

SUPER TYPHOON YUTU

Lessons and Thoughts

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What do these people have in common?

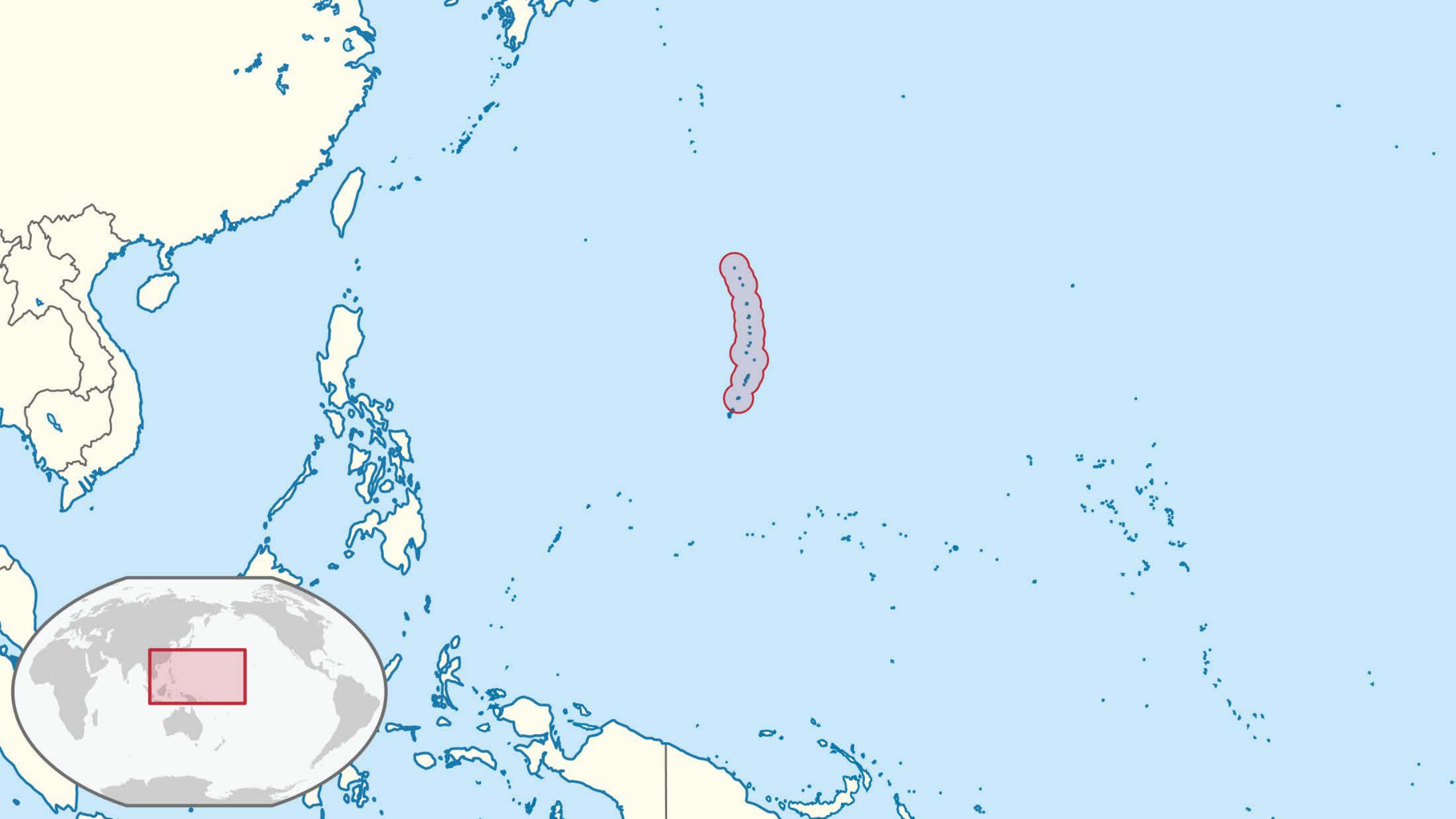


Note

This presentation is meant to:

- Be an open discussion amongst states and territories to drive critical thinking about your jurisdictional preparedness and response
- Sharing session to leverage existing expertise within the NTHMP to further drive strategic planning in both Preparedness and Response

- IT IS THE CNMI'S HOPE THAT YOUR INPUT WILL BE FURTHER INCORPORATED INTO AN OVERALL STRATEGIC PLAN TO BE RECCOMENDED TO THE CNMI'S LEADERSHIP





NORTHERN
MARIANA
ISLANDS

333 km
207 mi

ON OCTOBER 25TH, 2018:

**THE COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS
WAS HEAVILY IMPACTED BY SUPER TYPHOON YUTU**

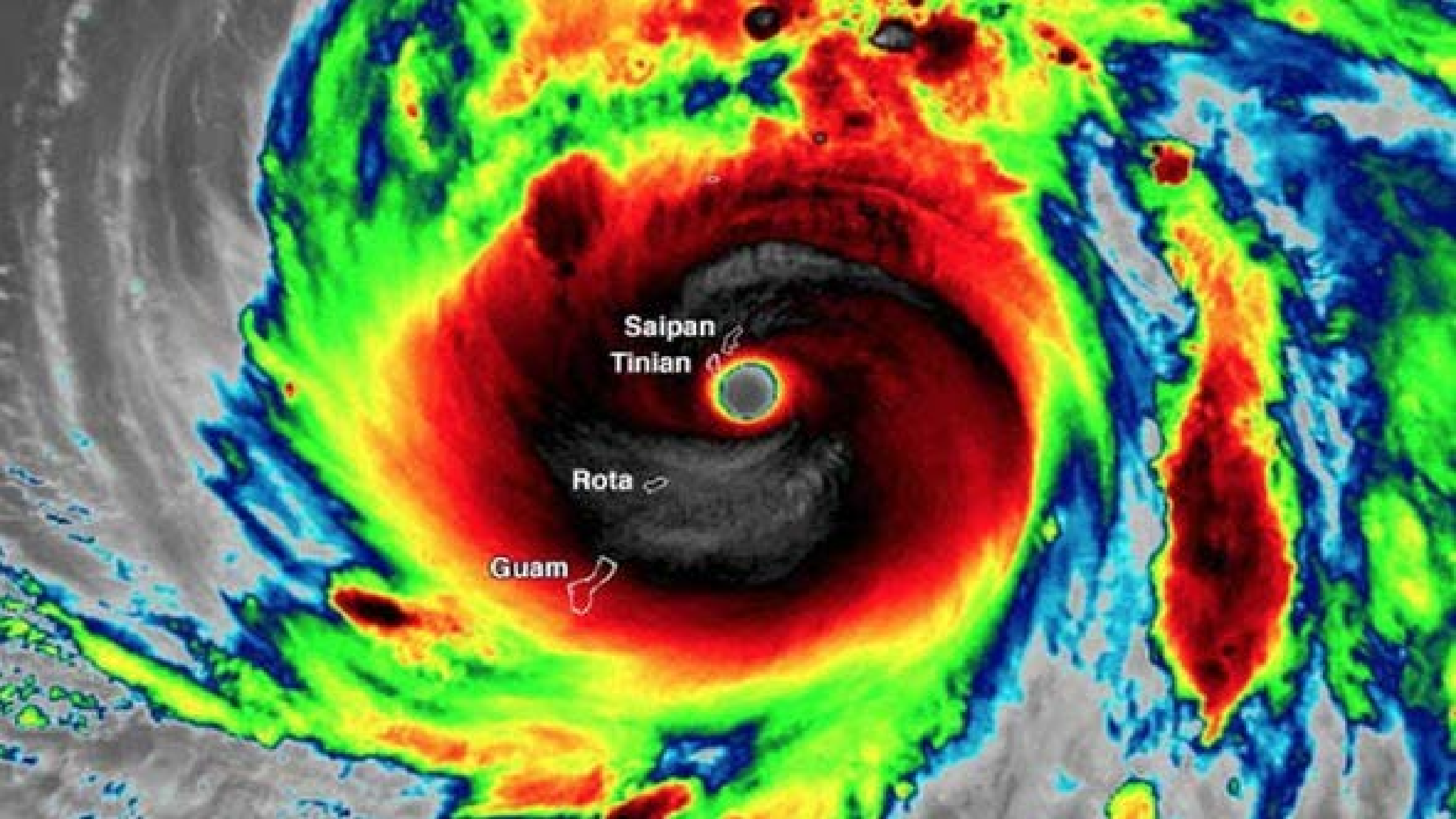
: SUSTAINED WINDS: 180 MPH

GUSTS: 205+ MPH

IMPACT ZONE: SAIPAN, TINIAN, ROTA, AND GUAM

PRESIDENTIAL DISASTER DELCARATION:

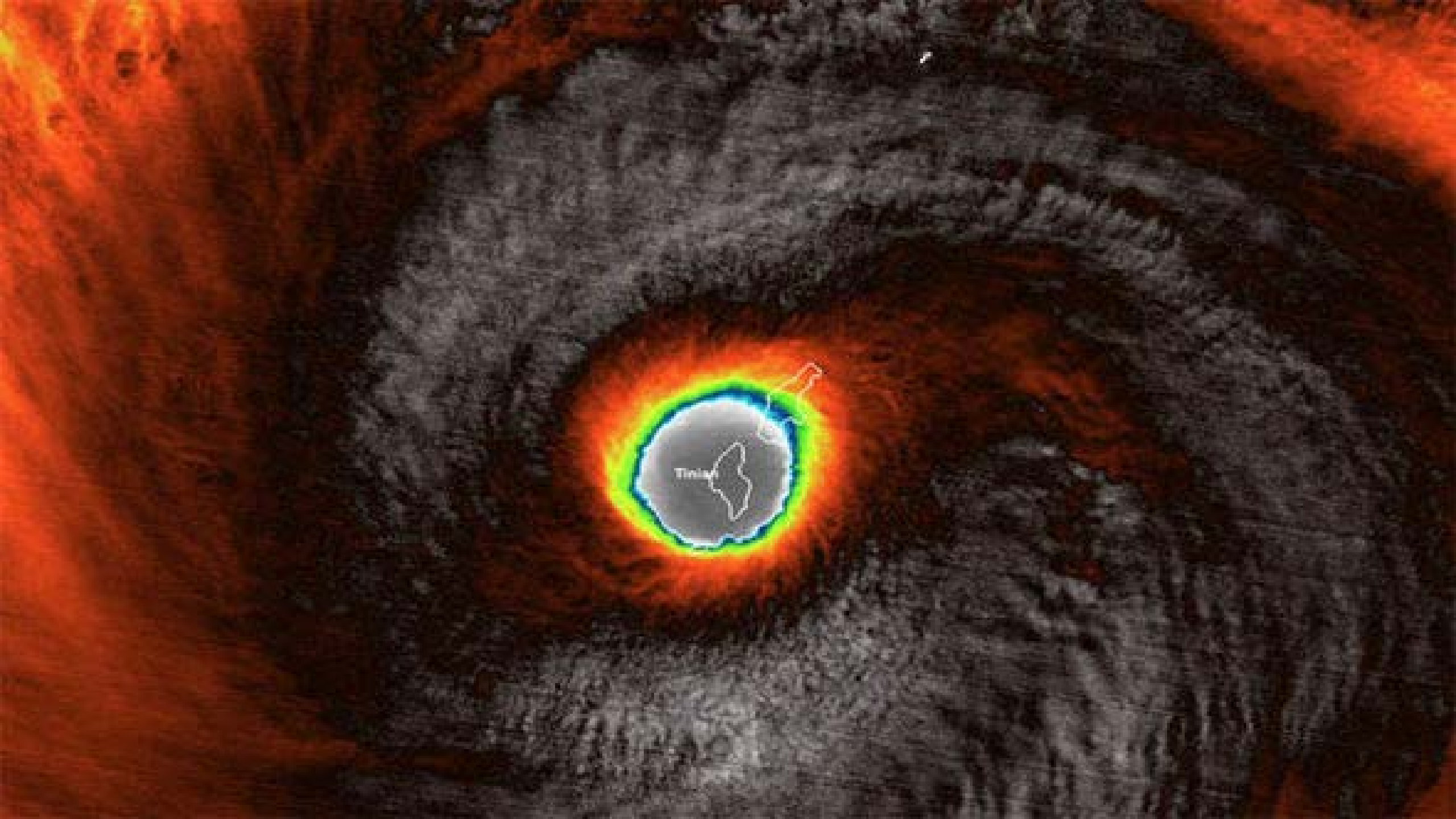
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Saipan
Tinian

Rota

Guam













PREPAREDNESS

- Planning
- Public Information and Warning
- Operational Coordination

Strength

Initial Engagement with community and consistent messaging

Weakness

- Public Complacency

QUESTION

How confident are you in your outreach and education program? What one area would you improve?

RESPONSE

- Planning
- Operational Coordination
 - Critical Transportation
 - Critical Infrastructure
- Logistics and Supply Chain Management
 - Mass Care Services
- Search and Rescue Operations
- Operational Communication
 - Public Health

MITIGATION

- Underground power from CUC to CHCC
- Generator Power (Back Up) at Isley Field
- Port Recovery and Restoration Efforts
 - Airport Facility Hardening
- **Discussions surrounding Debris Management Enhancements
 - School Relocation Projects
 - Municipality Operations Center

QUESTION

- When was your last disaster? Is your community ready?

FEDERAL RESPONSE

- FEMA
- USACE
- HHS
- EPA
- DoD
- Energy
- Many other partners served in different capacities.

Non-Government Organizations

- Tremendous resource for any disaster
 - CNMI ARC
 - Local Organizations
 - United Methodists
 - Team DEFCON
 - Samaritan Purse

RECCOMENDATIONS

- Whole Community Approach is crucial
- A incident begins at the point of notification, initiate action
- Ensure documentation is maintained
- Don't back down if you have a TRUE Need.



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