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Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, September 18, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations and Monitoring



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Significant Incidents or Threats:

- Tropical Cyclone Sally – Response
- Western Wildfires
- COVID-19
- Critical fire weather – Central Great Basin

Tropical Activity:

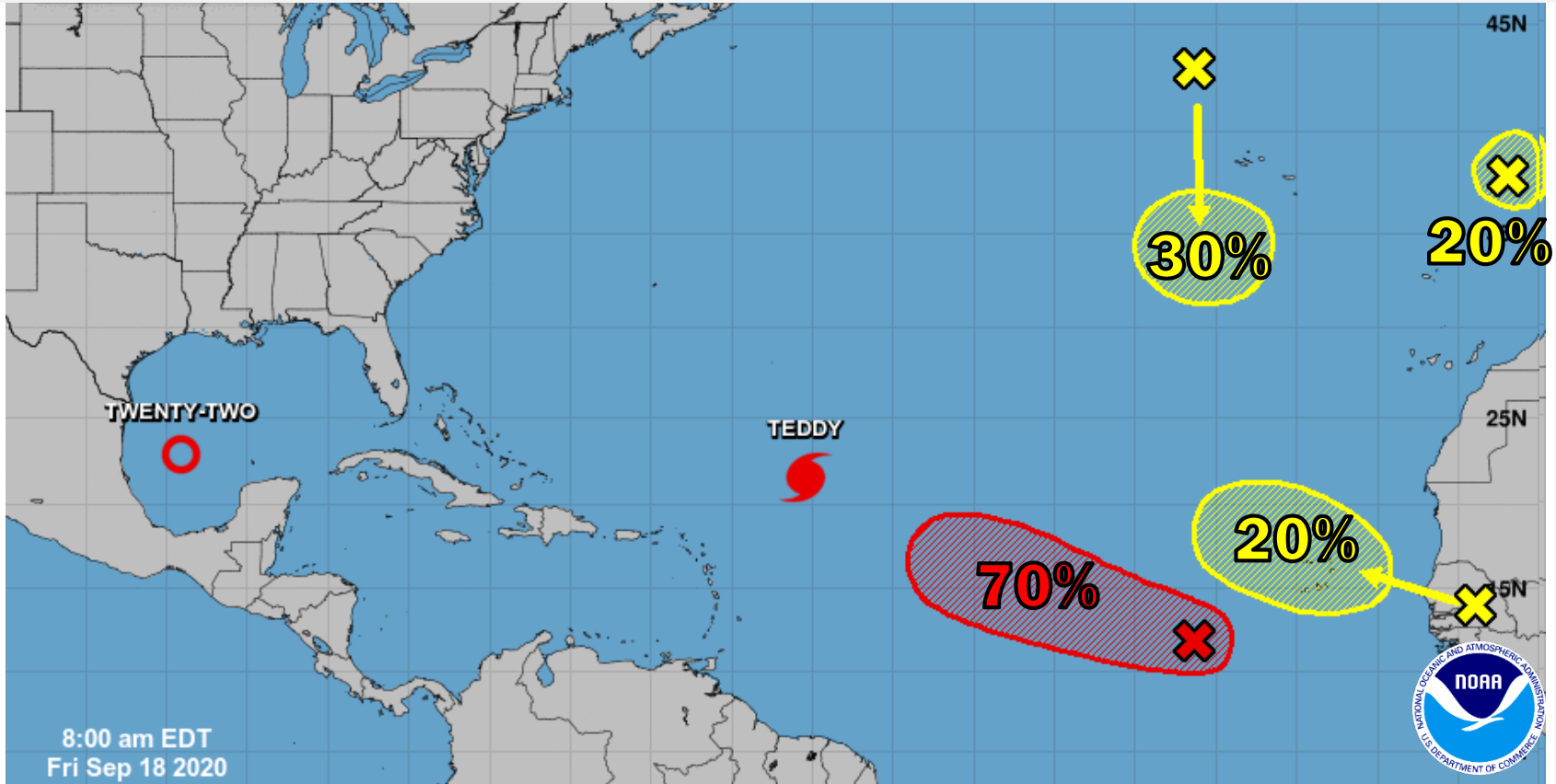
- Atlantic:
 - Tropical Cyclone Twenty-Two
 - Tropical Cyclone Teddy – CAT 4
 - Post-Tropical Cyclone Vicky – Final
 - Disturbance 1: High(70%)
 - Disturbance 2: Low (20%)
 - Disturbance 3: Low (30%)
 - Disturbance 4: Low (20%)
- Central Pacific:
 - Disturbance 1: Low (20%)
- Eastern Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Declaration Activity:

- Request: Major Disaster – Washington State

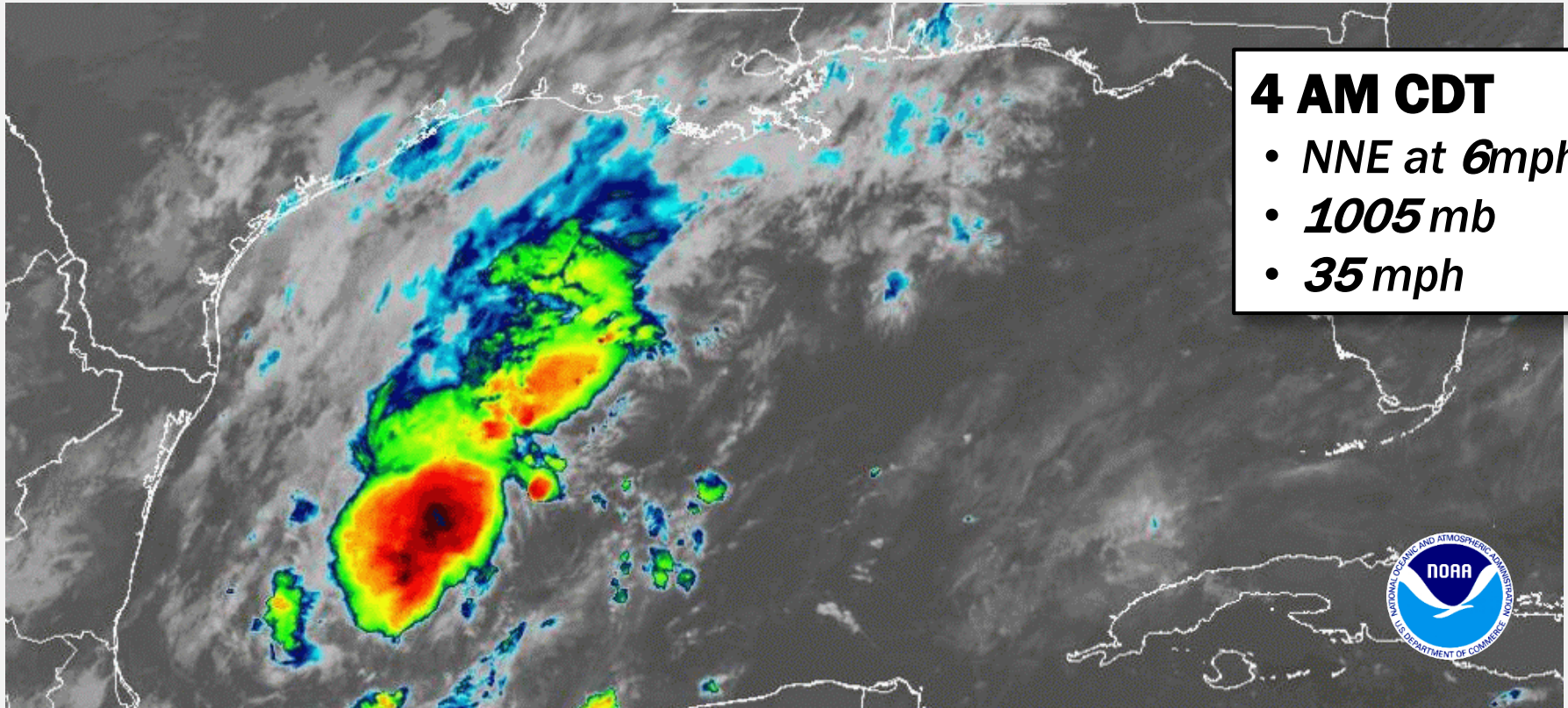
Atlantic Overview

TROPICAL OUTLOOK



Tropical Depression 22

SATELLITE



4 AM CDT

- *NNE at 6mph*
- *1005 mb*
- *35 mph*



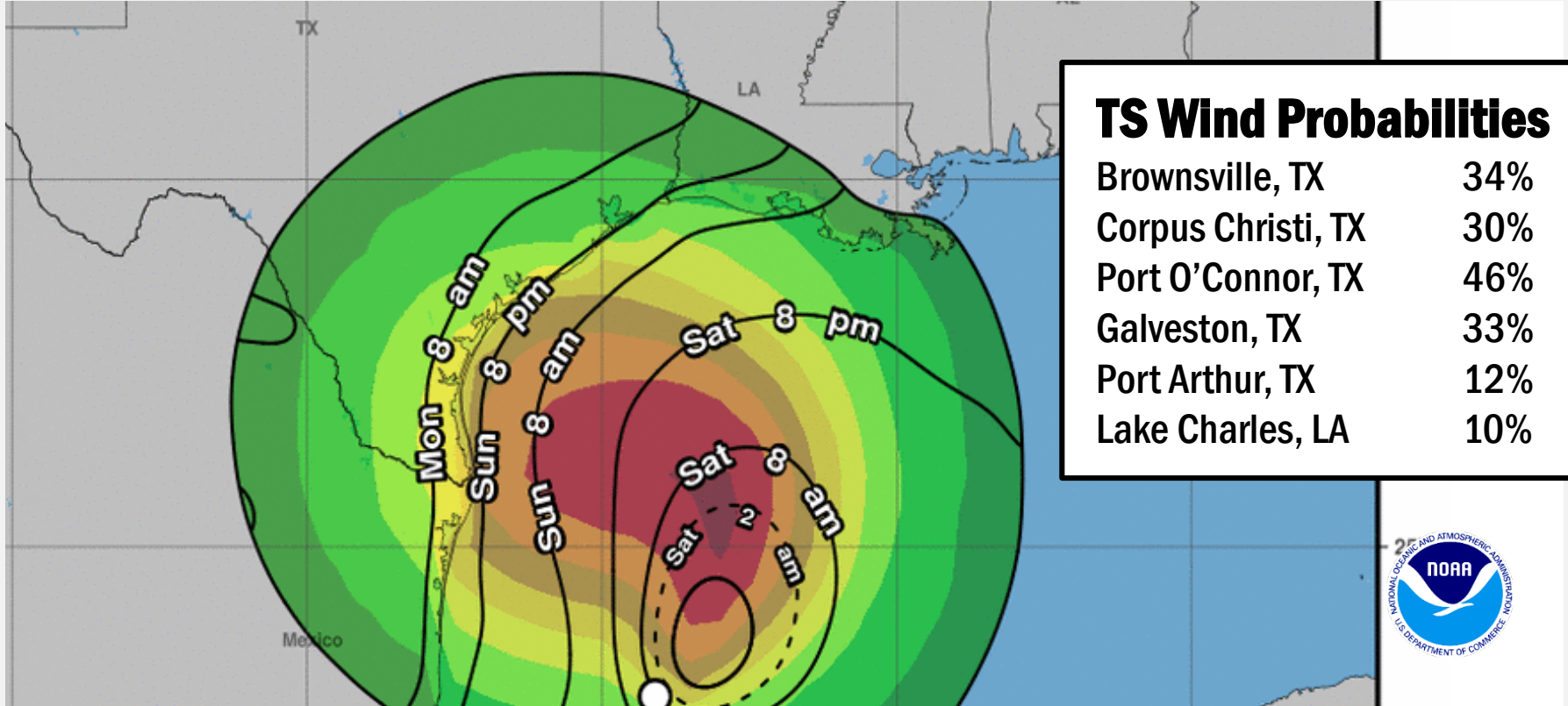
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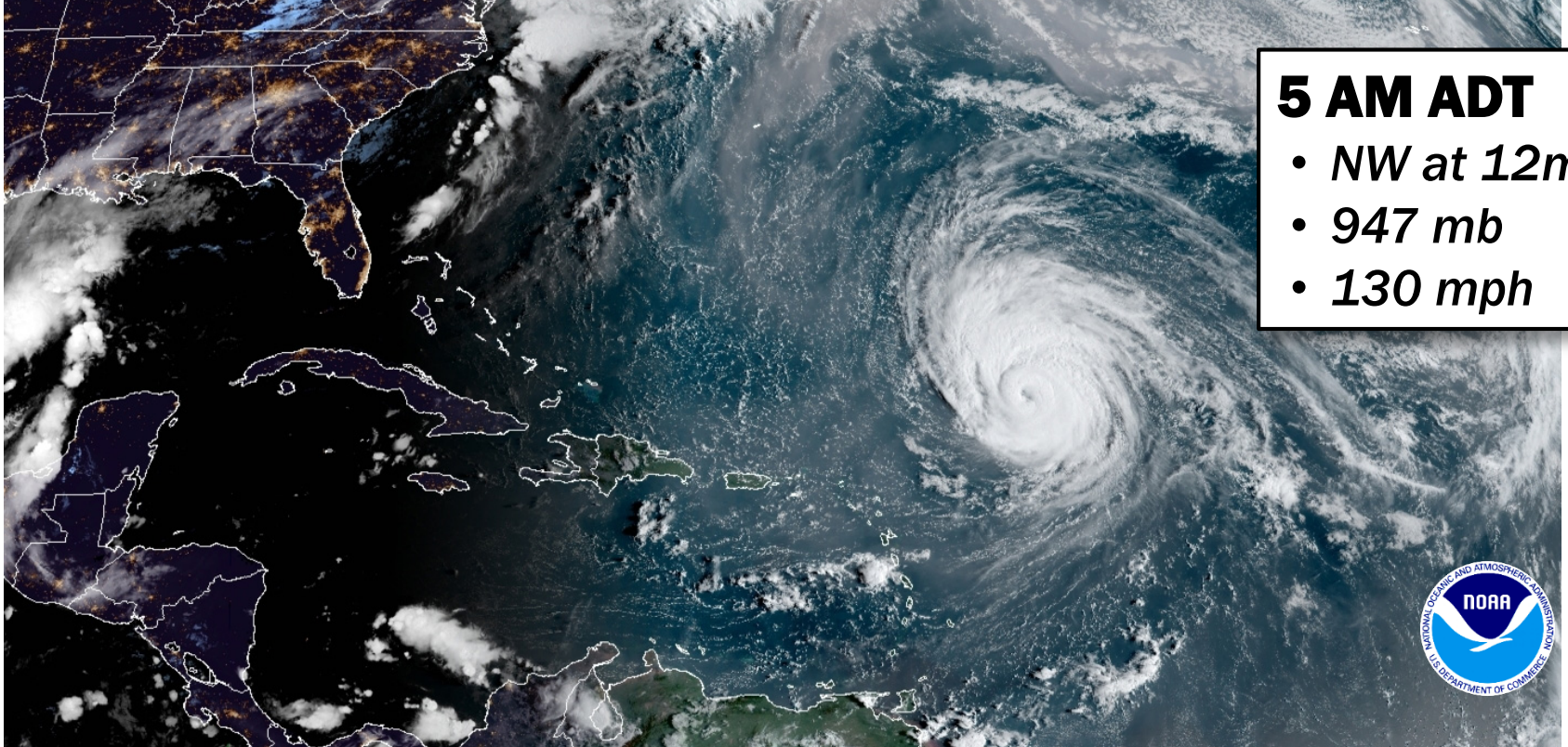
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MOST LIKELY ARRIVAL OF TS WINDS



Hurricane Teddy

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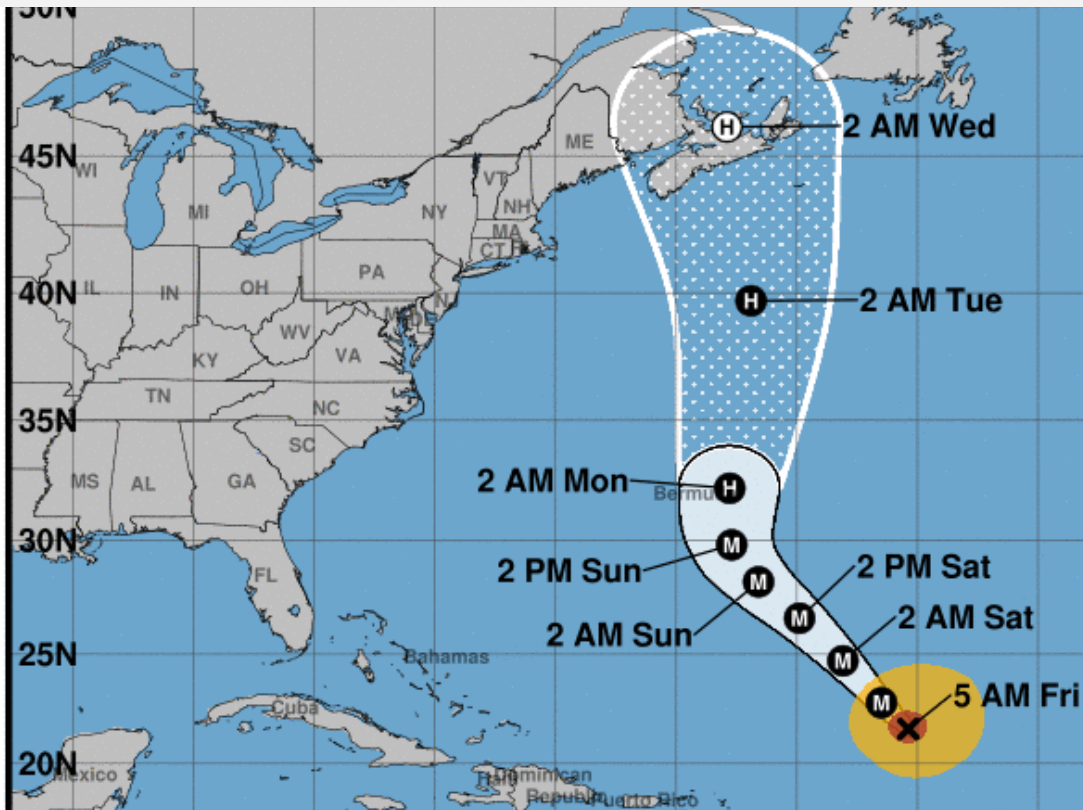
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- *947 mb*
- *130 mph*



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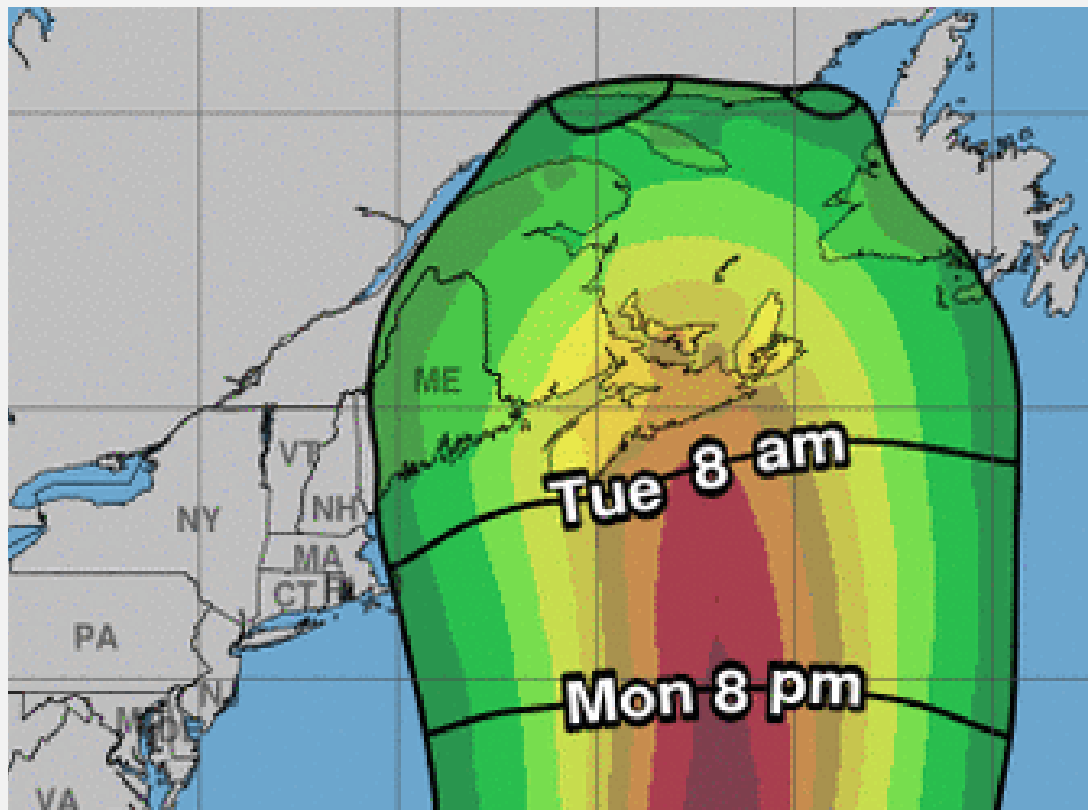
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TS Wind Probabilities

Eastport, ME	23%
Bar Harbor, ME	11%



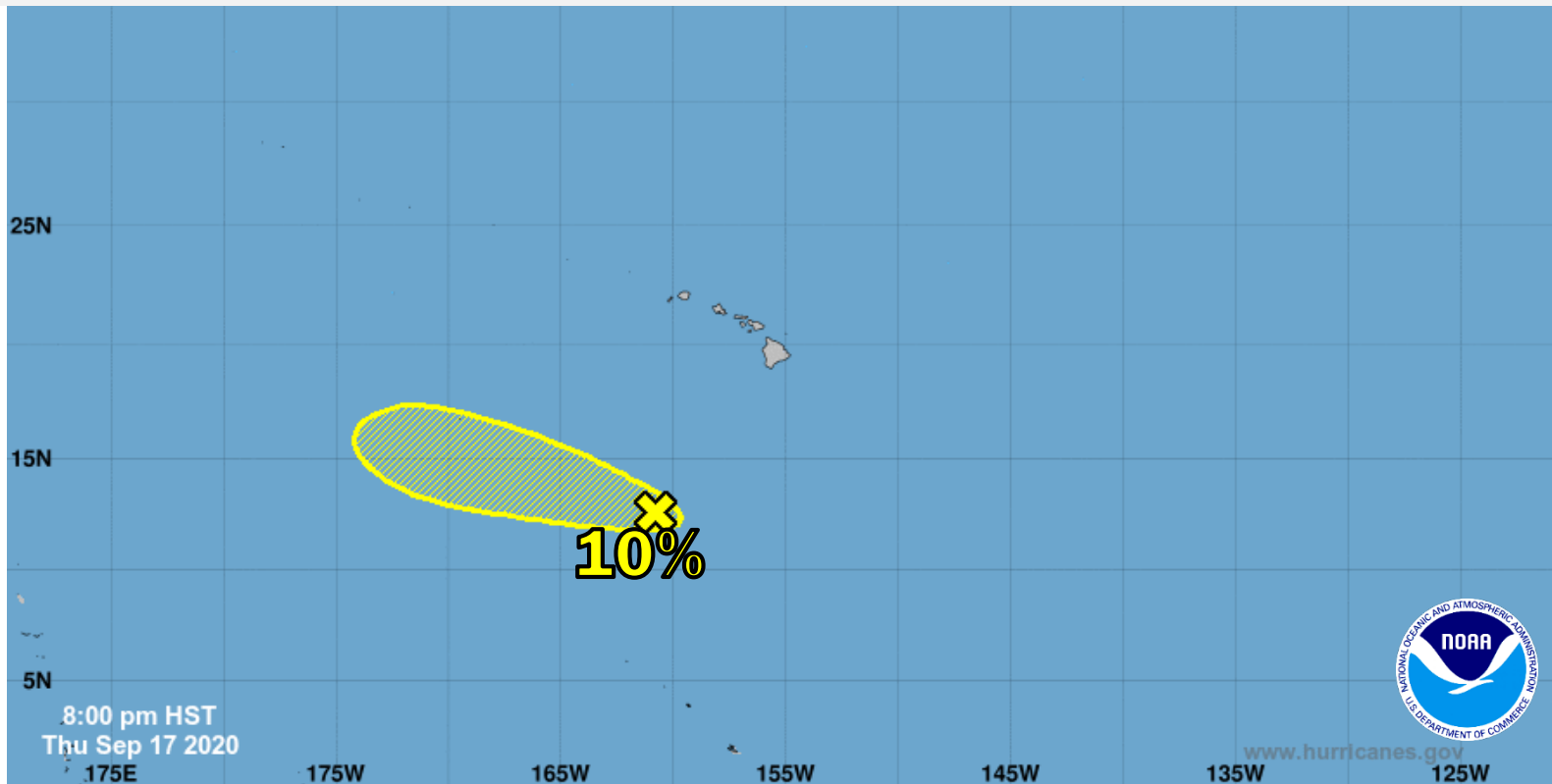
East Pacific Overview

TROPICAL OUTLOOK



Central Pacific Overview

TROPICAL OUTLOOK



Tropical Cyclone Sally – Stabilization



Situation: Heavy rainfall, flooding, gusty winds, and the risk of a few tornadoes will continue over portions of the Southeast U.S. as Sally continues to weaken. Damage assessments, roadway/bridge inspections and restoration are ongoing where conditions permit.

Lifeline Impacts: (NRCC & Region IV SLB as of 6:00 a.m. ET Sept 18th)

Safety and Security:

- AL: Voluntary evacuations: 2 counties
- FL: Voluntary evacuations: 4 counties
 - State SAR assets moved to the FL Panhandle
- SAR: 30 high water vehicles & 18 rotary wing aircraft have been sourced

Food, Water, Shelter:

- Shelters: AL: 2 (-2) open / 68 (-12) occupants
 - 4 drinking water systems non-operational; 300 people impacted
 - 4k tarps enroute (ETA today)
- Shelters: FL: 4 (+1) open / 298 (+150) occupants
 - Wastewater: 2 systems impacted: 1 without power, 1 under water
 - Potable & sewer water shut off for the greater Pensacola Beach area; 256k impacted

Health and Medical:

- AL: 1 nursing closed due to damage; 3 hospitals & 12 nursing homes on generator power
- FL: 14 nursing homes on generator power; 5 hospitals report damage

Energy: (Eagle-I, as of 6:15 a.m. ET)

- AL: 227k (-48k), 7% customers without power
- FL: 150k (-46k), 1.3% customers without power
 - State request for one generator packs (30 generators) & Bill of Materials kit for 21 days

Communications:

- Cell Sites operational in reporting counties: AL: 73%; FL: 82%

Transportation

- AL: All airports, interstate routes & national highway system open, except US 98 & AL 59; alternate routes available; ports remains closed
- FL: Pensacola Port, Airport, & Three Mile Bridge closed; Alternative routes available
 - Barges previously adrift are all grounded; no longer a threat



Tropical Cyclone Sally – Stabilization

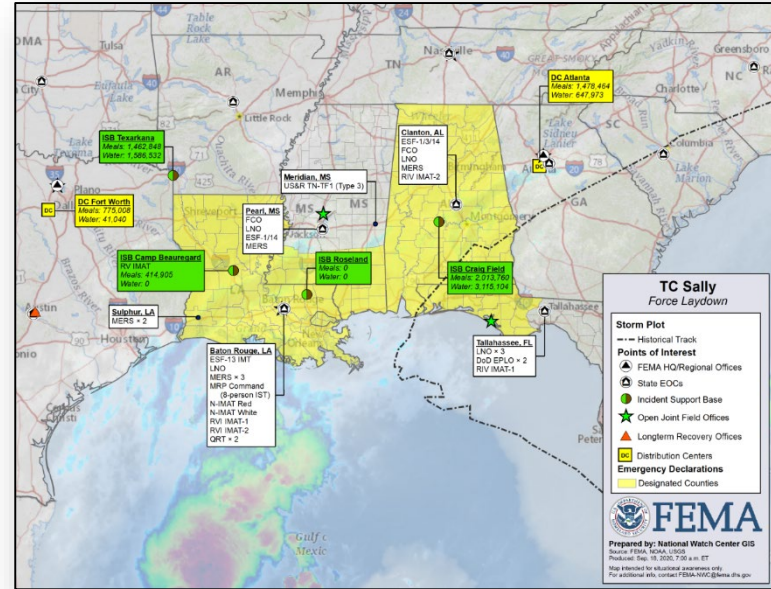


State/Local Response:

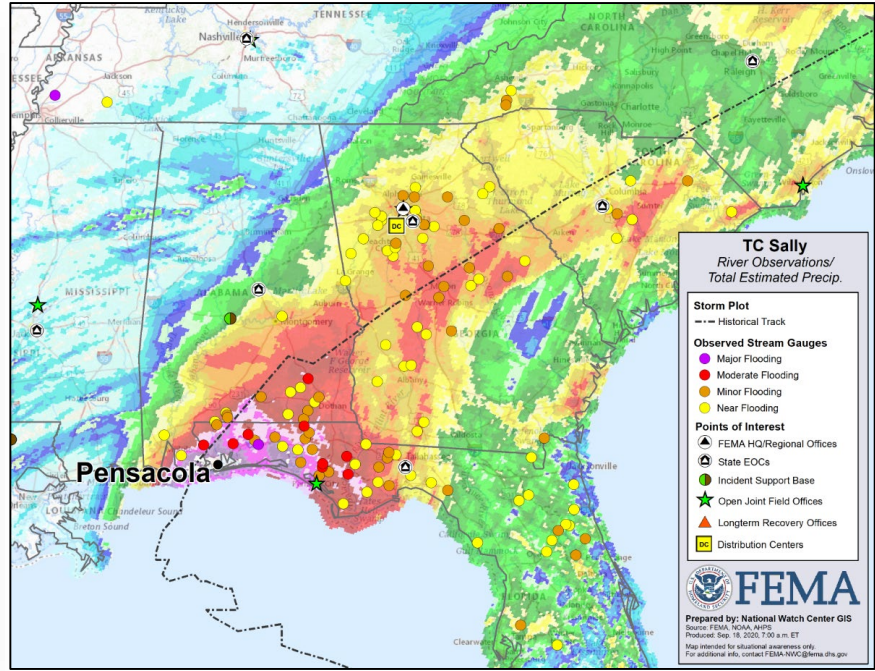
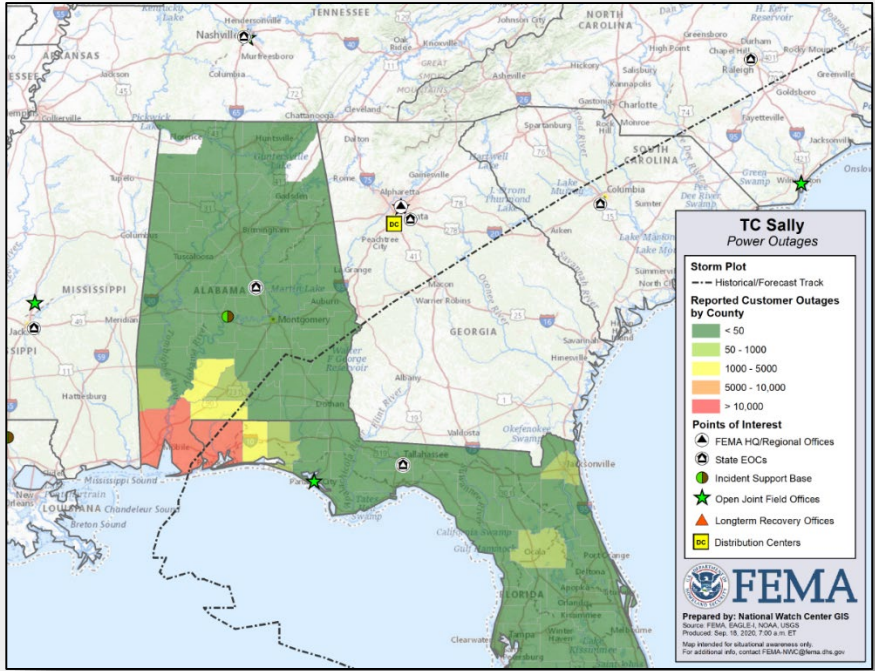
- AL EOCs: Partial Activation (COVID-19 & TC Sally); State of Emergency declared
- FL EOC: Full Activation (COVID-19 & TC Sally); State of Emergency declared

FEMA/Federal Response:

- NRCC activated for Tropical Cyclone Sally, Wildfires, & COVID-19; [Level III \(day shift\)](#); [NWC at Enhanced Watch \(night shift\)](#)
- Region VI RRCC at Level III, 24/7 (COVID-19)
- Region IV RWC monitoring; RRCC activated to Level III
- IMATs Deployed:
 - LA: National IMAT Red; Region V, VI-1, and VI-2
 - AL: Region IV-2
 - FL: Region IV-1
 - [National IMAT Blue and Region I IMAT demobilizing](#)
- [LNOs deployed to AL & FL EOCs](#)
- US&R:
 - White IST deployed to LA
 - TN-TF1 deployed to NAS Meridian, MS
 - [TX-TF1, MO-TF1 and IN-TF1 demobilized](#)
- [FEMA CORPS: 6 Teams deployed to LA](#)
- USACE: Monitoring Prattville Levee, AL (flooding)
- ESF 12: Coordinating request for temporary emergency generators for critical infrastructure and essential services (*DOE SitRep #37*)
- Emergency Declarations for LA, AL, & FL approved



Tropical Cyclone Sally – Stabilization



Wildfires – Western US

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Situation: 94 large fires are currently burning uncontained from the West Coast across to the Rocky Mountains, covering a good portion of FEMA Regions VIII, IX, and X. 20 Fire Management Assistance Grants (FMAGs) have been approved. Mandatory evacuations remain in effect throughout the impacted areas **but have decreased by approximately 14K over the last 24 hours**. The U.S. Air Quality Index ranges from "Moderate to Hazardous" from Central California to northern Washington state, but have improved in some areas. No unmet needs at this time..

FEMA Region VIII: 1 FMAG (CO)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 102,596
- Homes / structures threatened: 3,581 / 4
- Homes / structures damaged: 0 / 0
- Homes / structures destroyed: 26 (-1) / 29
- Fatalities / Injuries: 0 / 10
- Evacuations: 1,870 (+770)

FEMA Region IX: 6 FMAGs (CA)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 871,835 (+49,983)
- Homes / structures threatened: 51,029 (-856) / 1,321
- Homes / structures damaged: 43 (+3) / 30 (+2)
- Homes / structures destroyed: 823 (+50) / 275 (+26)
- Fatalities / Injuries: 17 / 58
- Evacuations: 28,093 (-8,614)

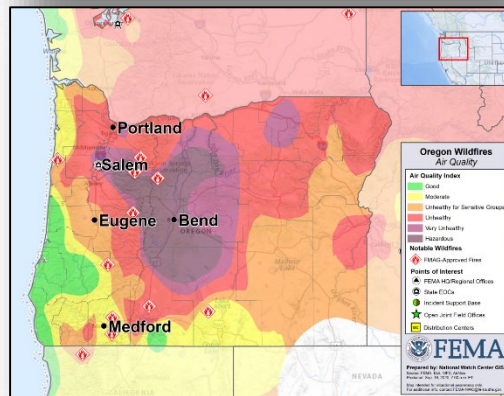
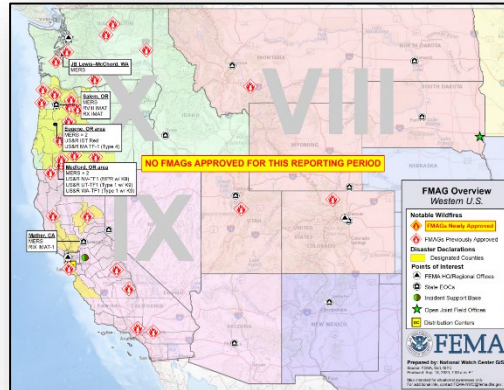
FEMA Region X: 12 FMAGs (OR- 9 (-2); WA-1)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 1,331,154 (+8,238)
- Homes / structures threatened: 52,311 (- 43,610) / 1,743
- Home / structures damaged: 344 (+37) / 163 (+8)
- Homes / structures destroyed: 1,680 (+193) / 1,407 (+29)
- Fatalities / Injuries: 5 / 16 (+2)
- Evacuations: 86,853 (-5,915)

State Response

- CO EOC at Partial Activation (COVID-19)
- CA EOC at Full Activation (COVID-19 and Wildfires)
- OR & WA EOCs at Full Activation (COVID-19 & Wildfires)

Note: Two Oregon fires (Pike Road & Clackamas County Complex) have been removed from the summary. No official reporting has been available for either fire since Sep 11. Open source media indicates no further evacuations or threat.



Federal Response

- Declarations approved – 2 DRs, 1 EM
- **Declarations requested – 1 DR**
- Region VIII & Denver MOC monitoring
 - IMAT deployed to OR EOC
- Region IX RWC monitoring
 - IMAT deployed to CA EOC (Wildfires)
- Region X RRCC at Level II (Wildfires & COVID-19); Bothell MOC monitoring
 - IMAT deployed to OR EOC
 - ESF-13 activated; 1 IMT (Eugene) and 2 QRTs deployed to OR (Medford & Eugene) to support US&R teams
- Public Health Emergency declared in OR due to unhealthy/hazardous air quality (*HHS R10 SPOTREP as of 2:44 p.m. ET, Sep 16*)
- EPA conducting Rapid Needs Assessments for 2 counties in CA
- MERS: Salem, OR; Springfield, OR; Central Point, OR; Joint Base Lewis-McChord, WA; Mather, CA
- US&R:
 - Red IST & LNO deployed to OR EOC; IST Cache in Salem, OR
 - WA-TF1 deployed to Lane County, OR; UT-TF1 and NV-TF1 deployed to Talent, OR
 - MA-TF1 deployed to Eugene, OR

Wildfire Summary – CA



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Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
California (6)								
Creek (Fresno and Madera, CA)	5348-FM-CA	246,756 (+18,731)	20% (+2)	M: 9,443 (-1,764)	H: 8,611 (-827)	H: 41 (+4)	H: 514 (+45)	0 / 21
				V: 0	O: 0 (-50)	O: 26 (+2)	O: 269 (+26)	
El Dorado (San Bernardino, CA)	5348-FM-CA	19,098 (+592)	66% (+3)	M: 3,467	H: 26,031	H: 2	H: 4	0 / 12
				V: 0	O: 1,106	O: 4	O: 6	
Slater (Siskiyou, CA)	5361-FM-CA	143,092 (+1,689)	10%	M: 2,100 (+1,100)	H: 5,120	H: 0	H: 155 (+5)	2 / 0
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 0	
North Complex (Includes Bear Fire) (Butte, Plumas, and Yuba, CA)	5363-FM-CA (Bear Fire)	284,437 (11,102)	40% (+4)	M: 5,600 (-7,950)	H: 3	H: 0	H: 0	15 / 9
				V: 0	O: 6	O: 0	O: 0	
SQF Complex (Tulare, CA)	5373-FM-CA	122,835 (+8,515)	12%	M: 3,483	H: 3,188	H: 0	H: 150	0 / 14
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 0	
Bobcat (Los Angeles, CA)	5374-FM-CA	55,617 (+9,354)	9% (+6)	M: 4,000	H: 8,076	H: 0	H: 0	0 / 2
				V: 0	O: 159	O: 0	O: 0	

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

Wildfire Summary – OR



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Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Oregon (9)								
Two Four Two (Klamath, OR)	5354-FM-OR	14,473	37% (+8)	M: 966	H: 0	H: 18	H: 8	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 15	O: 40	
*Beachie Creek/Lionshead Complex (Marion, Clackamas, Linn, and Jefferson, OR)	5356-FM-OR	384,380 (+3,826)	20% / 10%	M: 10,232 (-4,528)	H: 11,684 (+1,177)	H: 106	H: 734	4 / 8
				V: 0	O: 109	O: 98	O: 834	
Holiday Farm (Lane, OR)	5357-FM-OR	172,510 (+1,873)	10%	M: Unknown	H: 8,224	H: 26 (+15)	H: 372	1 / 2
				V: 0	O: 914	O: 42 (+8)	O: 358 (+29)	
Echo Mountain and Kimberling Road Complex (Lincoln, OR)	5362-FM-OR	2,552	53% (+8)	M: 1,841 (-788)	H: 1,240 (-160)	H: 22 (+22)	H: 293 (+193)	0 / 1
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 0	

* All numbers combined for this complex fire except for the containment percentage

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Wildfire Summary – OR



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Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Oregon (9) - Continuation								
Archie Creek (Douglas, OR)	5365-FM-OR	130,429 (+2,409)	25% (+5)	M: 1,077 (-651)	H: 471 (-216)	H: 0	H: 111	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 7	O: 2	
South Obenchain (Jackson, OR)	5367-FM-OR	32,833 (+19)	35% (+10)	M: 725 (+52)	H: 5,237	H: 0	H: 32	0 / 2
				V: 0	O: 650	O: 0	O: 56	
Riverside (Clackamas, OR)	5366-FM-OR	135,524	3%	M: 70,962	H: 24,705 (-44,591)	H: 0	H: 33	0 / 1
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 20	
Brattain (Lake, OR)	5372-FM-OR	44,800	30% (+10)	M: 600	H: 300	H: 0	H: 1	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 5	O: 0	O: 0	
*Slater (Josephine, OR)	5369-FM-OR	Unknown	0%	<i>*Note: Burning along the border of OR & CA – See under CA for fire details</i>				

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Wildfire Summary – WA



Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Washington (1)								
*Cold Springs/Pearl Hill (Douglas and Okanogan, WA)	5351-FM-WA	413,653 (+331)	85% / 97% (+15)/ (+3)	M: 450	H: 120	H: 0	H: 96	0 / 2 (+2)
				V: 0	O: 65	O: 1	O: 97	

* All numbers combined for this complex fire except for the containment percentage

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Wildfire Summary – CO



Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Colorado (1)								
Cameron Peak (Larimer, CO)	5349-FM-CO	102,596	15% (+7)	M: 1,870 (+770)	H: 3,581	H: 0	H: 26 (-1)	0 / 10
				V: 0	O: 0 (-4)	O: 0	O: 29	

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COVID-19 Update



Situation: Upward trajectory in COVID-19 case count continues across **11 (+3)** states/territories, with 12 states/territories in a plateau status, and **32 (-3)** states/territories on a downward trajectory. 19,581 Federal employees deployed / activated; **1,565 (-65)** FEMA employees deployed. (COVID-19 SLB, as of Sep 17)

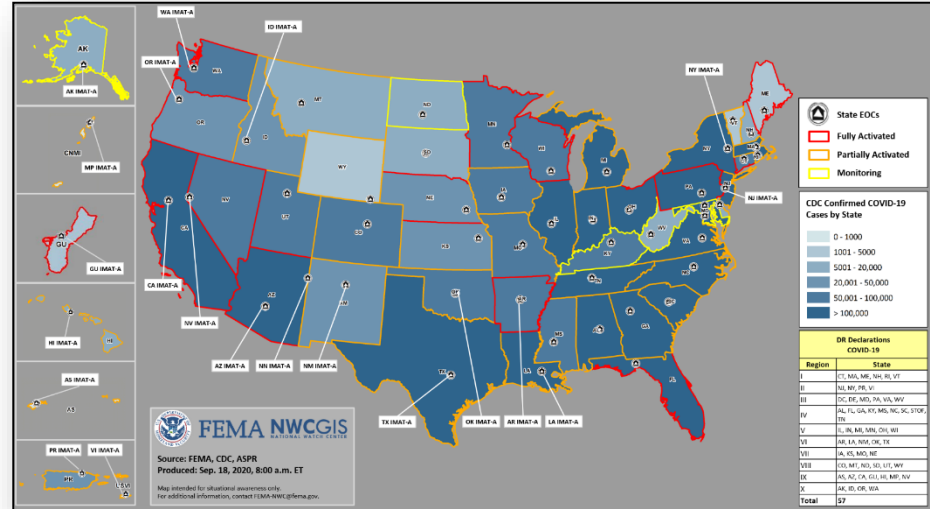
Nationwide Testing: 99,358,130 cumulative (as of Sep 17)

COVID-19 positive cases continue to increase globally (CDC COVID-19 update as of Sep 17)

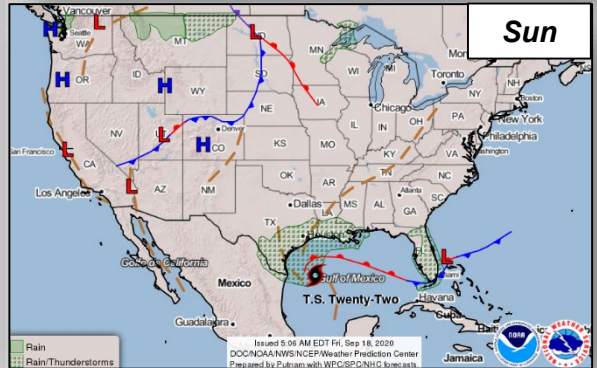
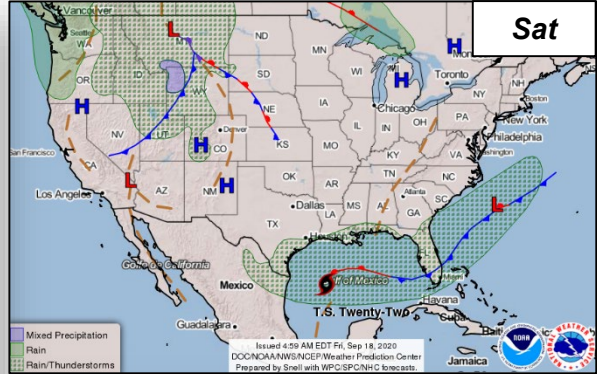
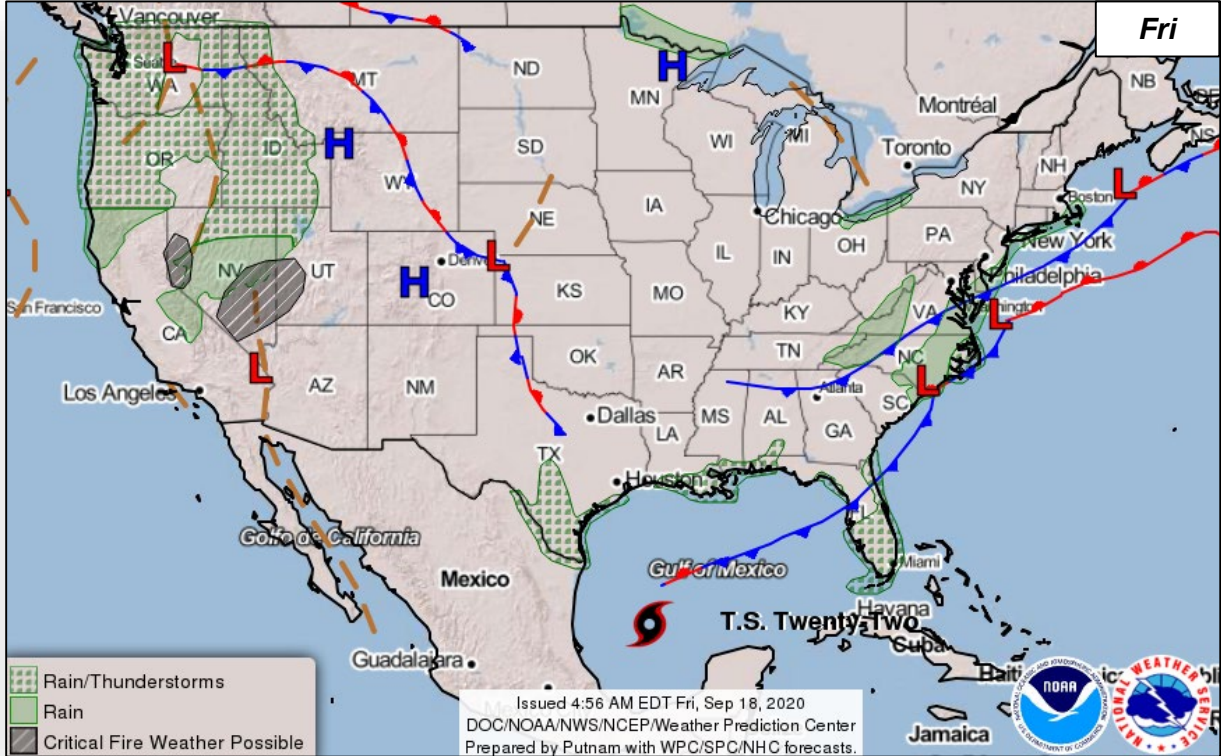
- Confirmed Cases of COVID-19
 - United States: **6,613,331 (+41,464)**
 - Worldwide: **29,737,453 (+293,255)**
- Deaths caused by COVID-19
 - United States: **196,277 (+1,224)**
 - Worldwide: **937,391 (+6,070)**

Response:

- NRCC conducting COVID response operations
- Region X RRCCs at Level II
- Regions I, II, III, IV, V, & VI RRCCs at Level III
- Regions VII, VIII, & IX RRCCs are rostered
- Regions VII, VIII, & IX COVID-19 working from the Virtual JFO
- Region IV RWC returned to monitoring
- NWC, all remaining RWCs, and MOCs are monitoring



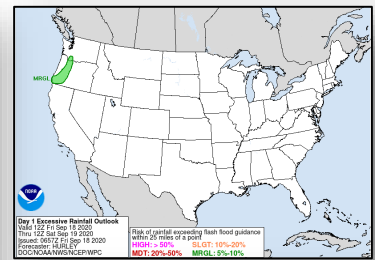
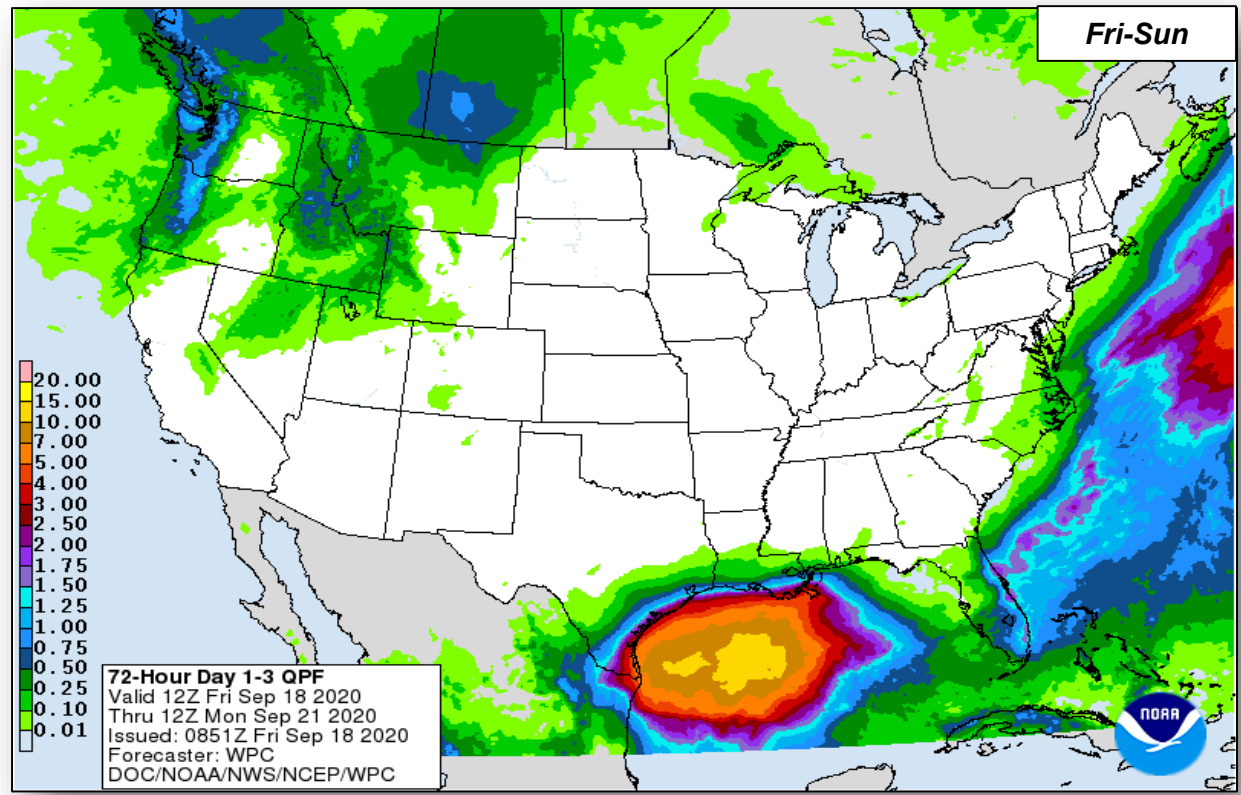
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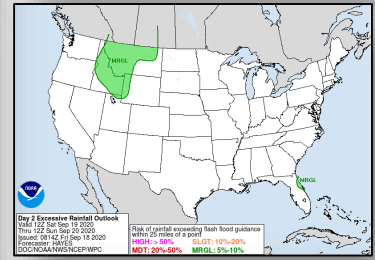
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



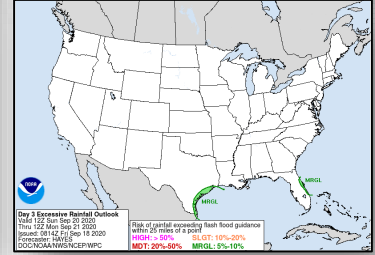
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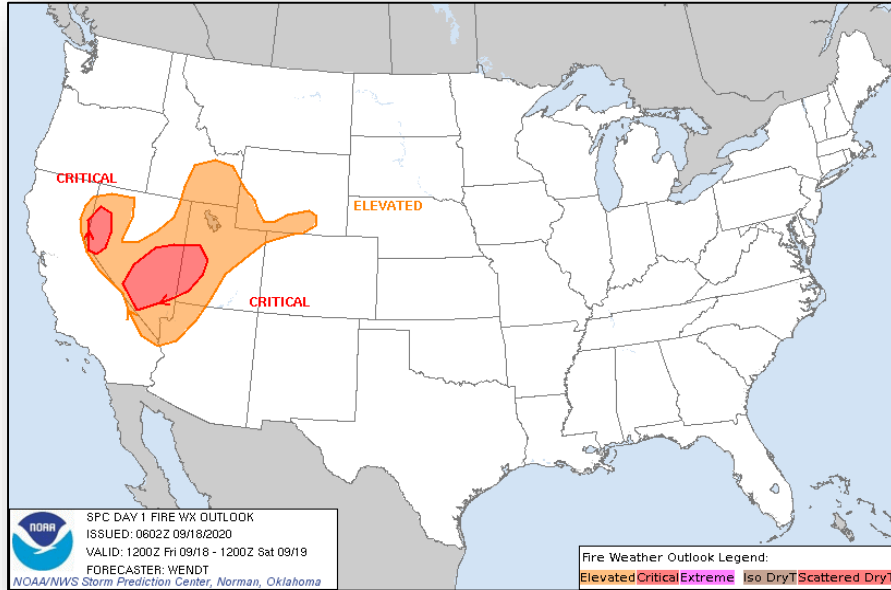


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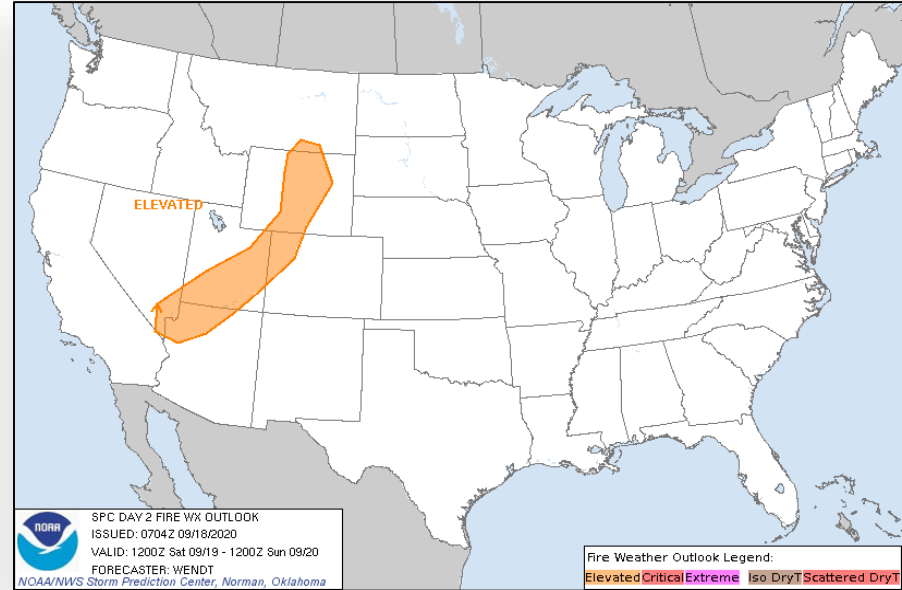


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Fire Weather Outlook



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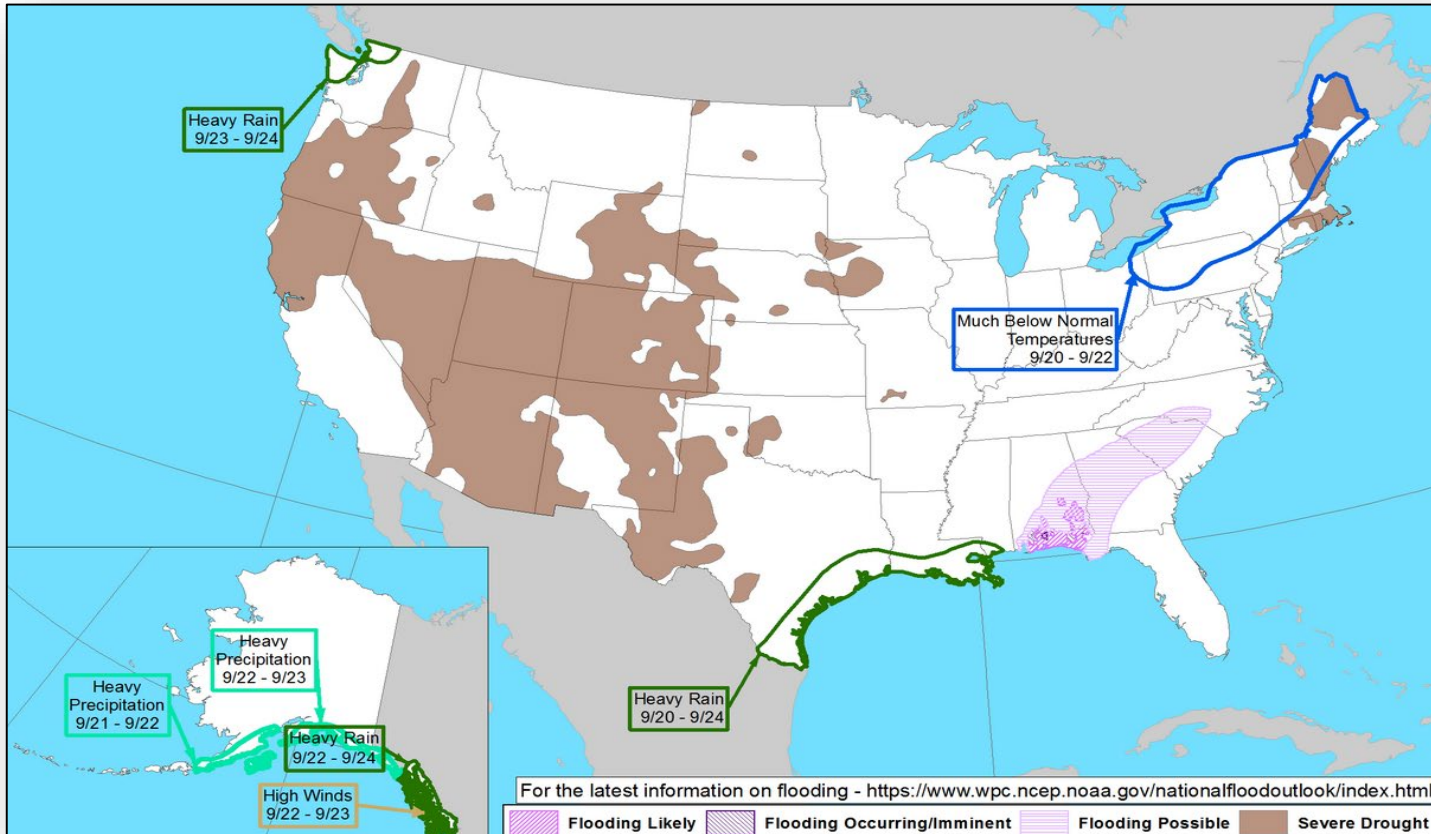


Tomorrow

Hazards Outlook – Sep 20-24



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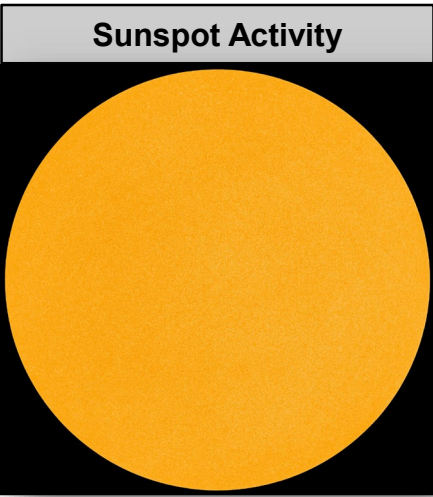
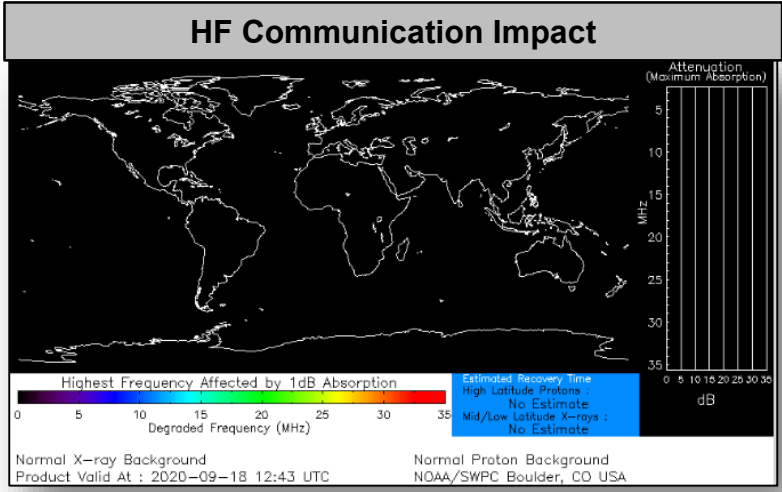
Space Weather



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	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None
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>



Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA	Number of Counties		Start – End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	CT	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4	IA	8	8	8/27 – 9/16
			PA	8	0	8/27 – TBD
II	NY	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	8	2	8/25 – TBD
	NJ	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	15	0	9/14 – TBD
III	DE	Tornado Aug 7	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	1	0	8/29 – TBD
	MD	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4-5	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	3	0	8/21 – TBD
	PA	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4-5	IA	9	0	8/26 – TBD
			PA	11	0	8/26 – TBD
IV	NC	Hurricane Isaias Aug 3	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	16	16	8/18 – 9/14
VI	TX	Hurricane Hanna Jul 25 and continuing	IA	6	6	7/29 – 8/20
			PA	6	0	7/29 – TBD
		Hurricane Laura Aug 23 and continuing	IA	1	0	9/15 – TBD
			PA	10 (+4)	0	9/2 – TBD
X	WA	Babb Fire Sep 7 and continuing	IA	1	0	9/11 – TBD
			PA	1	0	9/11 – TBD

Declaration Request



Declaration: Major Disaster – Washington State
Requested: Sep 16

Incident: Wildfires and Straight-line Winds
Incident Period: Sep 6, 2020 and continuing

Includes:

- **IA:** 1 county
- **PA:** Emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct federal assistance for 1 county
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide



■ IA & PA

Declaration Requests in Process – 6



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State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
Poarch Band of Creek Indians – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	X		5/15
DE – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR	X	X	X	8/31
ND – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	8/31
NY – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		X	X	9/3
MD – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		X	X	9/3
WA – Wildfires and Straight-Line Winds	DR	X	X	X	9/16



FEMA Common Operating Picture

FEMA HQ	
NWC	NRCC
Enhanced	Level III

FEMA REGIONS		
WATCH	RRCC	
Monitoring	I	Level III
Monitoring	II	Level III
Monitoring	III	Level III
Monitoring	IV	Level III
Monitoring	V	Level III
Monitoring	VI	Level III
Alt. Location	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Level II

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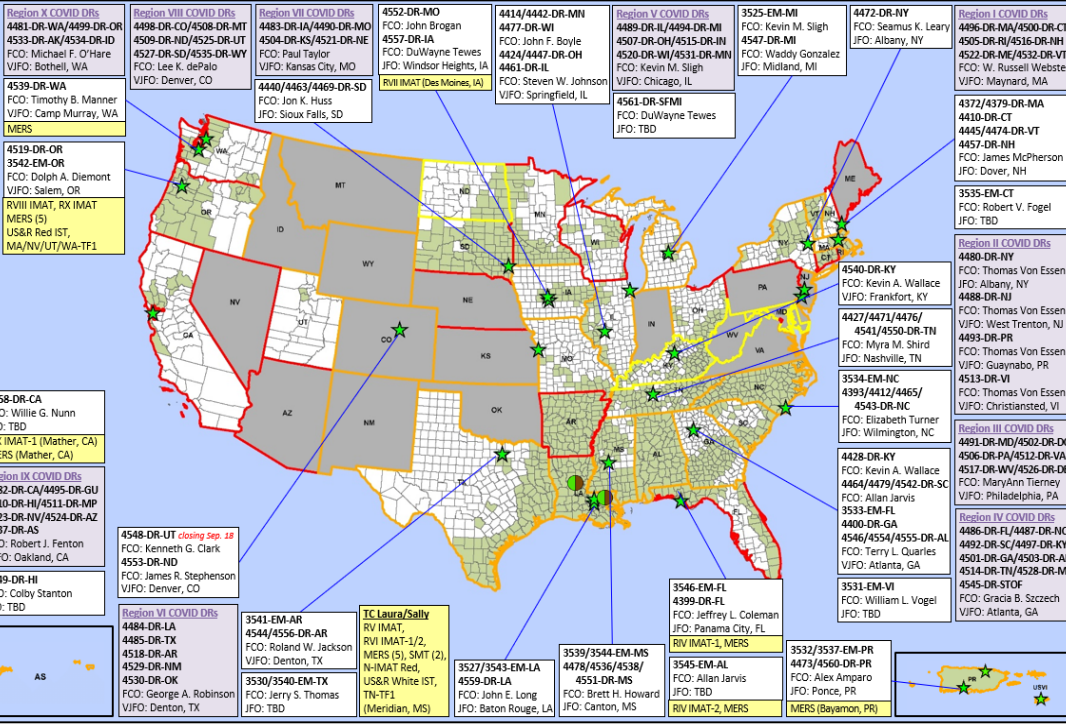
NRCC: COVID-19/TC Sally/ Western Wildfires; Level III day
 RRCCs: COVID-19
 NWC: Enhanced Watch
 NRCC: Level III day shift

All EOCs activated for COVID-19

CA: Wildfires
 CT: Isaiahs
 IA: Derecho
 PR: Earthquakes
 OR: Wildfires
 UT: Flooding
 AR, LA, & TX: TC Laura

Major Disasters (DR): 112
 Emergency Disasters (EM): 113
 JFOs: 10 / VJFOs: 16
 Staging Area
 Declared County (non-COVID-19 Declarations)
 Fully Activated
 Partially Activated
 Monitoring

As of 8:00 a.m. ET September 18, 2020
 Created by FEMA NWC



N-IMATs	
1 Team	
Red	LA
Blue	Demob
Gold	

R-IMATs	
≤ 3 Teams	
I	Demob
II	
III	
IV-1	FL
IV-2	AL
V	LA
VI-1	LA
VI-2	LA
VII	IA
VIII	OR
IX-1	CA
IX-2	
X	OR
FMC	PMC
NMC	Deployed

Team:	US&R	MERS	FCOs	FDRCs	IM WORKFORCE
Status	33-65%	33-65%	≤1 Type I	= 2	
Assigned:	28	36	45	10	13,924 ▲
Unavailable:	10	0	0	0	3,036 ▼
Deployed:	7 (-1)	16 (+3)	39	8	6,793 ▲
Available:	11 (+1)	20 (-3)	6	2	4,062 / 29% ▲

IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY
Cadres with 25% or Less Availability
CVR 25% (20/79); DI 22% (15/67); EA 20% (94/466); EHP 17% (111/657); FL 15% (23/156); FM 23% (57/246); HM 19% (234/1,231); LOG 16% (218/1,334); OPS 8% (26/323); PA 23% (703/3,121); PLAN 23% (104/456); SAF 13% (7/55); SEC 23% (28/124)



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