

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Wednesday, July 3, 2024

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- Hurricane Beryl (CAT 4) Preparation – Puerto Rico/USVI

Hazard Monitoring

- Severe Weather – Northern Plains to the Ohio Valley
- Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding – Central Plains to the Ohio Valley
- Fire Weather – Southern Idaho
- Tropical Activity:
 - Atlantic:
 - Hurricane Beryl (CAT 4); Disturbance 1: Low (20%)
 - Eastern Pacific:
 - Disturbance 1: Medium (50%)

Disaster Declaration Activity

- FMAG Approval: Thompson Fire – CA

Event Monitoring

- No significant events



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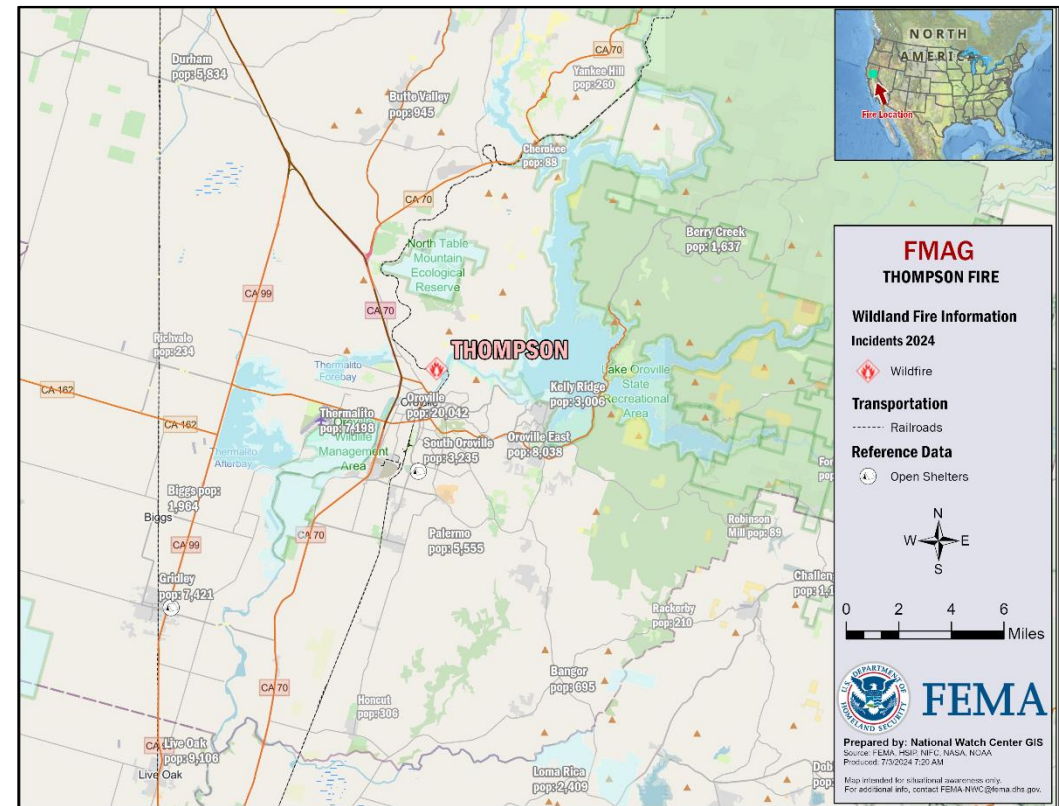
Thompson Fire – California

Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Thompson (Butte, CA)	5502-FM-CA	2,135	0%	M: 12,000	H: 3,680	H: 0	H: 4	0 / 0
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Situation: The Regional Administrator for FEMA Region IX approved a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) for the Thompson Fire. The fire started July 2 in Oroville, CA (pop. 20k). Mandatory evacuations are in effect for 12k residents. The fire is threatening homes, a nursing facility, a Cal Water facility, and multiple distribution and transmission lines, including a WAPA 230 kV transmission line, Paradise Table Mountain Power Station, and Hyatt Powerhouse.

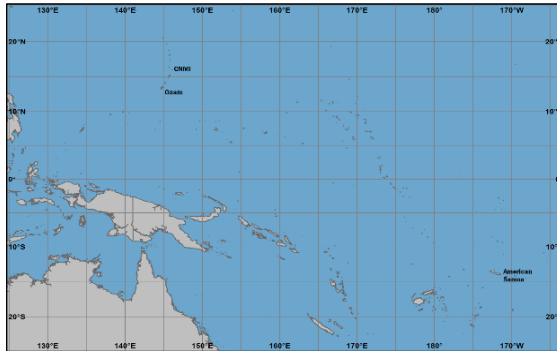
Response:

- FMAG approved Jul 2
- CA EOC at Partial Activation (Extreme Heat)
- Region IX RWC is Monitoring; RRCC is Rostered
- FEMA NWC will continue to monitor in coordination with FEMA Region IX RWC; reporting will continue in the FEMA Daily Operations Brief (8:30 a.m. ET) and twice daily FEMA National Situation Report (3:00 a.m./5:00 p.m. ET)



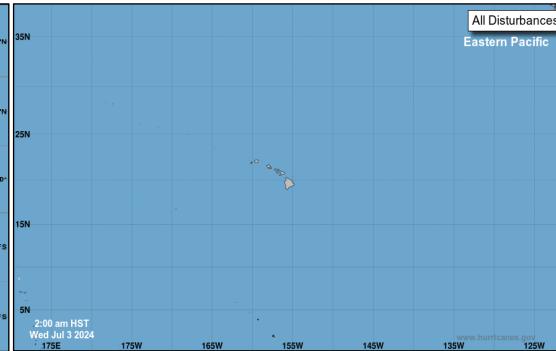
Tropical Outlook

Western Pacific



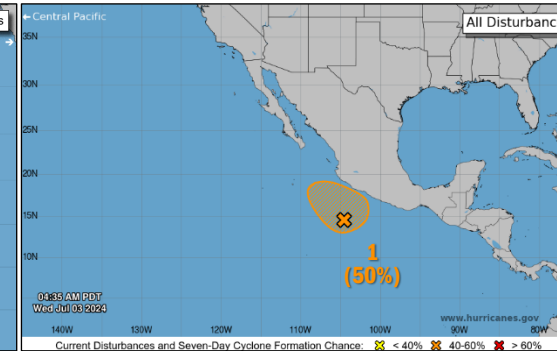
- No areas of concern for Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands or American Samoa

Central Pacific



- No tropical cyclones expected during the next 7 days

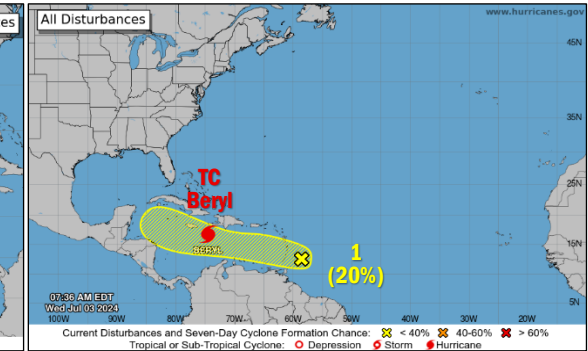
Eastern Pacific



Disturbance 1: (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Located a few hundred miles S of the coast of southern Mexico
- Moving **N to NW** at 10 to 15 mph
- A tropical depression could form **within the next day or so**
- Formation chance – 48-hour: **Medium (50%)**; 7-day: **Medium (50%)**

Atlantic



Hurricane Beryl (CAT 4): (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- See below slide

Disturbance 1: (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Located a few hundred miles **E** of the Windward Islands
- Moving **WNW** at **20 to 25** mph
- Development, if any, should be slow to occur**
- Formation chance – 48-hour: **Low (10%)**; 7-day: **Low (20%)**

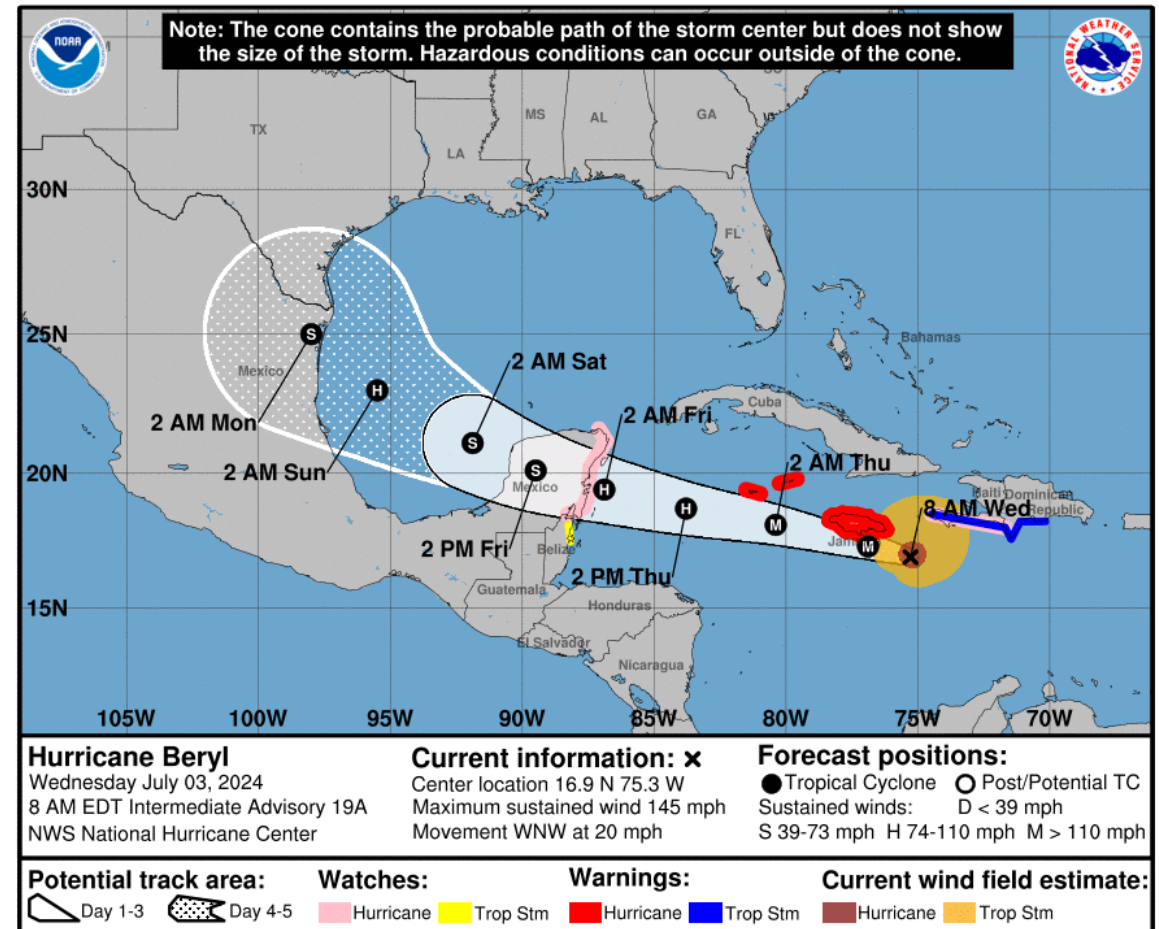


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Hurricane Beryl (CAT 4) – Atlantic

Situation: (Advisory #19A, as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Located **125 miles SE of Kingston, Jamaica**
- Moving WNW at **20 mph**
- Maximum sustained winds **145 mph**
- Hurricane force winds extend outward up to **45 miles**; tropical storm force winds extend outward up to **185 miles**
- **Weakening is forecast during the next day or two, however, Beryl is forecast to be at or near major hurricane intensity while it passes near Jamaica later today and the Cayman Islands tonight**



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Hurricane Beryl (CAT 4) Preparation – Puerto Rico/USVI

Situation: Hurricane Beryl has weakened to a Category 4 hurricane and has entered the SE Caribbean. FEMA Region II and FEMA Headquarters are demobilizing some resources from PR and USVI. (*National Hurricane Center Public Advisory, as of 8:00 a.m. ET*)

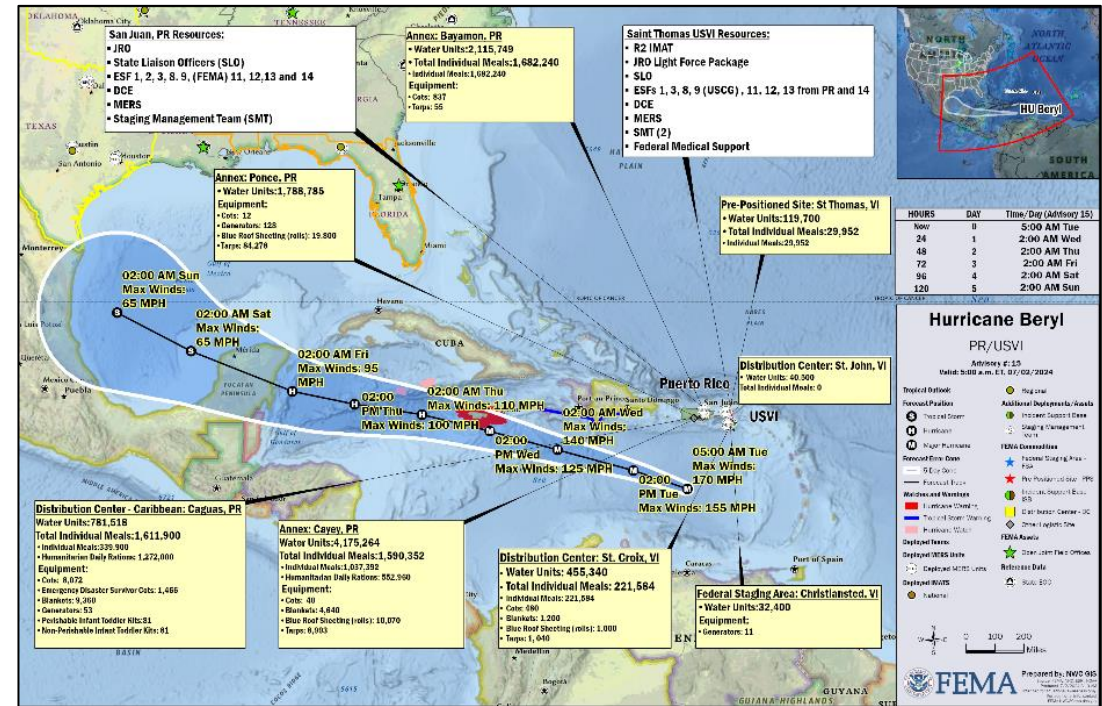
Impacts: Through the next day or so, swells will affect Puerto Rico’s southern coast. It is anticipated that these swells may result in potentially fatal surf and rip current conditions.

State / Local Preparation:

- Puerto Rico EOC at Normal Operations
- U.S. Virgin Islands EOC at Normal Operations

FEMA / Federal Preparation:

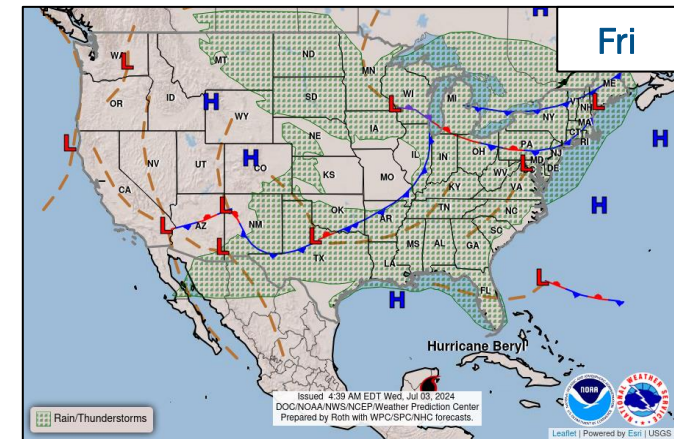
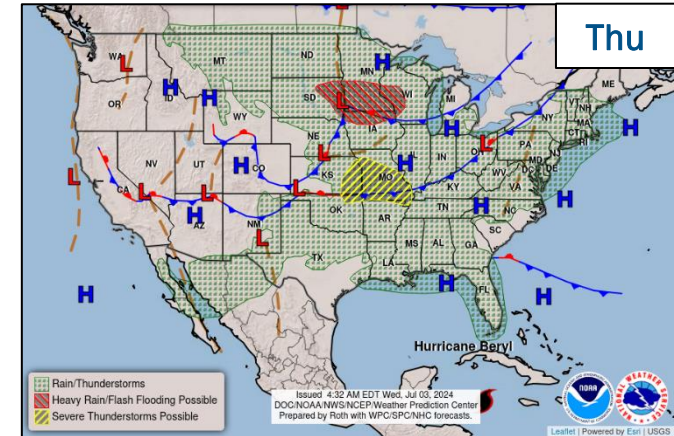
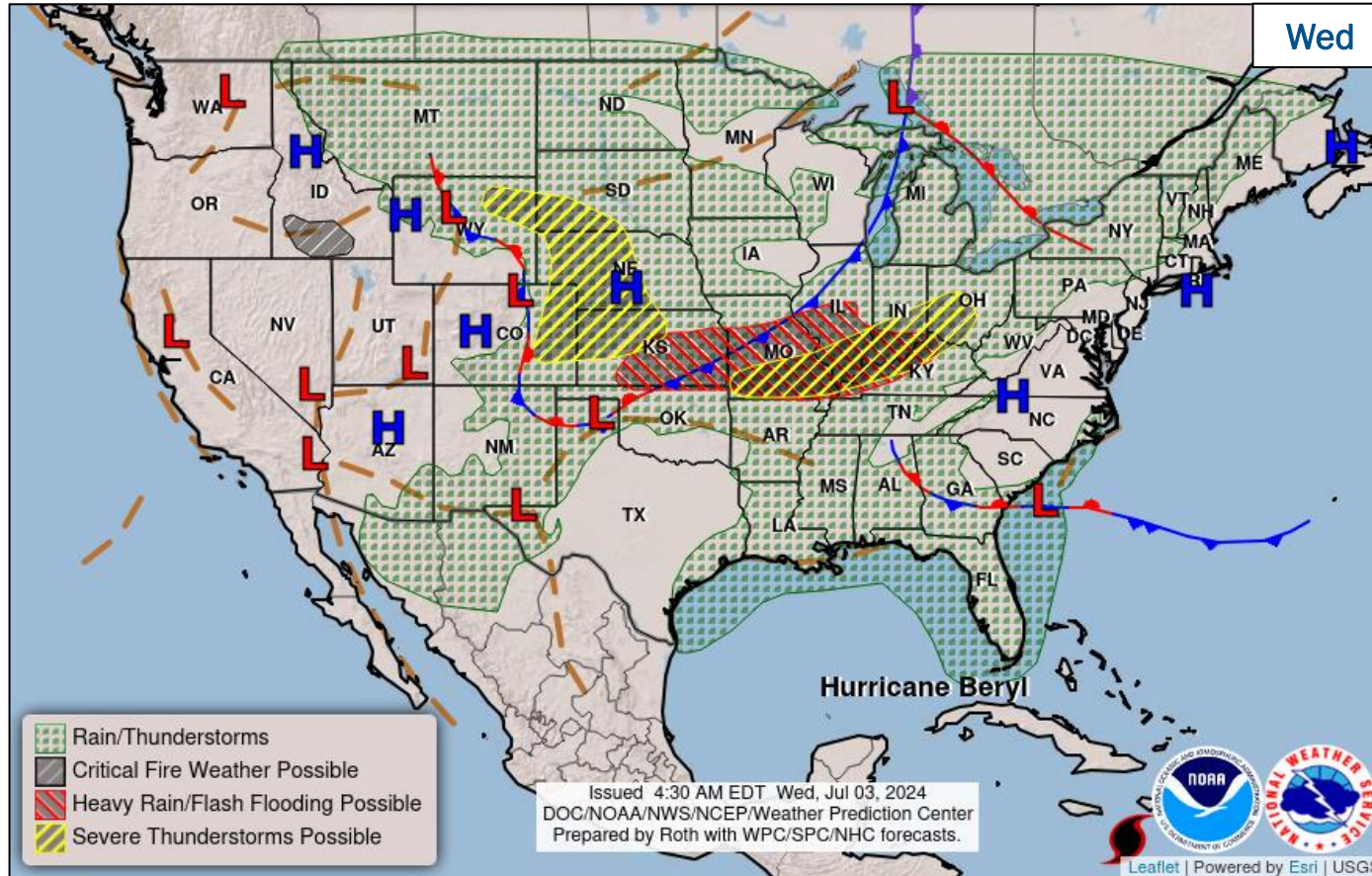
- FEMA Region II:
 - RWC at Enhanced Watch (24/7); RRCC demobilized to Steady State on Jul 2
 - Warning Order issued June 27 for RRCC and Light Package Resources
 - Deployment Order issued June 28 for RRCC and Light Package Plus Resources
 - FEMA Region II IMAT demobilizing from U.S. Virgin Islands as of 6:00 p.m. ET, Jul 2
 - Region II Ad Hoc Team with Command and Control Support Package demobilizing from Puerto Rico as of 6:00 p.m. ET, Jul 2
 - Federal Medical Support
 - Ad Hoc Team with Command-and-Control Support Package to PR Deployed
 - Includes deployment of JRO Light Force Package
 - SLOs; ESFs 1, 2, 3, 8, 9 (FEMA), 11, 12, 13, and 14
 - DCE; MERS; SMT



- HQ:
 - NWC at Monitoring
 - Logistics: Staging Management Team (SMT) PR and Atlanta, GA; Incident Support Base (ISB) Charlie deploying to PR and USVI
- NWC will continue to monitor in coordination with FEMA Region II, with continued reporting twice daily in the FEMA National Situation Report (5:00 p.m. ET / 3:00 a.m. ET) and the FEMA Daily Operations Briefing (8:30 a.m. ET).



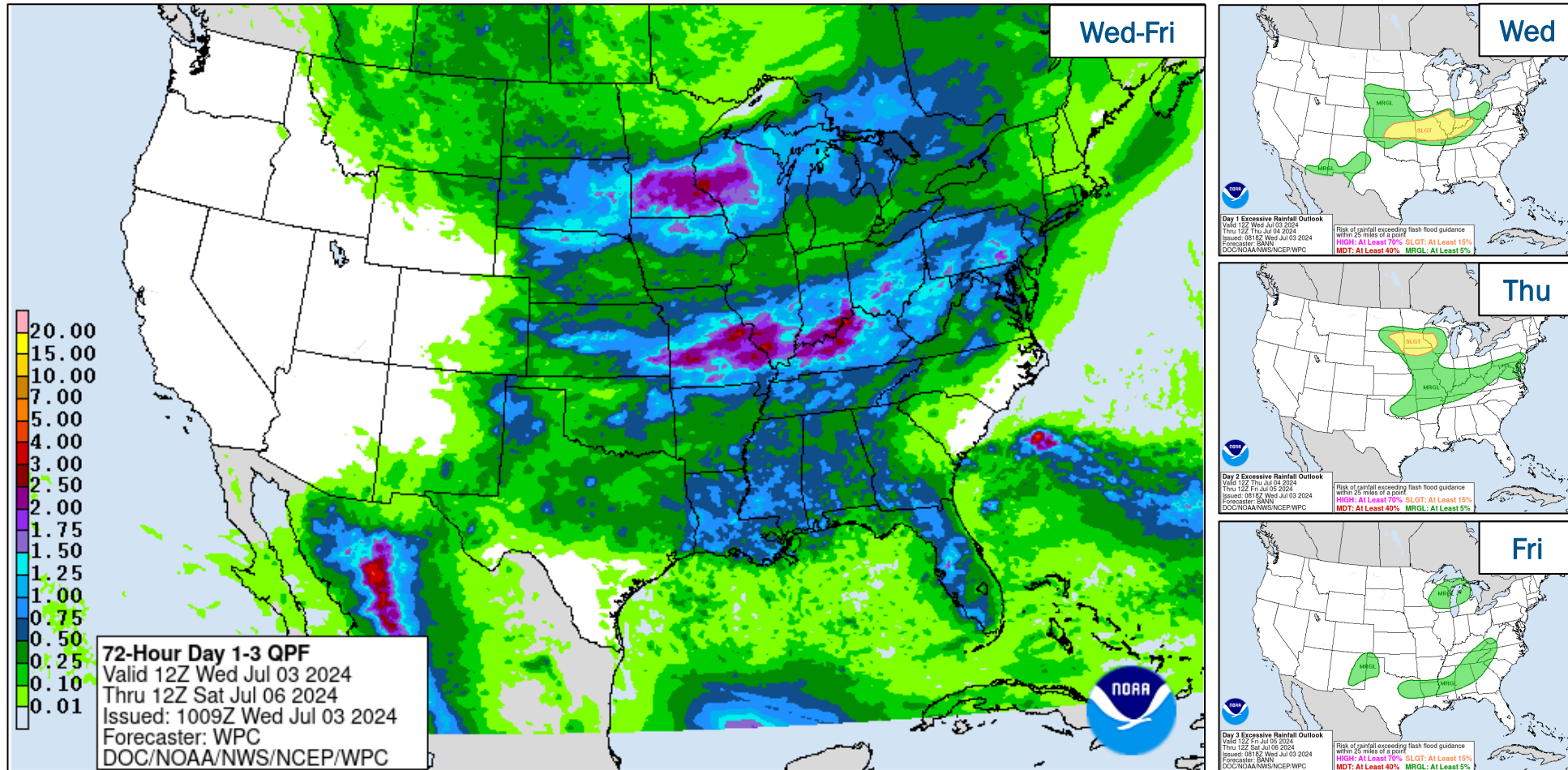
National Weather Forecast



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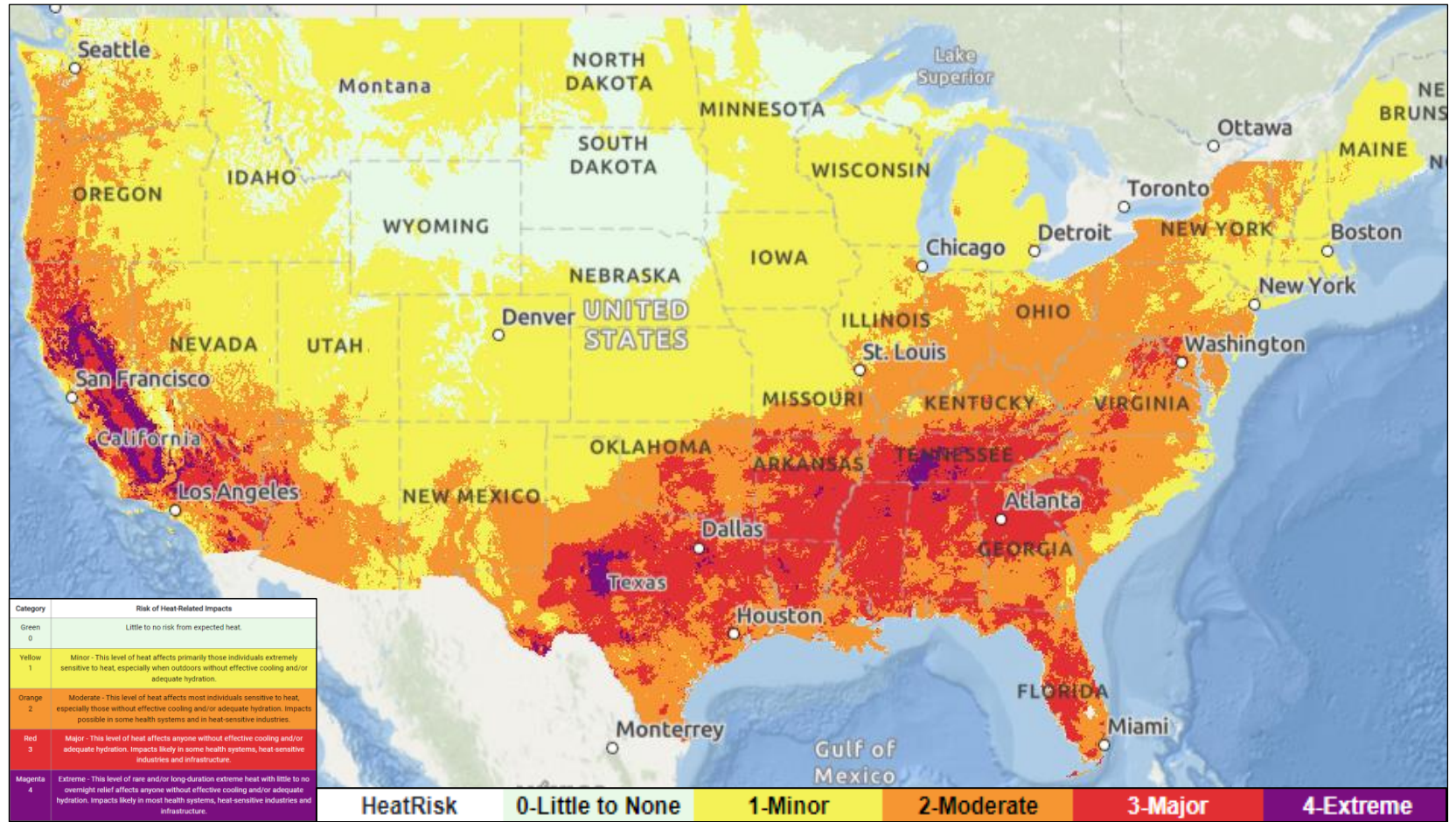
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



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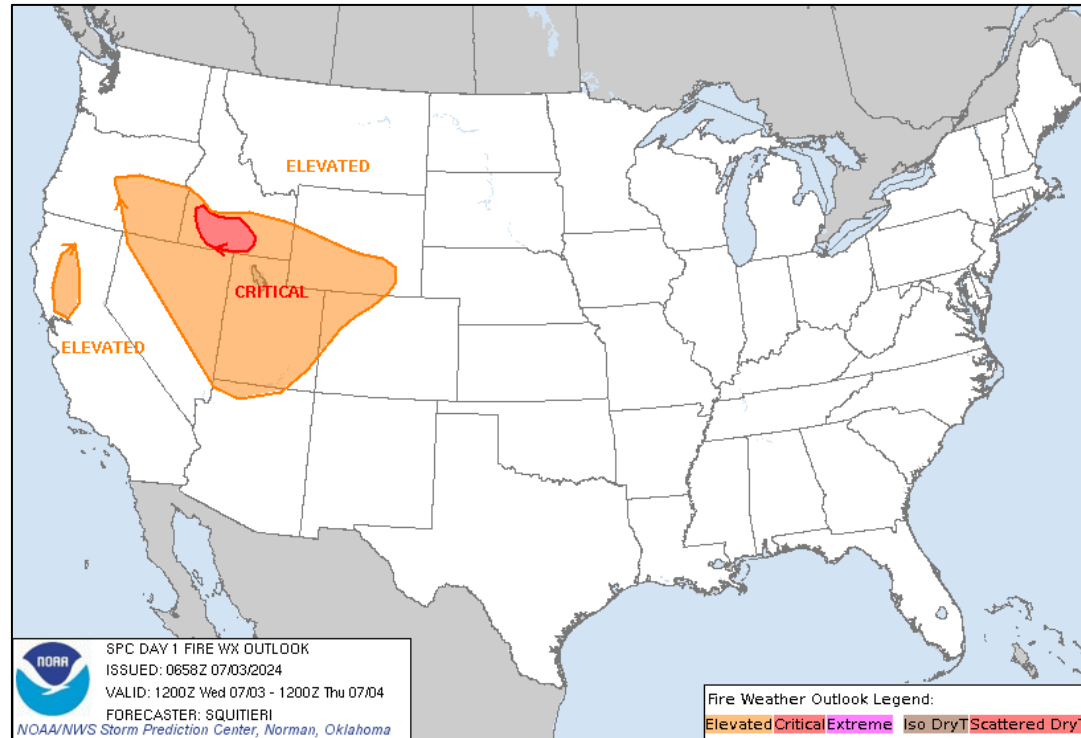
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National Heat Risk – Jul 4

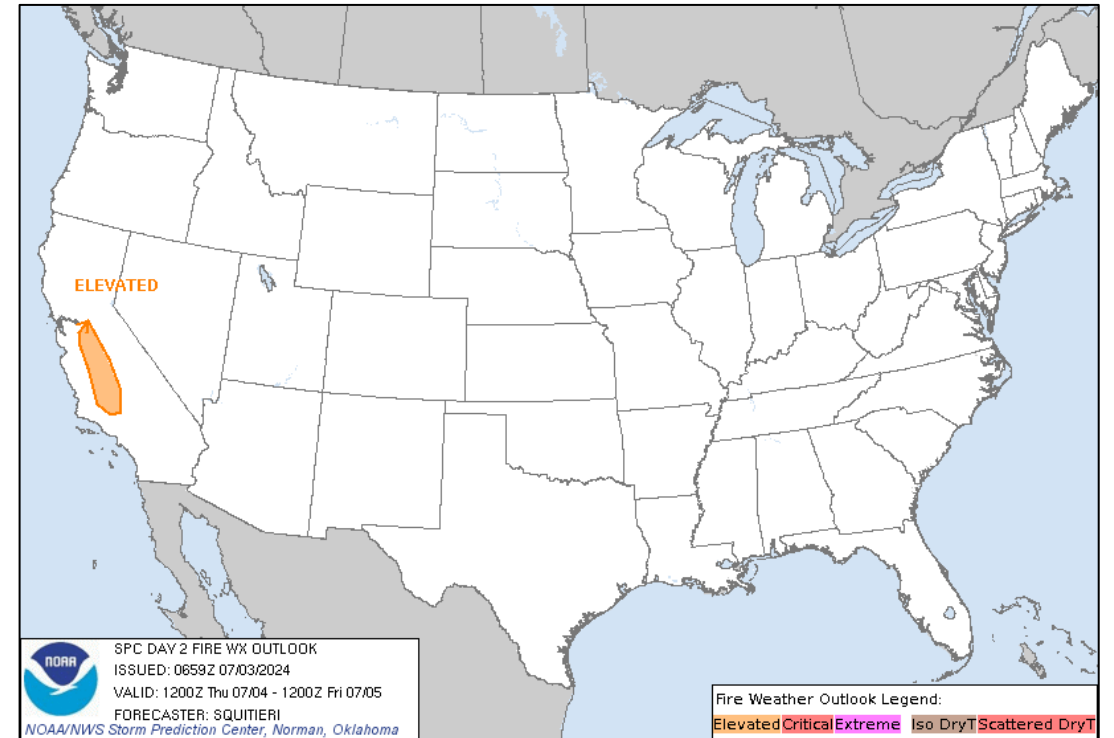


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Fire Weather Outlook



Today



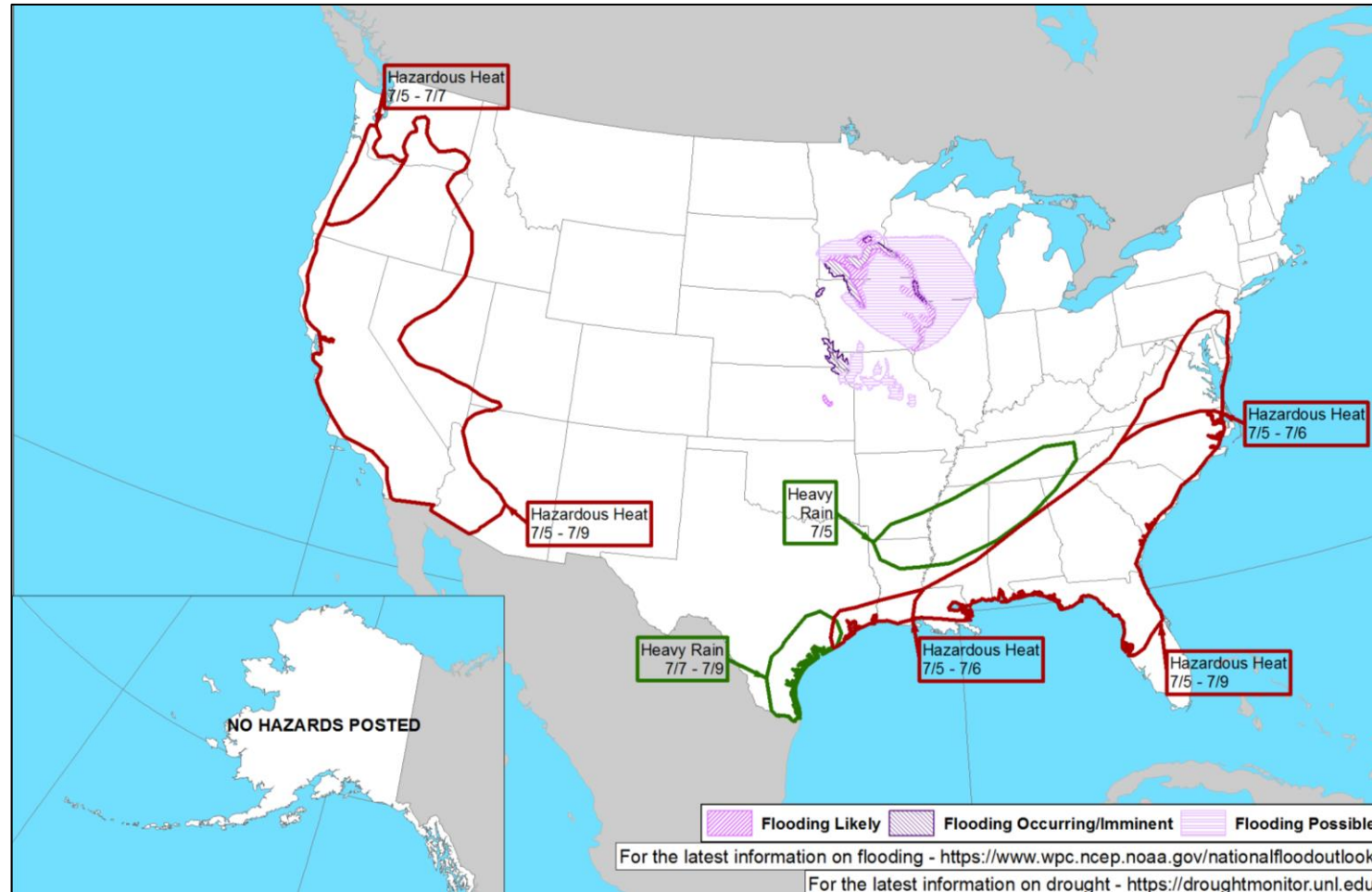
Tomorrow



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Hazards Outlook – Jul 5 - 9

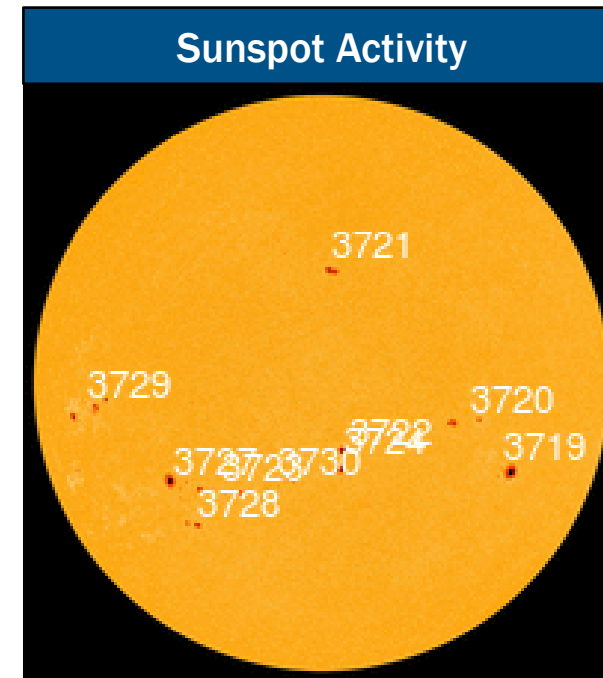
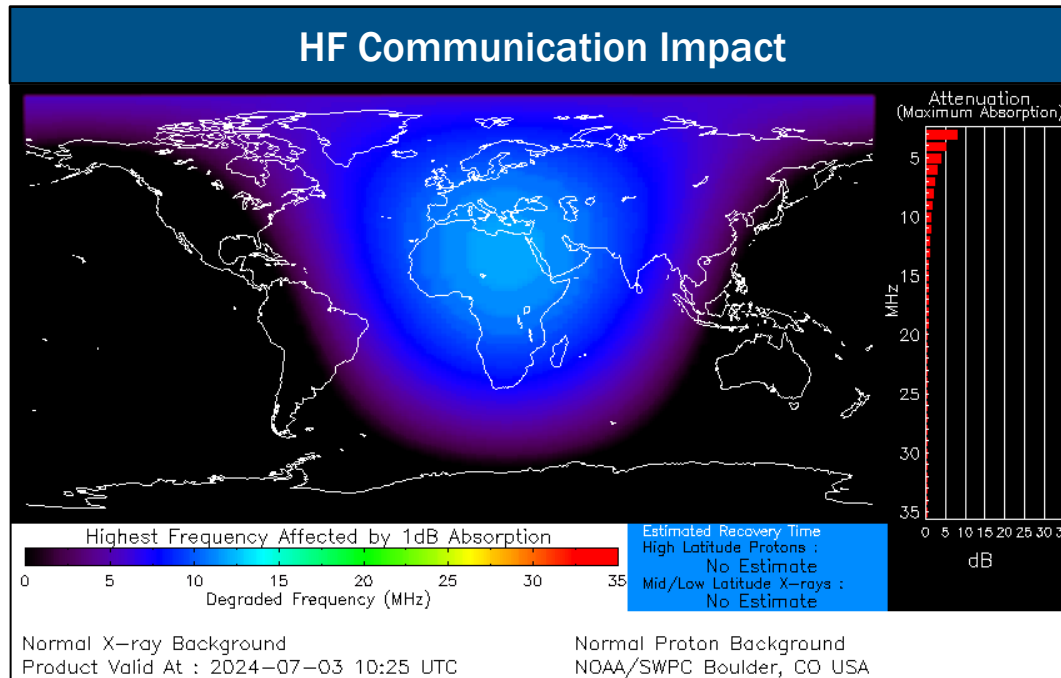


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Space Weather Outlook

Minor	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	Minor	None	None	R1
Next 24 Hours	Minor	G1	None	None

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: <http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation>
 For further information on Sunspot Activity refer to: <https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle>



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FEMA Common Operating Picture

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Joint Field Offices Virtual Joint Field Offices

Supporting

88 + 1

Major Disasters Emergency Declaration

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Direct Housing Missions

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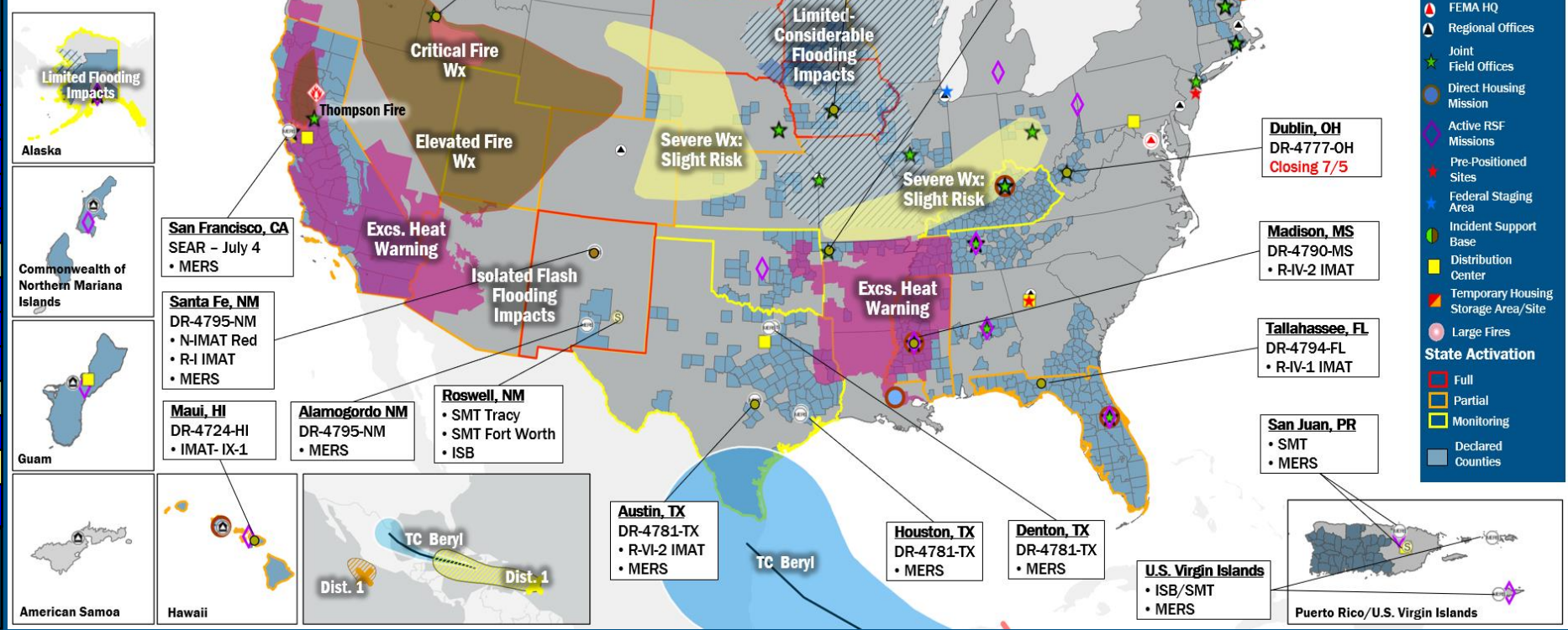
RSF-Supported Disasters

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FEMA HQ	
NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Steady State
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: • R2: Going to Enhanced Watch	STATE EOCs: • KY/MS/OK/TX: Severe Weather • TX: Ongoing Threats • AZ/CO: SW Border • AK/HI/OK/NM/UT/WA: Wildfires • CO: Hwy 50 Closure • FL/IA/MN/SD/NE: Flash Flooding • CA: Extreme Heat
Volunteer Force	
Rostered 7,821	Deployed 14 (+2)
Surge Capacity Force	
Rostered 7,436	Deployed 0

N-IMATs 2-5 Teams Available	
Red	NM (Jun 20)
White	Reconstituting
Blue	
Gold	
HS	
R-IMATs ≤ 3 Teams Available	
I	NM (Jun 19)
II	USVI (Jun 28)
III	Reconstituting
IV-1	FL (Jun 18)
IV-2	MS (Jun 11)
V	2
VI-1	AR (May 31)
VI-2	TX (May 17)
VII	IA (Jun 24)
VIII	1
IX-1	HI (Jun 25)
IX-2	Personnel
X	ID (Jun 17)
Fully Mission Capable (FMC)	
Partially Mission Capable (PMC)	
Not Mission Capable (NMC)	
Deployed	

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN			
	JFO/VJFO	DR	EM
I	4/0	17	1
II	1/1	2	0
III	1/0	3	0
IV	5/0	23	0
V	1/0	4	0
VI	1/0	5	0
VII	2/1	6	0
VIII	0/0	1	0
IX	2/1	18	0
X	5/1	9	0



IM Workforce

13,504 (-6) Assigned
 5,026 (+30) Unavailable
 6,396 (-40) Deployed
 15% / 2,082 (+4) Available

IM Cadre Availability

17 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability
 Alternative Dispute Resolution: 23% (8/35); Civil Rights: 22% (35/158); Disability Integration: 6% (3/47); Disaster Survivor Assistance: 22% (256/1,166); External Affairs: 18% (94/510); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 10% (81/774); Field Leadership: 11% (16/143); Hazard Mitigation: 13% (162/1,250); Human Resources: 7% (12/174); Individual Assistance: 8% (195/2,518); Information Technology: 18% (115/648); Logistics: 11% (178/1,553); Operations: 7% (24/334); Public Assistance: 15% (333/2,189); Planning: 4% (16/456); Safety: 7% (6/83); Security: 12% (16/138)

MERS

> 66%
 36 Assigned
 0 Unavailable
 6 (+1) Deployed
 30 (-1) Available

US&R

> 66%
 28 Assigned
 1 Unavailable
 2 Deployed
 25 Available

FCO

≤ 1 Type I
 49 Assigned
 6 Unavailable
 37 (25 FCOR) Deployed
 6 Available

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties		Start – End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	VT	Severe Storms and Flooding Jun 23	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	2	0	TBD – TBD
VII	NE	Severe Storms May 20–Jun 3	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	17	1	6/24 – TBD
	KS	Severe Storms and Flooding May 18-19	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	11	0	7/2 – TBD



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Declaration Requests in Process – 12

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
OH – Train Derailment	DR	X	X	X	Jul 3, 2023
AK – Structure Fire (Kivalina)	DR		X	X	May 30
AK – Structure Fire (South Tongass)	DR		X	X	May 30
MI – Severe Storm and Tornadoes	DR	X		X	Jun 6
PR – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X	X	X	Jun 7
NH – Severe Winter Storm and Flooding	DR		X	X	Jun 10
Chickasaw Nation – Severe Storms	DR		X	X	Jun 11
MO – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Jun 12
KY – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X	X	X	Jun 14
KS – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		X	X	Jun 24
IA – Severe Winter Storms and Snowstorms (Appeal)	DR		X	X	Jun 24
MT/*RBIR/**FBIC – Severe Winter Storm and Flooding	DR		X	X	Jun 28

*Rocky Boy's Indian Reservation

**Fort Belknap Indian Community



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