

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, September 7, 2024

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- No significant incidents / operations

Hazard Monitoring

- Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding – Gulf Coast
- Excessive Heat – Southwest California
- Tropical Activity:
 - Atlantic:
 - Disturbance 1: Med (60%)
 - Disturbance 2: Low (30%)
 - Eastern Pacific:
 - Disturbance 1: Low (30%)
 - Western Pacific:
 - Disturbance 1 (95W): Med

Disaster Declaration Activity

- No new declaration activity

Event Monitoring

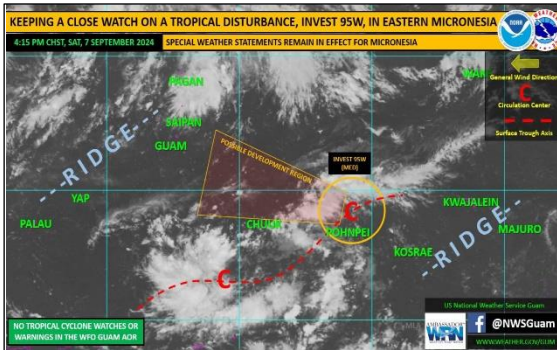
- No significant events



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Tropical Outlook

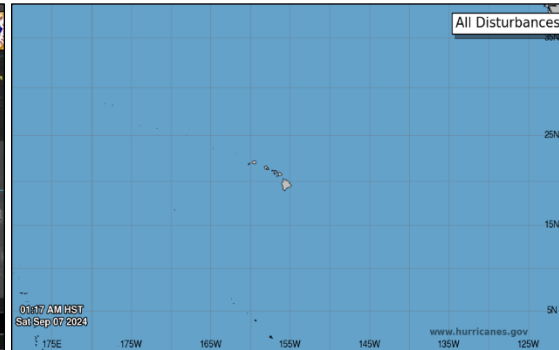
Western Pacific



Disturbance 1 (95W): (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

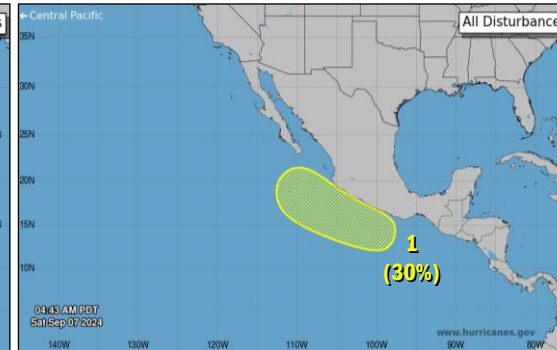
- Located well east of Guam; just N of Pohnpei
- Tropical Cyclone development is likely, but expected to occur beyond 24 hours

Central Pacific



- No tropical cyclones expected during the next 7 days

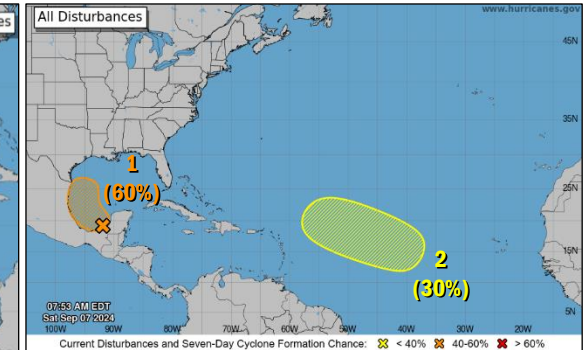
Eastern Pacific



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

- Located off the coast of southern Mexico
- Moving NW
- Gradual development is possible in the middle parts of next week
- Formation chance: 48-hour – Low (near 0%); 7-day – Low (30%)

Atlantic



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

- Located over the Bay of Campeche
- Moving NW
- Tropical depression could form during the early or middle part of next week
- Formation chance: 48-hour – Medium (40%); 7-day – Medium (60%)

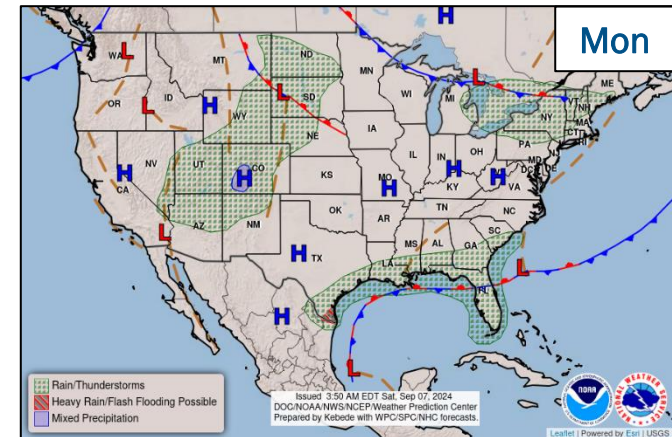
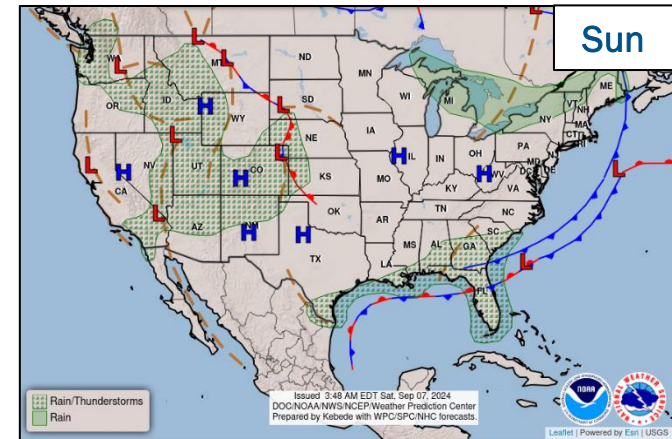
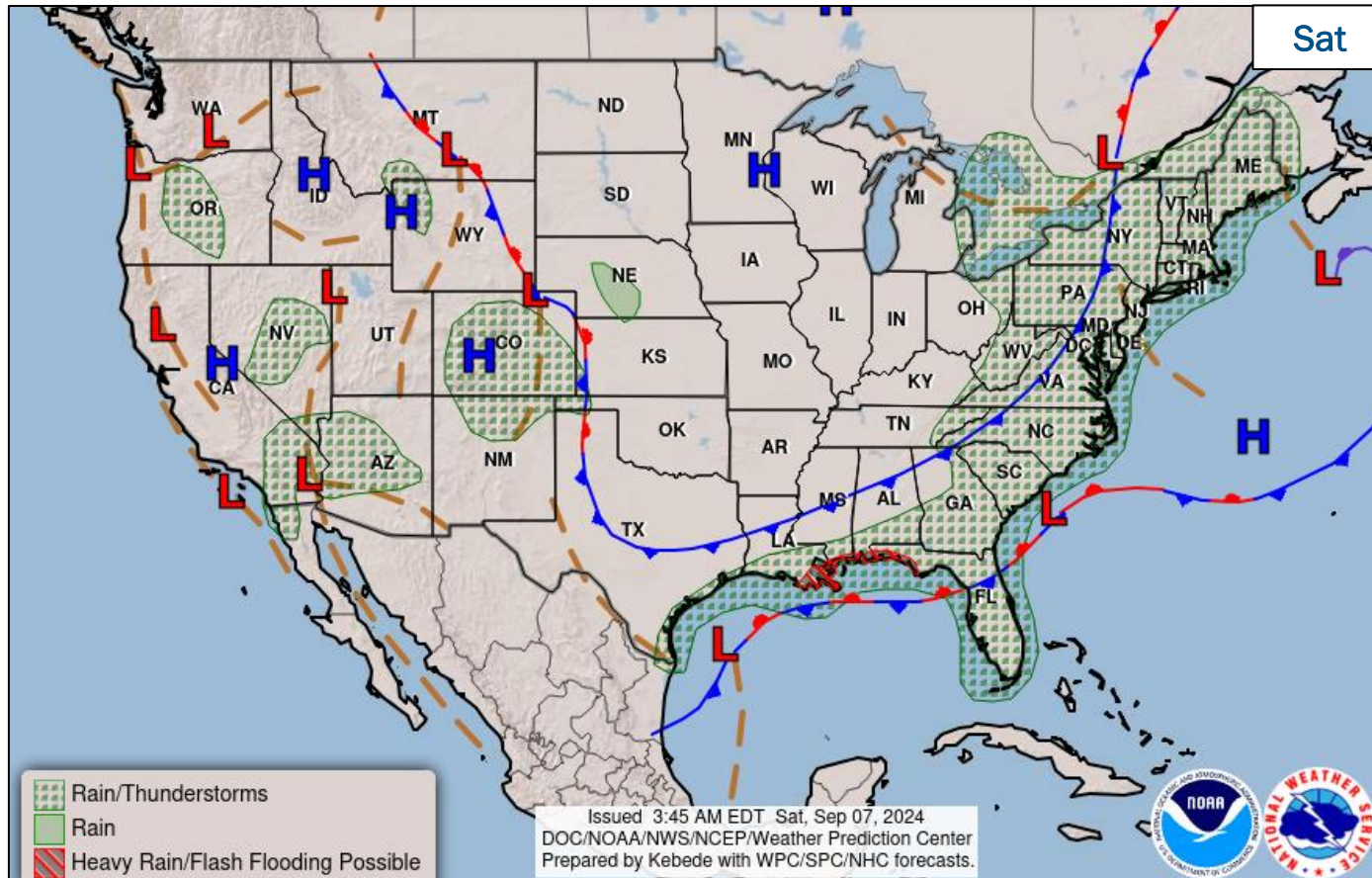
Disturbance 2: (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Located over the eastern and central tropical Atlantic
- Some slow development is possible early next week
- Formation chance: 48-hour – Low (near 0%); 7-day – Low (30%)



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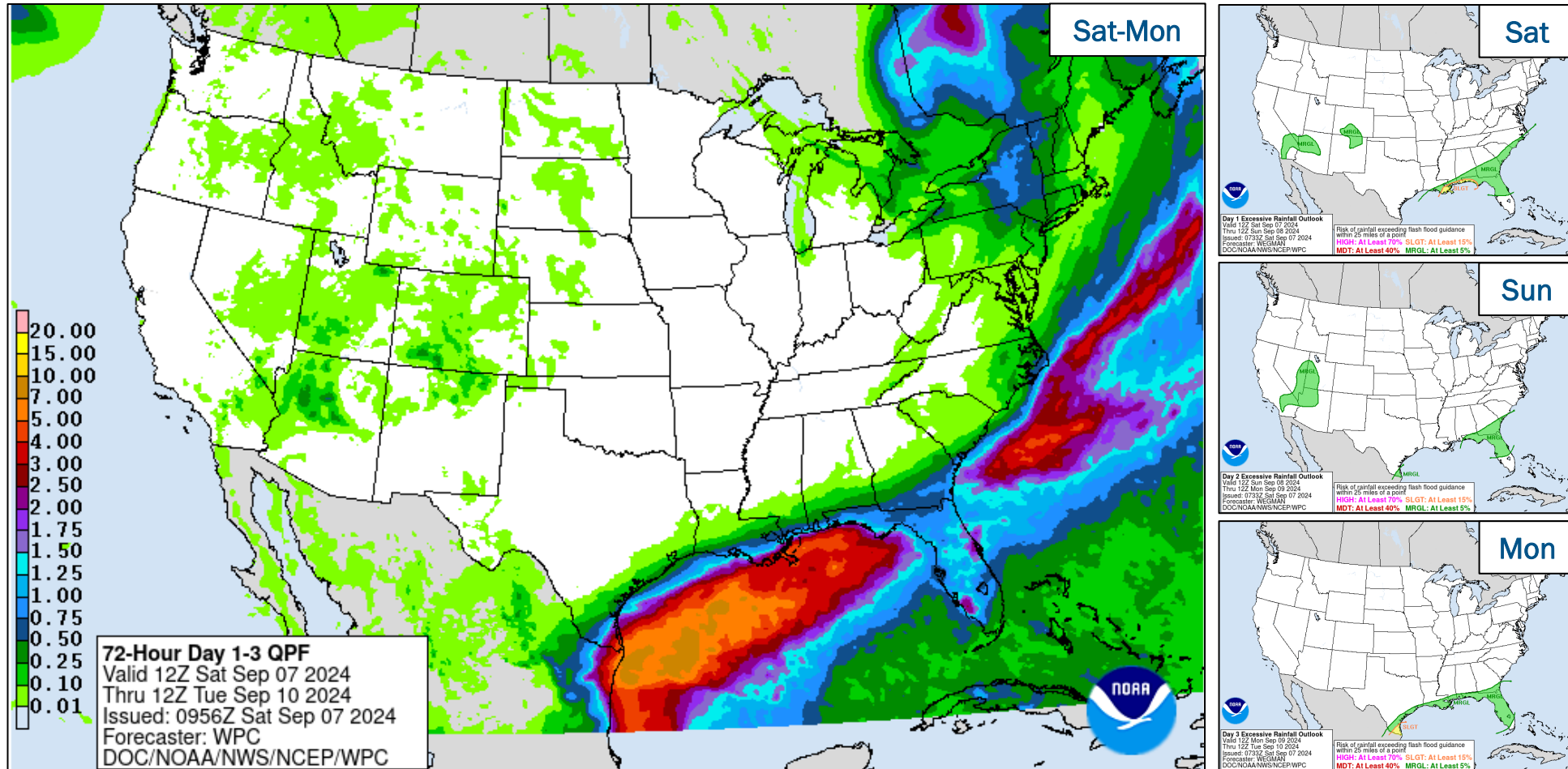
National Weather Forecast



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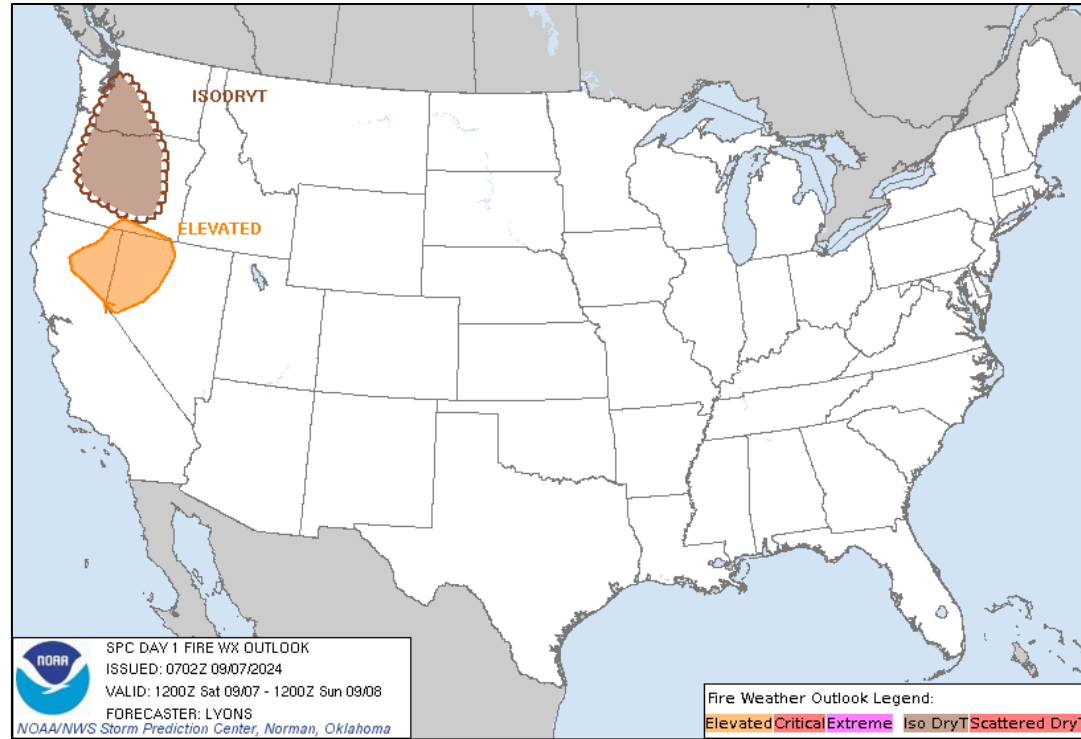
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



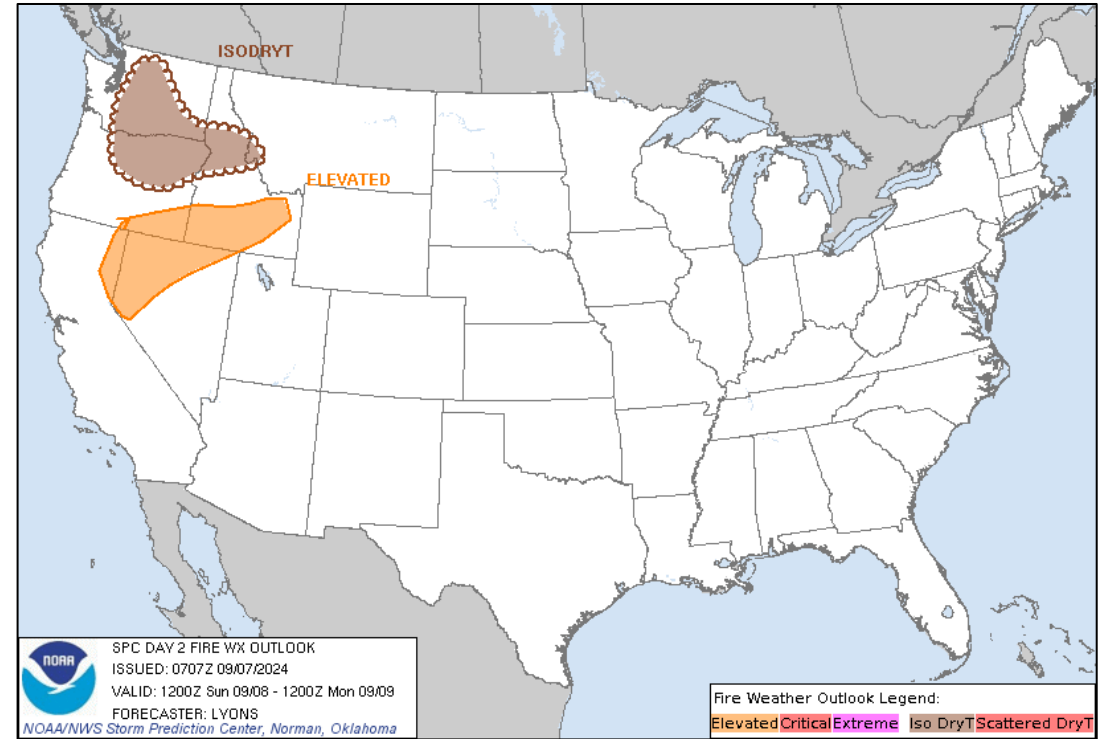
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Fire Weather Outlook



Today



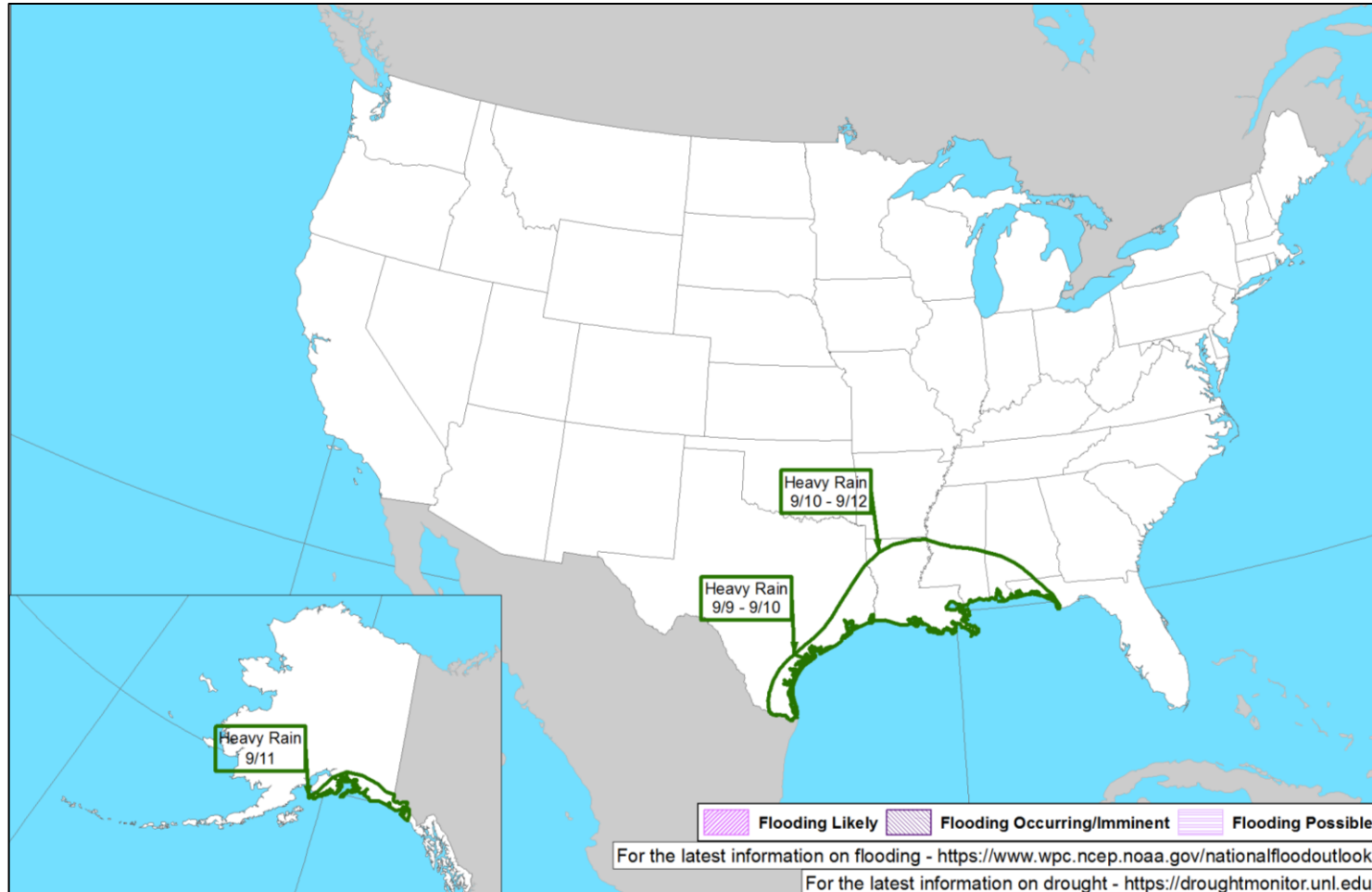
Tomorrow



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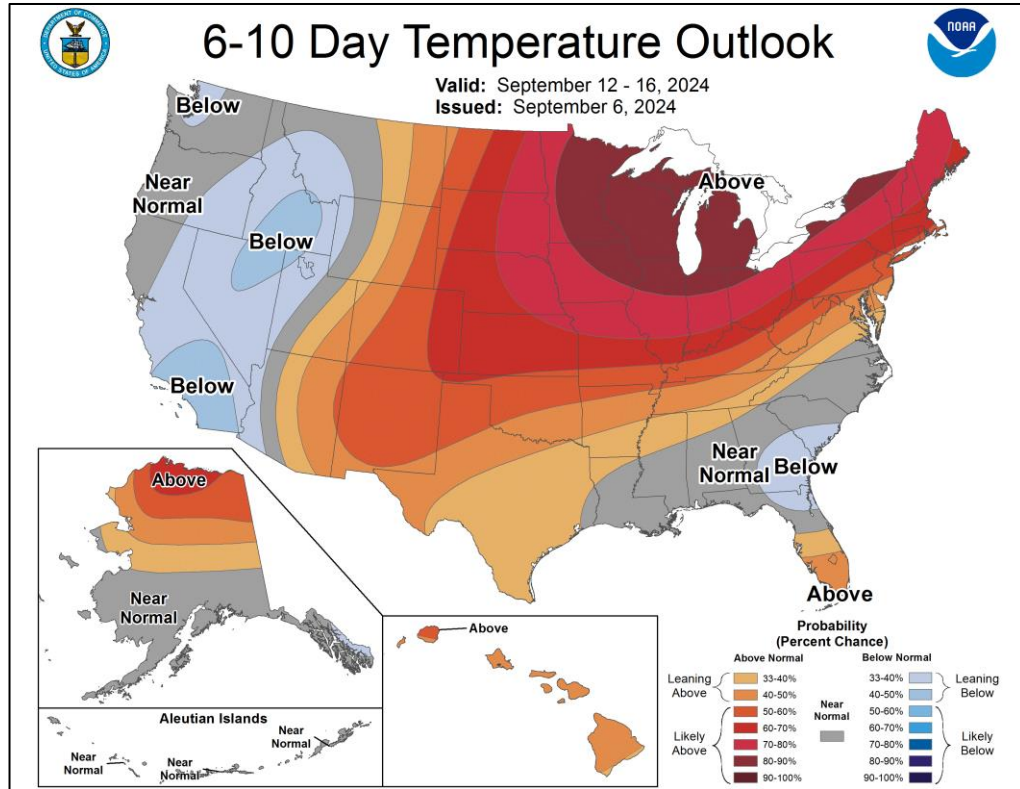
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Hazards Outlook – Sep 9-13

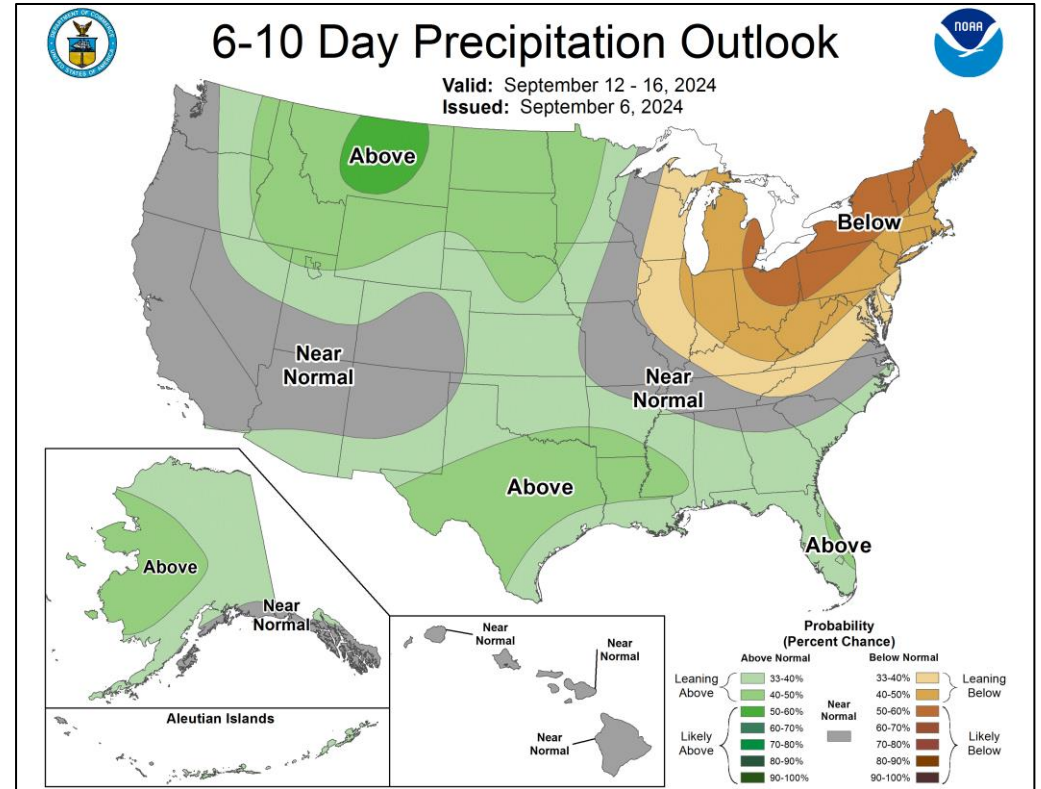


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Long Range Outlooks – Sep 12-16



6-10 Day Temperature Probability



6-10 Day Precipitation Probability

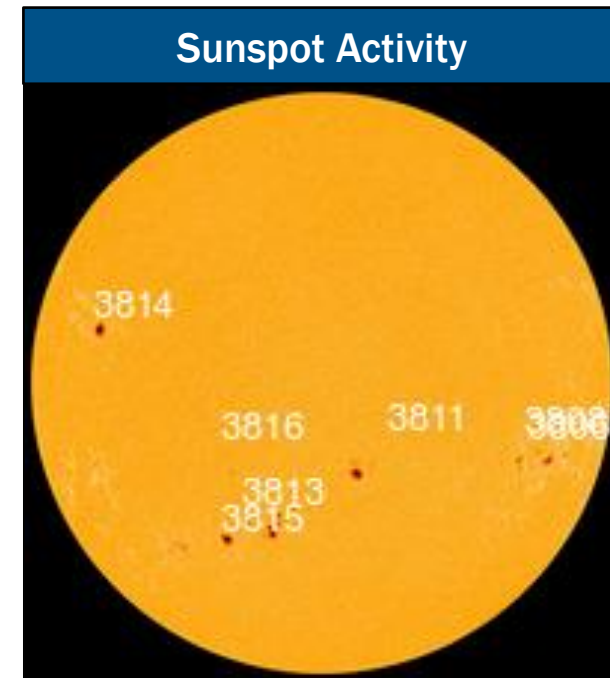
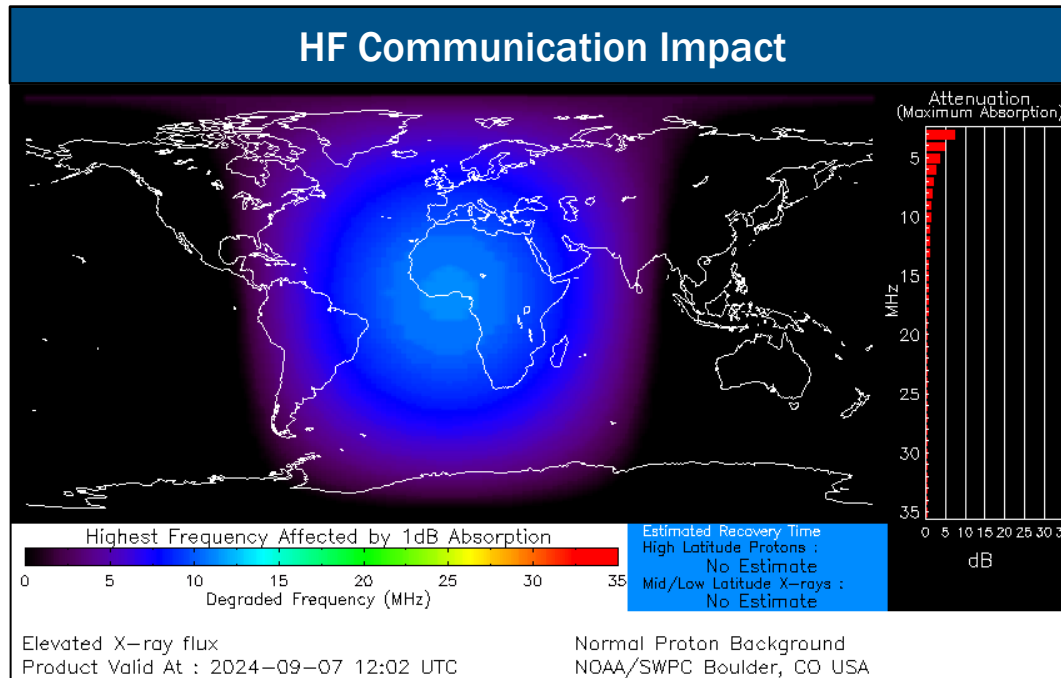


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Space Weather Outlook

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

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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National Fire Activity *(as of Sep 6)*

National Preparedness Level

PL 5

Initial Attack Activity <i>(24-hour period)</i>	Light <i>(70 fires)</i>
New large fires:	8
Large fires contained:	3
Uncontained large fires:	67
Cumulative Acres Burned	6,684,645
Total Responders	19,689
Type 1 IMTs deployed	3
Complex IMTs deployed	25 of 41



Preparedness Levels Legend

PL 1	Minimal fire activity; many resources available
PL 2	Large wildland fires burning throughout country; resources mobilized from other areas
PL 3	Wildfire activity ongoing throughout 25% of country; National Interagency Coordination Center (NICC) sets priorities, allocates resources, and mobilizes assets at national level
PL 4	High levels of fire activity and areas are competing for firefighting resources; 60% of the nation's wildland firefighting resources committed
PL 5	Extremely high levels of fire activity; 80% of nation's firefighting resources committed

Wildfire Summary

Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Copperfield (Klamath, OR)	5532-FM-OR	3,822	57% (+14)	M: 462	H: 208	H: 0	H: 8	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 200	O: 0	O: 22	

(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

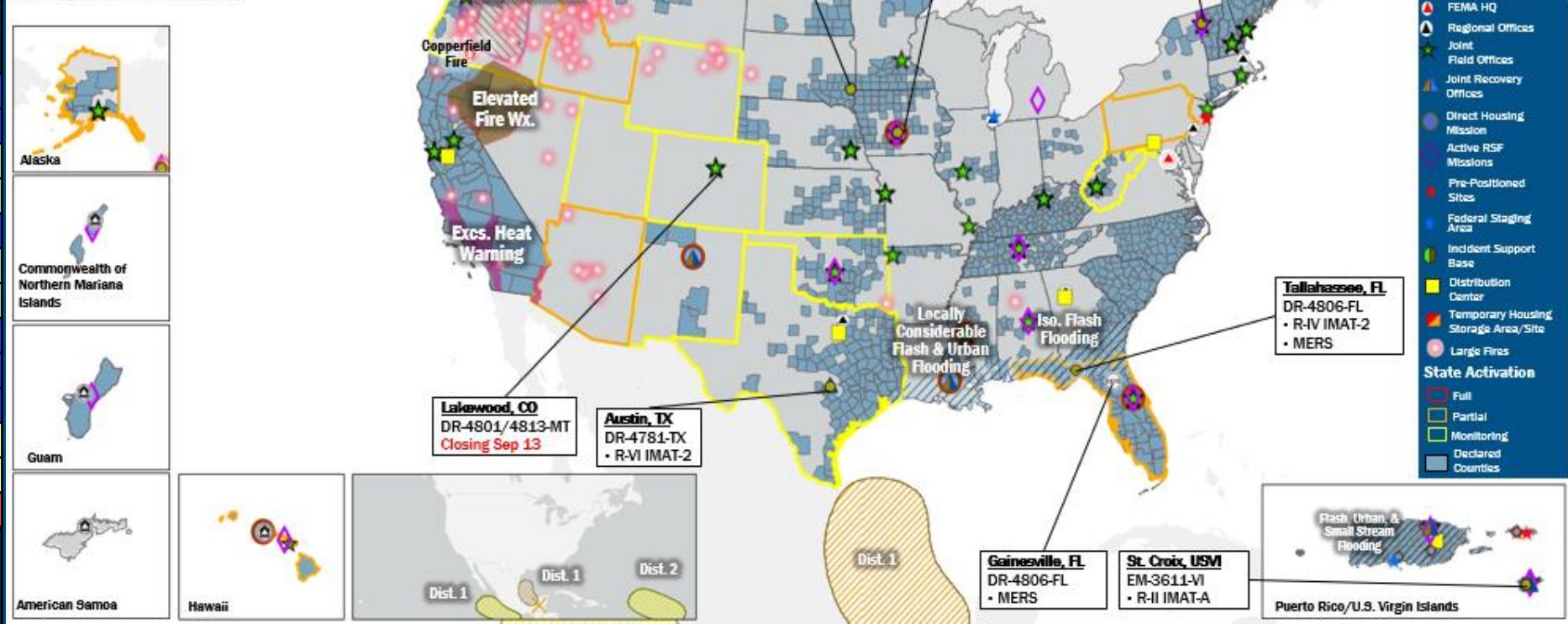
23 + 5 Joint Field Offices Virtual Joint Field Offices Supporting
99 + 8 Major Disasters Emergency Declarations
11 Direct Housing Missions **17** RSF-Supported Disasters **5** Joint Recovery Offices

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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 Rostered
Monitoring	VII Rostered
Monitoring	VIII Rostered
Monitoring	IX Rostered
Monitoring	X Rostered
Notes:	
NRCC/RWCs/RRCCs: • NSTR	State EOCs: • OK: Severe Weather • TX: TC Beryl • HI/OK/NM/OR/WA/ID/WY: Wildfires • AZ: SW Border • CO: Hwy. 50 closure/Avian Flu • AK/NM/AZ/UT: Flooding • FL/PA: TC Debby • WV: Drought
Volunteer Force	
Rostered 7,840	Deployed 11
Surge Capacity Force	
Rostered 7,786	Deployed 0

N-IMATs	
2-5 Teams Available	
Red	
White	
Blue	
Gold	
HS	
R-IMATs	
4-6 Teams Available	
I	VT (Aug 19)
II	VI (Aug 9)
III	
IV-1	3
IV-2	FL (Aug 2)
V	2
VI-1	1
VI-2	TX (May 17)
VII	IA (Jun 24)
VIII	SD (Aug 16)
IX-1	Personnel
IX-2	Personnel
X	Personnel
Fully Mission Capable (FMC)	
Partially Mission Capable (PMC)	
Not Mission Capable (NMC)	
Deployed	

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN				
JFO/VFO	DR	EM	JRO	
I	4/0	16	2	0
II	1/1	4	2	2
III	1/0	3	0	0
IV	5/0	25	4	0
V	2/0	3	0	0
VI	2/0	8	0	3
VII	3/1	10	0	0
VIII	0/1	4	0	0
IX	2/1	18	0	0
X	3/1	8	0	0



IM Workforce

13,667 (+1) Assigned
 4,899 (+9) Unavailable
 6,364 (+53) Deployed

18% / 2,404 (-61) Available

IM Cadre Availability

16 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Alternative Dispute Resolution: 23% (8/35); Disability Integration: 12% (5/43); External Affairs: 23% (122/522); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 13% (102/815); Field Leadership: 17% (25/148); Financial Management: 25% (58/232); Hazard Mitigation: 11% (132/1,243); Human Resources: 5% (8/167); Individual Assistance: 12% (304/2,531); Information Technology: 22% (137/637); Logistics: 13% (199/1,565); Operations: 14% (50/347); Public Assistance: 13% (288/2,216); Planning: 5% (23/459); Safety: 9% (8/94); Security: 9% (13/138)

MERS

≥ 66%

36 Assigned
 0 Unavailable
 1 Deployed

35 Available

US&R

≥ 66%

28 Assigned
 1 Unavailable
 0 Deployed

27 Available

FCO

2 Type I

52 Assigned
 6 Unavailable
 41 (+2) (31 FCOR) Deployed

25 (-2) Available

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties/Jurisdictions		Start – End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	CT	Severe Storms & Flooding Aug 18-19	IA	3	1	8/29 – TBD
			PA	3	0	9/13 – TBD
II	NY	Major Flooding (Severe Weather) Aug 19	IA	1	0	9/4 – TBD
			PA	2	0	9/3 – TBD
	PR	Tropical Cyclone Ernesto Aug 13-15	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	61 (+4)	4 (+4)	8/30 – TBD
IV	SC	Tropical Cyclone Debby Aug 3-22	IA	3	3 (+1)	8/29 – 9/5
			PA	13	3 (+2)	8/27 – TBD
IX	CA	Park Fire and Borel Fire Jul 24 and continuing	IA	3	2 (+2)	8/28 – TBD
			PA	0	0	N/A



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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
NY – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	EM		X		Jul 20
SCA* – Watch Fire	DR	X	X	X	Aug 16
VT – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Aug 21
PA – Tropical Cyclone Debby	DR	X		X	Aug 23
CTBYN** – Wildfires	DR	X	X	X	Aug 23
SRMT*** – Severe Storm and Flooding	DR		X	X	Aug 26
IL – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	DR	X		X	Aug 28
VT – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X	X	X	Aug 28
NE – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		X	X	Aug 29
KS – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		X	X	Sep 3
NE – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		X	X	Sep 6

* San Carlos Apache Tribe

** Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation

*** Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe



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