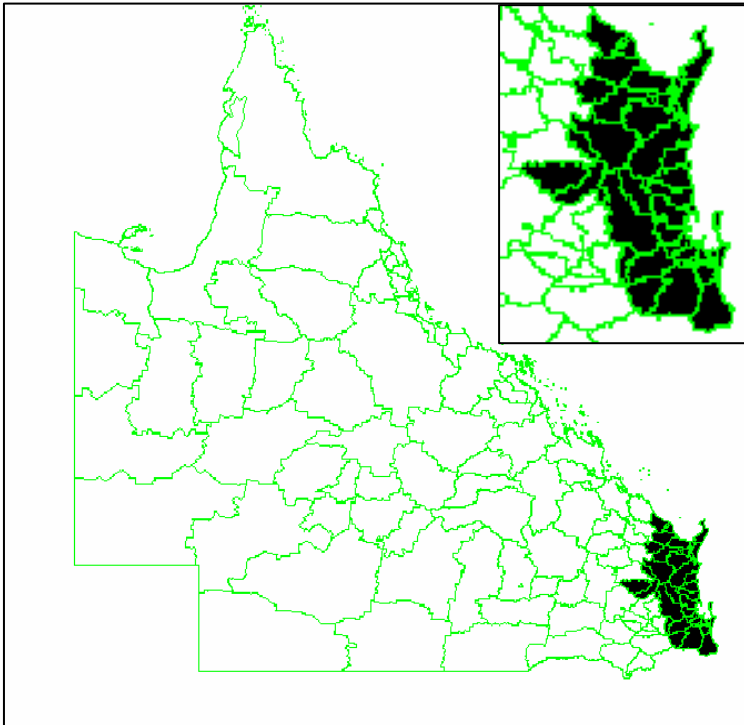


Disaster Event – South East and North Coast Queensland East Coast Low, August 2007



Event Timing and Location –

From Wednesday 22 August 2007, a complex low pressure system located over the south-east Coral Sea produced damaging winds, heavy rain and major flooding. This resulted in damage to roads and infrastructure impacting communities in the South East and North Coast Queensland areas.

Assistance Activated – The Minister for Emergency Services activated the Commonwealth/State Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Arrangements (NDRRA) for the South East and North Coast Queensland East Coast Low, August 2007.

NDRRA Relief Measures Activated

- Restoration of Essential Public Assets;
- Counter Disaster Operations;
- Concessional Loans to Primary Producers;
- Freight Subsidies to Primary Producers;
- Disaster Relief Assistance Scheme; and
- Associations Natural Disaster Relief Scheme.

* Details of NDRRA relief measures and NDRRA Administering Authorities are available from:
http://www.disaster.qld.gov.au/publications/pdf/NDRRA_QLD_DisasterRelief.pdf

Area formally defined (by Minister for Emergency Services) for receipt of NDRRA Relief Measures-
“Communities in the South East and North Coast Queensland areas affected by the East Coast Low, August 2007”.

Local Government areas:

Beaudesert Shire Council
Biggenden Shire Council
Boonah Shire Council
Brisbane City Council
Bundaberg City Council
Burnett Shire Council
Caboolture Shire Council
Caloundra City Council
Cherbourg Aboriginal Council
Cooloola Shire Council
Esk Shire Council
Gold Coast City Council
Hervey Bay City Council

Ipswich City Council
Isis Shire Council
Kilkivan Shire Council
Kilcoy Shire Council
Kingaroy Shire Council
Laidley Shire Council
Logan City Council
Maroochy Shire Council
Maryborough City Council
Murgon Shire Council
Nanango Shire Council
Noosa Shire Council
Pine Rivers Shire Council

Redcliffe City Council
Redland Shire Council
Tiaro Shire Council
Woocoo Shire Council