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Daily Operations Briefing

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations & Monitoring



Significant Incidents or Threats:

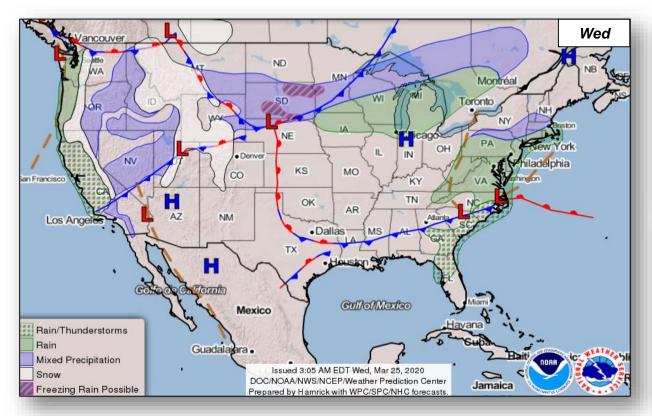
- COVID-19
- Freezing rain possible Northern Plains and Upper Mississippi Valley

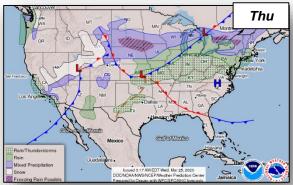
Declaration Activity:

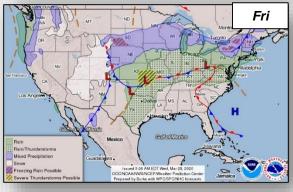
- Approval: Major Disaster Declaration Iowa and Louisiana
- Request: Major Disaster Declaration Missouri, Maryland, CNMI, South Carolina
- Amendment No.1 for FEMA-4476-DR-TN

National Weather Forecast







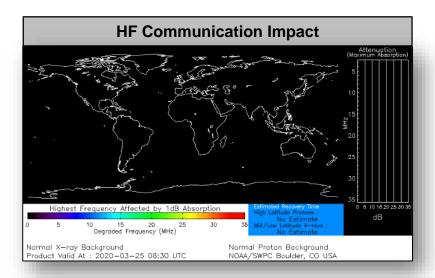


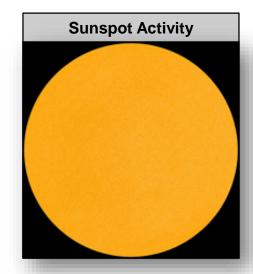
Space Weather



	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts		
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None		
Next 24 Hours	None	None	None	None		

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation





Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Dogion	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number o	Start – End	
Region				Requested	Completed	Start - End
V	A 16	Kaktovik School Fire	IA	0	0	N/A
^	AK	Feb 6	PA	1	0	3/17 – TBD

Declaration Approved

FEMA

Declaration: Major Disaster Declaration FEMA-

4483-DR-IA for Iowa

Requested: March 19, 2020

Approved: March 23, 2020

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: January 20, 2020 and

continuing

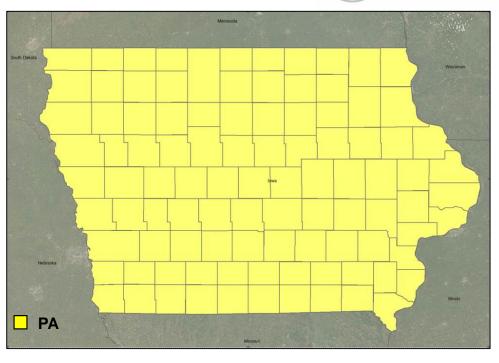
Provides:

IA: Under Review

 PA: Emergency Protective Measures (Category B) not authorized under other Federal statutes, including direct federal assistance at 75 percent federal funding, statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Under Review

FCO: Paul Taylor



Declaration Approved

Declaration: Major Disaster Declaration FEMA-

4484-DR-LA for Louisiana **Requested:** March 23, 2020

Approved: March 24, 2020 **Incident:** COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: January 20, 2020 and

continuing

Provides:

IA: Crisis Counseling Program statewide

 PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B) not authorized under other Federal statutes, including direct Federal assistance at 75 percent federal funding, statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Under Review

FCO: George A. Robinson







Declaration: Missouri - Major Disaster

Requested: March 23, 2020

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: January 20, 2020 and

continuing

Includes:

 IA: Crisis Counseling Program and Disaster Unemployment Assistance statewide

 PA: Debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide





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Declaration: Maryland - Major Disaster

Requested: March 24, 2020

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: January 20, 2020 and

continuing

Includes:

 IA: Individuals and Households Program, Crisis Counseling, and Disaster Unemployment Assistance, statewide

 PA: Debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide



Declaration: Major Disaster – South Carolina

Requested: March 24, 2020

Incident: COVID-19

Incident Period: January 20, 2020 and continuing

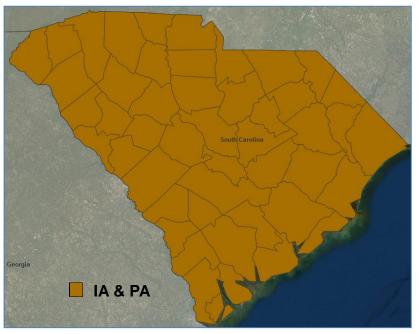
Includes:

IA: All programs statewide

 PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B),including direct Federal assistance statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide





Declaration: CNMI - Major Disaster

Requested: March 23, 2020

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: January 20, 2020 and

continuing

Includes:

- IA: All Programs for Alamagan, Agrihan, Pagan, Rota, Saipan and Tinian
- PA: All categories, including direct Federal assistance for Alamagan, Agrihan, Pagan, Rota, Saipan and Tinian
- Hazard Mitigation: Entire commonwealth







Declaration Requests in Process – 12



State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	нм	Requested
TX - Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes	DR		Х	Х	Jan 13
AR – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes (Appeal)	DR		Х	Х	Feb 20
OR – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Mar 9
MS – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR		Х	Х	Mar 17
IA - COVID-19 Pandemic - APPROVED (Mar 23)	DR		Х		Mar 19
NC - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 22
FL – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 22
TX - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х		Mar 23
NJ – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Mar 23
LA - COVID-19 Pandemic - APPROVED (Mar 24)	DR	X	Х		Mar 23
MO – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	Х	Х	Mar 23
MD - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	Х	Х	Mar 24
CNMI – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	Х	Х	Mar 23
SC - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Χ	X	Χ	Mar 24

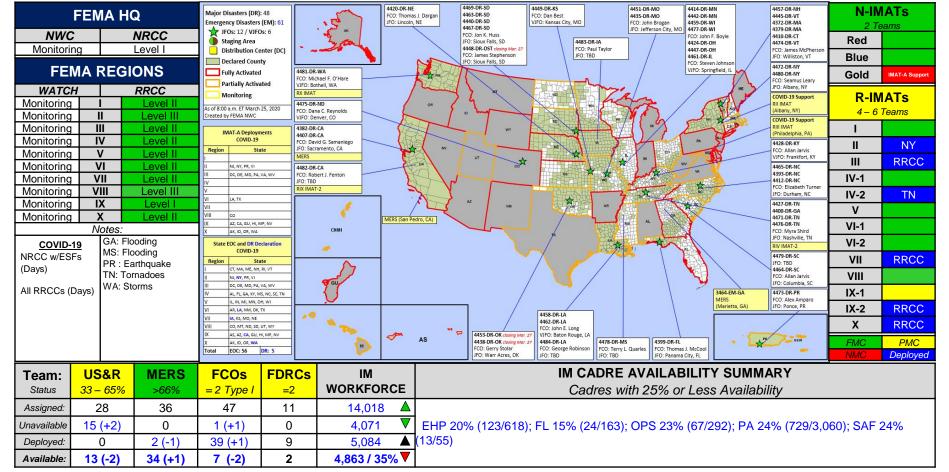
Declaration Amendments



Declaration	Number	Issued	Action
FEMA-4476-DR-TN	MA-4476-DR-TN 1 March 24		Adds 6 counties for PA

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