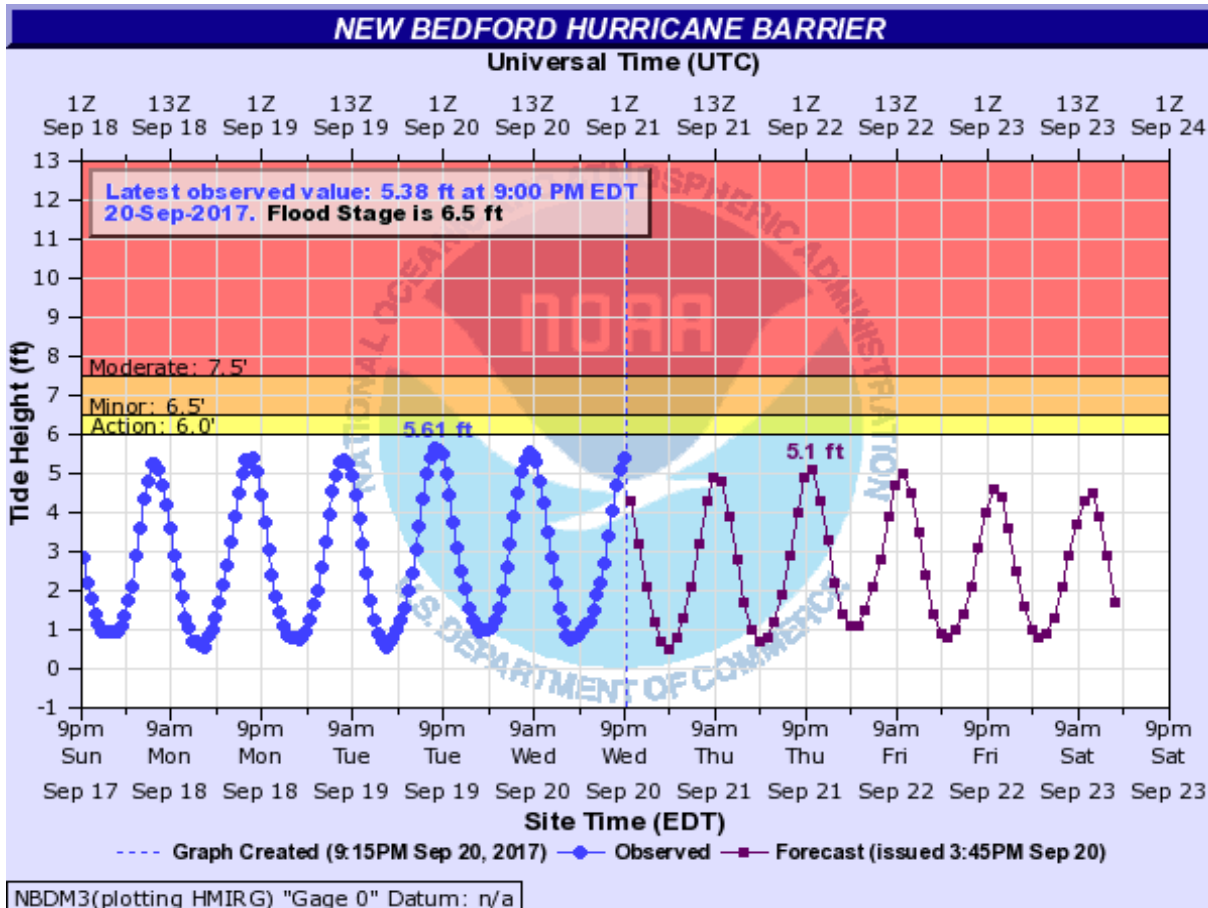


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**NOTE:** During times when the area is under a Tropical Storm/Hurricane Watch or Warning, the storm tide or total water level forecast will reflect a plausible worst case scenario (versus the usual most likely scenario).

**NOTE:** Coastal flood impacts are dependent upon waves as well as tide level. High waves can result in flooding even if the tide level is below flood stage.

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