		✓			
Potential River Flooding 		✓			
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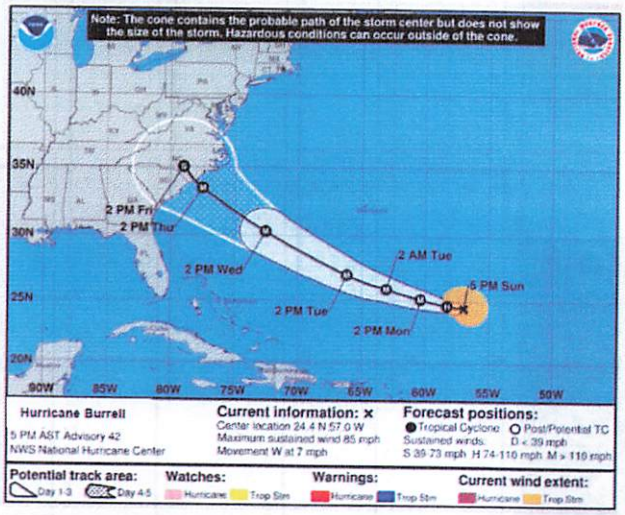
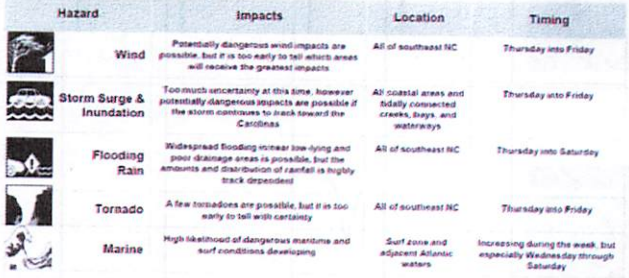
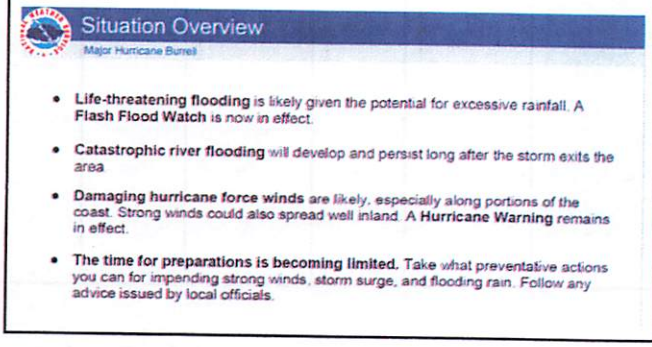
Hurricane Cone 		✓			
Hazards and Impacts Table 		✓			
Situation Overview 		✓			

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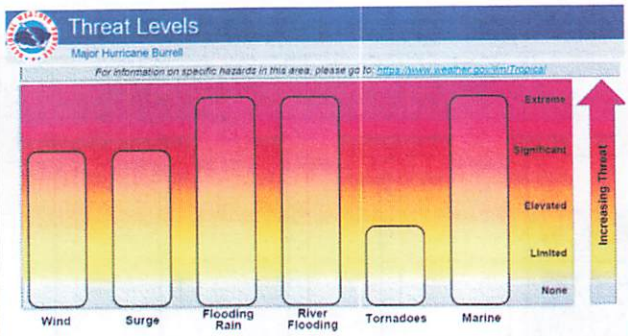
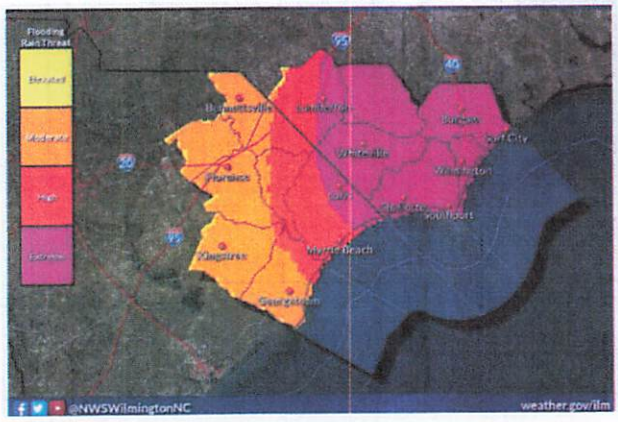
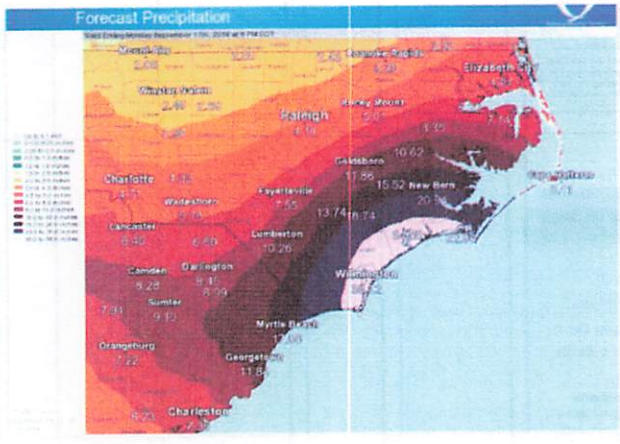
Threat Levels 					✓
Inland Flooding 			✓		
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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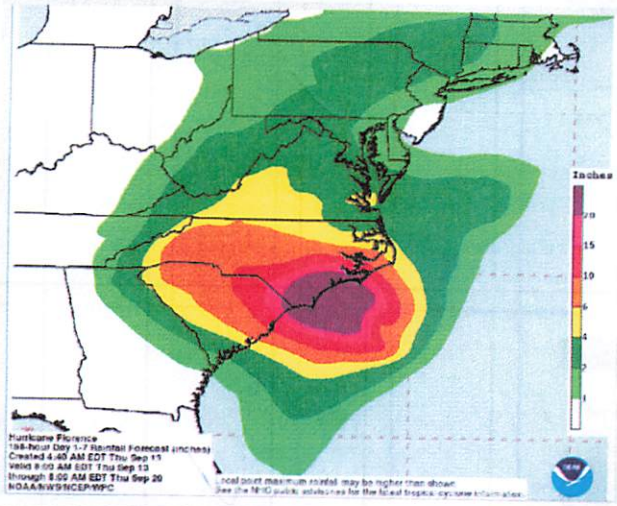
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 			✓		
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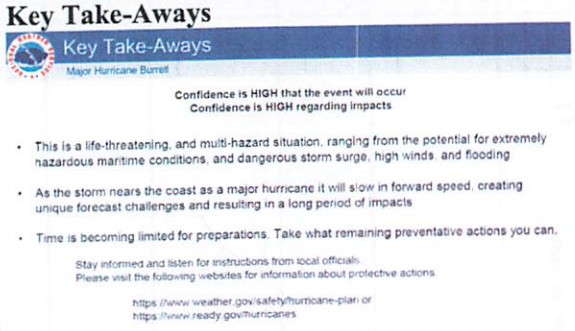
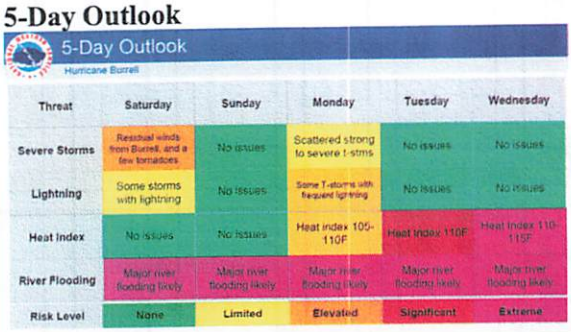
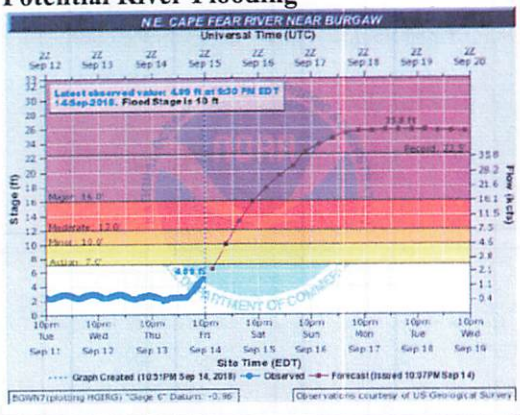
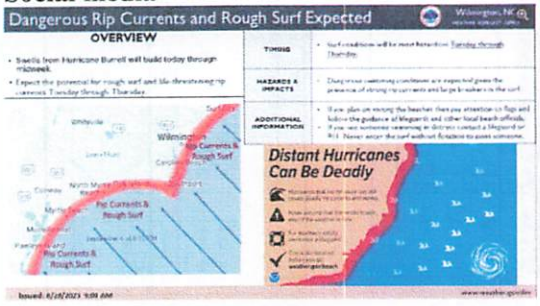
Key Take-Aways 		✓			
5-Day Outlook 			✓		
Potential River Flooding 			✓		
Social media 			✓		

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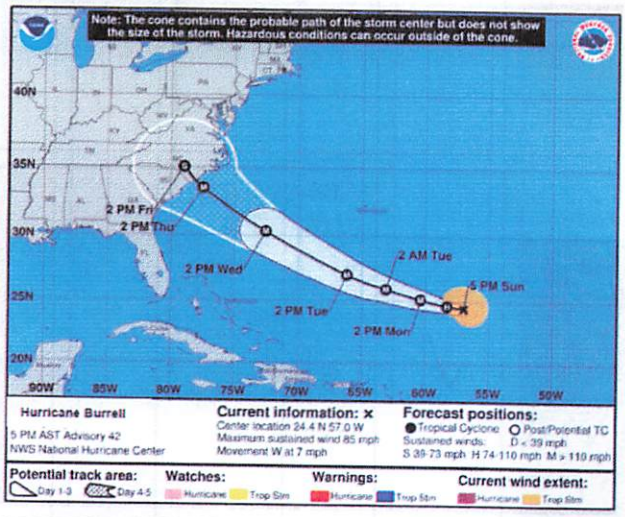
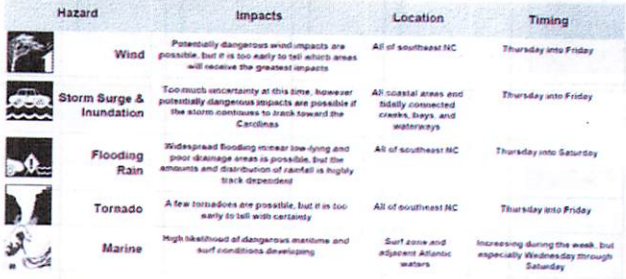
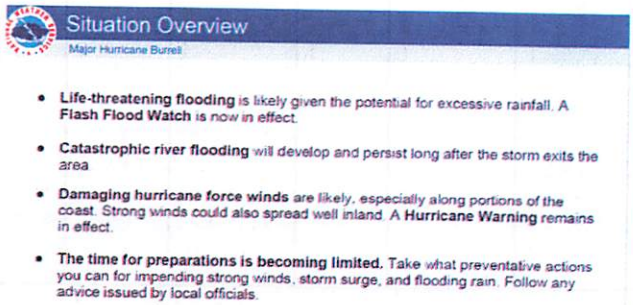
Hurricane Cone 			✓		
Hazards and Impacts Table 		✓			
Situation Overview 			✓		

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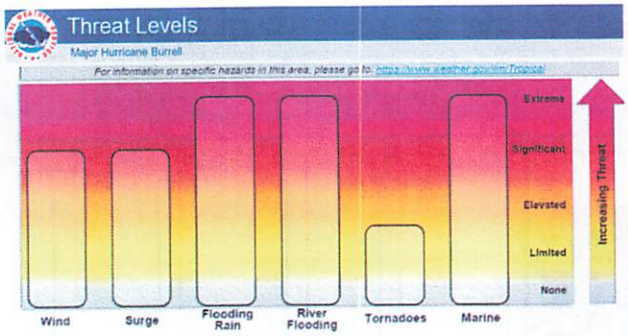
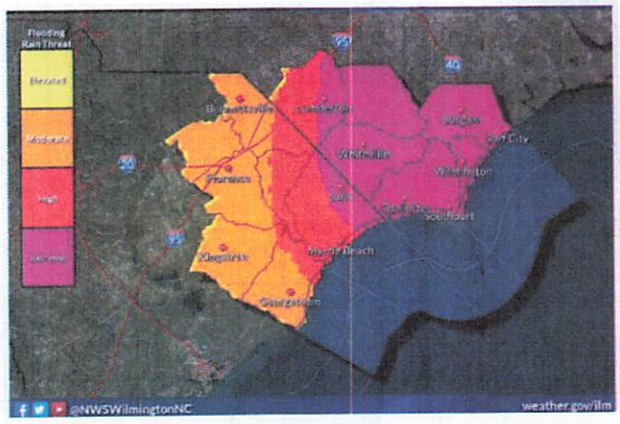
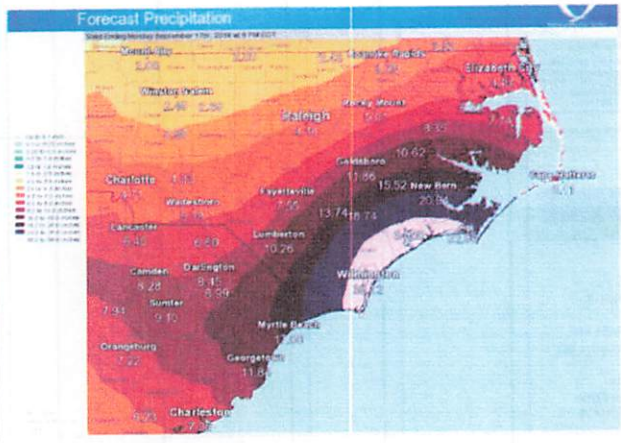
Threat Levels 		✓			
Inland Flooding 	✓				
Forecast Precipitation 	✓				

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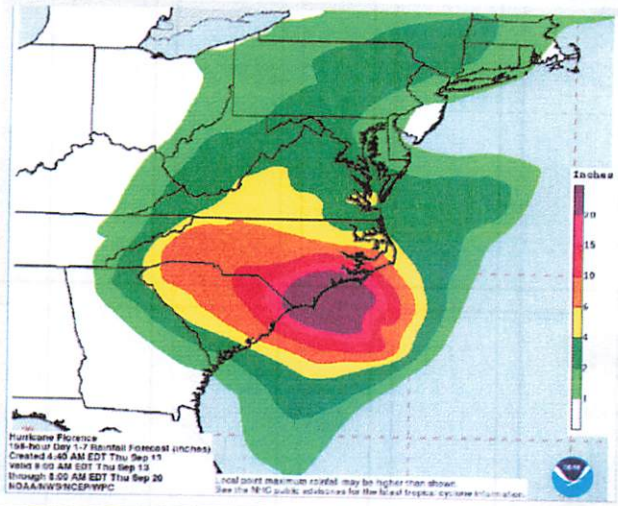
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 	✓				
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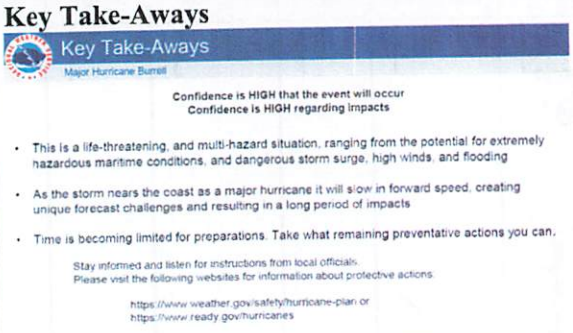
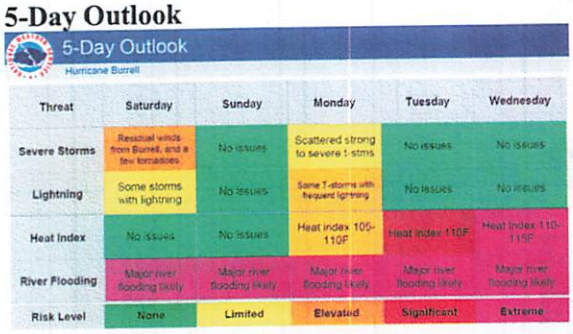
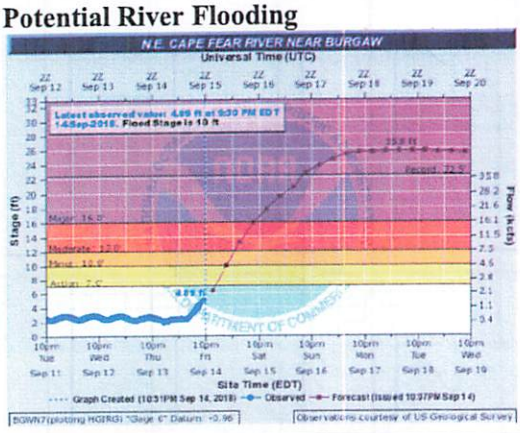
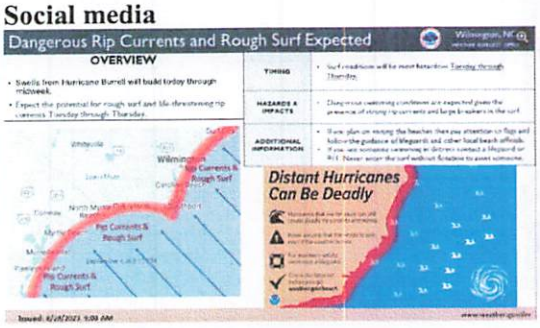
Key Take-Aways  		✓			
5-Day Outlook  			✓		
Potential River Flooding  	✓				
Social media  				✓	

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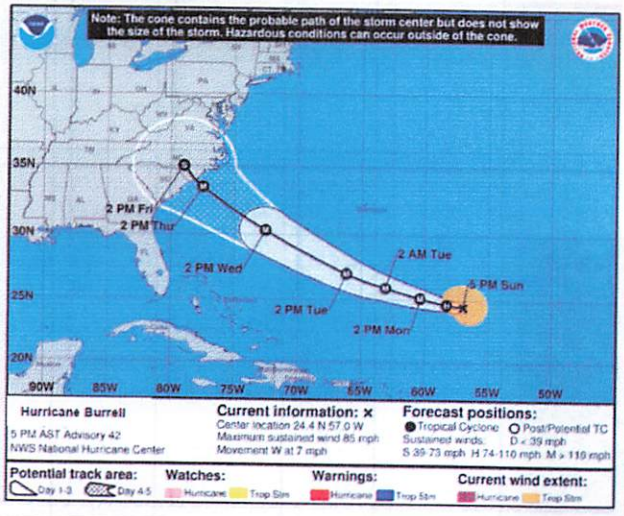

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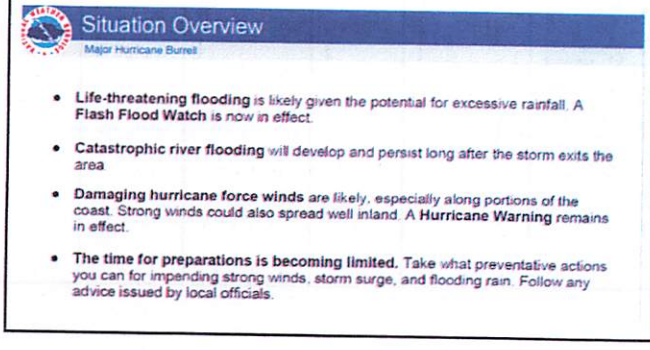

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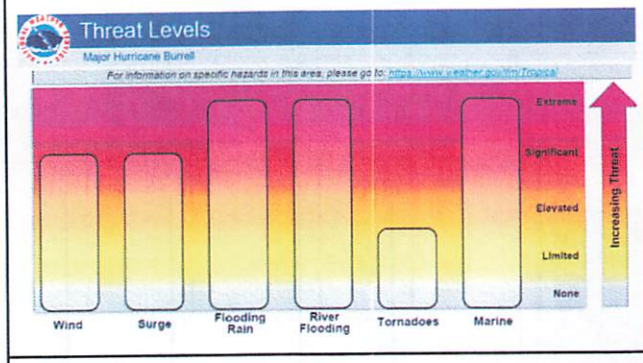
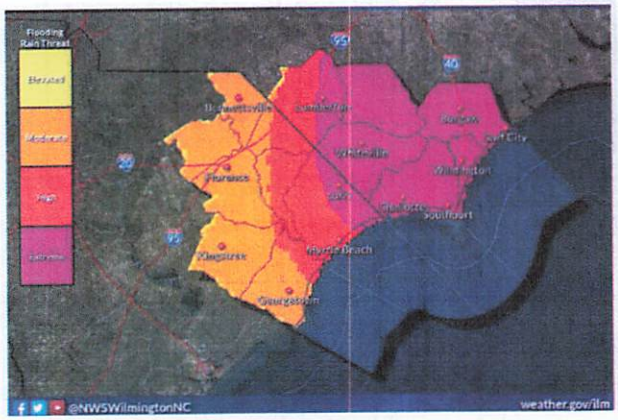
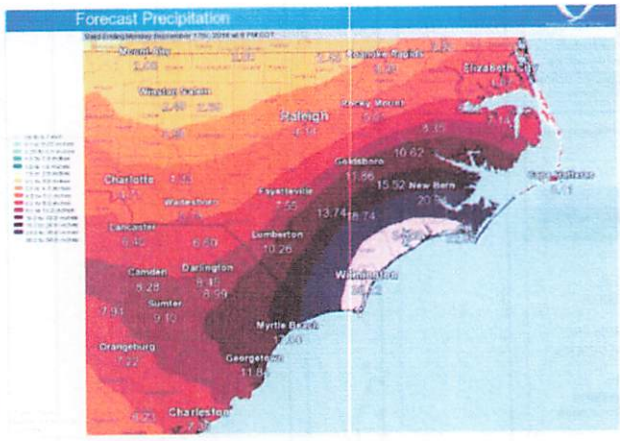
Threat Levels 			✓		
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 	✓				

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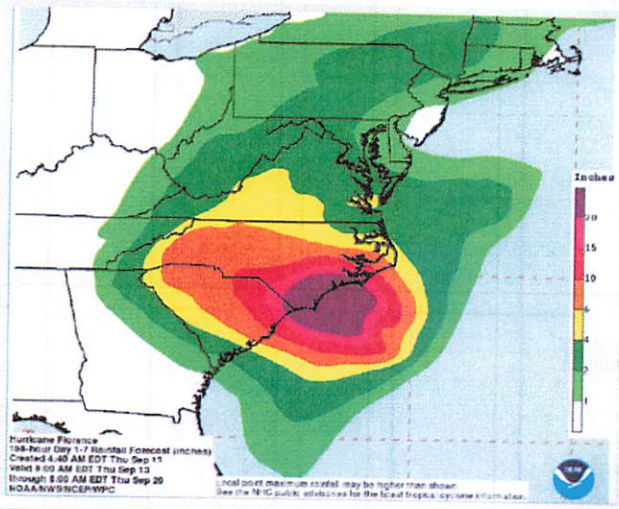
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 	✓				
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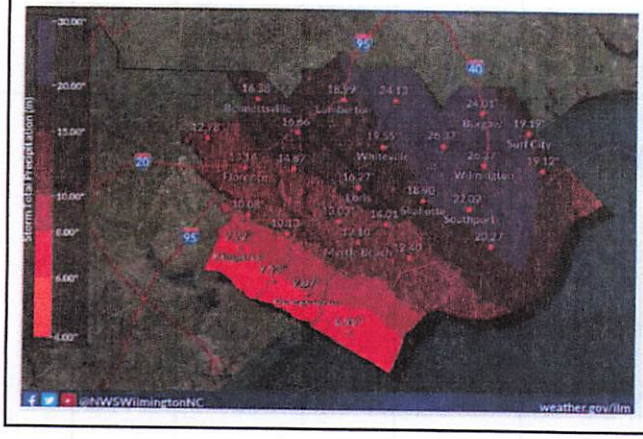
Additional Rainfall 			✓		

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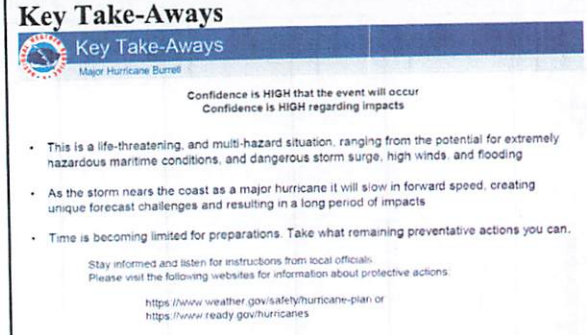
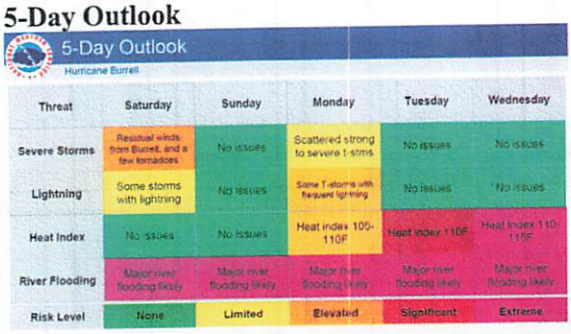
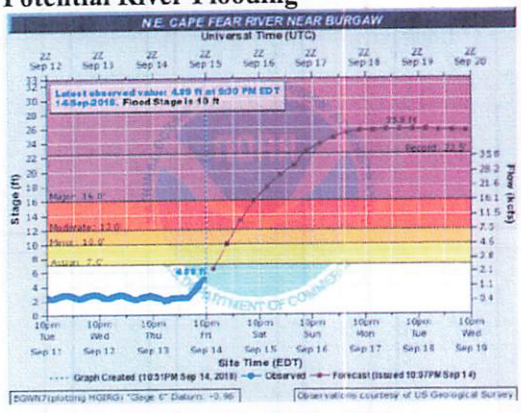
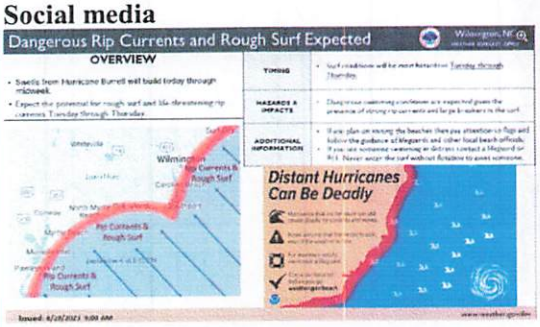
Key Take-Aways 			✓		
5-Day Outlook 			✓		
Potential River Flooding 		✓			
Social media 			✓		

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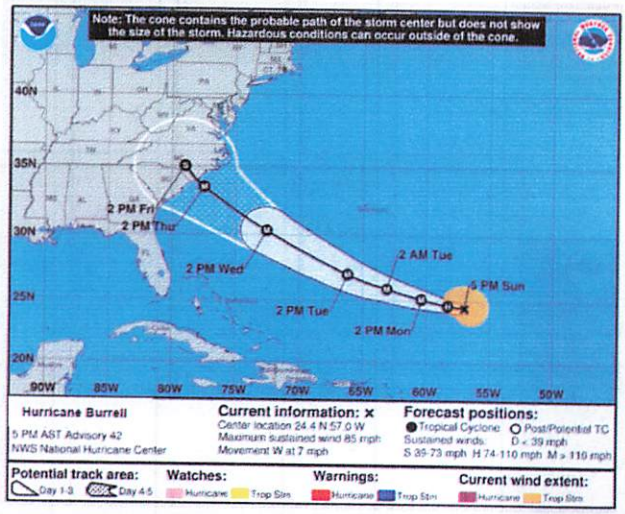

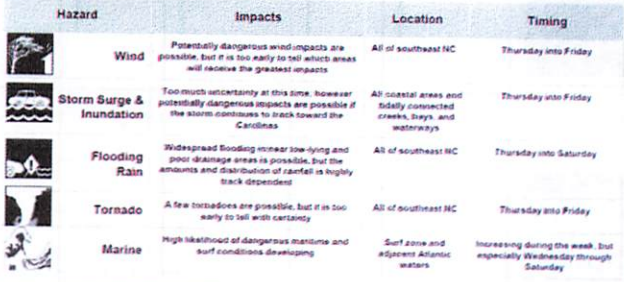

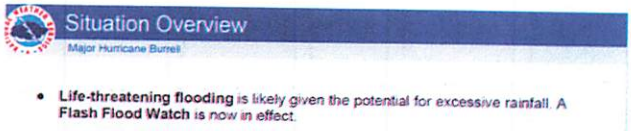

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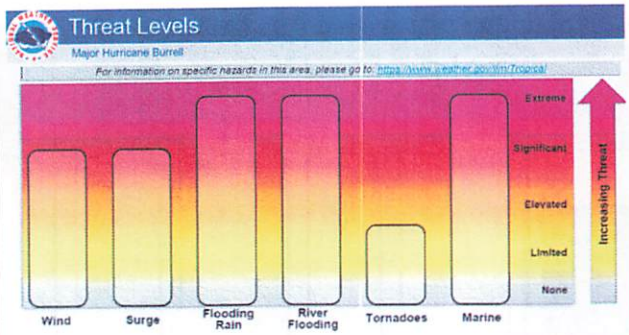
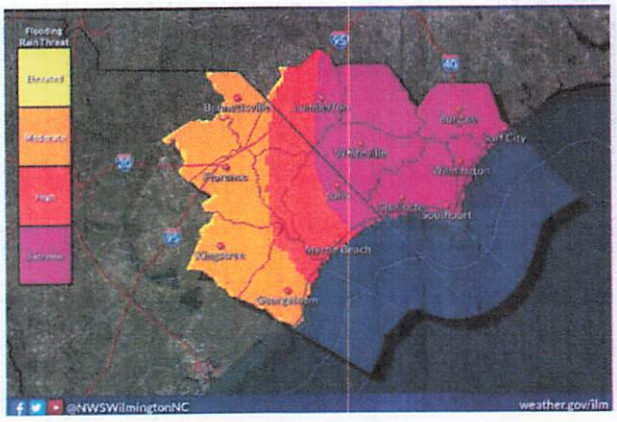
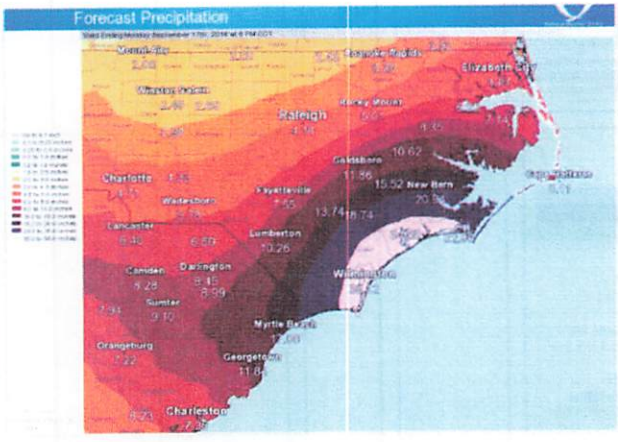
Threat Levels 		✓			
Inland Flooding 		✓			
Forecast Precipitation 		✓			

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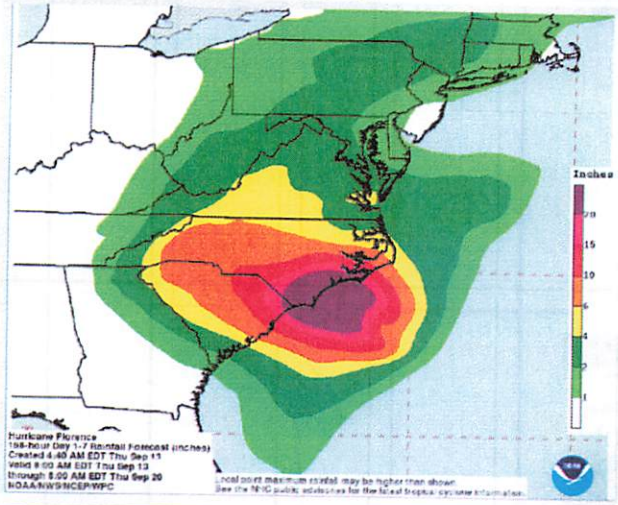
Expected Storm Total Rainfall 	✓				
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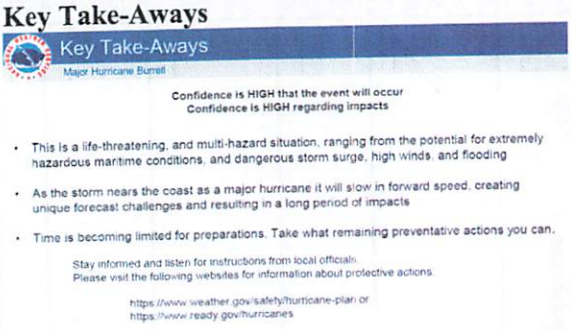
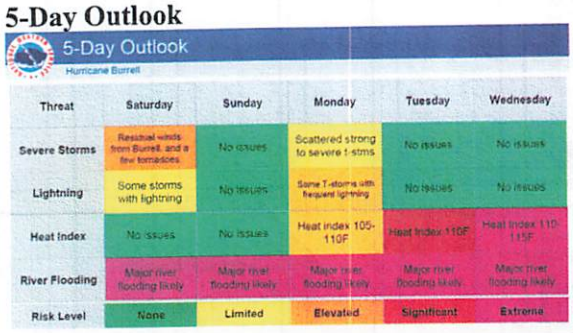
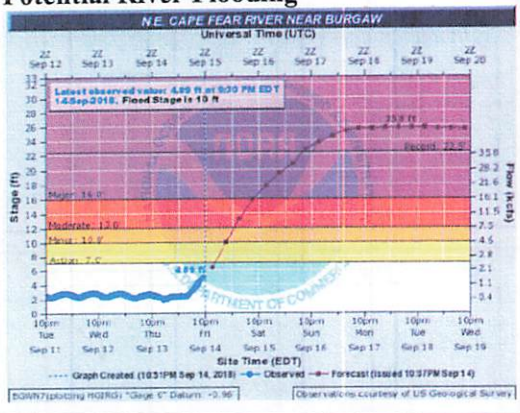
Key Take-Aways 	✓				
5-Day Outlook 		✓			
Potential River Flooding 	✓				
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10. Was anything in the session confusing? Yes (No)

If Yes, please explain:

11. What improvements could be made in the format or content of this session?

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12. Additional comments:

Thank you for participating!