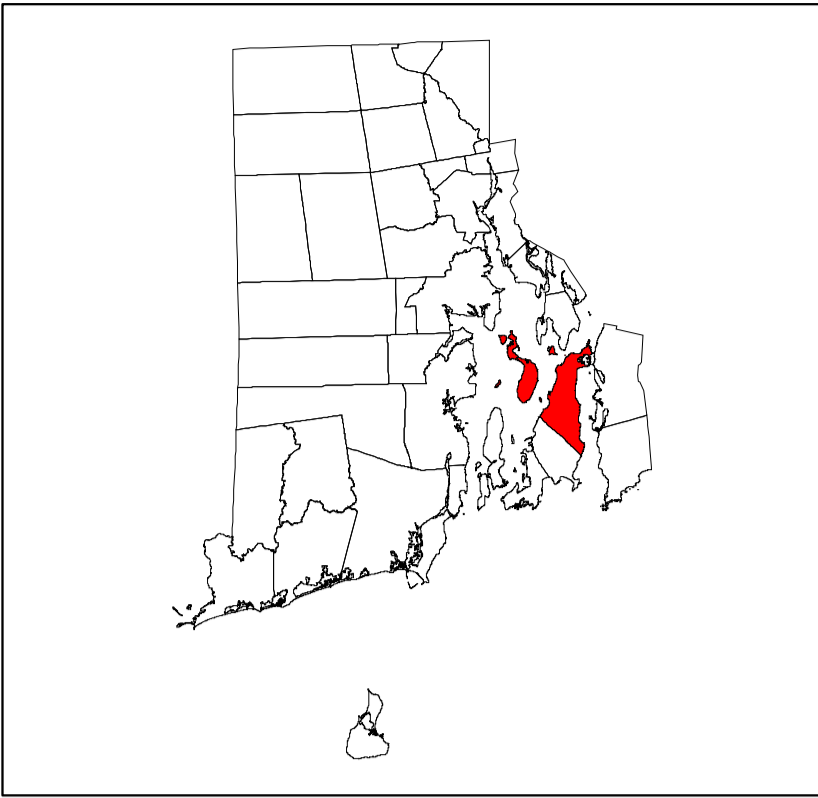
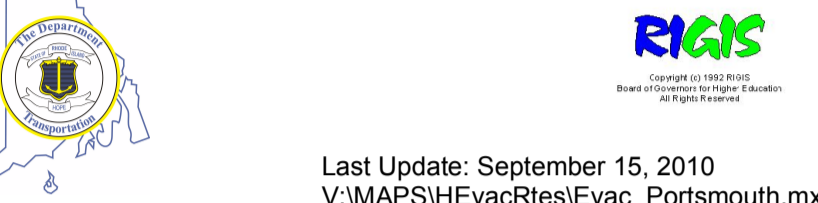


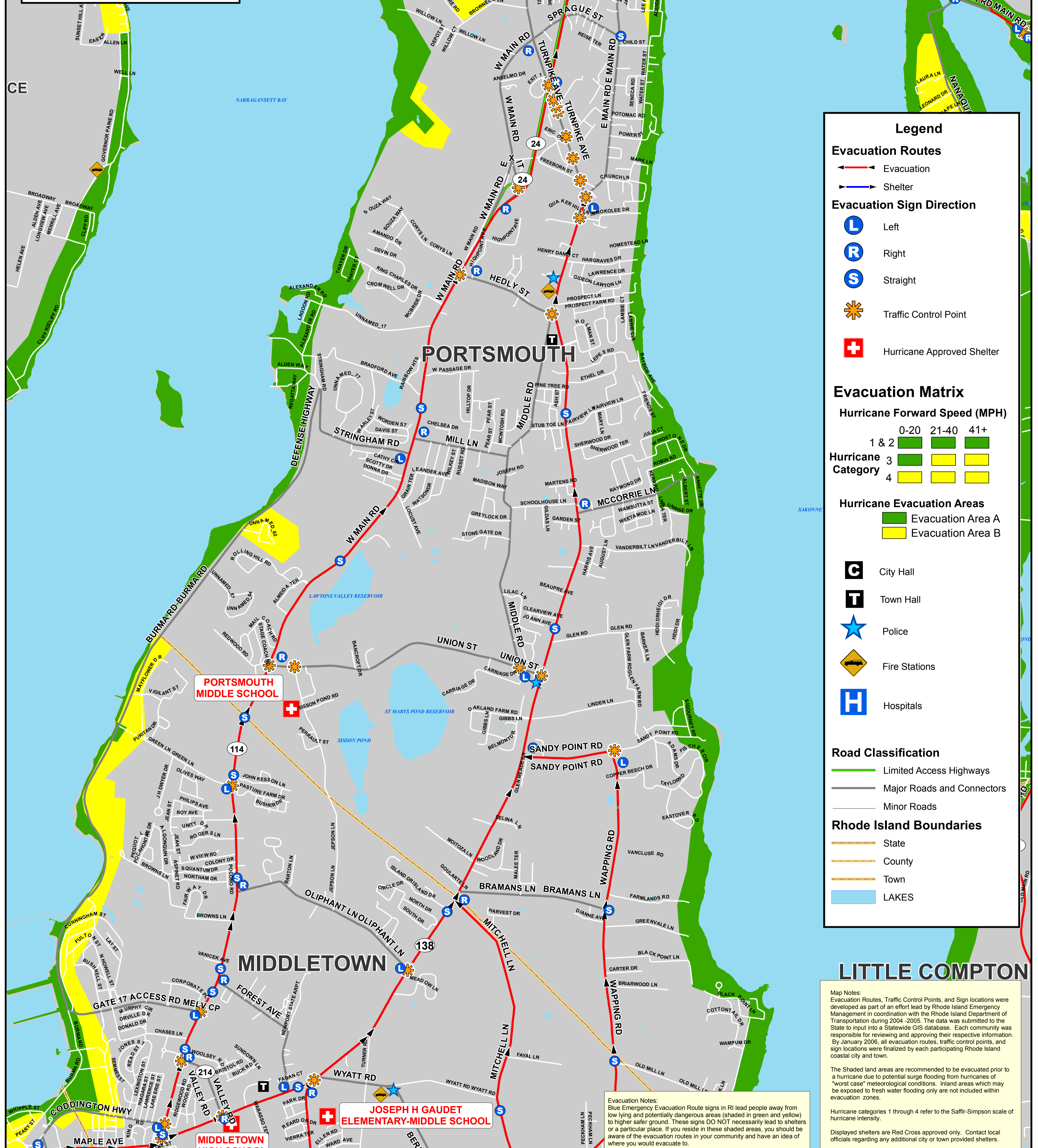
State of Rhode Island Hurricane Evacuation Routes Town of Portsmouth



0 0.25 0.5 Miles



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Legend

Evacuation Routes

- ← Evacuation
- Shelter

Evacuation Sign Direction

- L** Left
- R** Right
- S** Straight
- Traffic Control Point
- Hurricane Approved Shelter

Evacuation Matrix

Hurricane Forward Speed (MPH)

	0-20	21-40	41+
1 & 2			
3			
4			

Hurricane Evacuation Areas

- Evacuation Area A
- Evacuation Area B

Road Classification

- Limited Access Highways
- Major Roads and Connectors
- Minor Roads

Rhode Island Boundaries

- State
- County
- Town
- LAKES

Other Symbols:

- C** City Hall
- T** Town Hall
- Police
- Fire Stations
- H** Hospitals

Map Notes:
Evacuation Routes, Traffic Control Points, and Sign locations were developed as part of an effort lead by Rhode Island Emergency Management in coordination with the Rhode Island Department of Transportation during 2004-2005. The data was submitted to the State to input into a Statewide GIS database. Each community was responsible for reviewing and approving their respective information. By January 2006, all evacuation routes, traffic control points, and sign locations were finalized by each participating Rhode Island coastal city and town.

The Shaded land areas are recommended to be evacuated prior to a hurricane due to potential surge flooding from hurricanes of "worst case" meteorological conditions. Inland areas which may be exposed to fresh water flooding only are not included within evacuation zones.

Hurricane categories 1 through 4 refer to the Saffir-Simpson scale of hurricane intensity.

Displayed shelters are Red Cross approved only. Contact local officials regarding any additional city or town provided shelters.

Evacuation Notes:
Blue Emergency Evacuation Route signs in RI lead people away from low lying and potentially dangerous areas (shaded in green and yellow) to higher safer ground. These signs DO NOT necessarily lead to shelters or a particular place. If you reside in these shaded areas, you should be aware of the evacuation routes in your community and have an idea of where you would evacuate to.