

FEMA National Watch Center

# Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, May 2, 2026

8:30 a.m. ET



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# National Current Operations / Monitoring

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## New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Operations

- No new significant incidents / operations

## Hazard Monitoring

- Severe Thunderstorms – Southeast

## Disaster Declaration Activity

- Amendment No. 3 to FEMA-4863-DR-VA

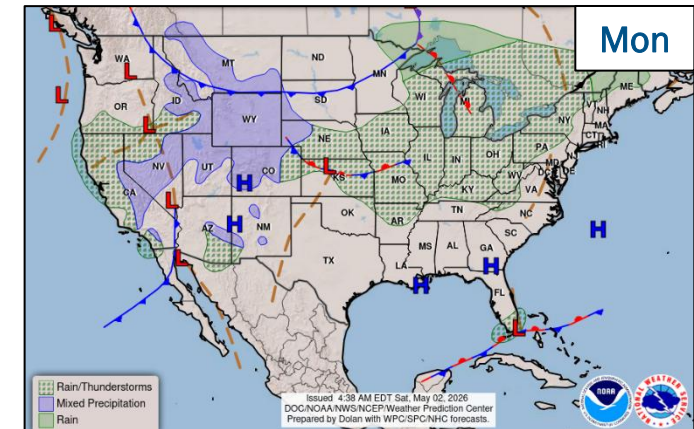
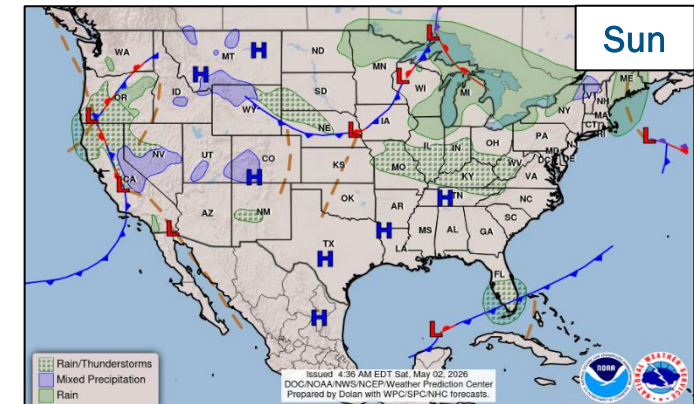
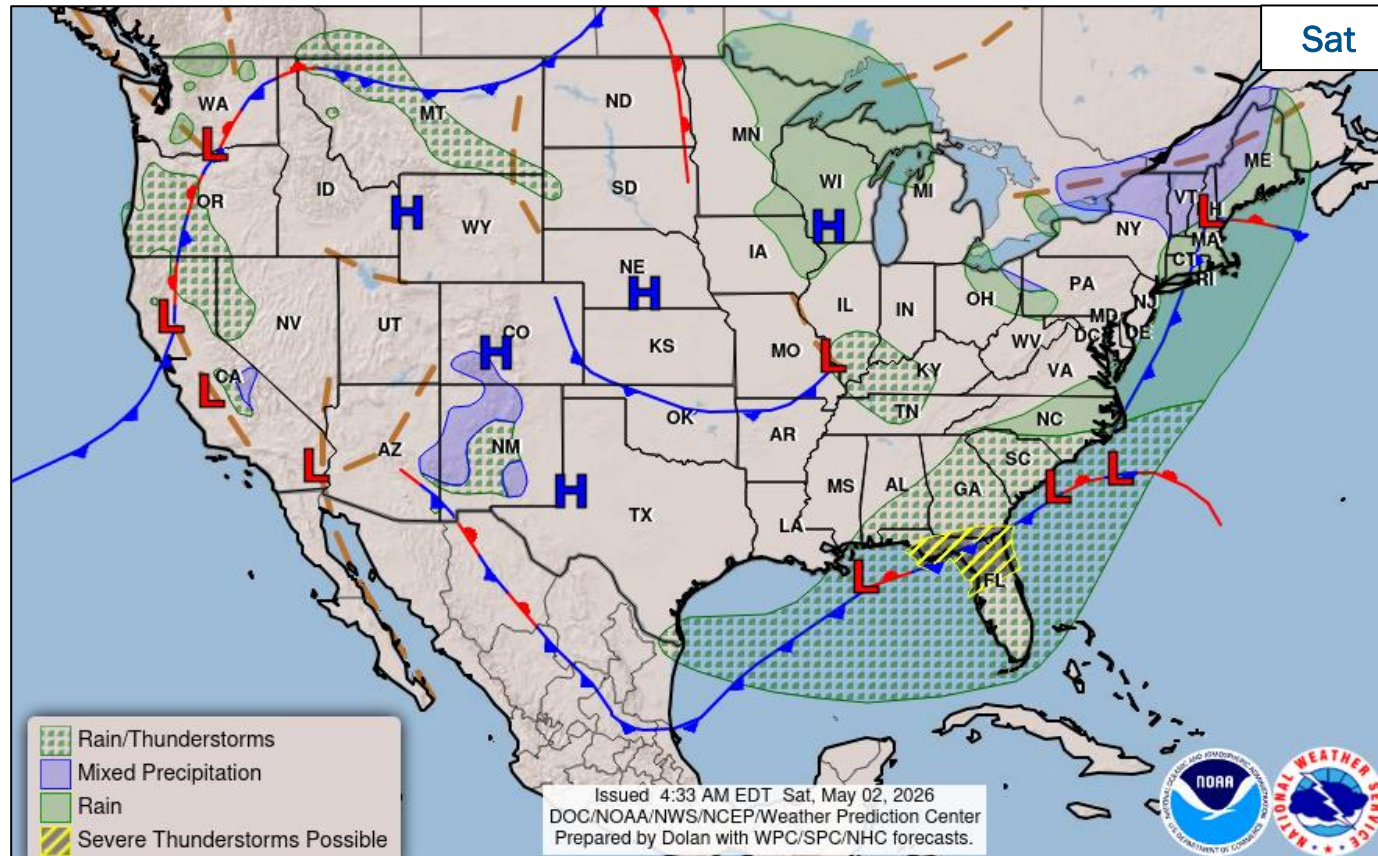
## Event Monitoring

- No new significant events



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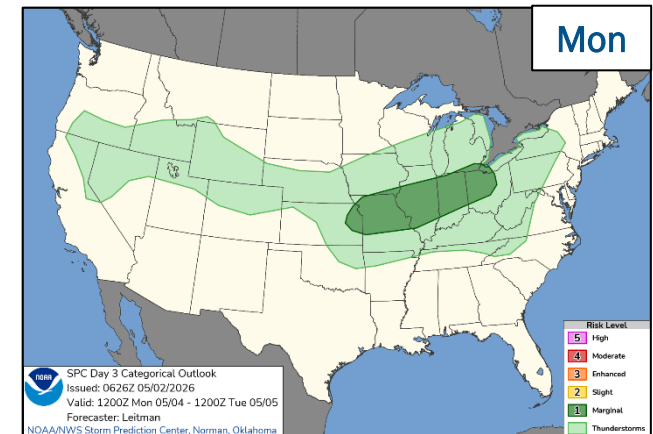
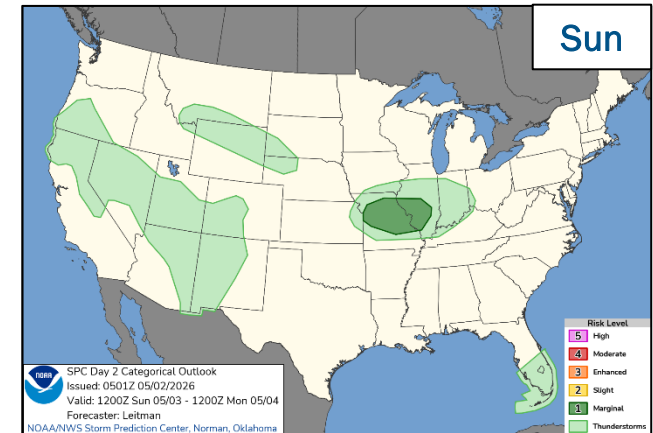
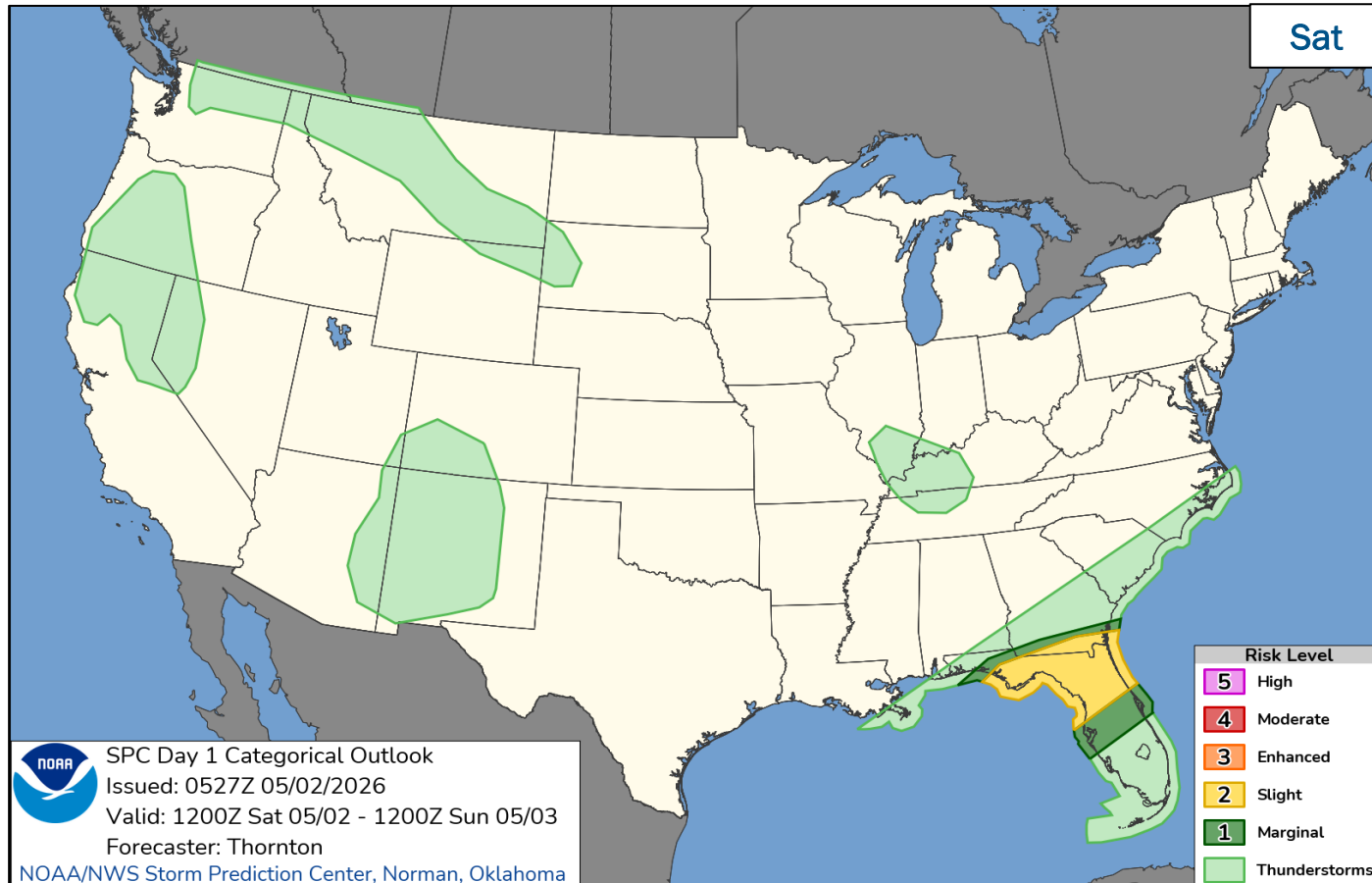
# National Weather Forecast



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# Severe Weather Outlook



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# Wildfire Summary

| Fire Name<br>(County, ST)            | FMAG #     | Acres<br>Burned | Percent<br>Contained | Evacuations | Structures (Homes / Other) |               |                | Fatalities / Injuries |
|--------------------------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------|----------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|
|                                      |            |                 |                      |             | Threatened                 | Damaged       | Destroyed      |                       |
| Pineland Road<br>(Clinch/Echols, GA) | 5629-FM-GA | 32,575          | 44% (+4)             | M: 140      | H: 78                      | H: 0          | H: 0           | 0 / 0                 |
|                                      |            |                 |                      | V: 0        | O: 51                      | O: 0          | O: 35          |                       |
| Hwy 82<br>(Brantley, GA)             | 5630-FM-GA | 22,532          | 45% (+8)             | M: 3,880    | H: 4,000                   | H: 27<br>(+2) | H: 110<br>(+1) | 0 / 0                 |
|                                      |            |                 |                      | V: 0        | O: 259                     | O: 22         | O: 20          |                       |

(Evacuations: M = Mandatory / V = Voluntary; Structures: H = Homes and Mixed Commercial/Residential / O = Non-residential Commercial/Other Minor Structures)



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# FEMA Common Operating Picture

13

Joint Field  
Offices

Supporting

30

Major  
Disasters

+

7

Emergency  
Declarations

5

Direct Housing  
Missions

3

RSF-Supported  
Disasters

6

Joint Recovery  
Offices

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FEDERAL HQ

NWC

Monitoring

NRCC

Steady State

FEDERAL REGIONS

Watch

R1

R2

R3

R4

R5

R6

R7

R8

R9

R10

RRCC

Rostered

Rostered

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Notes:

NRCC/RWCs/RRCCs:

- R4 RWC: Wildfires
- R5 RWC: Staffing (Day shift Only)

State EOCs:

- DC: Potomac Interceptor
- FL: Previous Incidents
- GA/TX: Wildfires
- AL/HI/KY/MS/TN: Severe Weather
- GU/MP: TC Sinlaku
- MI/WI: Severe Weather/Flooding

IMATs:

- N-IMAT Blue: Training until 5/2

Surge Capacity Force

Rostered

7,699 (-55)

Deployed

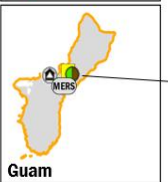
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| REGIONAL BREAKDOWN |     |    |    |     |
|--------------------|-----|----|----|-----|
|                    | JFO | DR | EM | JRO |
| R1                 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| R2                 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 2   |
| R3                 | 2   | 1  | 1  | 0   |
| R4                 | 4   | 14 | 2  | 1   |
| R5                 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| R6                 | 4   | 4  | 2  | 3   |
| R7                 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| R8                 | 1   | 4  | 0  | 0   |
| R9                 | 0   | 2  | 2  | 0   |
| R10                | 2   | 5  | 0  | 0   |

Camp Murray, WA  
DR-4906-WA  
• R10 IMAT

Kansas City, MO  
DR-4872-MO  
• R7 IMAT

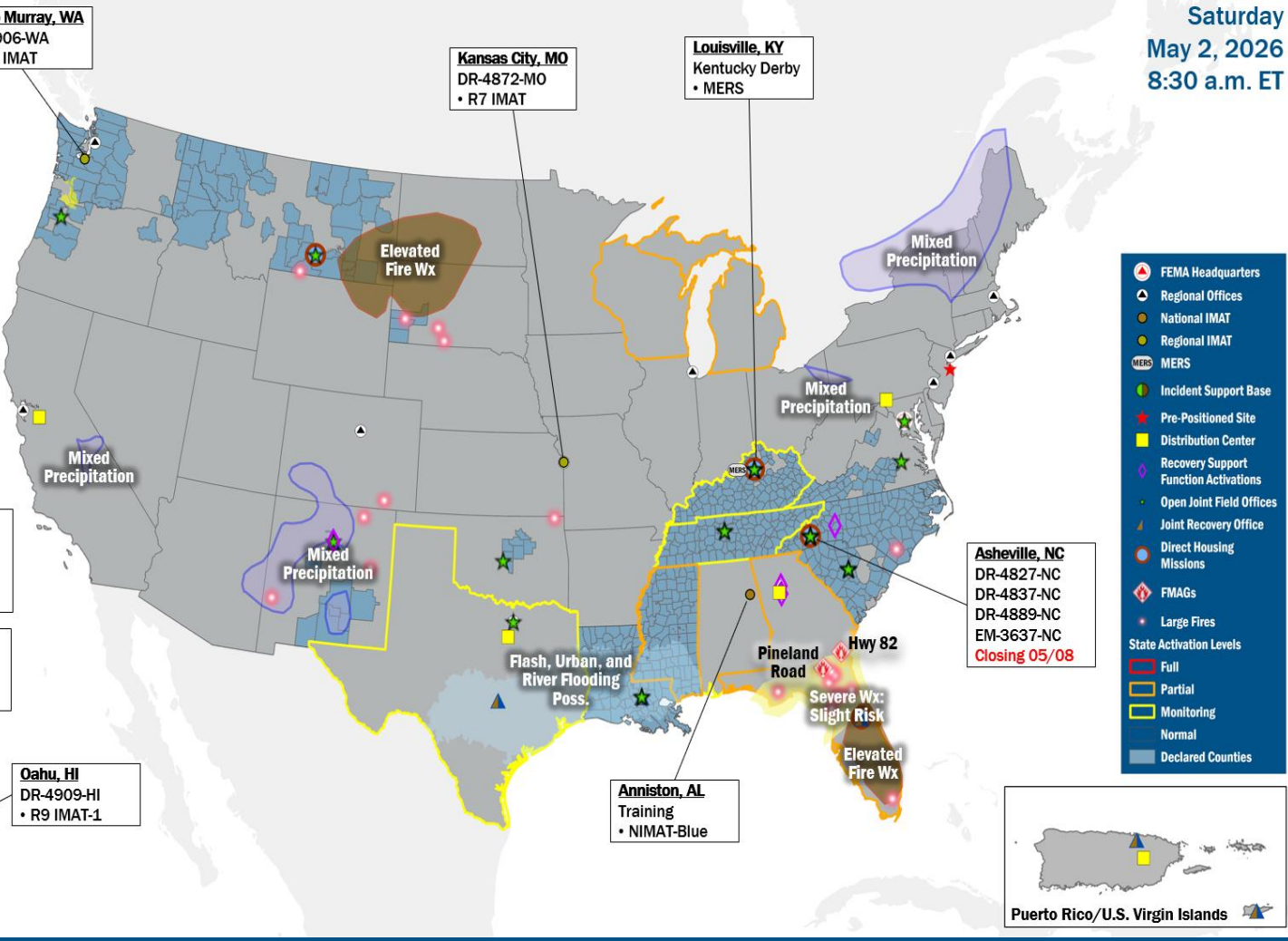
Louisville, KY  
Kentucky Derby  
• MERS



CNMI  
DR-4910-MP  
• MERS (4)  
• N-IMAT Red  
• R9 IMAT-2

Guam  
EM-3644-GU  
• ISB Delta  
• MERS

Oahu, HI  
DR-4909-HI  
• R9 IMAT-1



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Regional Offices

National IMAT

Regional IMAT

MERS

Incident Support Base

Pre-Positioned Site

Distribution Center

Recovery Support Function Activations

Open Joint Field Offices

Joint Recovery Office

Direct Housing Missions

FMAGs

Large Fires

State Activation Levels

Full

Partial

Monitoring

Normal

Declared Counties

IM Workforce

11,108 Assigned  
4,200 (-9) Unavailable  
3,184 (-32) Deployed

33% / 3,724 (+41) Available

IM Cadre Availability

11 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Alternative Dispute Resolution: 21% (6/29); Civil Rights: 15% (14/94); Disability Integration: 19% (3/16); External Affairs: 21% (55/264); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 11% (70/624); Field Leadership: 12% (14/116); Financial Management: 25% (44/174); Hazard Mitigation: 10% (78/750); Planning: 15% (51/342); Safety: 14% (12/85); Security: 19% (21/110)

MERS

≥ 66%

36 Assigned  
6 Unavailable  
6 Deployed

24 Available

US&R

≥ 66%

28 Assigned  
1 Unavailable  
0 Deployed

27 Available

FCO

≥ 4 Type I

35 Assigned  
3 Unavailable  
23 (14 FCOR) Deployed

9 Available

# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

| Region | State / Location | Incident                                            | IA | Number of Counties |           | Start – End |
|--------|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----|--------------------|-----------|-------------|
|        |                  |                                                     | PA | Requested          | Completed |             |
| R4     | GA               | Highway 82 Fire<br>Apr 22-TBD                       | IA | 1                  | 0         | TBD – TBD   |
|        |                  |                                                     | PA | 0                  | 0         | TBD – TBD   |
| R5     | WI               | Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding<br>Apr 13-23 | IA | 14                 | 0         | 4/30 – TBD  |
|        |                  |                                                     | PA | 11                 | 0         | 5/11 – TBD  |
|        | MI               | Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding<br>Apr 10    | IA | 44                 | 0         | 5/11 – TBD  |
|        |                  |                                                     | PA | 44                 | 0         | 5/11 – TBD  |
| R7     | NE               | Morrill-Cottonwood Fire Complex<br>Mar 12-27        | IA | 0                  | 0         | N/A         |
|        |                  |                                                     | PA | 7                  | 0         | 4/27 – TBD  |



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# Declaration Requests in Process – 22

| State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description                           | Type | IA | PA | HM | Requested |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|----|----|----|-----------|
| AZ – Severe Storms and Flooding – Appeal                                   | DR   |    | X  | X  | Oct 24    |
| SCA <sup>1</sup> – Severe Storms and Flooding                              | DR   | X  | X  | X  | Nov 26    |
| SCA <sup>1</sup> – Severe Storms and Flooding                              | DR   | X  | X  | X  | Dec 15    |
| NVK <sup>2</sup> – Severe Storms, Flooding, and Remnants of Typhoon Halong | DR   |    | X  | X  | Jan 11    |
| KY – Severe Winter Storm                                                   | DR   |    | X  | X  | Feb 5     |
| FPA & ST <sup>3</sup> – Severe Storm and Straight-Line Winds               | DR   | X  |    | X  | Feb 11    |
| CTM <sup>4</sup> – Straight-Line Winds                                     | DR   | X  |    | X  | Feb 12    |
| FBIC <sup>5</sup> – Severe Storms and Straight-Line Winds                  | DR   | X  |    | X  | Feb 13    |
| GA – Severe Winter Storm                                                   | DR   |    | X  | X  | Mar 12    |
| CN <sup>6</sup> – Severe Winter Storm                                      | DR   |    | X  | X  | Mar 18    |
| DE – Severe Winter Storm                                                   | DR   |    | X  | X  | Mar 23    |
| NY – Severe Winter Storm                                                   | DR   |    | X  | X  | Mar 25    |
| MI – Severe Storm and Tornadoes                                            | DR   | X  |    | X  | Apr 1     |
| HI – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides                    | EM   | X  | X  |    | Apr 7     |

<sup>1</sup>San Carlos Apache Tribe / <sup>2</sup>Native Village of Kipnuk / <sup>3</sup>Fort Peck Assiniboine & Sioux Tribes / <sup>4</sup>Crow Tribe of Montana / <sup>5</sup>Fort Belknap Indian Community / <sup>6</sup>Chickasaw Nation



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|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|----|----|----|-----------|
| NJ – Severe Winter Storm                                                     | DR   |    | X  | X  | Apr 7     |
| MA – Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm                                       | DR   |    | X  | X  | Apr 7     |
| RI – Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm                                       | DR   |    | X  | X  | Apr 7     |
| NVA <sup>7</sup> – Severe Winter Storm                                       | DR   | X  | X  | X  | Apr 16    |
| ID – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides | DR   |    | X  | X  | Apr 14    |
| MWT <sup>8</sup> – Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm                         | DR   |    | X  | X  | Apr 22    |
| PoA <sup>9</sup> – Severe Storms and Flooding – Appeal                       | DR   |    | X  | X  | Apr 23    |
| LLBO <sup>10</sup> – Fire – Appeal                                           | DR   |    | X  | X  | Apr 24    |

<sup>7</sup>Native Village of Ambler / <sup>8</sup>Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe / <sup>9</sup>Pueblo of Acoma / <sup>10</sup>Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe



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# Declaration Amendments

| Declaration     | Number | Issued | Action                                                 |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| FEMA-4863-DR-VA | 3      | May 1  | Appoints Mark O'Hanlon as Federal Coordinating Officer |



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