

**Legend**

**Evacuation Routes**  
 - Evacuation (Red line with arrow)  
 - Shelter (Red cross symbol)

**Evacuation Sign Direction**  
 - Left (L in blue circle)  
 - Right (R in blue circle)  
 - Straight (S in blue circle)  
 - Traffic Control Point (Yellow starburst)  
 - Hurricane Approved Shelter (Red cross)

**Evacuation Matrix**

Hurricane Forward Speed (MPH)

1 & 2	0-20	21-40	41+
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Hurricane Category

3	4
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Hurricane Evacuation Areas

- Evacuation Area A (Light Green)
- Evacuation Area B (Yellow)

**Road Classification**

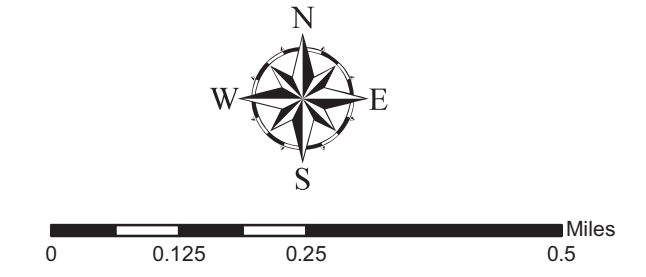
- Limited Access Highways (Thick grey line)
- Major Roads and Connectors (Thin grey line)
- Minor Roads (Dotted grey line)

**Rhode Island Boundaries**

- State (Dashed orange line)
- County (Dotted orange line)
- Town (Dotted orange line)
- LAKES (Blue area)

**Other Symbols:**  
 - City Hall (G in blue square)  
 - Town Hall (T in blue square)  
 - Police (Star in blue square)  
 - Fire Stations (Yellow diamond)  
 - Hospitals (H in blue square)

**State of Rhode Island  
Hurricane Evacuation Routes  
Town of Newport**



**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.