



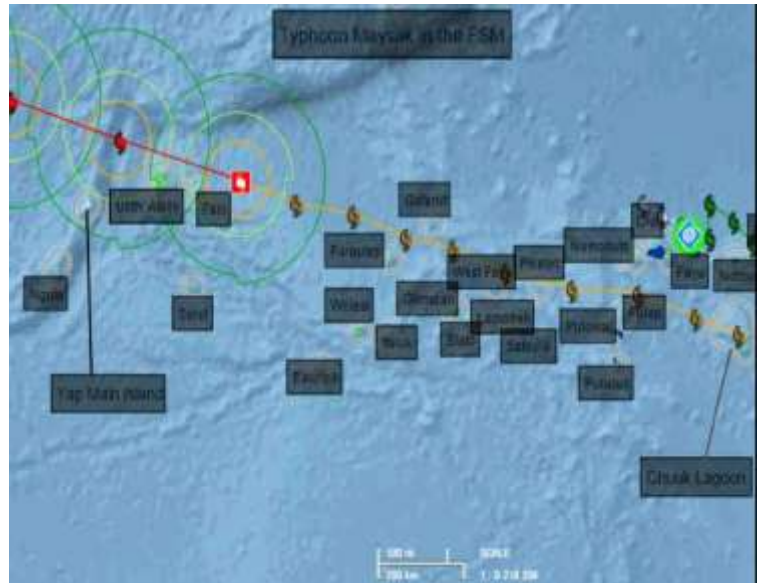
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Event: Typhoon Maysak
Situation Report: No. 3
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I. Highlights

- Patrol boats FSM03 and FSM02 departed for the Chuuk and Yap islands respectively to assess damages and team comprises of OEEM, Resource & Development, TC&I and Health
- Chuuk and Yap States are conducting assessment with support from the locally based IOM and Micronesia Red Cross Society (MRCS) teams
- IOM and MRSC are now distributing Non Food Items from their preposition stocks in Chuuk and Yap states
- State and National government had commenced distributing emergency food rations and water to priority communities



II. Situation Overview

Typhoon Maysak made landfall at Chuuk lagoon on Sunday 29th March and Ulithi Atoll, Yap on 1st April while neighboring islands within the two states also experienced strong destructive winds causing damages.

Governor Johnson Elimo of Chuuk and Governor Tony Ganngiyan of Yap had on 30th March and 1st April respectively declared state of emergency for their states. President Manny Mori consequently had declared a State of Emergency for both states and reaffirms the FSM Emergency Task Force to coordinate all response efforts which includes mobilization of national government resources and international assistance.

FSM Emergency Task Force is now coordinating all response effort supplementing the effort of the states and partners such as IOM and MRCS. IOM and MRCS both have preposition stocks of Non Food Items in Chuuk and Yap.

Patrol boats FSM03 and FSM02 deployed to Chuuk and Yap states outer islands respectively with national government officials to assess damages sustained and identify key priorities. Priority humanitarian relief supplies such as water and emergency rations had been loaded onto the patrol boats for delivery to the far outlying islands. The patrol boats are earmarked

for the far outlying islands while the states are hiring small boats to carry assessment teams and also distribute relief items.

Chuuk and Yap Emergency Operation Centers are now in full operation where coordination of response, assessment and relief efforts is being carried out.

III. Response Support

1, Logistics & deployment support

1.1 Logistics

Current status

Patrol boat FSM03 deployed to outer islands of Chuuk to assess damages and distribute relief items with teams comprising of OEEM, R&D, and Health as well as state counterparts.

Patrol boat FSM02 deployed to outer islands of Yap to assess damages and distribute relief items with teams comprising of OEEM, R&D, and Health.

Small boats hired by the states to transport officials in carrying out damage assessments as well as distribution of relief items.

US Coast Guard has been given clearance to make a fly over of the affected islands and provide pictures of the damages sustained.

Pacific Mission Aviation (PMA) plane is supporting Yap state in mobilizing assessment teams and distribution of relief items to Ulithi Atoll and Fais Island.

Needs

Continued fuel and other supplies will be required to ensure the Patrol boats are able to travel to all the islands so that thorough assessment can be made. Additional boats and planes that can assist in mobilizing relief supplies to the outer islands are in demand.

Support pledged or received

1.2 Non Food item relief supplies

Current Status

National government had procured items and provide to the State governments for distribution to needy communities while MRCS and IOM had also commenced distributing Non Food Items (NFI) from their respective warehouses in the states

Items procured by National Government	Quantities for each States		Total procured	Cost/ Unit (USD)	Total costs (USD)	Comments
	Chuuk	Yap				
Germicidal bleach - 121 oz		3	3	7.99	23.97	Items delivered by patrol boat FSM02 on 04/05
Bleach liquid - 121 oz	9	12	21	7.99	167.79	
Bleach clorox - 116 oz	36		36	7.99	287.64	
EPA gas can 2+ gallon	6	2	8	2.99	23.92	
Mini stake plastic solar		16	16	4.99	79.84	
Mini stake solar light	2		2	6.99	13.98	

Mini stake charcoal brown	11		11	6.99	76.89		
Solar floodlight black	3	2	5	24.99	124.99		
Bar & chain oil quarts	26	10	36	3.49	125.64		
Oil 2 cycle LA 3.2 oz	44	100	144	1.19	171.36		
Gas chainsaw 20"	5		5	349.99	1749.95		
Gas chainsaw 18"		1	1	299.99	299.99		
Gas chainsaw 16"		3	3	249.99	749.97		
Gas chainsaw 14"	4	1	5	199.99	999.95		
Rope yellow poly 50		5	5	6.99	34.95		
Rope yellow poly 1/4 100		2	2	7.99	15.98		
Rope poly proline 1/4 50		6	6	6.49	38.94		
Rope yellow poly 100	7		7	8.49	59.43		
Rope utility dump	42		42	3.49	146.58		
Hand saw 15" universal	3		3	19.99	59.97		
Hand saw shrt cut 20" 8 pt	3		3	24.99	74.97		
Hand saw 24" 12 pt fine	6		6	24.99	149.94		
Hand saw shrt cut 20" 8 pt	4			24.99	99.96		
Hand saw 20" 9 pt coarse		5	5	24.99	124.95		
Tote 35 GL action packet			1	89.99	89.99		FSM02 use

2. Livelihood

2.1 Agriculture and Food security

Current status

Chuuk - Breadfruits and bananas – 80% damages, Taro – 80% damages.

Yap - Ulithi– 100% damages to crops.

Yap – Fais – Major damages to crops

Yap – Piig – 60 – 70% damages to crops

Yap – other outer islands have sustained varying degree of damages to crops but salt water intrusion into taro patches is evident and the real impact will be felt in the coming weeks.

Needs

Chuuk – food rations required for displaced people in emergency shelters.

Yap- Ulithi and Fais, – food rations for next 3 – 6 months is needed for the 1,200 population of Ulithi Atoll and Fais Island.

2.2 Fisheries

Current status

Coastal damages sustained

Needs

More will be known when assessment reports are received

2.3 Food shops

Current status

Chuuk - 37 commercial outlets were destroyed

Needs

Establishment of insurance is critical to cover the private sector assets and stock

3. Social support

3.1 Health

Current status

Chuuk - 5 confirmed deaths due to severe injuries sustained at the height of the typhoon. No damages sustained by health infrastructure including hospitals and dispensaries. Health services continue at satisfactory level.

Yap – No casualties sustained and the 18 fishermen from Satawal who were stranded at Pikolot Island (14) and West Fayew Island (4) during the typhoon had returned safely.

Needs

More will be known when assessment reports are received.

3.2 Sanitation and Hygiene

Current status

Chuuk - Health personnel are now issuing advisories for boiling of water before being consumed and the proper disposal of wastes. CPUC had restored a number of sewer pumps in areas where power has been restored and sewerage systems are partially functioning.

4 Portable toilets have been procured by the National government and delivered to Weno, Chuuk for emergency shelters in areas where the reticulated water system is not operational.

Needs

Chuuk -. More will be known when assessment reports are received.

3.3 Education

Current status

Chuuk - 24 classroom building damaged. Governor Johnson had temporarily suspended classes at all public schools.

Yap – Ulithi – All classrooms at the Outer Islands High School had suffered significant damages as well as those at the Falalop Ulithi Elementary school.

Needs

Chuuk - Immediate repairs of schools that are damaged to allow schools to continue in having classes.

Yap – Ulithi – Temporary structures to be erected to allow classes to resume at Outer islands High School and Ulithi Elementary school.

3.4 Shelter

Current status

Chuuk – 830 dwelling houses destroyed and 6,760 people displaced. Displaced people are now with relatives and emergency shelters.

National government had procured tarpaulins and deployed to the states for distribution to the needy families. This is in addition to the ones being deployed by IOM from their Pohnpei warehouse.

Items procured by National Government	Quantities for each States		Total procured	Cost/ Unit (USD)	Total costs (USD)	Comments
	Chuuk	Yap				
Tarp - silver/blk 10 x 12		3	3	24.99	74.97	Tarp delivered by patrol boat FSM02 on 04/05
Tarp - silver/blk 10 x 20		3	3	34.99	104.97	
Tarp - silver/blk 12 x 20		14	14	39.99	550.62	
Tarp - poly blue/brn 20 x 30	5	5	10	59.99	599.90	
Tarp - poly blue/brn 16 x 20	4	2	6	29.99	179.94	
Tarp - poly blue/brn 12 x 20	7	4	11	29.99	329.89	
Tarp - poly blue/brn 12 x 16	15	8	23	18.99	436.77	

Items deployed from IOM warehouse	Quantities for each States		Comments
	Chuuk	Yap	
Tarp roll - 4 x 50 meter	4	1	Tarp delivered by patrol boat FSM02 on 04/05
Tap stand (set of 3)	3		

Needs

Chuuk - Temporary shelters urgently required so that displaced people can be temporarily accommodated and vacate the schools that are being used as emergency shelters.

Yap – Temporary shelters are urgently needed at Ulithi Islands where majority of the houses have been destroyed and people are building shacks from the very little corrugated iron they can recover.

3.5 Psychosocial support

Current status

No current update on any psychosocial support being provided especially to the families who had lost their loved ones.

Needs

Immediate need of professional counsellors to conduct counselling to victims of the typhoon

3.6 Protection and Gender

Current status

Gender and children protection are being monitored closely at the emergency shelters by IOM team

Needs

N/A

4. Infrastructure

4.1 Power

Current status

Chuuk - Power at Weno the main island of Chuuk state was totally (100%) damaged and there was complete power outage immediately after the typhoon on 29th March. Power now restored to the public offices and buildings. Restoration work continuing with additional manpower being recruited to remove branches lying on power lines. Detailed walk through damage assessments conducted to identify capital requirements for restoration.

4 service crews from Pohnpei Utility Corporation dispatched on 4th April to support electrical service restoration.

Yap – Power at Yap main island has been fully restored while at Ulithi power lines are broken and power poles blown down.

Needs

Chuuk - Repair for full restoration of power may take a week by the Chuuk Utility Public Corporation

Support pledged or received

4.2 Water

Current status

Chuuk - Reticulated water system at Weno was disrupted due to power outage. Supply now partially restored from the wells that has been connected to power while work are continuing to activate the rest of the wells with generators. Delivery trucks continuing to deliver water to areas not being restored with reticulated water supply. Disaster Control Office (DCO) and LDS are assisting in water distribution around Weno and outer islands. IOM had deployed water containers out from Pohnpei warehouse to Chuuk as detailed below

Items	Quantities for each States		Comments
	Chuuk	Yap	
Bladders (3)	3	0	Items delivered by Patrol Boat FSM02 on 04/05
Jerry cans - 5 gallon	15	5	

National government had procured water from Pohnpei and has been deployed to the State for their onward distribution to the needy islands.

Food items	Quantities by States		Total	Unit price	Total price	Comments
	Chuuk	Yap				
Nestle pure life water (cartons)	500	700	1200	8.99	10,788	Chuuk supplies delivered by Patrol Boat FSM02 and FSM03

Yap – Ulithi – 3 Generator delivered from Yap island had the water pump energised and now supplying water to the community

- *Fais* – Water is being supplied after water pump was being energised by PMA airplane delivered generator from Yap main island

Needs

Chuuk - Urgent repair and restoration of the reticulated water supply is critical. Water is needed at the outer islands since water tanks were broken

Yap – outer islands are in need of water since water tanks had either been damaged or contaminated from salt water.

4.3 Land transport

Current status

Chuuk - Roads around Weno was blocked with fallen power poles and trees and clearing is in progress.

Needs

Chuuk - Clearing of parts of the road that are still being blocked is ongoing.

Yap – Ulithi – Roads had sustained damages

4.4 Air transport

Current status

Chuuk - airport had reopened on Tuesday after clearing of debris was completed on Monday

Yap – Main island airport is fully operation as well as the one at Falalop, Ulithi which is now being used by the PMA air plane to drop much needed supplies.

Needs

N/A

4.5 Sea transport

Current status

Chuuk - Sea port did not sustain any damage and boats delivering relief supplies can anchor safely. 9 fishing, dive and inter island passenger boats grounded along the coasts of Weno but not directly impacting the main sea port.

Needs

Support in salvaging of the 9 boats is necessary to minimize oil spillage that may exacerbate the damages along the coastline.

4.6 Telecommunication

Current status

Chuuk – Landline cables are down at Weno disrupting landline services. Repairs to landlines and internet are ongoing focusing on critical services like Health, Police, Public Utility Corporation, Sea port, Airport and Petroleum Corporation depot. Main cellular phone tower at Tonachau is operational on generator while those on batteries need to be recharged due to power outage. Technicians from Pohnpei deployed to assist in repairs for restoration of services.

Yap - Telephone and internet services fully restored after damages were repaired.

Needs

N/A

IV. Coordination

FSM Emergency Task Force is coordinating all response efforts including national and international support. President Mori in declaring the state of emergency had allocated \$100,000 and an account is now opened with the Department of Finance for all funds being pledged to be deposited. Procurement of relief items will follow all FSM National government procurement rules.

UNOCHA has been notified of the declaration and requested to provide support on information management and coordination in Chuuk and Yap. Deployment is now awaited.

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