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FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Sunday, February 16, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations & Monitoring



Significant Incidents or Threats:

- COVID-19
- Heavy snow possible Higher elevations of the Pacific Northwest to the Northern Plains and Central Rockies

Tropical Activity:

Western Pacific – Invest 93P

Declaration Activity: None

Western Pacific – Invest 93P



Situation (as of 1:00 a.m. ET)

- 552 miles WNW of Pago Pago, American Samoa
- Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert issued; expected to impact American Samoa within the next 24 hours
- Maximum sustained winds 30-35 mph
- Potential for development of a tropical cyclone within the next 24 hours:
 HIGH
- Significant storm-force winds, heavy precipitation/flash flooding, and landslides possible

Lifeline Impacts

All lifelines remain stable

Local Preparations/Response

American Samoa EOC at Full Activation (already activated for measles outbreak)

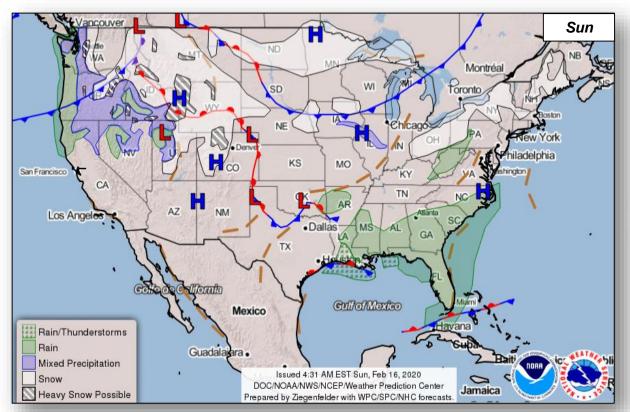
Federal Preparations/Response

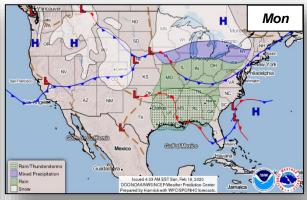
- Region IX RWC at Steady State, continues to monitor
- Region IX deployed personnel to AS
- MERS assets deployed to AS
- National ISB team deploying to DC HI
- NWC at Steady State, continues to monitor

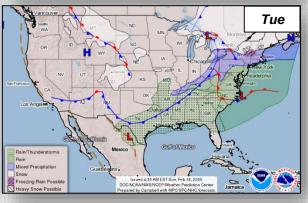


National Weather Forecast



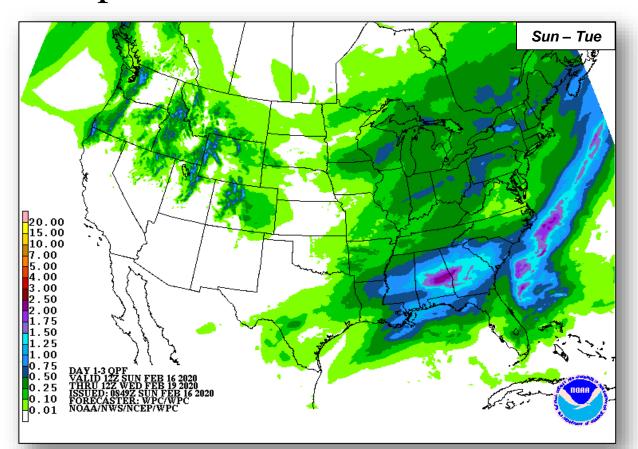


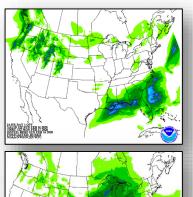




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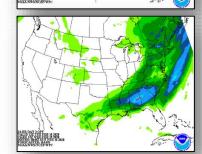






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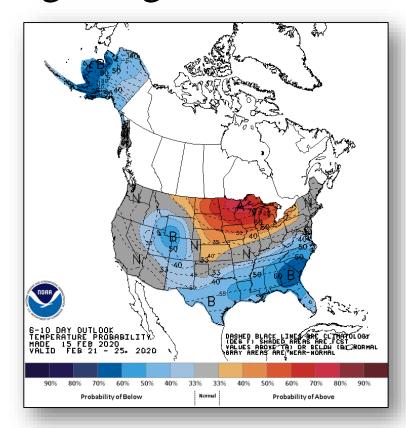
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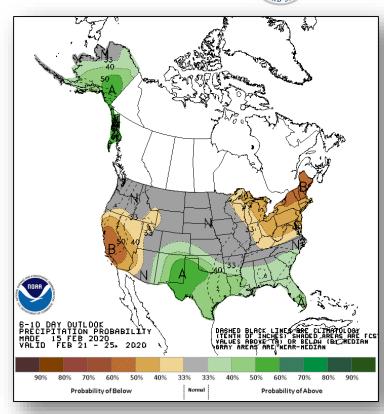
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Long Range Outlooks – Feb 21-25





6-10 Day Temperature Probability



6-10 Day Precipitation Probability

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State / Location	Event	IA/P	Number o	f Counties	Start – End	
			Α	Requested	Completed		
IV	SC	Severe Weather & Flooding Feb 6	IA	1	0	TBD – TBD	
			PA	7	0	2/13 – TBD	
Х	OR	Severe Flooding Feb 5-10	IA	1	0	2/19 – TBD	
			PA	3	0	2/24 – TBD	

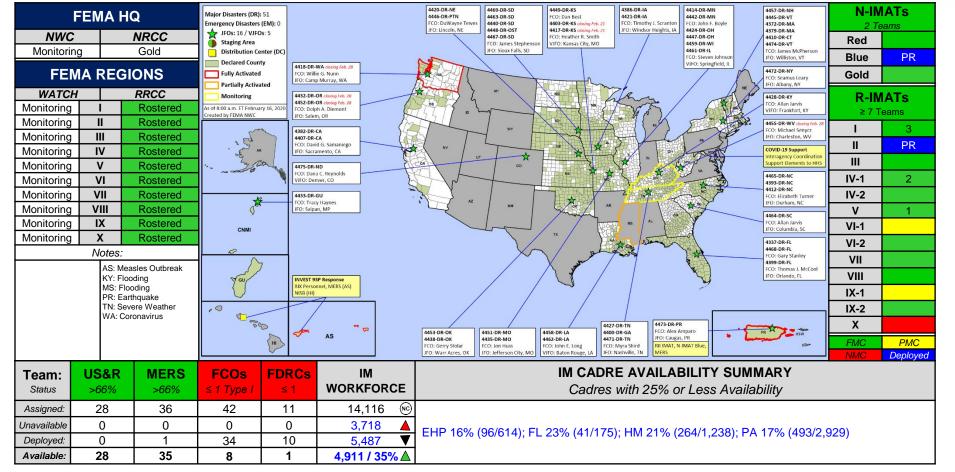
Declaration Requests in Process – 4



State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	РА	НМ	Requested
TX - Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes	DR		Х	Х	Jan 13
AK – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Feb 6
WI – Severe Winter Storm and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Feb 10
MS – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Feb 10

FEMA Common Operating Picture







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