

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, July 8, 2025

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- Flash Flooding – Texas

Hazard Monitoring

- Severe Thunderstorms – Mid-Atlantic to Northeast
- Excessive Rainfall / Flash Flooding – Southern Plains, Lower Mississippi Valley, Mid-Atlantic, Northeast
- Fire Weather – Western U.S.
- Tropical Activity:
 - Eastern Pacific:
 - Disturbance 1: Low (10%)

Disaster Declaration Activity

- No new declaration activity

Event Monitoring

- No new significant events



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Flash Flooding – Texas



Situation: Catastrophic flooding occurred over portions of central Texas. This evening, additional rainfall has the potential to produce new flash, urban and small stream flooding as significant runoff continues to route into rivers and streams. FEMA Region VI has activated and deployed regional assets in support of state-managed and locally executed operations.

Lifeline Impacts: (FEMA RVI SLB, as of 6:00 p.m. ET, Jul 7)

Safety & Security: Search and rescue operations are ongoing

- 27 people missing; search-and-rescue, reunification efforts ongoing (FEMA RVI Update, as of 9:00 p.m. ET, Jul 7)

Food, Hydration, Shelter: Shelters open statewide.

- 13 (-6) state and local shelters open / 235 occupants
- 3 (-1) ARC shelters open / 233 occupants (ARC Shelter Report, as of 6:50 a.m. ET, Jul 8)

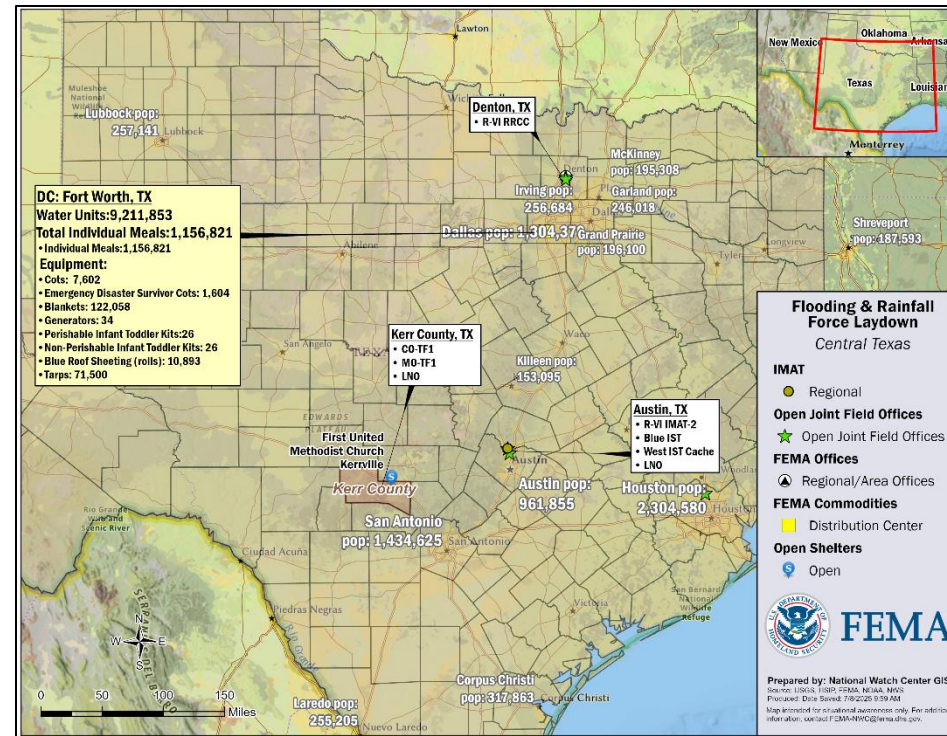
Health & Medical: 104 total fatalities statewide (FEMA RVI Update as of 9:00 p.m. ET, Jul 7)

Water Systems: Assessments ongoing.

- 6 drinking water systems under boil notices
- 2 water/wastewater teams deployed

Transportation: Decreasing impacts to state-maintained roads.

- 21 (-7) roads impacted by floodwater in El Paso and Odessa districts
- 11 (-11) roads closed due to highwater in Austin, Lubbock, and Waco



State / Local Response:

- TX SEOC at Partial Activation (Flooding)
- TX-TF1 and TX-TF2 are deployed under state authorities for search and rescue operations
- A family reunification center is open in Kerrville
- FEMA-4879-DR-TX approved on Jul 6

FEMA / Federal Response:

FEMA RVI:

- RRCC is at Level III (Flooding)
- R-IMAT-2 is deployed to Austin, TX (FEMA-4879-DR-TX)

HQ:

- NWC is Monitoring
- NRCC is at Steady State; Blue Team is rostered
- N-IMAT White is available; R-IMATs backups available: II, IV-2, & X

US&R:

- Blue IST with West IST Cache deployed to Austin, TX
- Two NIMS Type 3 Task Forces (CO-TF1 and MO-TF1) w/water rescue capabilities to Kerr County, TX

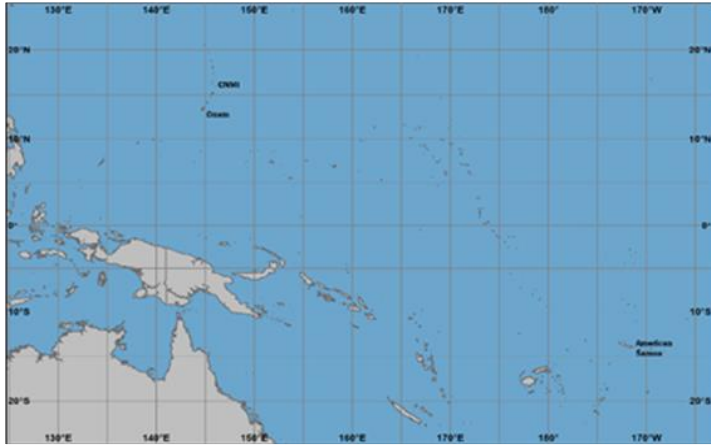
Other Federal Agencies:

- USCG SAR assets in Kerrville
- CBP Border Search Trauma and Rescue (BORSTAR) teams supporting search and rescue operations



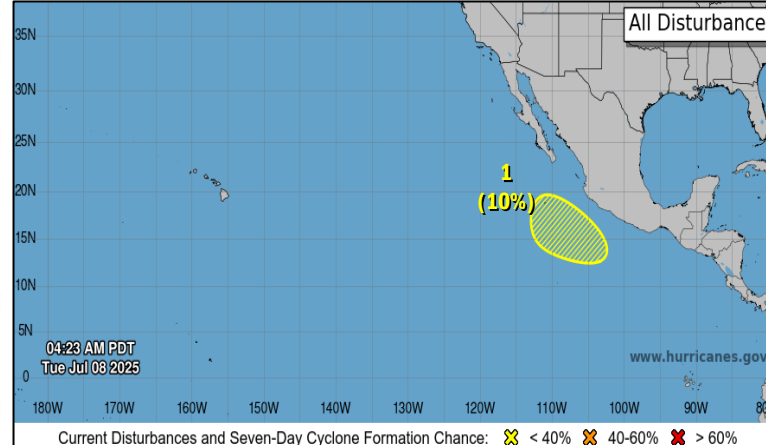
Tropical Outlook

Western Pacific



- No tropical cyclones threatening the U.S. territories

Central and Eastern Pacific



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

- Located several hundred miles offshore of southwestern Mexico
- Conditions are marginally conducive for development
- Formation chance: 48-hour: Low (near 0%); 7-day: Low (10%)

Atlantic

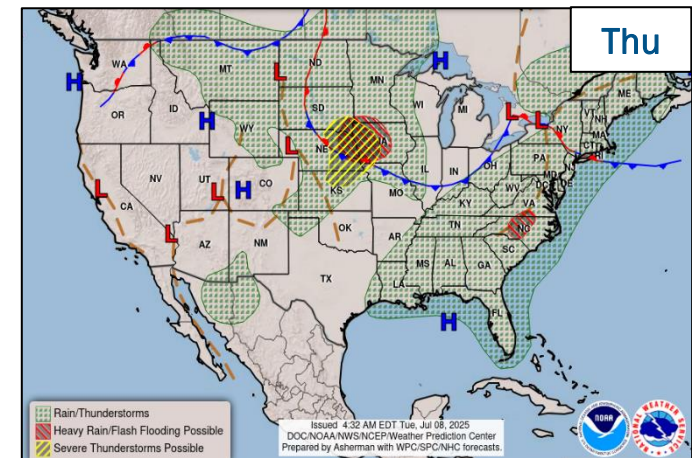
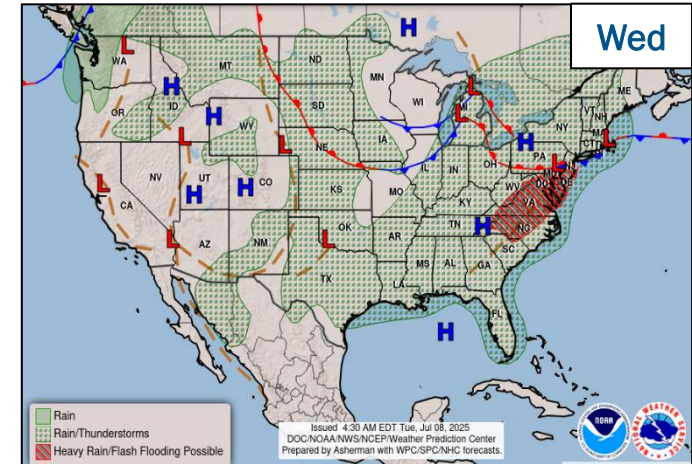
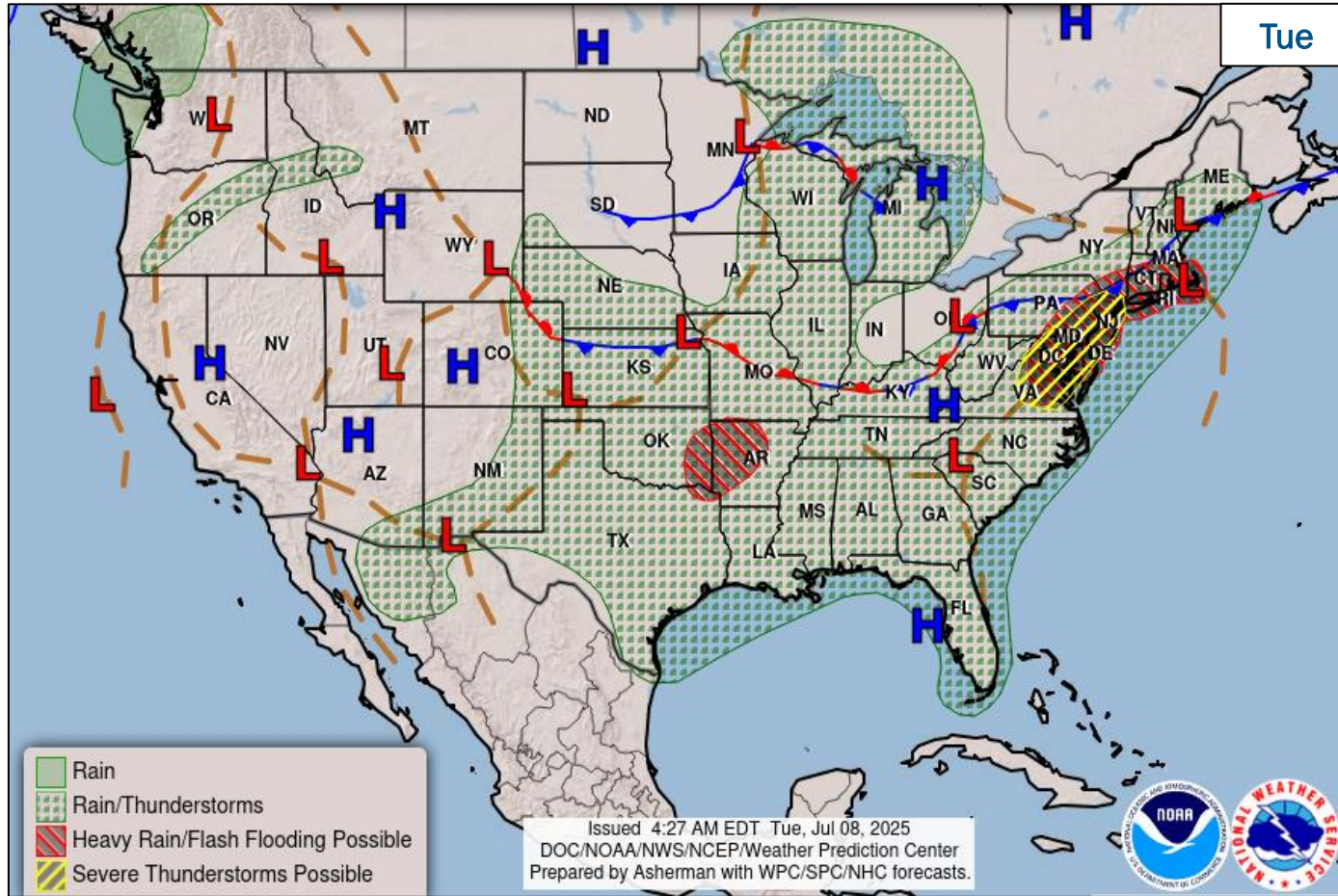


- No tropical cyclones expected during the next 7 days



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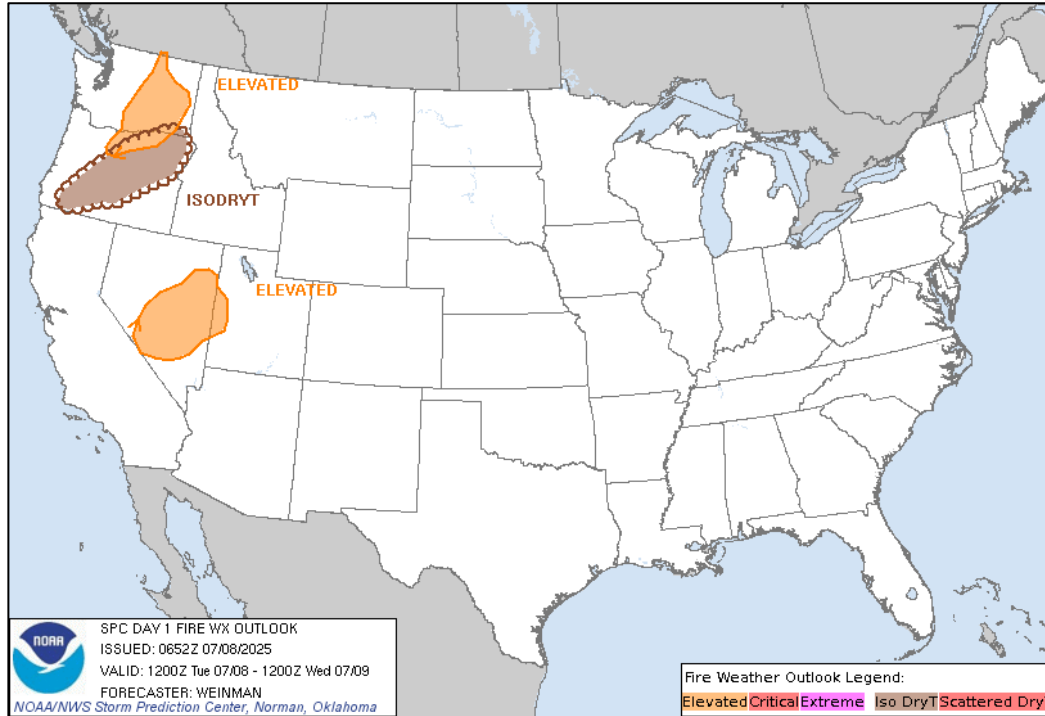
National Weather Forecast



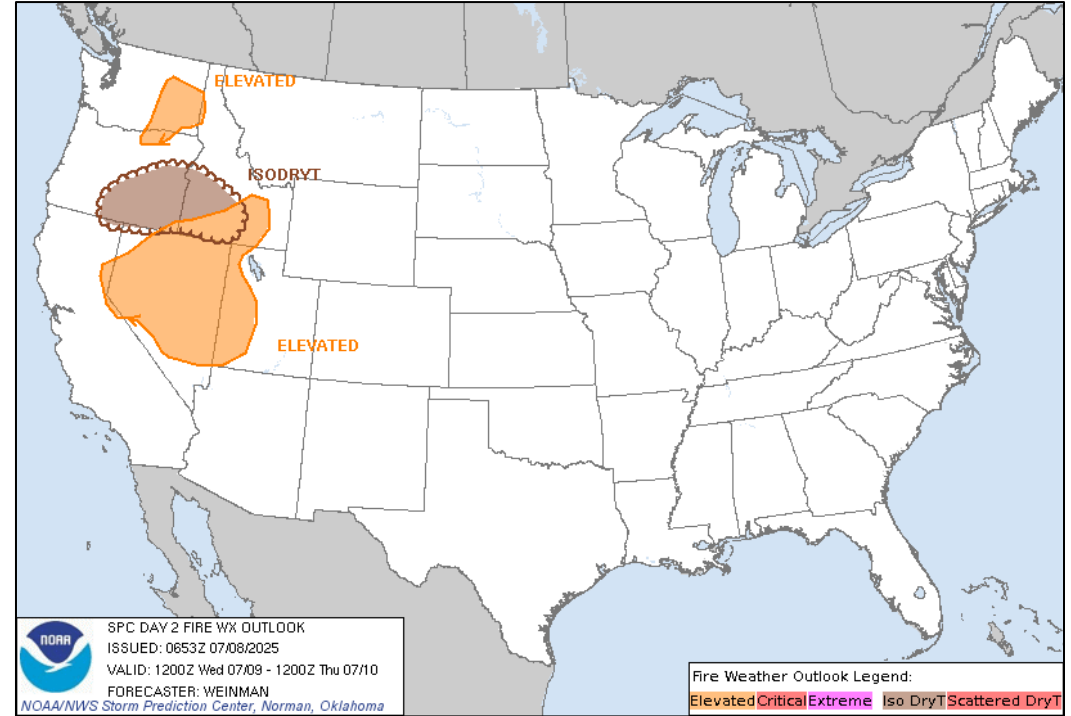
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Fire Weather Outlook



Today



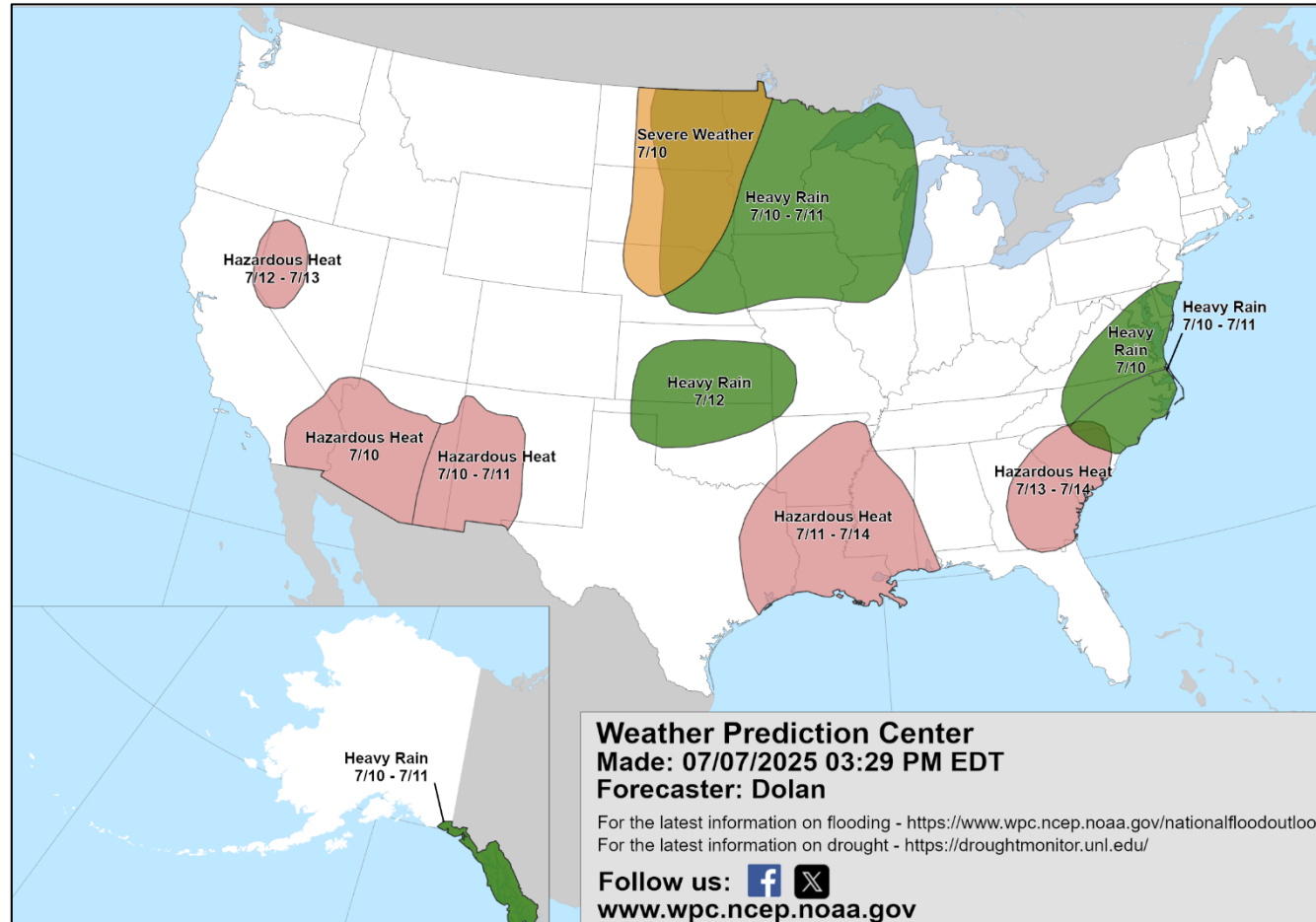
Tomorrow



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Hazards Outlook – Jul 10-14



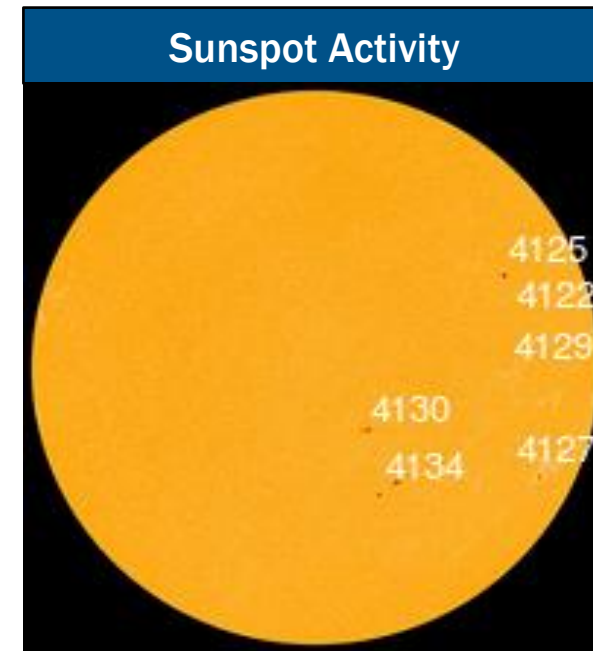
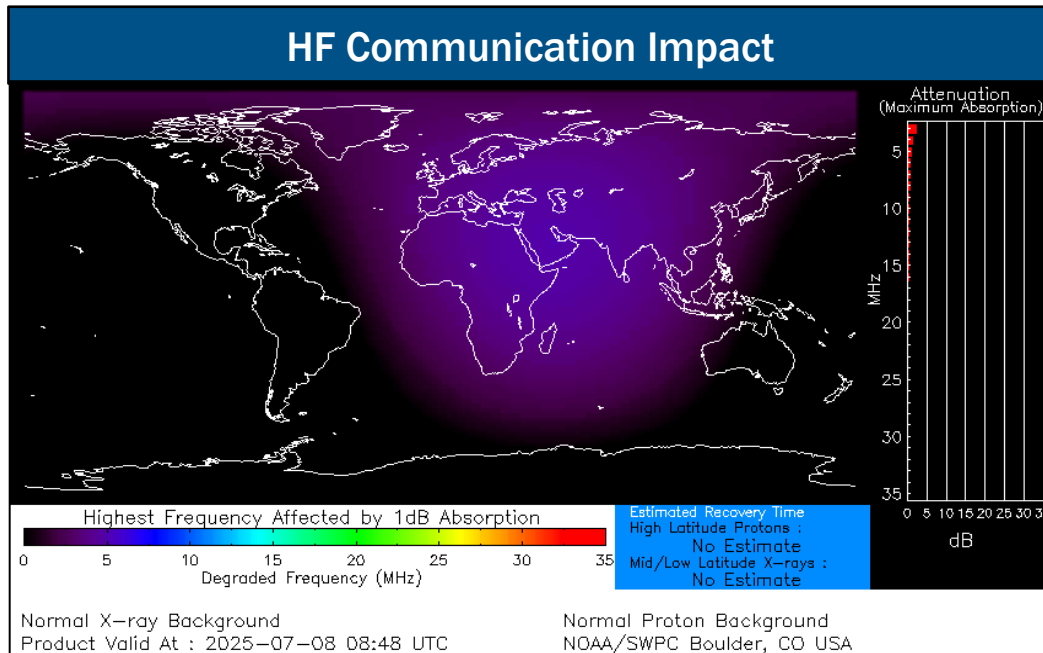
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Space Weather Outlook

| Minor | Space Weather Activity | Geomagnetic Storms | Solar Radiation | Radio Blackouts |
|---------------|------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Past 24 Hours | Minor | None | None | R1 |
| Next 24 Hours | None | None | 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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Wildfire Summary

| Fire Name (County, ST) | FMAG # | Acres Burned | Percent Contained | Evacuations | Structures (Homes / Other) | | | Fatalities / Injuries |
|---|------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------|----------------------------|---------|-----------|-----------------------|
| | | | | | Threatened | Damaged | Destroyed | |
| Bear Creek (Denali Borough, AK) | 5595-FM-AK | 30,920 (+852) | 17% | M: 81 | H: 0 | H: 0 | H: 21 | 0 / 7 (+2) |
| | | | | V: 0 | O: 0 | O: 0 | O: 27 | |
| Himalaya Road (Fairbanks North Star Borough, AK) | 5596-FM-AK | 6,059 (+187) | 0% | M: 150 | H: 200 | H: 0 | H: 0 | 0 / 2 (+1) |
| | | | | V: 0 | O: 0 | O: 1 | O: 0 | |
| Nenana Ridge Complex (Fairbanks North Star, AK) | 5597-FM-AK | 30,218 (+7,038) | 0% | M: 146 | H: 33 | H: 0 | H: 0 | 0 / 0 |
| | | | | V: 0 | O: 20 | O: 0 | O: 0 | |

(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

19 Joint Field Offices **Supporting** **71** Major Disasters **+** **8** Emergency Declarations **10** Direct Housing Missions **14** RSF-Supported Disasters **6** Joint Recovery Offices

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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 | Level III |
| Monitoring VII | Rostered |
| Monitoring VIII | Rostered |
| Monitoring IX | Rostered |
| Monitoring X | Rostered |
| Notes: | |
| NRCC/RWCs/RRCCs: • RV RWC: Staffing • RVI RRCC: Flooding | State EOCs: • AK/AZ/HI/NM/OR/TX/UT/WA: Wildfires • MO: Severe Weather • FL/KY/TN: Previous Incidents • MD/TX: Flooding • KY: Civil Disturbance |
| Volunteer Force | |
| Rostered 7,985 | Deployed 3 |
| Surge Capacity Force | |
| Rostered 8,489 | Deployed 0 |

| N-IMATs | |
|---------------------|--------------|
| 2-5 Teams Available | |
| Red | |
| White | |
| Blue | |
| Gold | |
| HS | |
| R-IMATs | |
| 4-6 Teams Available | |
| I | |
| II | 2 |
| III | MO (Jun 20) |
| IV-1 | TN (Jun 23) |
| IV-2 | 3 |
| V | |
| VI-1 | AR (May 15) |
| VI-2 | TX (Jul 6) |
| VII | MO (Jun 10) |
| VIII | MT (Jul 6) |
| IX-1 | CA (Jan 8) |
| IX-2 | CA (June 30) |
| X | 1 |

| REGIONAL BREAKDOWN | | | |
|--------------------|-----|----|--------|
| | JFO | DR | EM JRO |
| I | 1 | 2 | 0 0 |
| II | 0 | 0 | 0 2 |
| III | 2 | 8 | 1 0 |
| IV | 6 | 26 | 7 1 |
| V | 0 | 0 | 0 0 |
| VI | 3 | 9 | 0 3 |
| VII | 4 | 20 | 0 0 |
| VIII | 1 | 1 | 0 0 |
| IX | 2 | 5 | 0 0 |
| X | 0 | 0 | 0 0 |

Alaska: Himalaya Road, Nenana Ridge Complex, Bear Creek

Oakland, CA: DR-4482-CA • R-IX IMAT-2

Pasadena, CA: DR-4856-CA • R-IX IMAT-1

Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands

Guam

Hawaii

American Samoa

Billings, MT: DR-4847-CTM • R-VIII IMAT

St. Louis, MO: DR-4877-MO • R-VII IMAT • R-III IMAT

Frankfort, KY: DR-4663-KY, DR-4711-KY, DR-4804-KY, Closing July 15

Nashville, TN: DR-4878-TN • R-IV IMAT-1

Sherwood, AR: DR-4865-AR • R-VI IMAT-1

Austin, TX: DR-4879-TX • R-VI IMAT-2

Disaster Labels: Elevated Fire Wx., Isolated Dry Thunderstorms, Severe Wx.: Slight Risk, Locally Considerable Flash, Urban & Small Stream Flooding, Locally Heavy Rainfall, Considerable Flash, Small Stream, & Urban Flooding

- FMAG
- FEMA HQ
- Regional Offices
- Joint Field Offices
- Joint Recovery Offices
- Direct Housing Mission
- Active RSF Missions
- Pre-Positioned Sites
- Federal Staging Area
- Incident Support Base
- Distribution Center
- Temporary Housing Storage Area/Site
- Large Fires
- Staging Management Team

State Activation

- Full
- Partial
- Monitoring
- Declared
- Counties

IM Workforce

12,378 (-11) Assigned
4,593 (-69) Unavailable
5,957 (+70) Deployed

15% / 1,828 (-36) Available

IM Cadre Availability

20 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Alternative Dispute Resolution: 10% (3/30); Civil Rights: 17% (25/145); Disaster Field Training Operations: 12% (8/69); Disability Integration: 18% (5/28); Disaster Survivor Assistance: 21% (227/1,102); External Affairs: 11% (35/331); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 8% (56/710); Field Leadership: 6% (8/130); Financial Management: 18% (34/193); Hazard Mitigation: 7% (63/853); Human Resources: 11% (19/169); Individual Assistance: 10% (257/2,450); Interagency Recovery Coordination: 20% (49/248); Information Technology: 13% (80/628); Logistics: 17% (273/1,580); Operations: 11% (42/381); Public Assistance: 11% (235/2,117); Planning: 6% (25/388); Safety: 13% (12/94); Security: 20% (23/114)

MERS

≥ 66%

33 Assigned
3 Unavailable
0 Deployed

30 Available

US&R

≥ 66%

28 Assigned
3 (+1) Unavailable
2 (+2) Deployed

23 (-3) Available

FCO

≤ 1 Type I

40 Assigned
0 Unavailable
37 (+3) (20(+1) FCO) Deployed

3 (-3) Available

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

| Region | State / Location | Incident | IA | Number of Counties | | Start - End |
|--------|------------------|--|----|--------------------|----------|-------------|
| | | | PA | Requested | Complete | |
| VII | KS | Severe Storms & Flooding Jun 14 | IA | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| | | | PA | 13 | 0 | TBD - TBD |
| VIII | SWO* | Severe Storms and Flooding Jun 12-17 | IA | 1 | 0 | 7/14 - TBD |
| | | | PA | 1 | 0 | 7/14 - TBD |
| | ND | Tornadoes and Severe Storms Jun 20-21 | IA | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| | | | PA | 17 | 0 | TBD - TBD |

*Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate



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Declaration Requests in Process – 12

| State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description | Type | IA | PA | HM | Requested |
|---|------|----|----|----|-----------|
| MI – Severe Winter Storm | DR | X | X | X | May 16 |
| OR – Severe Storms, Flooding , Landslides, Mudslides | DR | X | X | X | May 19 |
| IN – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding | DR | X | X | X | May 28 |
| KY – Severe Winter Storm (Appeal) | DR | | X | X | Jun 4 |
| MD – Severe Storms and Flooding | DR | | X | X | Jun 11 |
| KS – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding | DR | | X | X | Jun 17 |
| WV – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Landslides, and Flooding | EM | | X | | Jun 20 |
| WV – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Landslides, and Flooding | DR | X | | X | Jun 20 |
| MO – Severe Storms and Flooding | DR | | X | X | Jun 21 |
| RST* – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and a Tornado | DR | X | X | X | Jun 26 |
| RRPIC** – Flooding, Fire Hazard, and Hazardous Material Contamination | EM | | X | | Jun 24 |
| OK – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding | DR | | X | X | Jul 2 |

*Rosebud Sioux Tribe, ** Robinson Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California



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