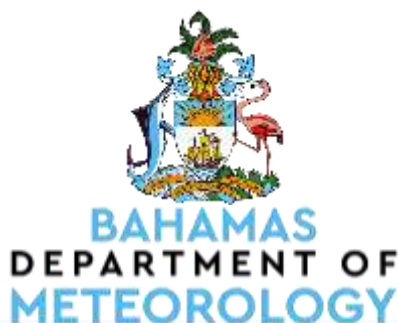


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NEWS ITEM

NEWS ITEM ON **TROPICAL DEPRESSION SIX**, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY, FORECAST OFFICE SECTION, ON **Saturday, September 19, 2026 AT 6:11 PM DST.**

...TROPICAL DEPRESSION SLOWLY DRIFTS TOWARDS THE NORTHEAST...

AT 5PM EDT, THE CENTER OF **TROPICAL DEPRESSION SIX** WAS LOCATED NEAR **LATITUDE 32.9° NORTH AND LONGITUDE 33.4° WEST**, OR ABOUT **505 MILES SOUTHWEST** OF THE AZORES.

THE DEPRESSION IS MOVING TOWARD THE **NORTH-NORTHEAST** NEAR **5 MPH**. THE SYSTEM IS EXPECTED TO GENERALLY MOVE TO THE NORTHEAST FOR THE NEXT DAY OR SO, BEFORE TURNING TOWARD THE SOUTHWEST IN A COUPLE OF DAYS.

MAXIMUM **SUSTAINED WINDS** ARE NEAR **35 MPH** WITH HIGHER GUSTS. SLIGHT STRENGTHENING IS POSSIBLE DURING THE NEXT 24 HOURS. AFTER THAT TIME, GRADUAL WEAKENING IS EXPECTED TO OCCUR.

THIS SYSTEM POSES NO THREAT TO THE BAHAMAS.

THE NEXT NEWS ITEM WILL BE ISSUED AT **6AM (SUNDAY)**.

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