Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - March 2014

Location Date/Time Deaths & Property & Event Type and Details Injuries Crop Dmg

(TX-Z253) HIDALGO

03/16/14 15:15 CST

1K Strong Wind (MAX 35 kt)

03/16/14 15:55 CST

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An upper level trough lifting northeast across Texas pushed a cold front across the Rio Grande Valley during the day on march 16th. Strong northerly winds were experienced behind the front, with gale force gusts recorded. Billboard damage was reported near Mercedes during the afternoon hours.

(TX-Z257) COASTAL CAMERON

03/30/14 10:30 CST 1 0 Rip Current 03/30/14 11:35 CST 3 0

Direct Fatalities: M18IW

Four teenagers were swimming in the Gulf of Mexico on South Padre Island, TX during a day with a Moderate risk of rip currents. The four teenagers were swimming past the third sandbar (about 100 feet from shore) in the vicinity of the Inverness Condominiums near the Good Hope Beach Access, when they became distressed. Rescue operations were conducted, and three of the individuals were brought to shore with injuries. The remaining individual was found to be face down in the surf and was brought to the shore. Despite medical treatment, the teenager (aged 18) was pronounced dead at the scene.

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