



Tropical Storm Bret

INFORMATION NOTE No. 1

AS OF 11:00 AM (AST) ON THURSDAY 22, JUNE 2023

Tropical Cyclone Alert remains in effect for Montserrat

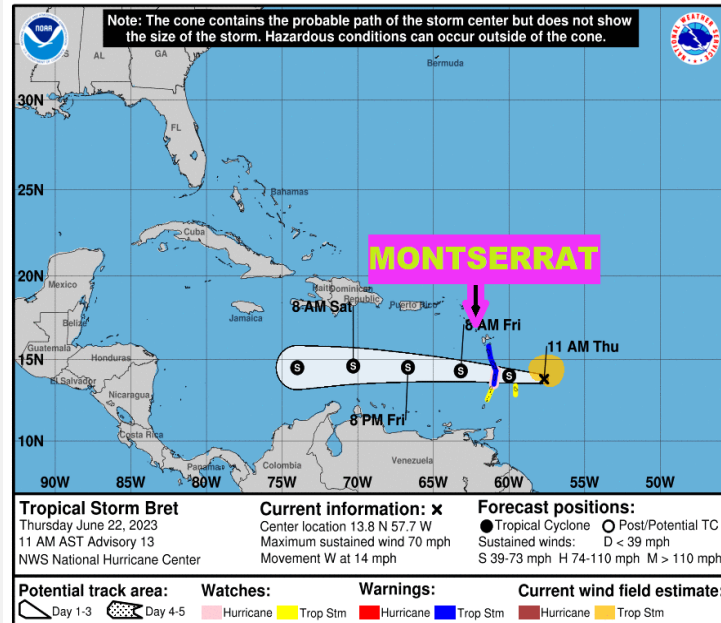
LOCATION: 13.8 NORTH, LONGITUDE 57.7 WEST OR ABOUT 309 MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE LEEWARD ISLANDS

***PRESENT MOVEMENT: WEST AT 14 MILES PER HOUR**

***TROPICAL STORM FORCE WINDS: EXTEND OUTWARD UP TO 115 MILES FROM THE CENTER.**

*** MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS: 70 MPH WITH HIGHER GUSTS**

*** MINIMUM CENTRAL: 999 MB...29.50 INCHES**



Antigua and Barbuda Met Tropical Storm Bret Alert Statement

According to the Antigua and Barbuda Meteorological Services 11 AM Tropical Cyclone Statement, Tropical Storm Bret on its present track, is forecast to move over the Windward Islands this evening and tonight, well south of and at a safe distance from Montserrat. No specific action is required of residents at this time other than to keep monitoring the progress of Tropical Storm Bret. A High Wind Advisory goes into effect for Montserrat on Thursday afternoon into Friday - Residents should secure loose, light outdoor items, which can be blown away, and caution should be taken when driving! Small Craft and High Surf Advisories are in effect for Montserrat for above normal swell heights.

Disaster Management Coordination Agency (DMCA) Actions

The National Disaster Policy Response Advisory Committee (NDPRAC), chaired by Her Excellency Governor Sarah Tucker, convened at the Disaster Management Coordination Agency (DMCA) conference room on Wednesday, 22 June 2023, to look at any potential threat to Montserrat from Tropical Storm Bret and to discuss Montserrat's state of readiness for the 2023 Hurricane Season. It was agreed that some coordinated critical actions will be taken over the coming weeks, including conducting simulation exercises to strengthen the capacity of NDPRAC members and the Emergency Operational Group to prepare for and respond to any potential storm or hurricane threat to Montserrat and follow-up meetings. Residents are urged to be vigilant in areas prone to lahars, flashfloods, landslides and rockfalls as a high chance of showers is forecast for the island by the Antigua Met.