

FEMA National Watch Center

# Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, June 18, 2024

8:30 a.m. ET



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# National Current Ops / Monitoring

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## New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- No significant incidents / operations

## Hazard Monitoring

- Severe Weather – Middle Mississippi Valley to Southeast
- Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding – Central to Southern Plains and Middle Mississippi Valley
- Tropical Activity – Atlantic:
  - Potential Tropical Cyclone One: High (80%)
  - Disturbance 1: Low (20%)
  - Disturbance 2: Low (20%)

## Disaster Declaration Activity

- Request: Major Disaster Declaration – KY
- Approval: Major Disaster Declaration – TN
- Approval: Major Disaster Declaration – HI
- FMAG Approval: South Fork Fire – NM
- FMAG Approval: Salt Fire – NM

## Event Monitoring

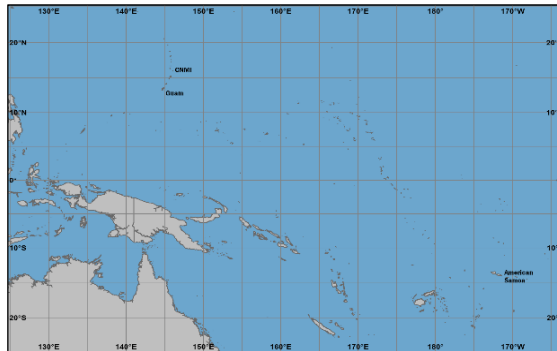
- No significant events



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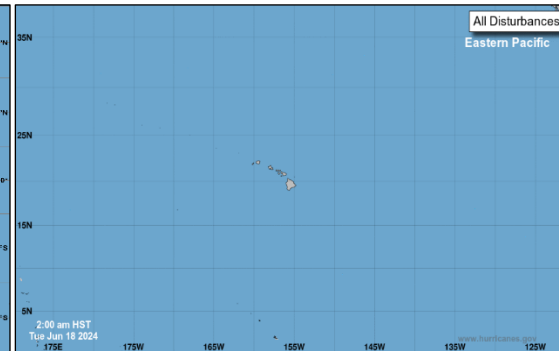
# Tropical Outlook

## Western Pacific



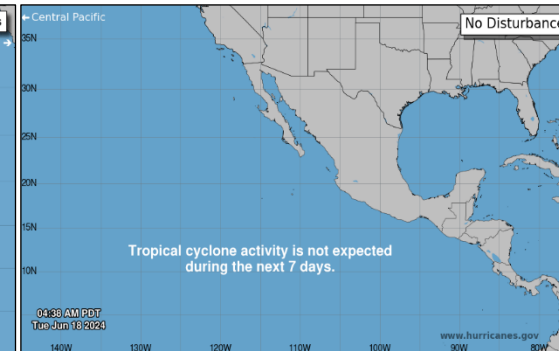
- No areas of concern for Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands or American Samoa

## Central Pacific



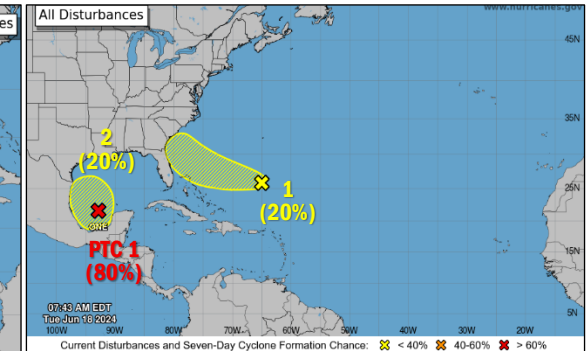
- No tropical cyclones expected during the next 7 days

## Eastern Pacific



- No tropical cyclones expected during the next 7 days

## Atlantic



**Potential Tropical Cyclone One** (*Advisory #3A, as of 8:00 a.m. ET*)

- See below slide
- Disturbance 1** (*as of 8:00 a.m. ET*)
- Located several hundred miles E of the Bahamas
  - Moving WNW
  - Environmental conditions conducive for gradual development
  - Forecast to approach the southeast US on **Friday**
  - Formation chance – 48-hour: Low (10%); 7-day: Low (20%)

**Disturbance 2** (*as of 8:00 a.m. ET*)

- Forecast for the Gulf of Mexico this weekend
- Moving N or NW
- Conditions could be conducive for gradual development early next week
- Formation chance – 48-hour: Low (near 0%); 7-day: Low (20%)

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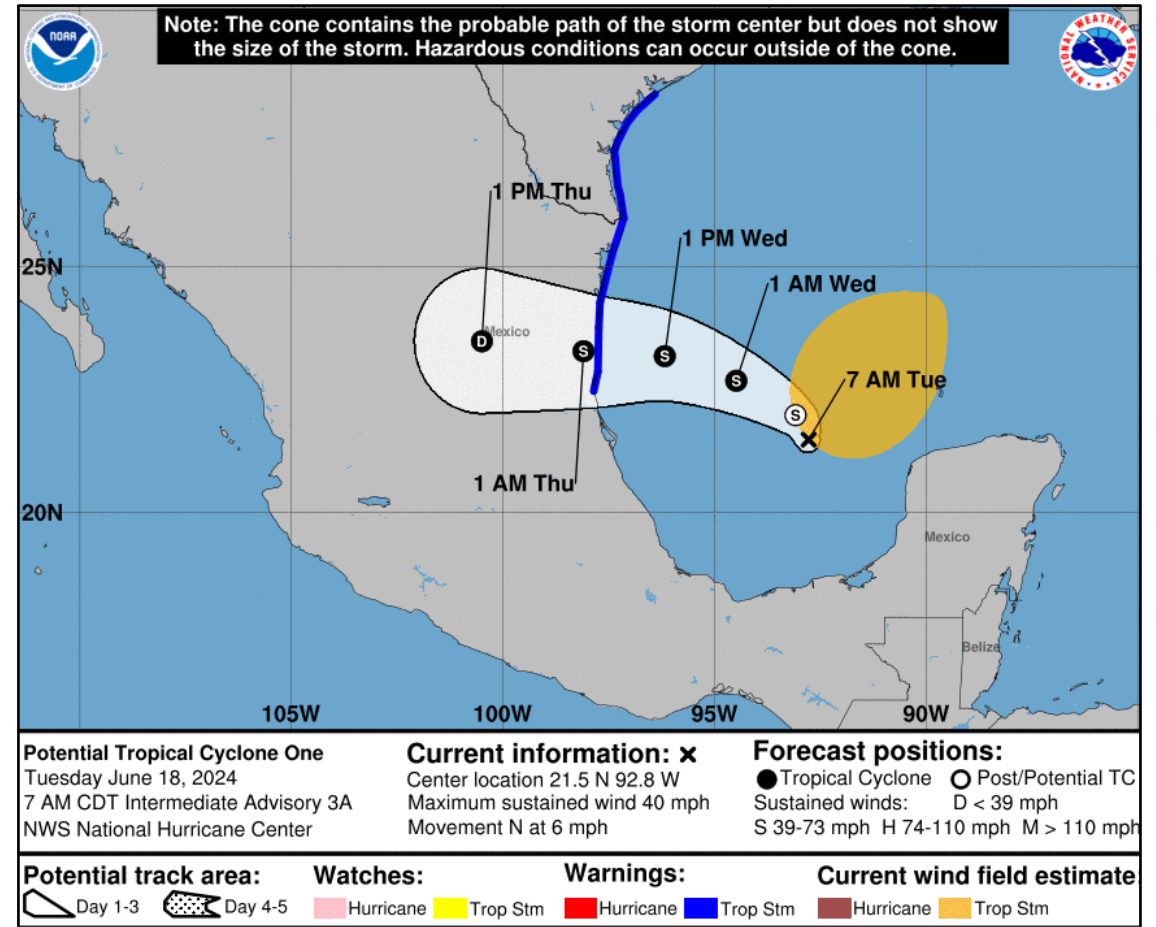


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# Potential Tropical Cyclone One – Atlantic

**Situation:** *(Advisory #3A, as of 8:00 a.m. ET)*

- 420 miles SE of Brownsville, Texas
- Moving N at 6 mph
- Expected to produce rainfall totals of 5-10"
- Maximum sustained winds at 40 mph
- Tropical-storm-force winds extend outwards up to 290 miles
- Forecast to become a tropical storm by Wednesday

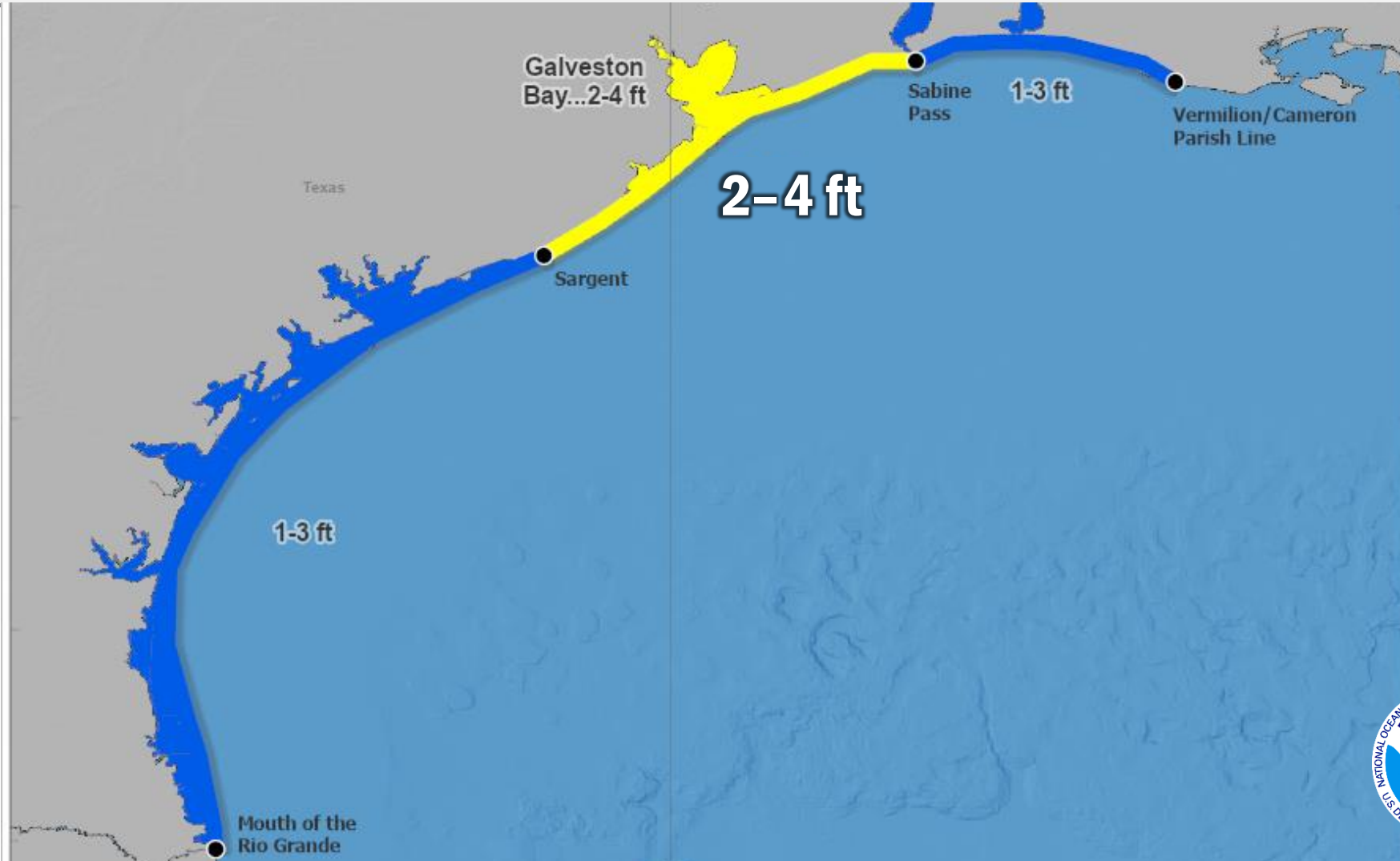


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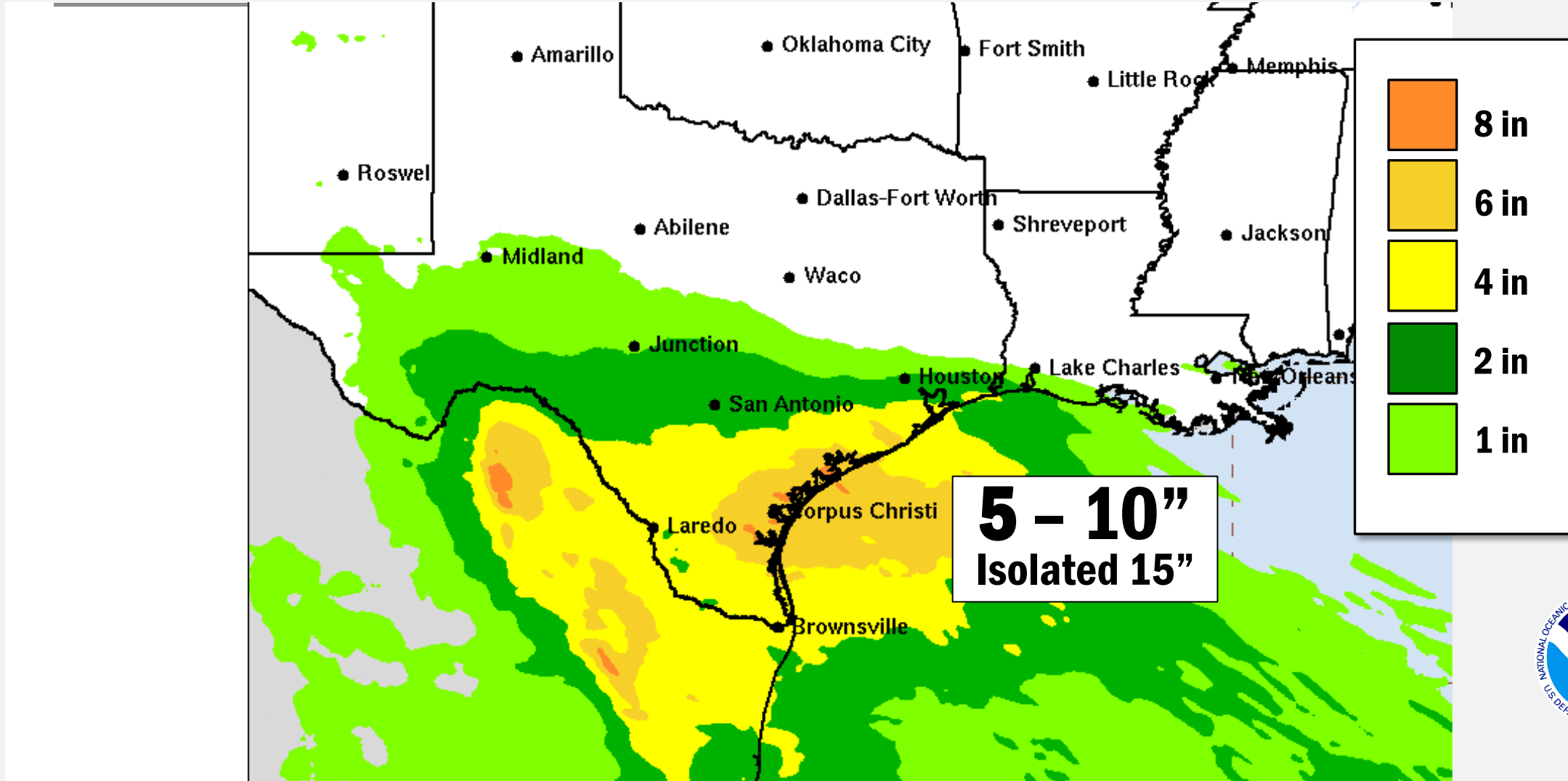
# Potential Tropical Cyclone One

## PEAK STORM SURGE FORECAST



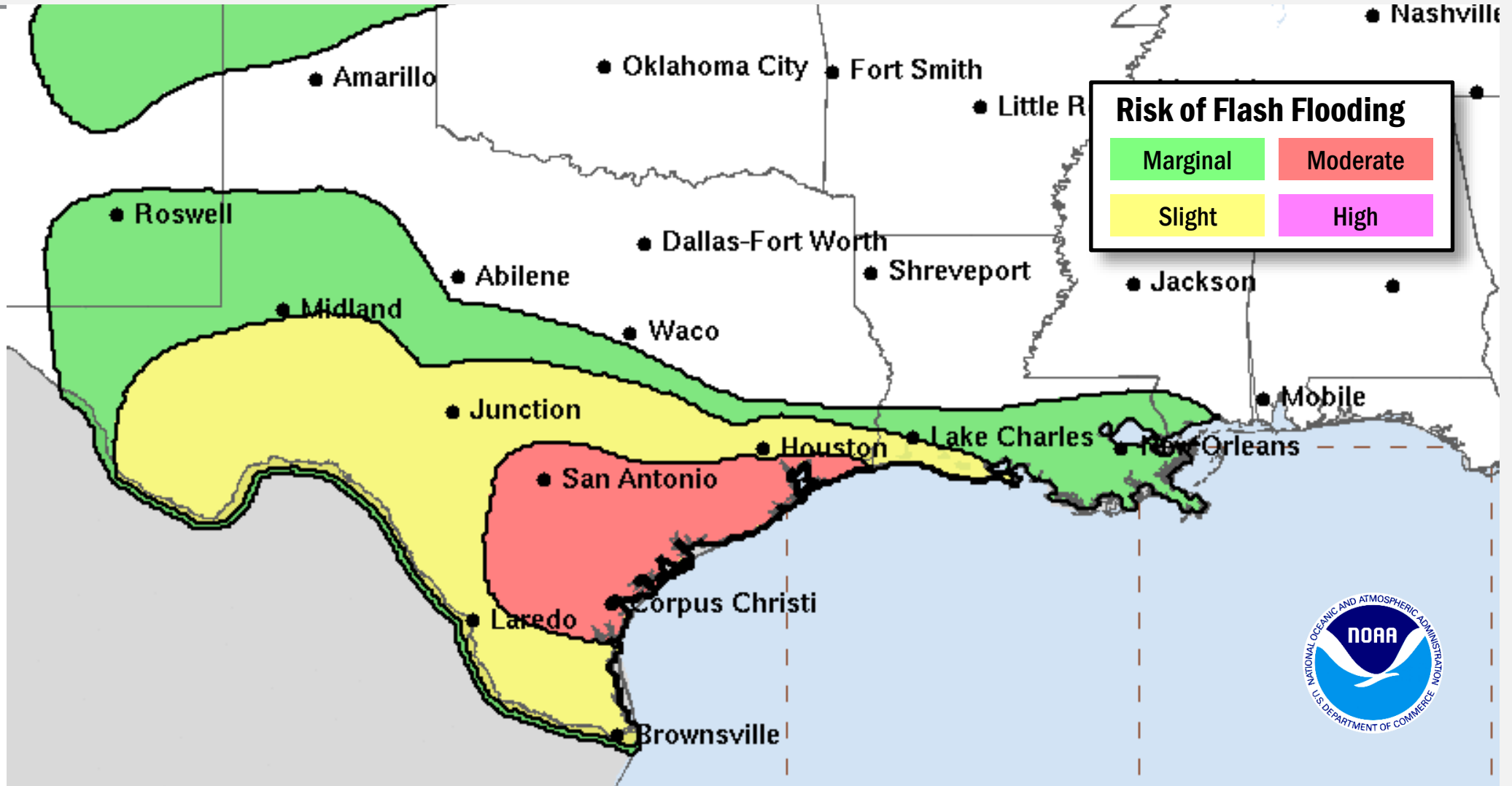
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## 3 DAY RAINFALL



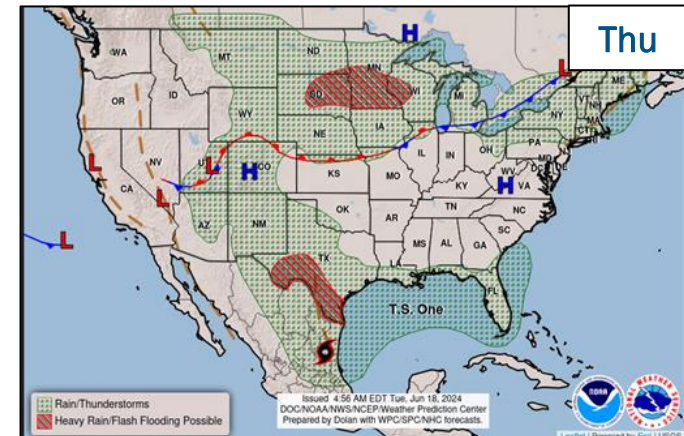
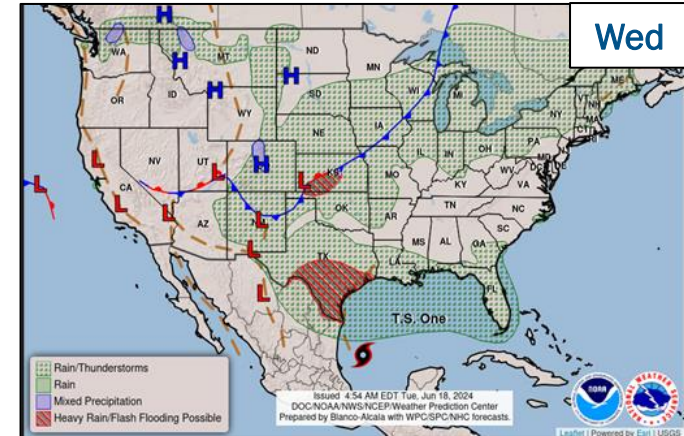
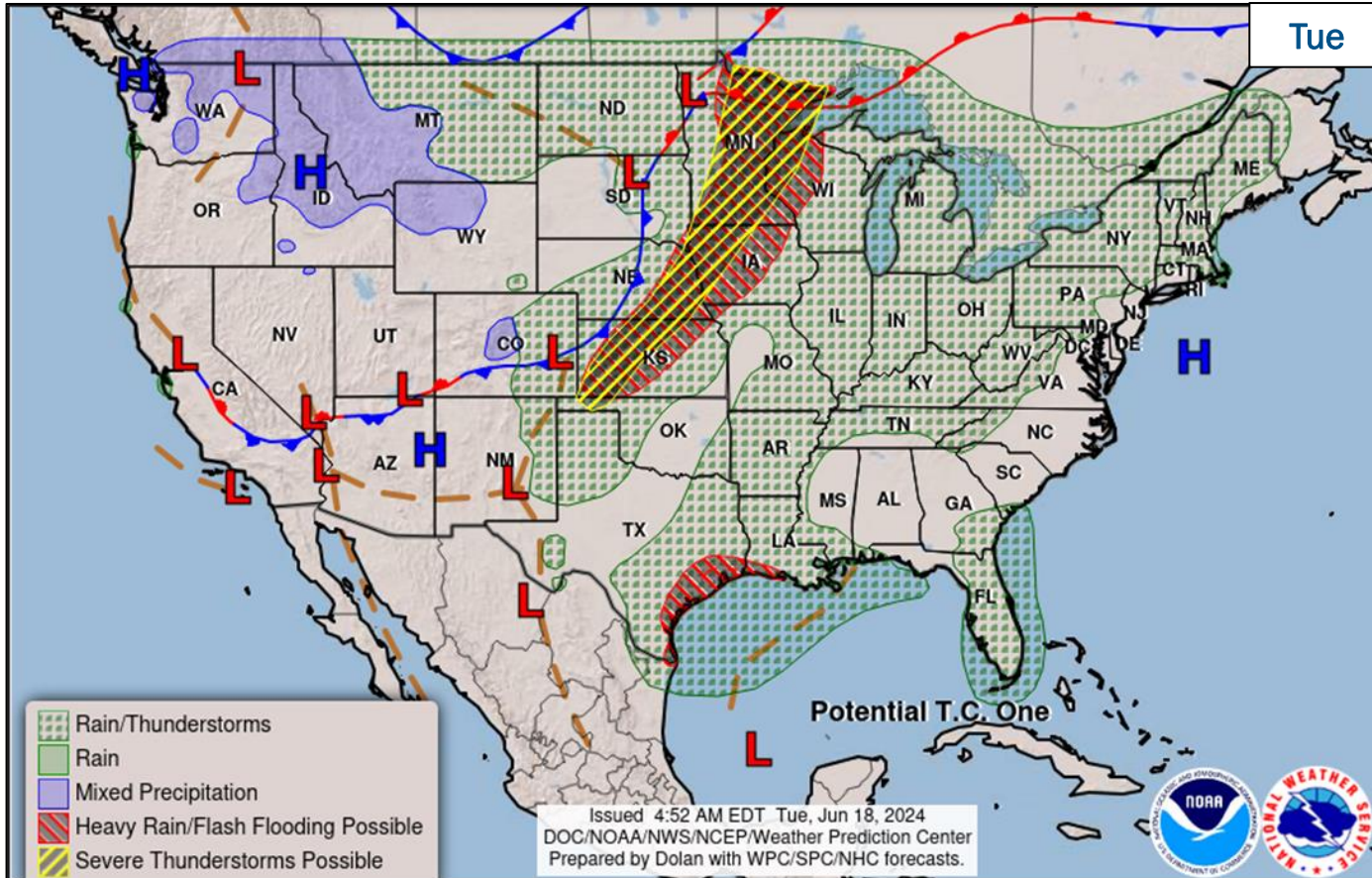
# Potential Tropical Cyclone One

## FLASH FLOOD RISK





# National Weather Forecast

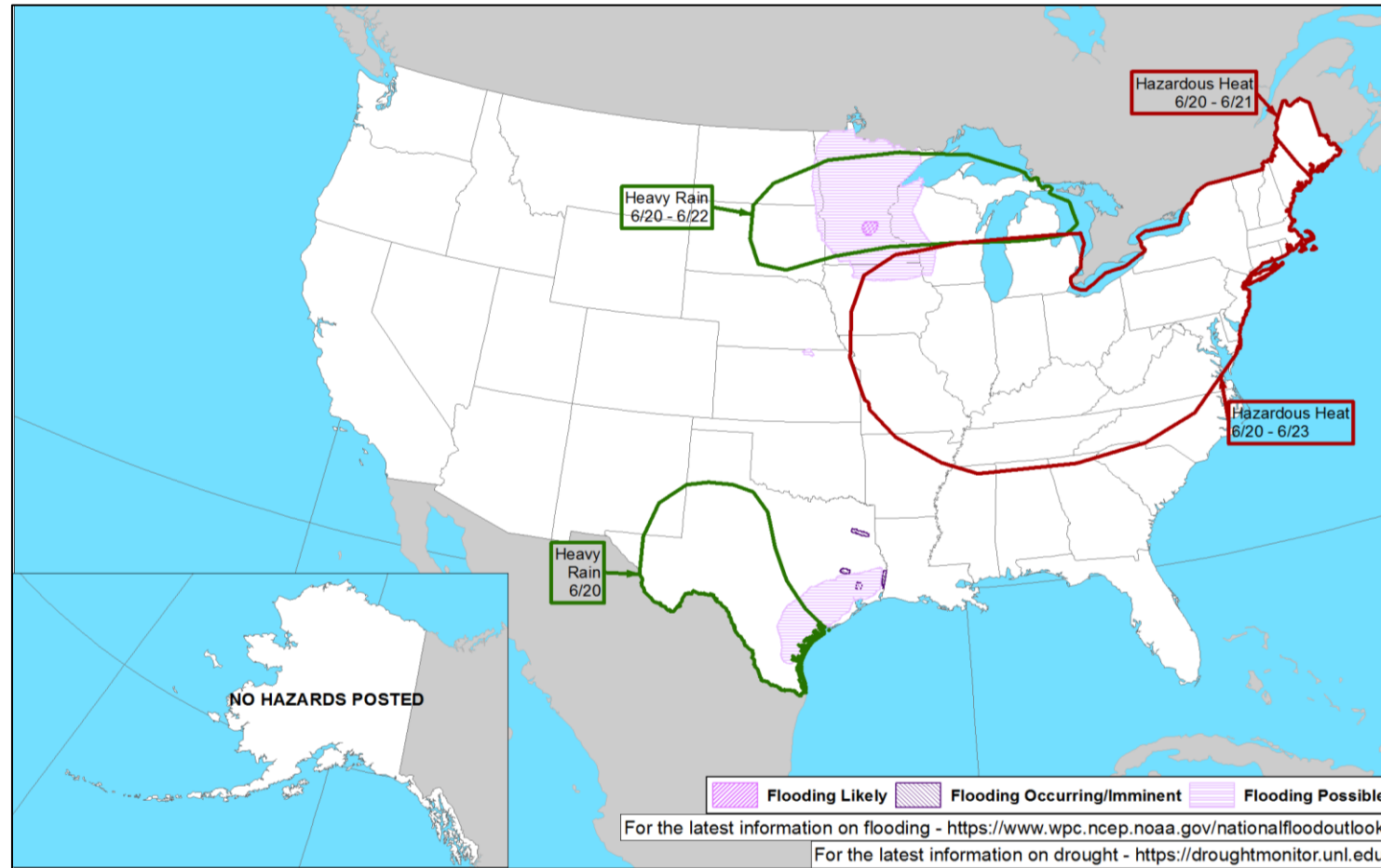


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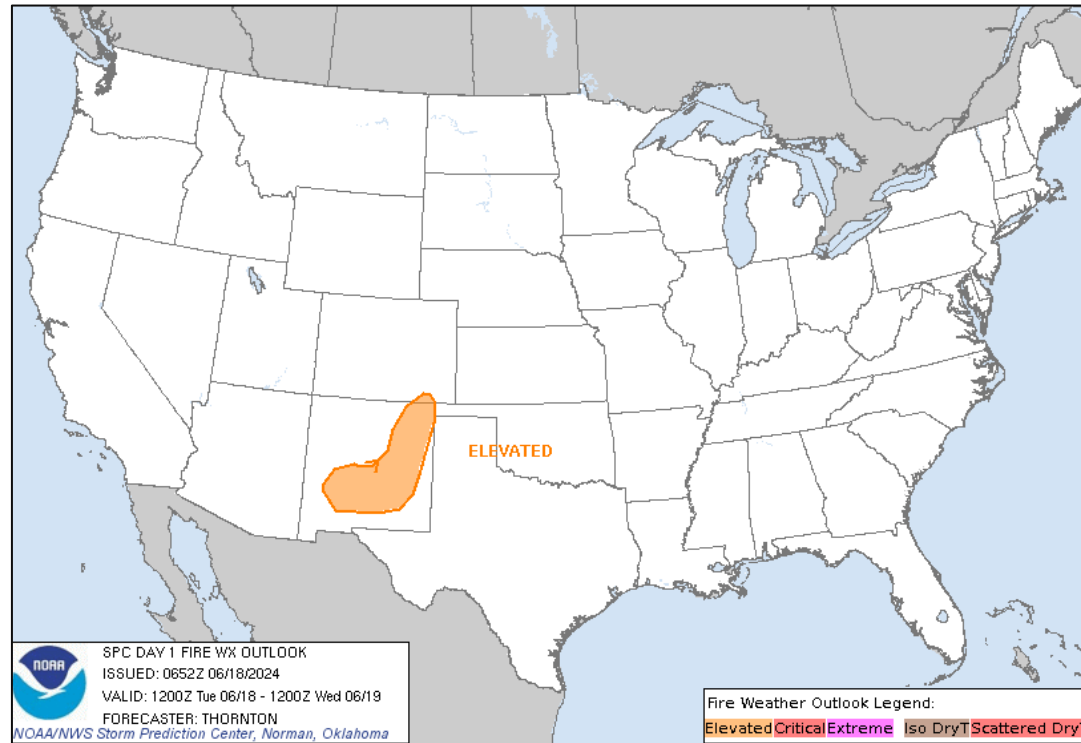


# Hazards Outlook – Jun 20-24

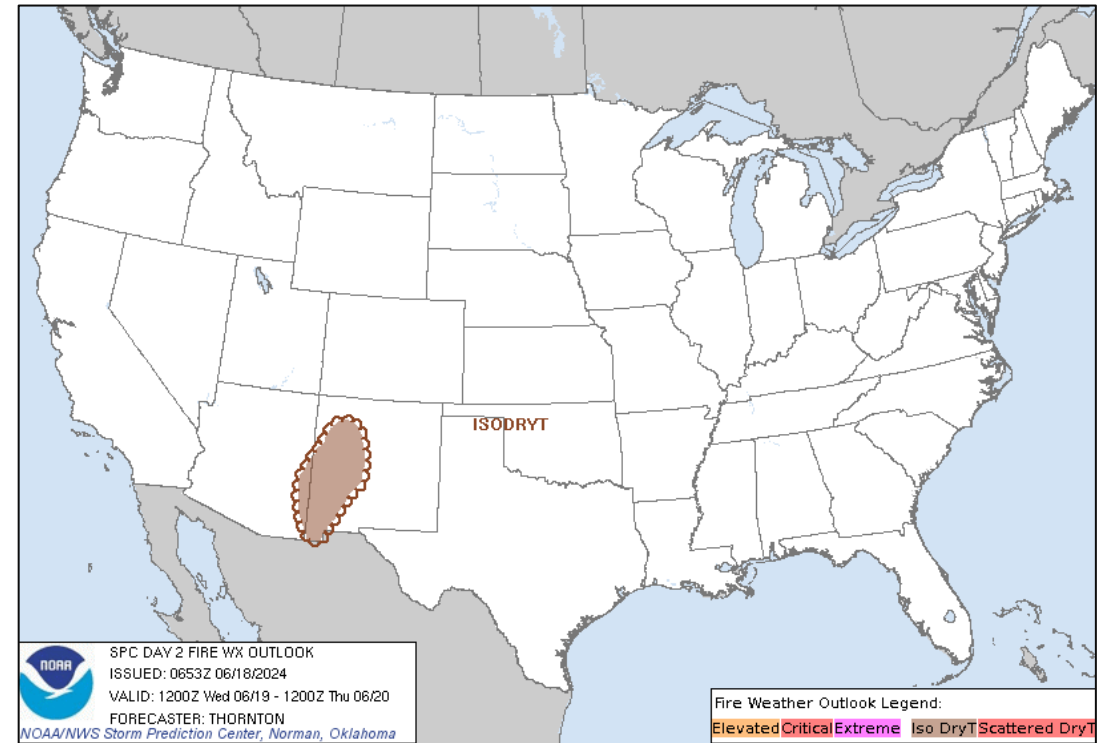


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# Fire Weather Outlook



Today



Tomorrow



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# South Fork Fire – New Mexico

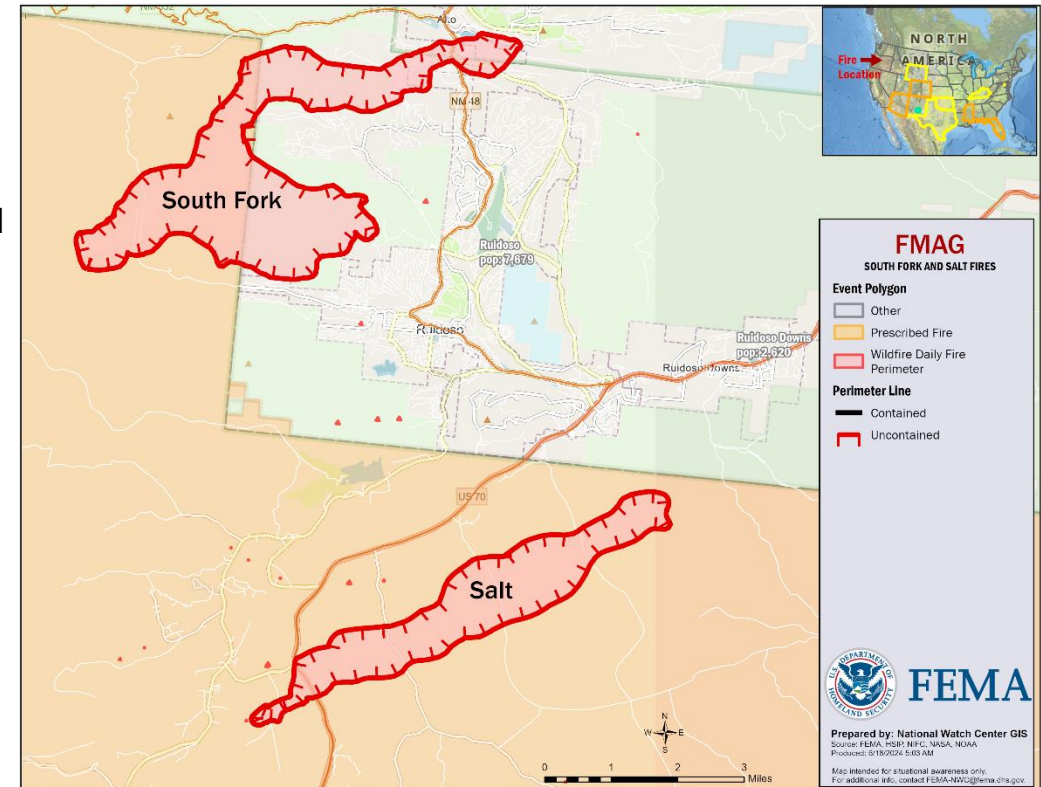
Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
South Fork (Mescalero Apache Reservation, Otero and Lincoln Counties, NM)	5497-FM-NM	2,800	0%	M: 9,500*	H: 3,600	H: 0	H: 0	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 4,000	O: 0	O: 0	

\*Shared evacuation zone with Salt Fire

**Situation:** The Regional Administrator for FEMA Region VI approved a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) for the South Fork Fire on June 17, 2024. The fire was first detected on June 17 and is currently burning on tribal land in and around Ruidoso and Alto (combined pop. approx. 8k). Mandatory evacuations are taking place for approximately 9.5k people in the Ruidoso area due to the South Fork and Salt Fires.

**Response:**

- FMAG approved Jun 17
- NM SEOC at Full Activation (Wildfires)
- FEMA RIX RWC and NWC continue to monitor



# Salt Fire – New Mexico

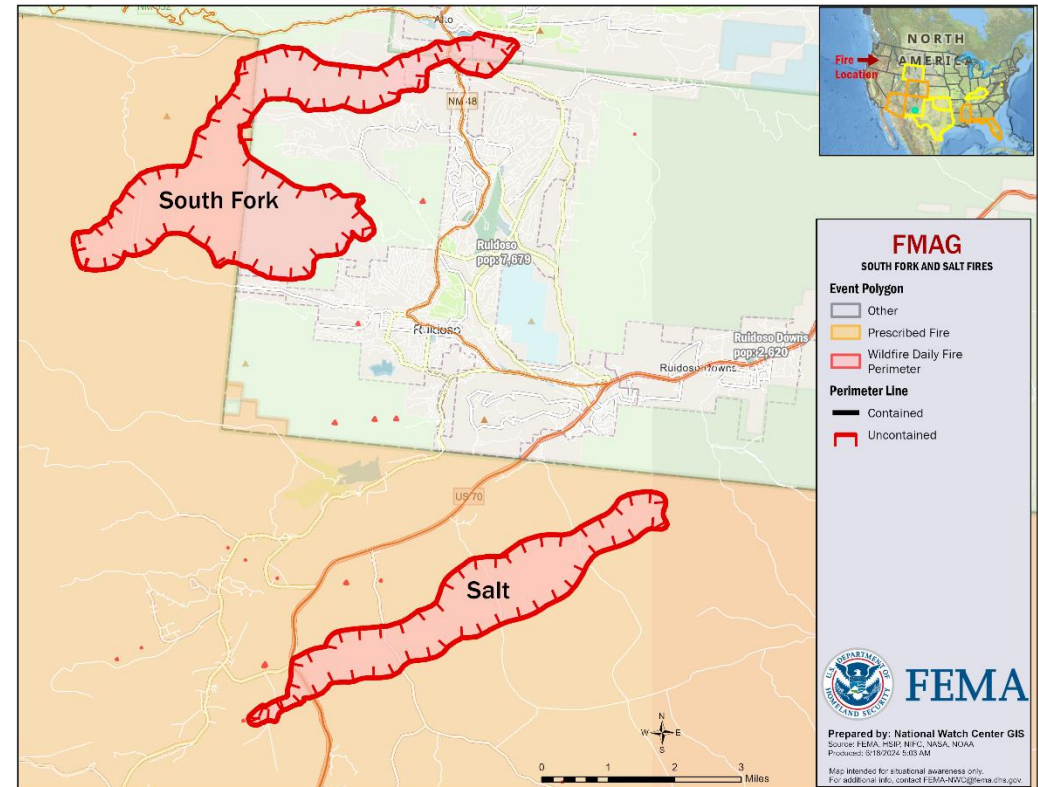
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Salt (Mescalero Apache Reservation, Otero and Lincoln Counties, NM)	5498-FM-NM	3,100	0%	M: 9,500*	H: 3,800	H: 0	H: 0	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 0	

\*Shared evacuation zone with South Fork Fire

**Situation:** The Regional Administrator for FEMA Region VI approved a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) for the Salt Fire on June 18, 2024. The fire is burning in and around the city of Ruidoso Downs, NM (pop. 2.8k). Mandatory evacuations are taking place for approximately 9.5k people in the Ruidoso area due to the South Fork and Salt Fires.

## Response:

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# FEMA Common Operating Picture

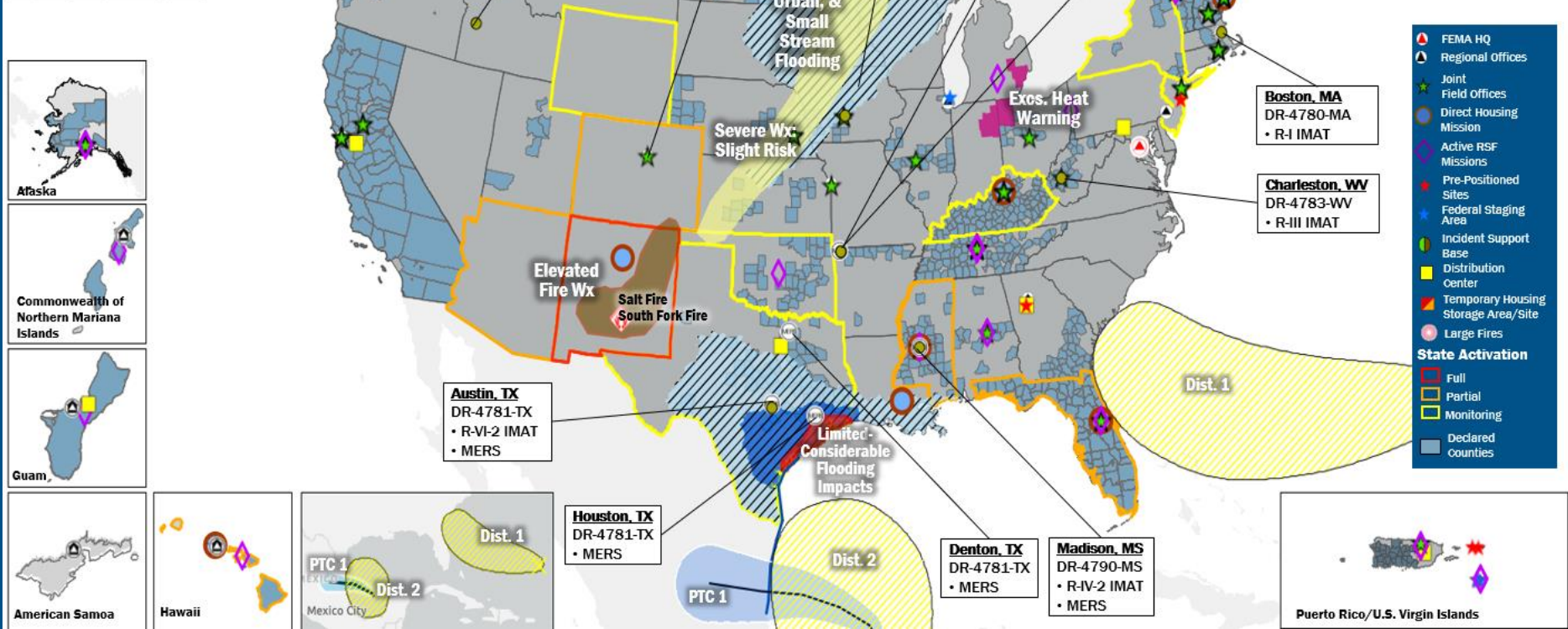
**21 + 5** Joint Field Offices Virtual Joint Field Offices Supporting  
**86 + 1** Major Disasters Emergency Declaration  
**12** Direct Housing Missions **26** RSF-Supported Disasters

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FEMA HQ	
NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Activated
FEMA REGIONS	
Watch	RRCC
Monitoring	I Rostered
Monitoring	II Rostered
Monitoring	III Rostered
Monitoring	IV Rostered
Monitoring	V Rostered
Monitoring	VI Rostered
Monitoring	VII Rostered
Monitoring	VIII Rostered
Monitoring	IX Rostered
Monitoring	X Rostered
Notes:	
RWCs/RRCCs/IMATs: • NRCC: Sustained Ops	STATE EOCs: • KY/MS/OK/TX: Severe Weather • TX: Ongoing Threats • AZ/CO: SW Border • HI/OK/NM: Wildfires • CO: Hwy 50 Closure • WY: Hwy 22 Closure • FL: Severe Weather and Flash Flooding • DC: Heat Conditions • NJ/NY: Excessive Heat
Volunteer Force	
Rostered 7,821	Deployed 17 (-1)
Surge Capacity Force	
Rostered 7,442	Deployed 0

N-IMATs	
2-5 Teams Available	
Red	
White	AR (May 30)
Blue	
Gold	
HS	
R-IMATs	
4-6 Teams Available	
I	MA (May 17) / 1
II	3
III	WV (May 24)
IV-1	2
IV-2	MS (Jun 11)
V	
VI-1	AR (May 31)
VI-2	TX (May 17)
VII	IA (May 28)
VIII	
IX-1	Personnel
IX-2	Personnel
X	ID (Jun 17)

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN			
JFO/VJFO	DR	EM	
I	4/0	17	1
II	1/1	3	0
III	1/0	3	0
IV	5/0	22	0
V	2/0	3	0
VI	0/0	4	0
VII	2/1	5	0
VIII	0/1	2	0
IX	2/1	18	0
X	4/1	9	0



## IM Workforce

13,478 (+2) Assigned  
 4,936 (+156) Unavailable  
 6,238 (-67) Deployed

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17% / 2,304 (-87) Available

## IM Cadre Availability

17 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Alternative Dispute Resolution: 23% (8/35); Civil Rights: 19% (30/158); Disability Integration: 13% (6/48); Disaster Field Training Operations 25% (24/97); Disaster Survivor Assistance: 16% (183/1,170); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 12% (97/784); External Affairs: 19% (96/503); Field Leadership: 19% (28/144); Hazard Mitigation: 13% (161/1,242); Human Resources: 20% (35/173); Individual Assistance: 6% (153/2,525); Information Technology: 20% (130/652); Operations: 8% (26/329); Planning: 4% (17/457); Public Assistance 19% (410/2191); Safety: 14% (12/83); Security: 9% (12/138)

## MERS

> 66%

36 Assigned  
 0 Unavailable  
 5 Deployed

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31 Available

## US&R

> 66%

28 Assigned  
 2 (+1) Unavailable  
 0 Deployed

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26 (-1) Available

## FCO

≤ 1 Type I

49 Assigned  
 9 (+2) Unavailable  
 33 (-4) (25 FCOR) Deployed

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7 (+2) Available



# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties		Start – End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
IV	KY	Tornadoes, Thunderstorms, and Flash Flooding May 22-27	IA	15	15	5/31 – 6/15
			PA	58	51	6/4 – TBD
VII	KS	Severe Storms Apr 25-30	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	9	0	6/3 – TBD
	NE	Severe Storms May 20–Jun 3	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	17	0	6/24 – TBD
VIII	MT	Flooding and Wind May 5-9	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	13	3	6/10 – TBD



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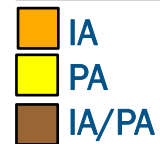
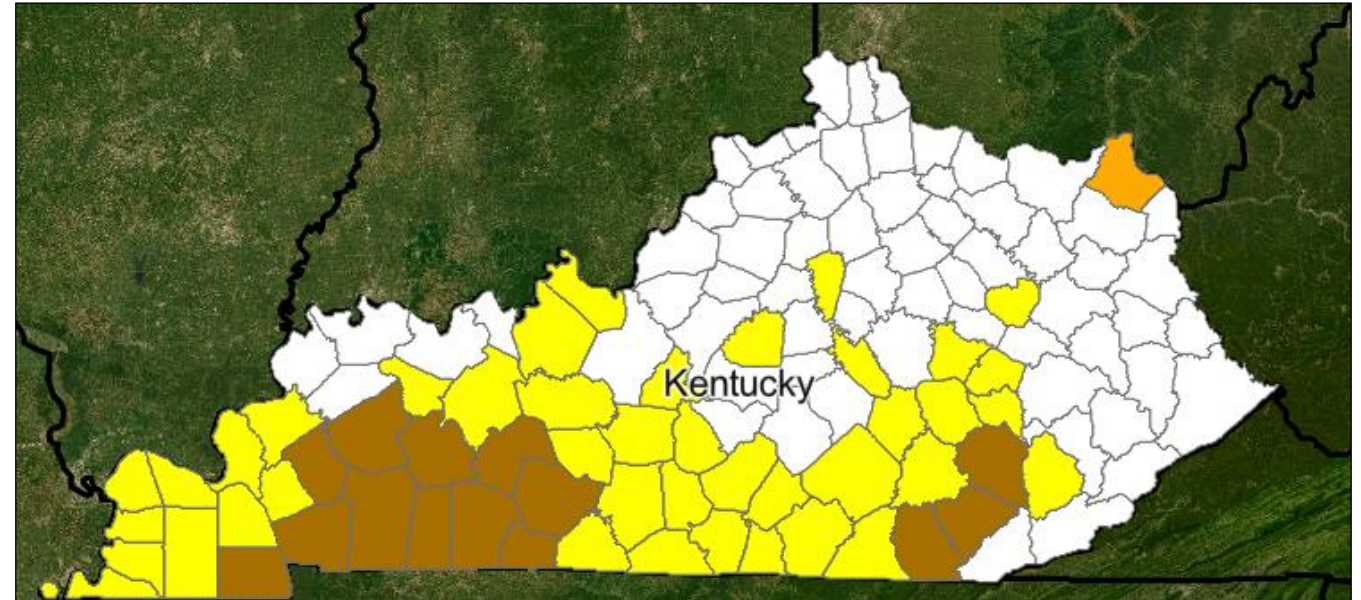
# Declaration Request – Kentucky

**Declaration Type:** Major Disaster Declaration – KY  
**Requested:** Jun 10

**Incident:** Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Landslides, and Mudslides  
**Incident Period:** May 21-27

**Requested:**

- **IA:** 15 counties
- **PA:** 55 counties
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide



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# Declaration Approval – Tennessee

**Declaration Type:** Major Disaster – FEMA-4792-DR-TN  
**Requested:** Jun 7

**Approved:** Jun 17

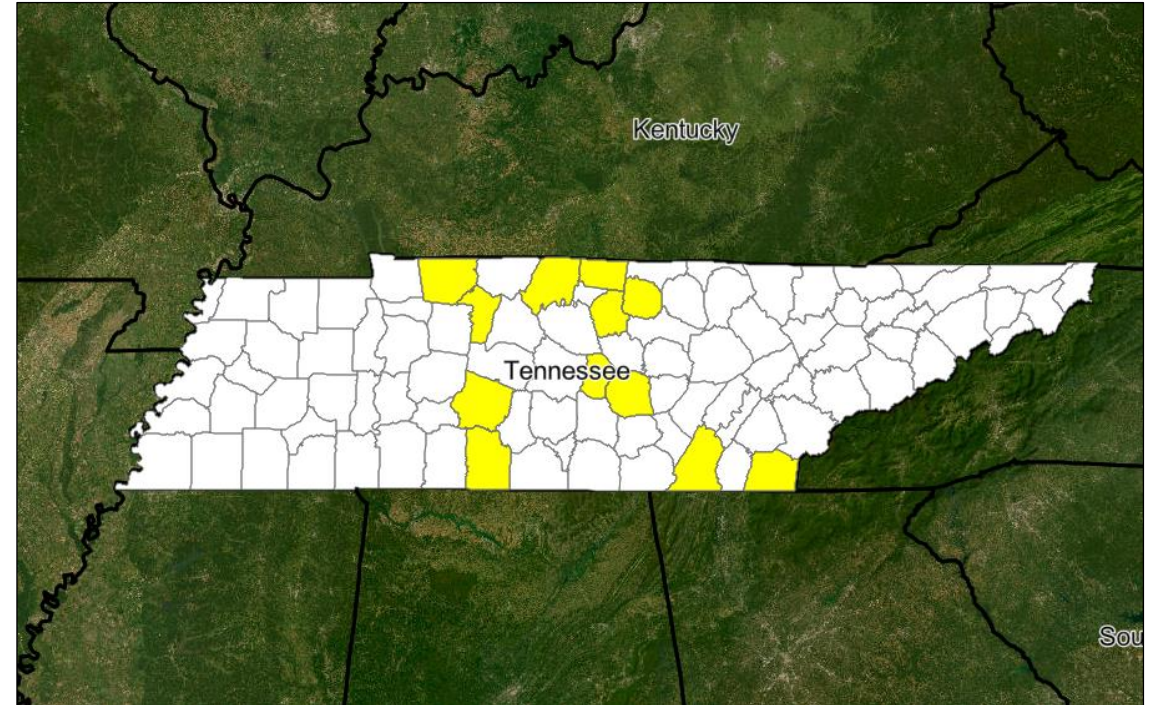
**Incident:** Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding

**Incident Period:** May 8-9

**Provides:**

- **IA:** Under Review
- **PA:** 12 counties
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide

**FCO:** Leda M. Khoury



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# Declaration Approval – Hawaii

**Declaration Type:** Major Disaster – FEMA-4793-DR-HI  
**Requested:** May 31

**Approved:** Jun 17

**Incident:** Severe Storms, Flooding, and Landslides

**Incident Period:** Apr 11-14

**Provides:**

- **PA:** 1 County
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide

**FCO:** Curtis Brown



■ PA



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# Declaration Requests in Process – 13

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
OH – Train Derailment	DR	X	X	X	Jul 3, 2023
KY – Severe Storm and Tornado (Appeal)	DR	X		X	May 10
FL – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	May 22
AK – Structure Fire	DR		X	X	May 30
AK – Structure Fire	DR		X	X	May 30
HI – Severe Storms and Flooding – <a href="#">Approved</a>	DR		X	X	May 31
OH – Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds, Tornadoes, Flooding, and Landslides	DR		X	X	Jun 3
SC – Severe Storm and Dam Breach	DR		X	X	Jun 5
MI – Severe Storm and Tornadoes	DR	X		X	Jun 6
TN – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding – <a href="#">Approved</a>	DR	X	X	X	Jun 7
PR – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X	X	X	Jun 10
NH – Severe Winter Storm and Flooding	DR		X	X	Jun 10
Chickasaw Nation – Severe Storms	DR		X	X	Jun 10
MO – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Jun 12
<a href="#">KY – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Landslides, and Mudslides</a>	<a href="#">DR</a>	<a href="#">X</a>	<a href="#">X</a>	<a href="#">X</a>	<a href="#">Jun 17</a>



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# Public Assistance (PA) Grant Program Activity

PA Activity Summary			
Projects	<b>\$83,039,191</b> Obligated in the Past Week		
	<b>681</b> Projects Created	<b>270</b> Projects Obligated	
Applicants	<b>70</b> Requests for PA Received in the Past Week		
	<b>64</b> RPAs Approved	<b>3</b> RPAs Denied/Withdrawn	
Timeliness	Median Days from RPA to Initial Project Obligation (Goal: 365 Days)		
	COVID-19 Declarations		Non-COVID-19 Declarations
	<b>1497 Days</b> In Past Month <b>1022 Days</b> In Past 2 Years	<b>390 Days</b> In Past Month <b>357 Days</b> In Past 2 Years	

Most Active Declarations Per Amount Obligated in Past Week			
Declaration	Region	Obligated Last Week	Total Obligated
DR-4482-CA   COVID-19	Region IX	<b>\$36.9M</b>	<b>\$10.1B</b>
DR-4510-HI   COVID-19	Region IX	<b>\$8.2M</b>	<b>\$307.8M</b>
DR-4611-LA   Ida	Region VI	<b>\$5.9M</b>	<b>\$2.6B</b>
DR-4504-KS   COVID-19	Region VII	<b>\$4.1M</b>	<b>\$461.2M</b>
DR-4540-KY   Severe Storm(s)	Region IV	<b>\$2.7M</b>	<b>\$74.4M</b>
DR-4698-AR   Tornado	Region VI	<b>\$2.6M</b>	<b>\$59.0M</b>
DR-4672-AK   Severe Storm(s)	Region X	<b>\$2.6M</b>	<b>\$50.0M</b>
DR-4559-LA   Hurricane	Region VI	<b>\$2.6M</b>	<b>\$2.7B</b>
DR-4683-CA   Severe Storm(s)	Region IX	<b>\$2.5M</b>	<b>\$77.5M</b>
DR-4673-FL   Ian	Region IV	<b>\$1.7M</b>	<b>\$2.2B</b>

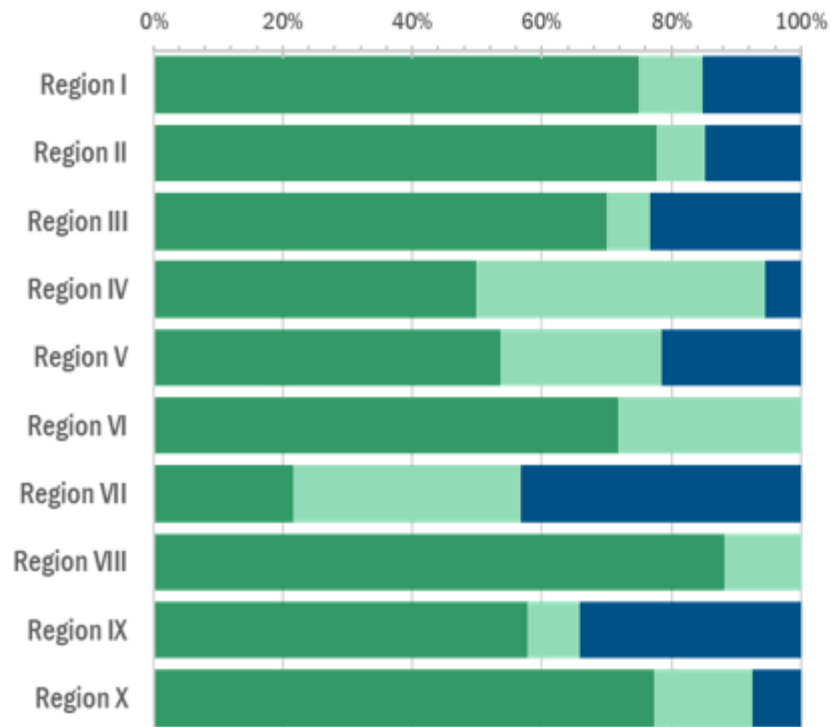
This Week's Largest PA Obligations			
DR-4482-CA   COVID-19	Region IX	<b>\$13.8M</b>	San Diego County Wrap-Around Services & Administrative Support for Testing and Vaccination Sites
DR-4482-CA   COVID-19	Region IX	<b>\$10.5M</b>	County of Santa Cruz COVID-19 2022 - NCS Noncongregate Sheltering - 7/1/21 through 7/1/22
DR-4510-HI   COVID-19	Region IX	<b>\$8.2M</b>	KFH HI March 2020 - June 2022 COVID Medical Testing Supplies
DR-4482-CA   COVID-19	Region IX	<b>\$7.5M</b>	NCS Oct-Dec2020
DR-4504-KS   COVID-19	Region VII	<b>\$4.1M</b>	Contract Labor
DR-4540-KY   Severe Storm(s)	Region IV	<b>\$2.7M</b>	PA Management Cost

# Public Assistance (PA) Grant Program Activity – per Region

## Open Declaration Obligation Status

Percent of Total PA Estimate that has been Obligated or Closed – All Open PA Declarations

■ Closed Obligated Project Costs    ■ Open Obligated Project Costs  
■ Unobligated Estimated Costs



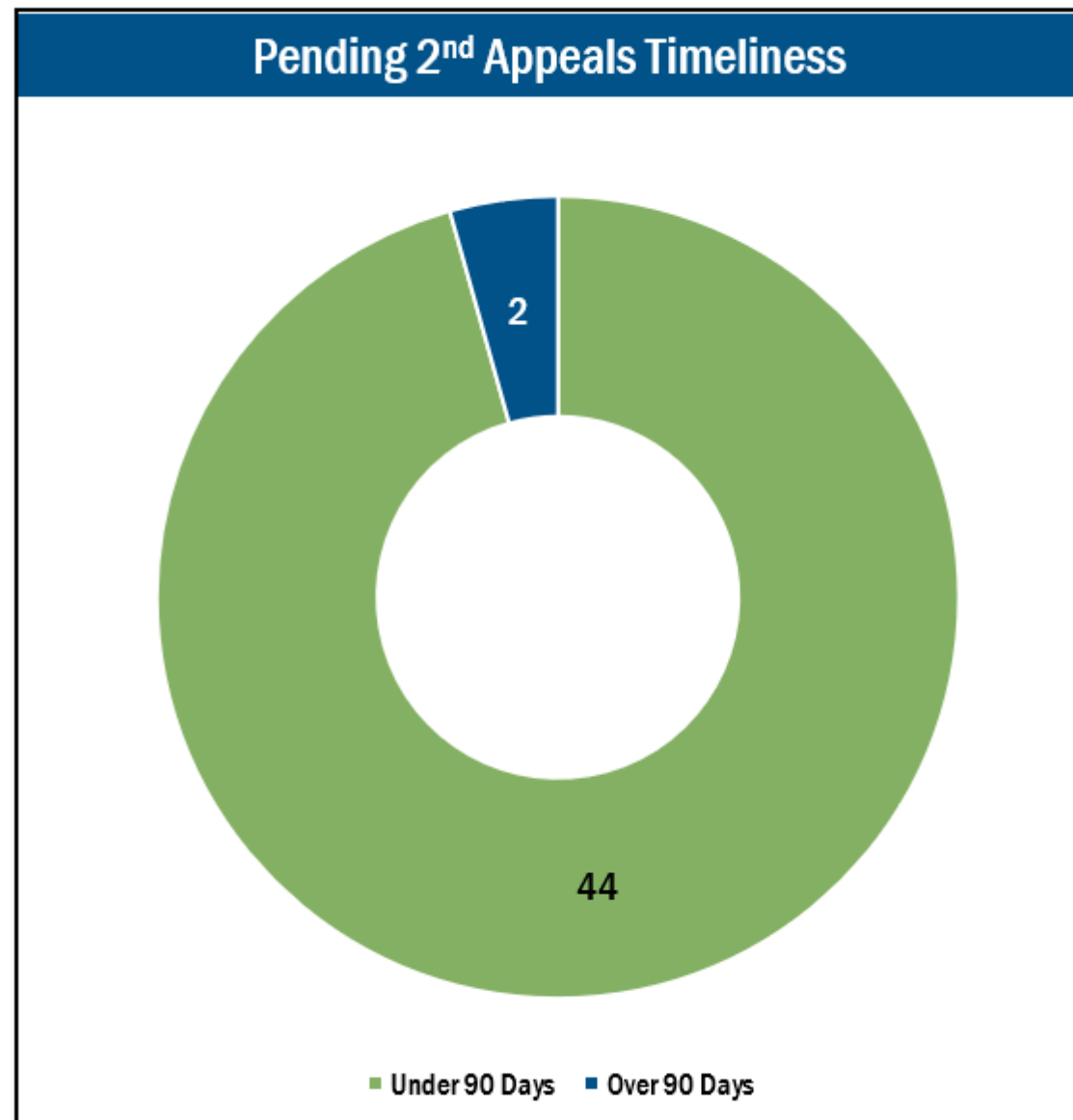
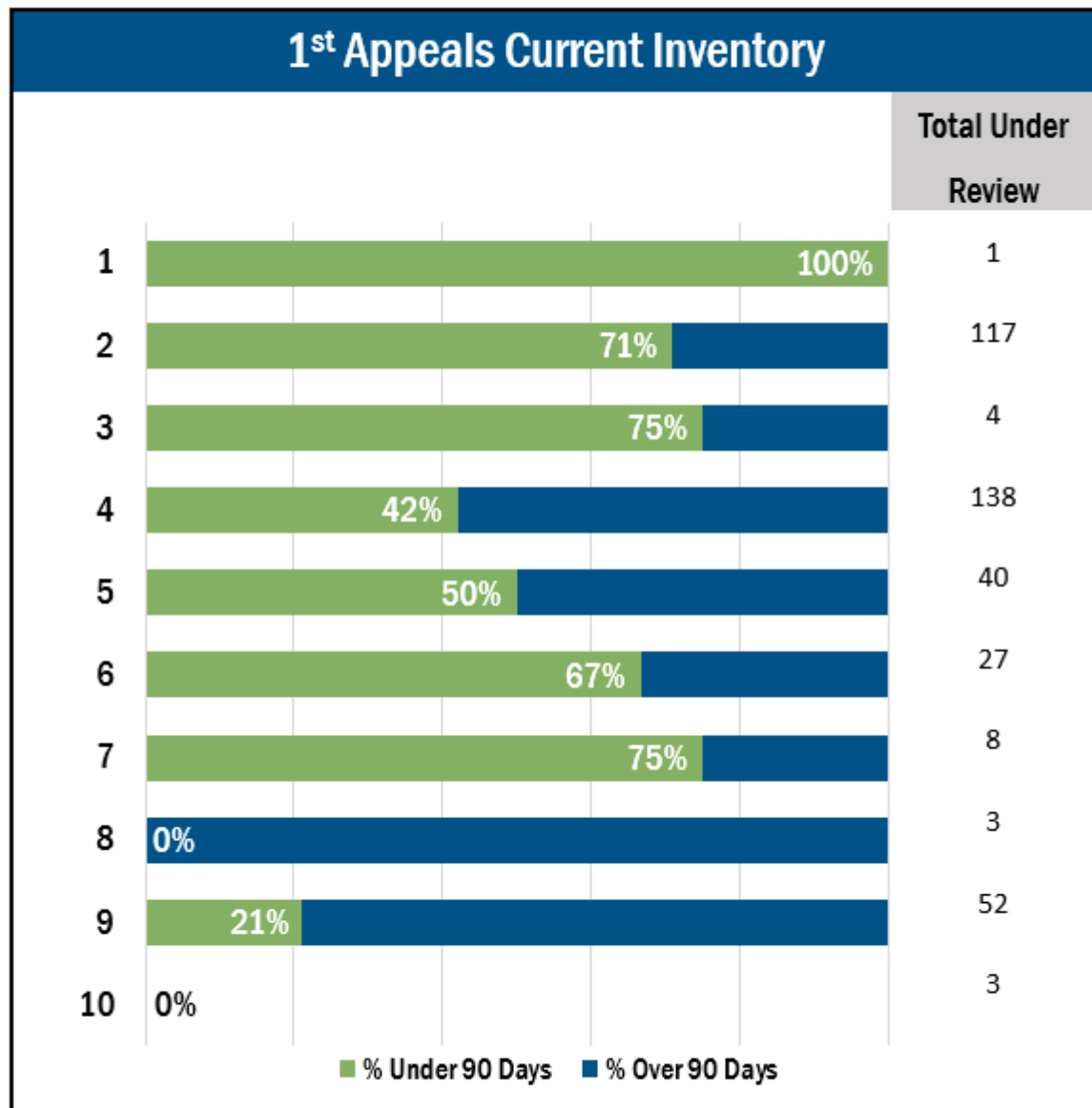
Total Estimated Cost of Open PA Declarations

Region I	\$8.8B
Region II	\$119.7B
Region III	\$11.0B
Region IV	\$37.3B
Region V	\$8.6B
Region VI	\$60.4B
Region VII	\$7.5B
Region VIII	\$4.8B
Region IX	\$32.5B
Region X	\$8.3B

## PA Activity and Mitigation Use per Region

Region	Public Assistance		PA Mitigation					
	Total		Mitigation Projects Obligated			Mitigation Amount		
	Last Week	Last 2 Years	Last Week	Last 2 Years	% of Perm. Work 2 Yr.	Last Week	Last 2 Years	% of Perm. Work 2 Yr.
Region I	\$1.3M	\$3.5B	1	180	21.3%	\$8.3K	\$6.8M	11.2%
Region II	\$4.3M	\$26.2B	8	4,153	62.8%	\$430.6K	\$4.4B	34.6%
Region III	-\$11.3K	\$2.8B	0	87	15.3%	\$0.0K	\$23.7M	21.7%
Region IV	\$7.1M	\$5.8B	11	974	17.3%	\$277.5K	\$62.4M	7.9%
Region V	\$0.0K	\$2.2B	0	176	13.8%	\$0.0K	\$5.2M	6.2%
Region VI	\$13.1M	\$5.9B	4	326	11.9%	\$1.2M	\$37.7M	1.9%
Region VII	\$4.9M	\$662.9M	1	193	18.6%	\$104.7K	\$37.4M	32.3%
Region VIII	\$266.5K	\$940.2M	2	105	10.7%	\$13.5K	\$4.5M	2.9%
Region IX	\$48.7M	\$6.3B	1	149	15.5%	\$513.8K	\$3.7M	1.7%
Region X	\$3.4M	\$3.5B	0	95	11.0%	\$0.0K	\$92.6M	32.1%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$83.0M</b>	<b>\$57.8B</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>6,438</b>	<b>29.9%</b>	<b>\$2.6M</b>	<b>\$4.7B</b>	<b>28.4%</b>

# Public Assistance (PA) Appeals



# Survivor Engagement

## Weekly Call Center Activity

**84,959 (248)** Total Answered Calls (Weekly Change)

**1:07 Seconds (-6)**

Average Speed of Answer

**96.4% (-.4)%**

Answer Rate

## Weekly Call Center Performance

	Offered Calls (Weekly Change)	Average Handle Time	Targeted Handle Time
Registration Intake:	13,249 (-3,439)	18:47 Minutes	20 Minutes
Helpline:	71,710 (181)	9:48 Minutes	10 Minutes

## Total Inspections Reporting for DR with Open Registration

DR	Declaration Date	Inspections Required	Assigned	Returned (Weekly Change)	Pending	Percentage Completed
4776-OK	4/30/2024	181	175	75   1	100	42.86%
4777-OH	5/2/2024	101	101	63   32	38	62.38%
4778-NE	5/3/2024	62	62	30   18	32	48.39%
4779-IA	5/14/2024	33	33	22   8	11	66.67%
4780-MA	5/15/2024	201	198	118   64	80	59.60%
4781-NJ	5/17/2024	15,313	14,482	10,189   10189	4293	70.36%
4781-TX	5/17/2024	15,313	14,482	10,189   1196	4293	70.36%
4782-KY	5/22/2024	83	78	65   26	13	83.33%
4783-WV	5/22/2024	275	271	172   12	99	63.47%
4784-IA	5/24/2024	43	40	28   8	12	70.00%
4788-AR	5/30/2024	479	458	334   63	124	72.93%
4790-MS	6/10/2024	222	204	122   122	82	59.80%
4791-OK	6/14/2024	76	37	4   4	33	10.81%
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>32,382</b>	<b>30,621</b>	<b>21,411   11743</b>	<b>9210</b>	<b>60.07%</b>

## DSA Deployed

**1,170** Registrations Taken In Current Week

**536** Staff Deployed

# Individual Assistance (IA) Activity

## Assistance Overview

Total Registrations:  
**766,259**

Median Award:  
**\$1,712**

Applicants Paid:  
**384,425**

Total Assistance Provided:  
**\$1,428,572,249**

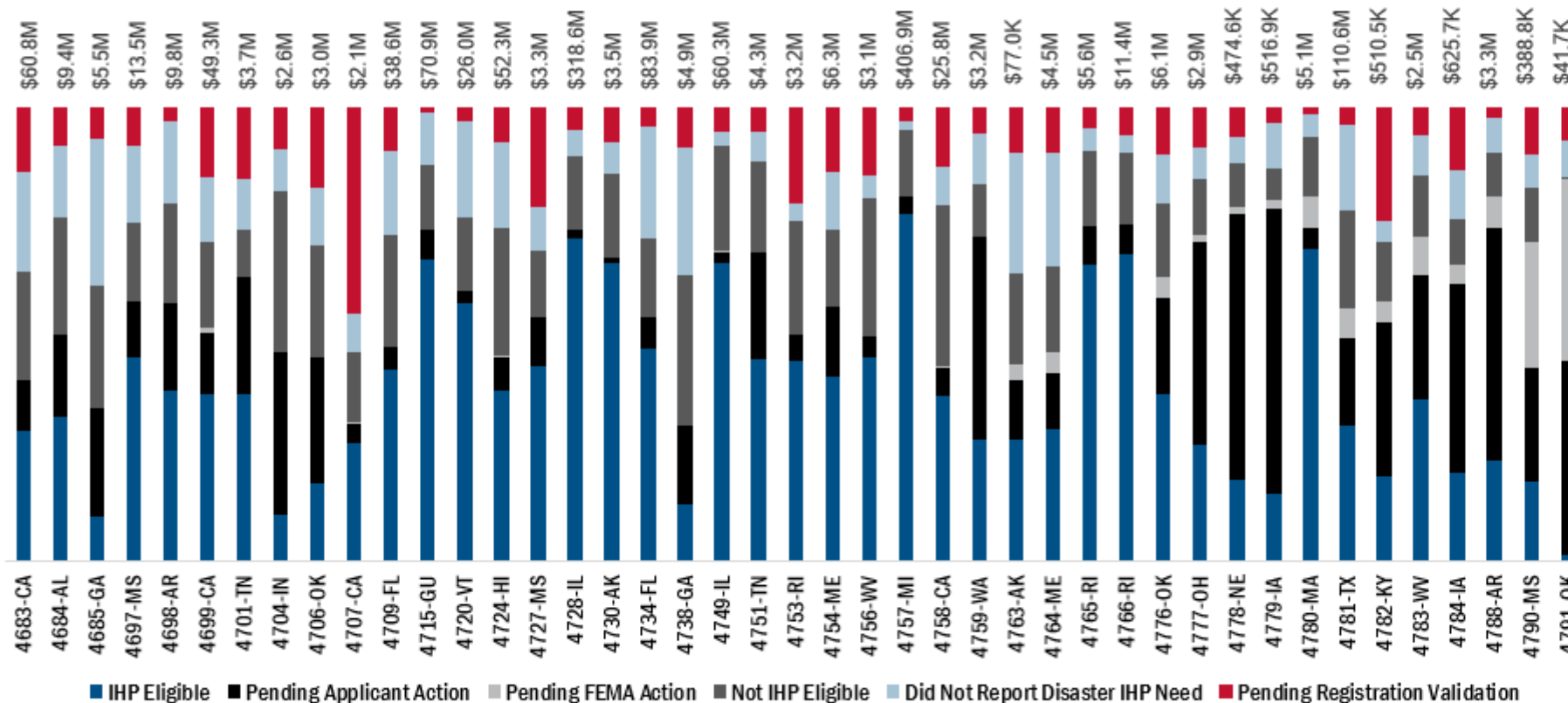
## Transitional Sheltering Assistance (TSA)

Eligible Disaster  
4776 and 4781

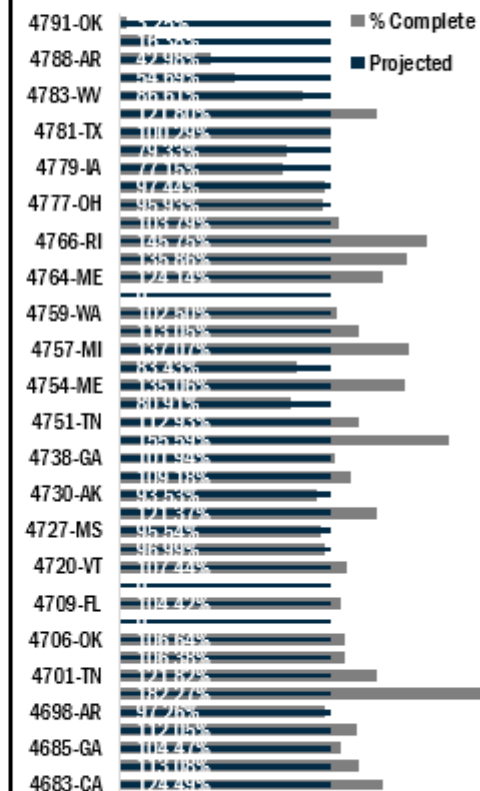
Cumulative Eligible  
for TSA:  
**81,891**

Current Eligible in  
Extended Period:  
**81,023**

## Registrations in Active Declarations

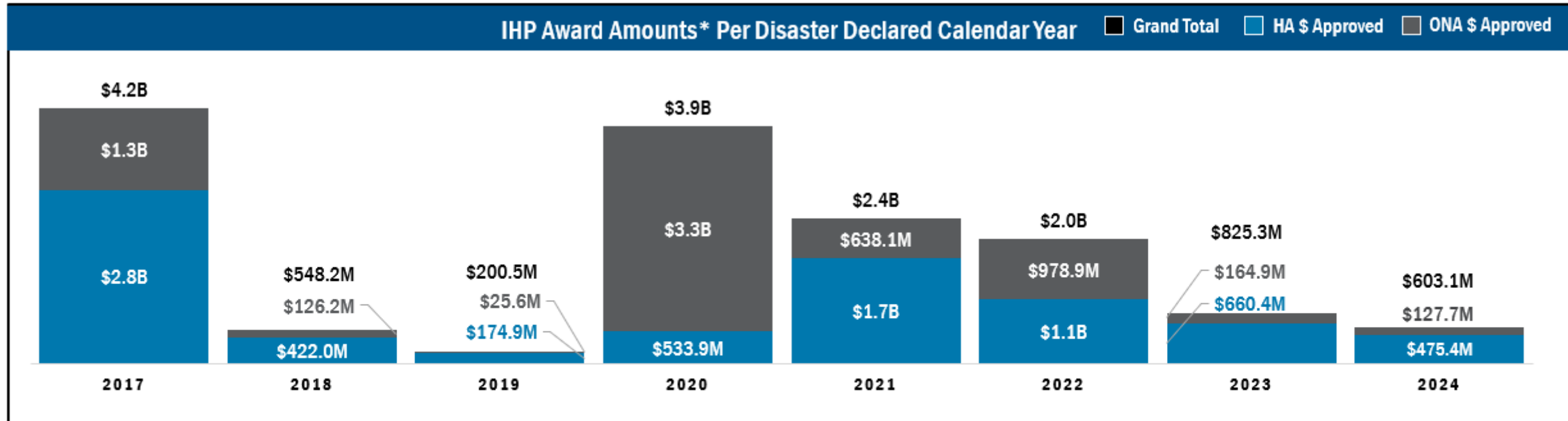
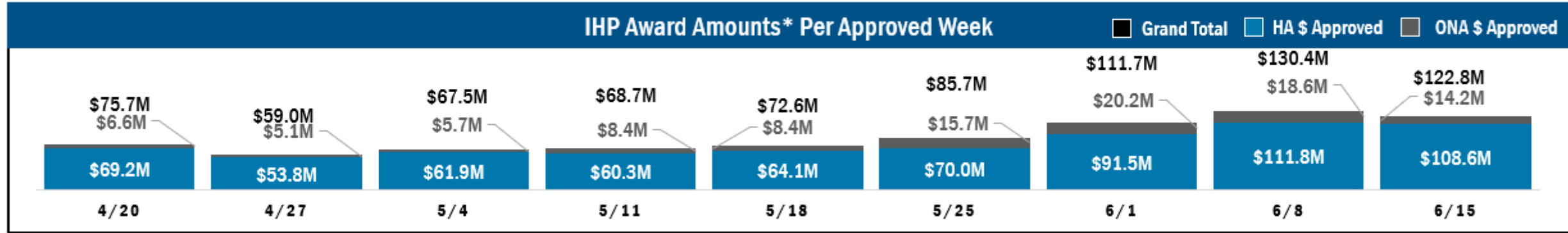


## Percent Registered Based On Forecast





# Individual Assistance (IA) Activity

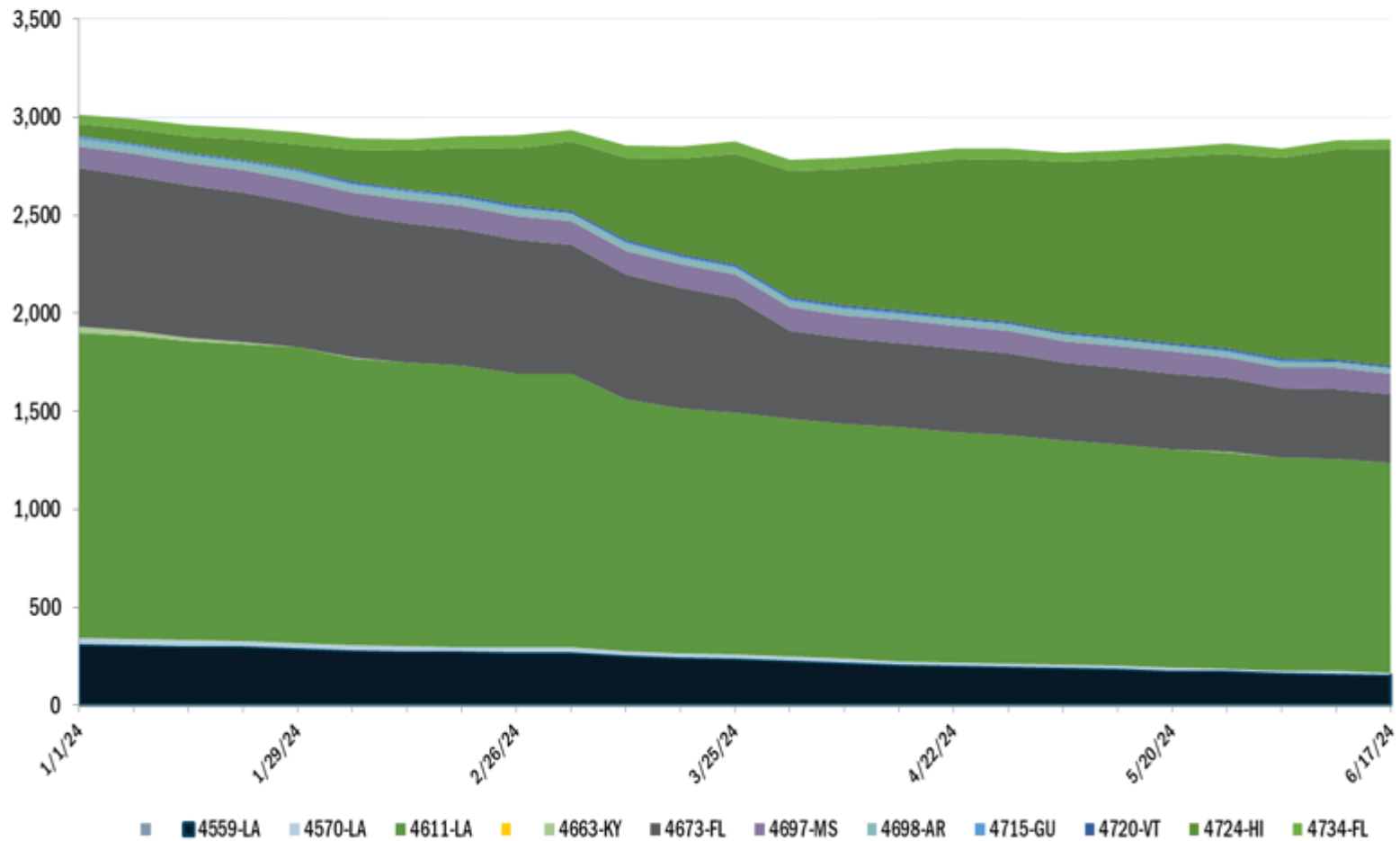


\*IHP award amounts does not include covid dollars

# Direct Housing

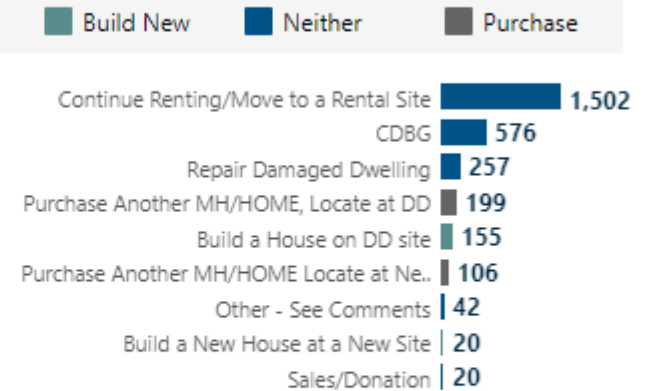
## Total Households in FEMA Direct Housing per Disaster Declaration

There are currently **2,890** Households Occupying **2,904** Temporary Units



DR	Declaration Date	Assistance End Date	Current # of Households in Direct Housing (Weekly Change)
4734-FL	8/31/2023	2/28/2025	48 (-1)
4724-HI	8/10/2023	2/10/2025	1106 (37)
4720-VT	7/14/2023	1/14/2025	11 (0)
4715-GU	5/25/2023	11/28/2024	7 (0)
4698-AR	4/2/2023	10/2/2024	24 (-2)
4697-MS	3/26/2023	9/26/2024	106 (-2)
4673-FL	9/29/2022	9/29/2024	349 (-4)
4663-KY	7/29/2022	7/29/2024	0 (0)
4611-LA	8/29/2021	8/29/2024	1074 (-11)
4570-LA	10/16/2020	8/29/2024	10 (-1)
4559-LA	8/28/2020	8/29/2024	155 (-9)

## Projected Housing Plans



DD- Damaged Dwelling



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