FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, October 20, 2023 8:30 a.m. ET



National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

Tropical Storm Tammy – Puerto Rico/U.S. Virgin Islands

Hazard Monitoring

- Tropical Activity:
 - Atlantic:
 - Tropical Storm Tammy
 - Disturbance 1: Low (20%)
 - Eastern Pacific:
 - Hurricane Norma (CAT-3)
 - Disturbance 1: High (80%)

Disaster Declaration Activity

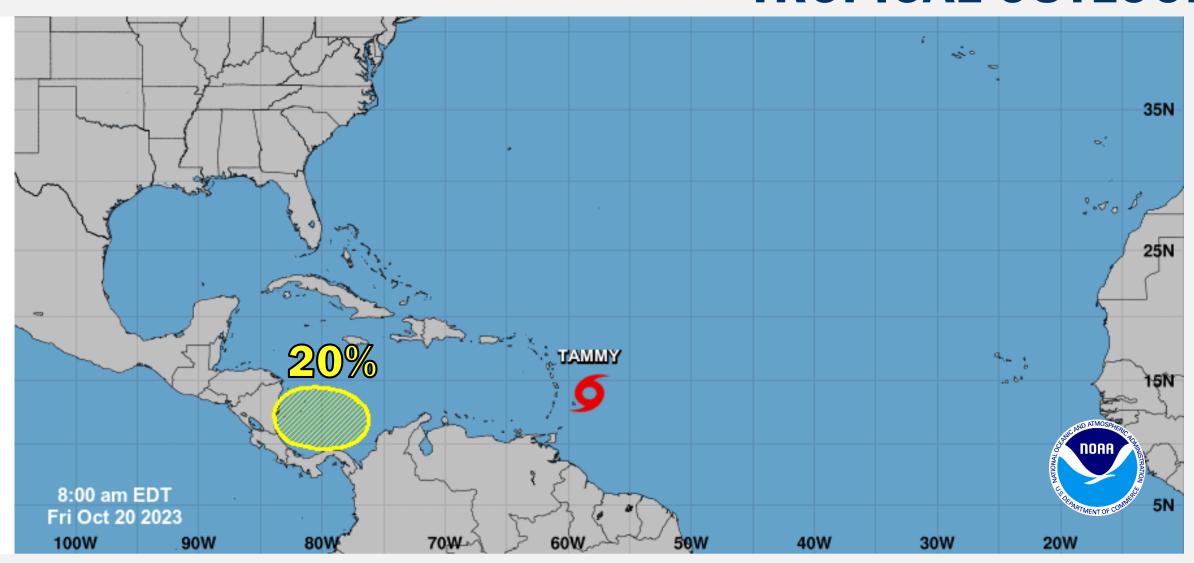
Request: Major Disaster Declaration – MI

Event Monitoring

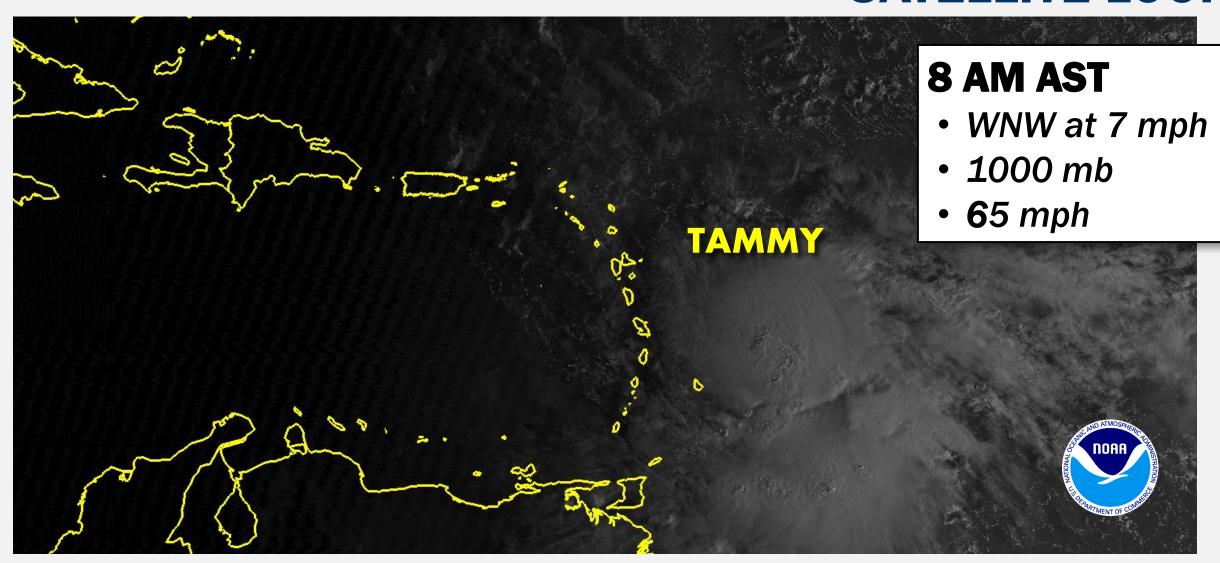
No significant events



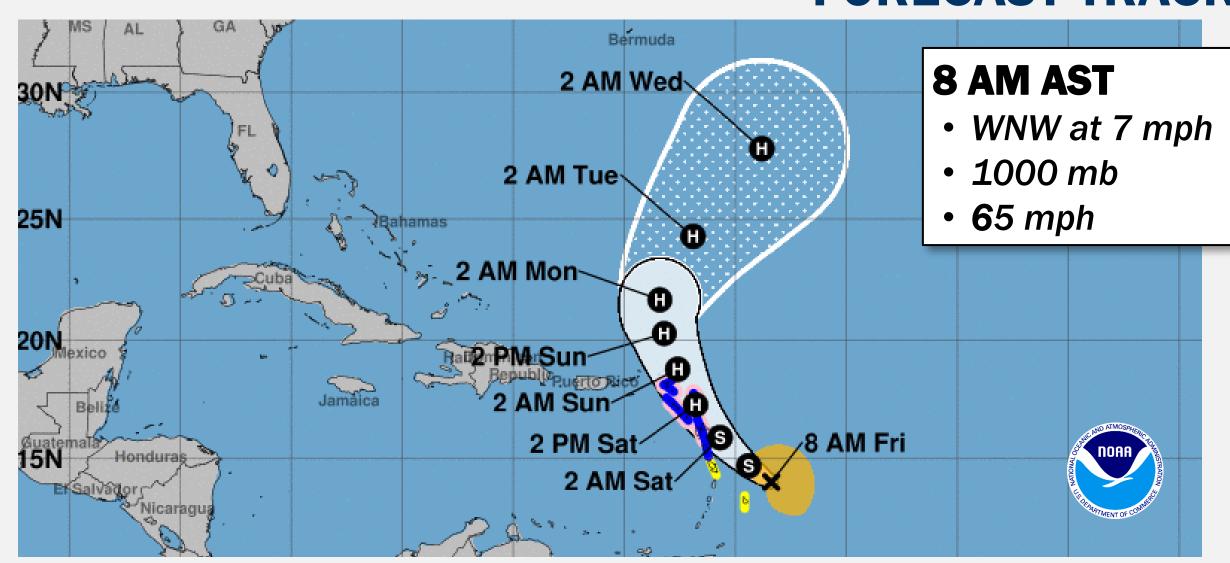
Atlantic Overview TROPICAL OUTLOOK



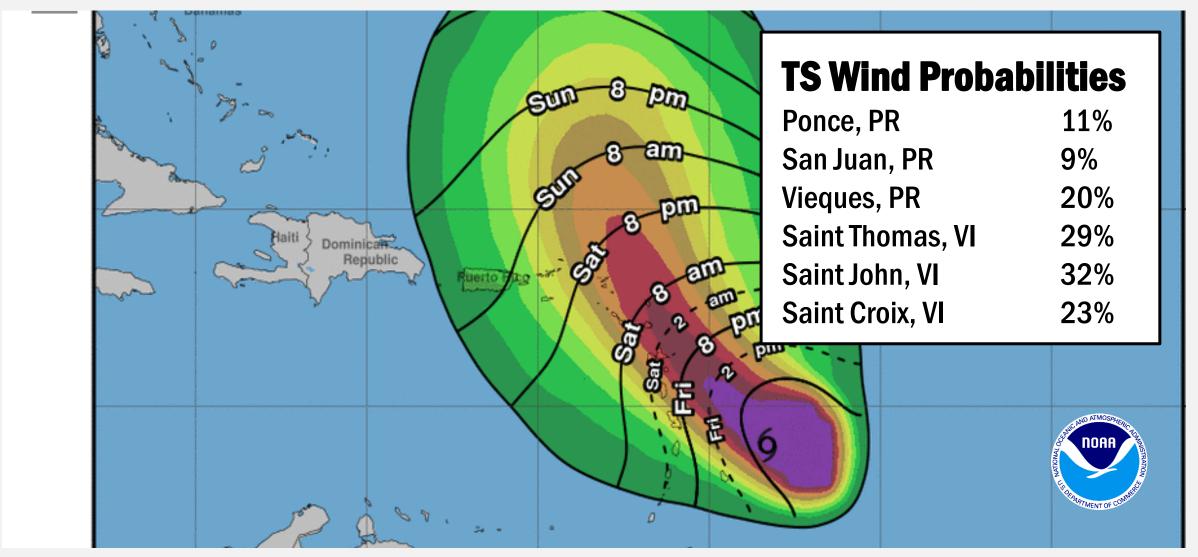
Tropical Storm Tammy SATELLITE LOOP



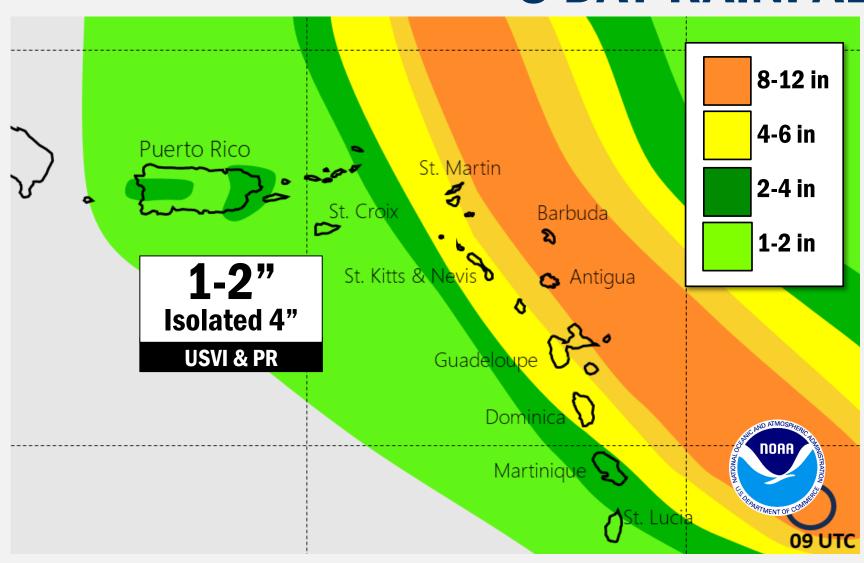
Tropical Storm Tammy FORECAST TRACK



Tropical Storm Tammy Most Likely Arrival of TS Winds



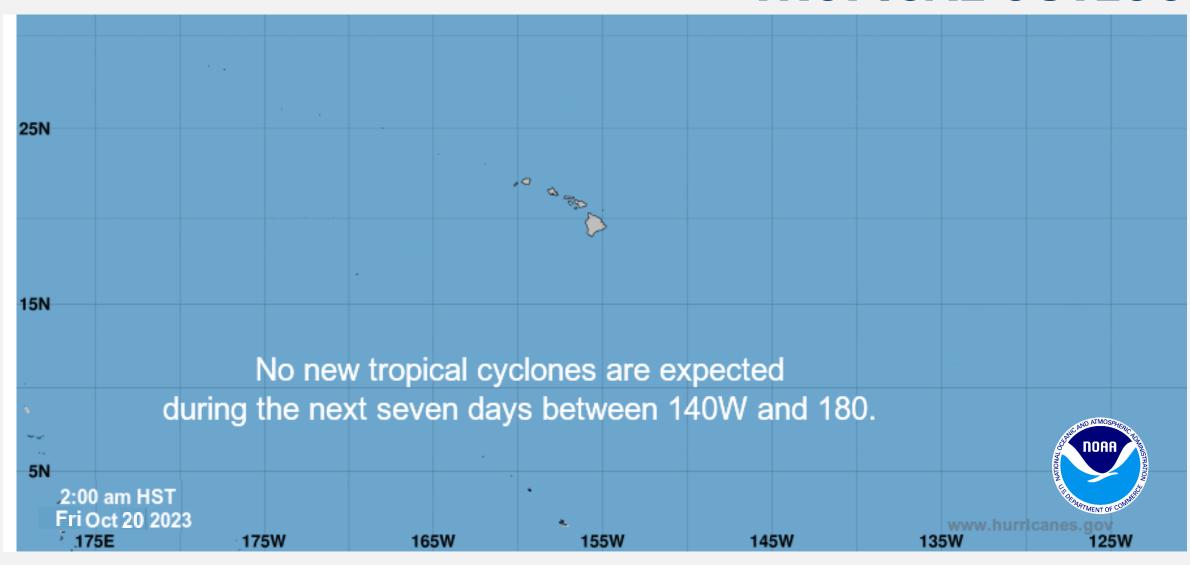
Tropical Storm Tammy 3 DAY RAINFALL



East Pacific Overview TROPICAL OUTLOOK



Central Pacific Overview TROPICAL OUTLOOK



Tropical Storm Tammy – Puerto Rico/U.S. Virgin Islands

<u>Situation:</u> The National Weather Service reports that Tropical Storm Tammy is located about 100 miles NE of Barbados. Tammy is moving toward the W-NW and is forecast to turn toward the NW this evening, followed by a N-NW turn Saturday through Sunday night. Tammy is expected to move near or over the Leeward Islands tonight and on Saturday, and then move N of the Leeward Islands on Sunday. Tammy is forecast to become a hurricane on Saturday.

<u>Potential Impacts:</u> Rainfall totals of 1 to 2 inches with maximum amounts of 4 inches expected for the U.S. Virgin Islands into eastern Puerto Rico. These rains may produce isolated flash and urban flooding, along with isolated mudslides in higher terrain.

State/Local Response:

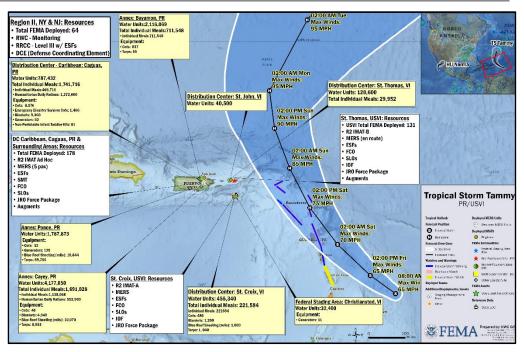
PR/VI EOCs at Normal Operations

FEMA Response:

- Region II: (R2 RRCC SLB, Oct 19, 3:00 p.m. ET)
 - RWC is Monitoring
 - RRCC is Activated to Level III (Day Shift)
 - Emergency Support Functions:
 - ESFs 1,2,3,8,12,13,14 and DCE deployed to RII RRCC
 - ESFs 1,2,3,8,12,13,14 and DCE deployed to PR
 - ESFs 1,3,8,9,12,13,14 and DCE deployed to VI
 - RII IMAT-A: Deployed to St. Croix with FCO, SLOs, JRO Force Package & augments
 - RII IMAT-B: Deployed to St. Thomas with SLOs, JRO Force Package & augments
 - RII IMAT Ad Hoc: Deployed to PR with FCO, SLOs, JRO Force Package & augments

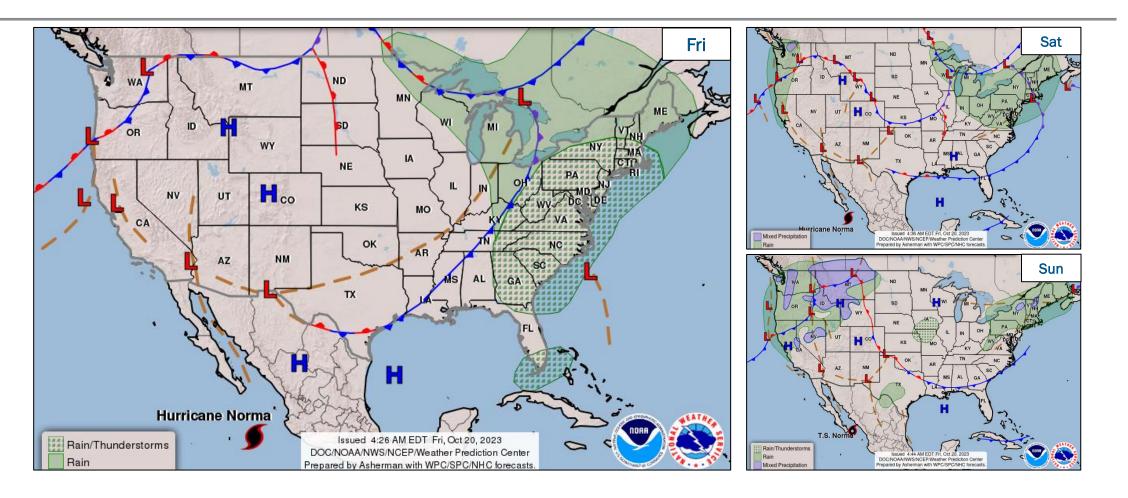
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Deployed Staff (R2 RRCC SLB, as of Oct 19, 3:00 p.m. ET)					
RRCC	Puerto Rico	<u>USVI</u>	<u>Total</u>		
64	178	131	373		



- FEMA HQ:
- NRCC is activated (DHS Coordination)
- Staging Management Team (SMT) PR deployed to DC Caribbean
- MERS deployed to San Juan, PR, and St. Thomas, VI
- FEMA NWC will continue to monitor in coordination with Region II;
 the next update will occur in the FEMA National Situation Report at 5:00 p.m. ET

National Weather Forecast

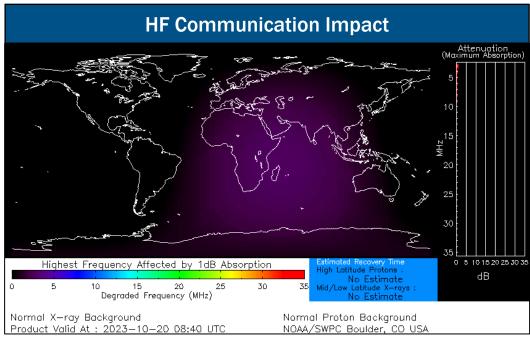


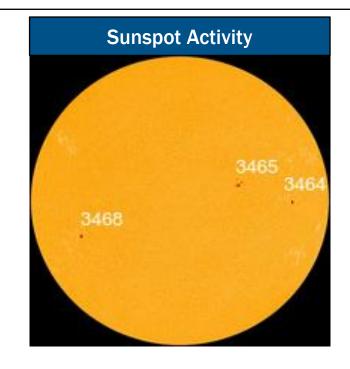


Space Weather Outlook

Minor	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Geomagnetic Storms Solar Radiation		
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None	
Next 24 Hours	ours 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







FEMA Common Operating Picture

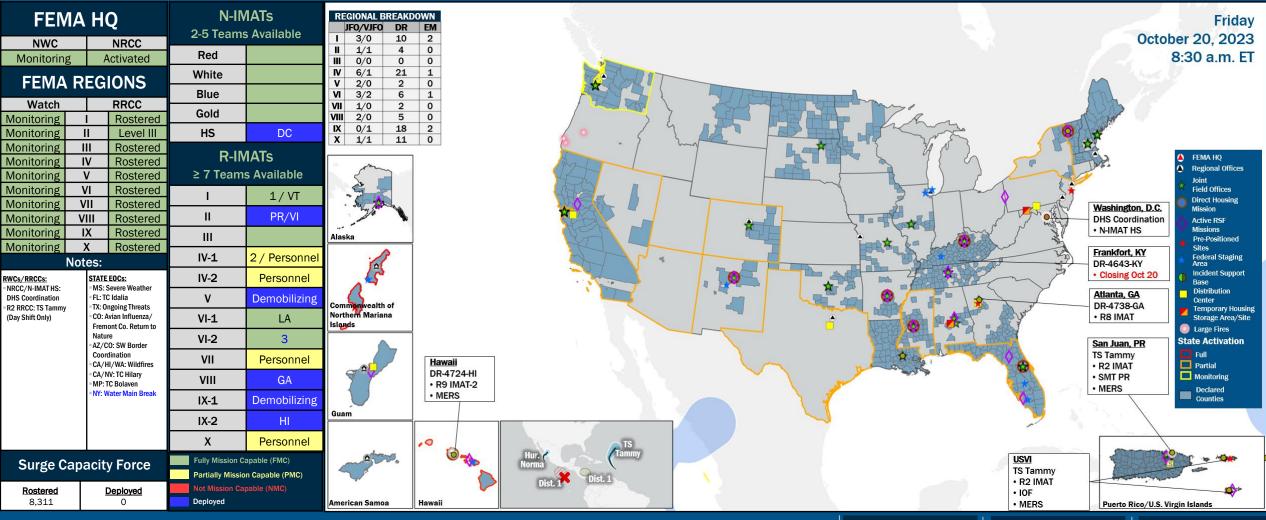
Field Offices

Offices

Disasters

Emergency Declarations **Direct Housing** Missions

RSF-Supported Disasters



IM Workforce

13,618 (-2) Assigned 4.156 (+55) Unavailable 6,308 (+53) Deployed

23% (-1%) / 3,154 (-110) Available

IM Cadre Availability 15 (-1) Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Civil Rights: 16% (22/141); Disability Integration: 22% (12/55); External Affairs: 22% (115/508); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 16% (133/815); Field Leadership: 7% (9/136); Hazard Mitigation: 16% (199/1,223); Human Resources: 21% (36/174); Interagency Recovery Coordination: 18% (52/295); Information Technology: 24% (156/650); Logistics: 22% (326/1,510); Operations: 11% (39/340); Public Assistance: 10% (214/2,203); Planning 12% (57/469); Safety: 14% (11/81); Security: 16% (21/134)

MERS

36 Assigned 0 Unavailable

2 (+2) Deployed

34 (-2) Available

US&R

28 Assigned 2 Unavailable 0 Deployed

9 Unavailable 38 (-1) (28 FCOR) Deployed

26 Available 3 (+1) Available

50 Assigned

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State /	Incident	IA	Number o	Chamb Food	
	Location		PA	Requested	Complete	Start – End
MA	N4.0	Flooding	IA	2	0	10/10 - TBD
	Sep 11-13	PA	4	0	10/10 - TBD	
RI	Flooding and Tornado Sep 10-13	IA	1	0	TBD – TBD	
		PA	0	0	N/A	
PA	Flooding Sep 9-10	IA	1	1	10/2 - 10/4	
		PA	3	0	9/28 - TBD	
WV	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	Flooding	IA	5	5	9/19 - 9/21
	Aug 28-30	PA	4	0	10/16 - TBD	



Declaration Request - Michigan

Declaration Type: Major Disaster – MI

Requested: Oct 18

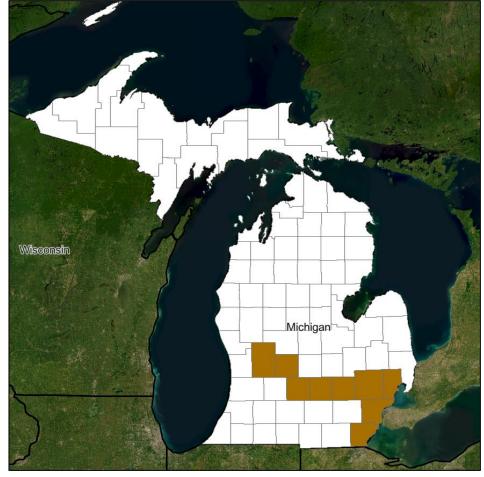
Incident: Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding

Incident Period: Aug 24-26

Requested:

IA/PA: 9 counties

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide







Declaration Requests in Process – 10

State / Tribe / Territory - Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
MI - Flooding - APPEAL	DR		Х	Х	Jun 15
OH - Train Derailment	DR	Χ	Χ	Х	Jul 3
UT – Flooding	DR		Χ	Х	Aug 11
AR – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Aug 22
Inupiat Community of the Artic Slope (ICAS) – Severed Undersea Fiber Optic Line – APPEAL	EM		Χ		Aug 23
NH - Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm - APPEAL	DR		Χ	Х	Sep 6
KS – Severe Storm, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		Χ	Х	Sep 13
CA – Tropical Storm Hilary	DR		Χ	Х	Sep 14
WA - Wildfires	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Oct 4
MI – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Oct 18





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