

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, December 25, 2025

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Operations / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- No new significant incidents / operations

Hazard Monitoring

- Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding – California
- Winter Weather – Great Lakes
- Heavy Snow – Sierra Nevada

Disaster Declaration Activity

- Request: Emergency Declaration – MT

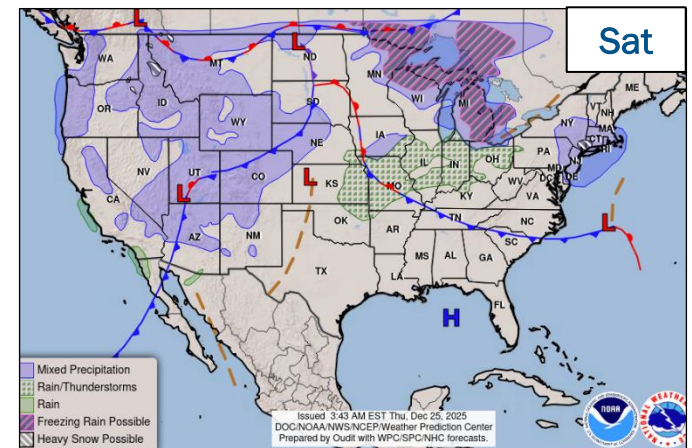
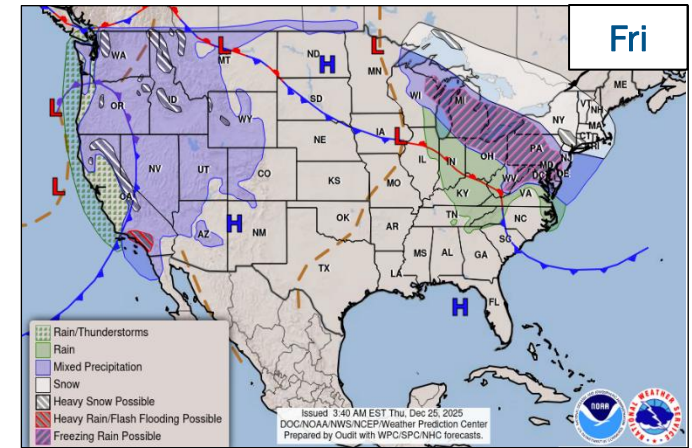
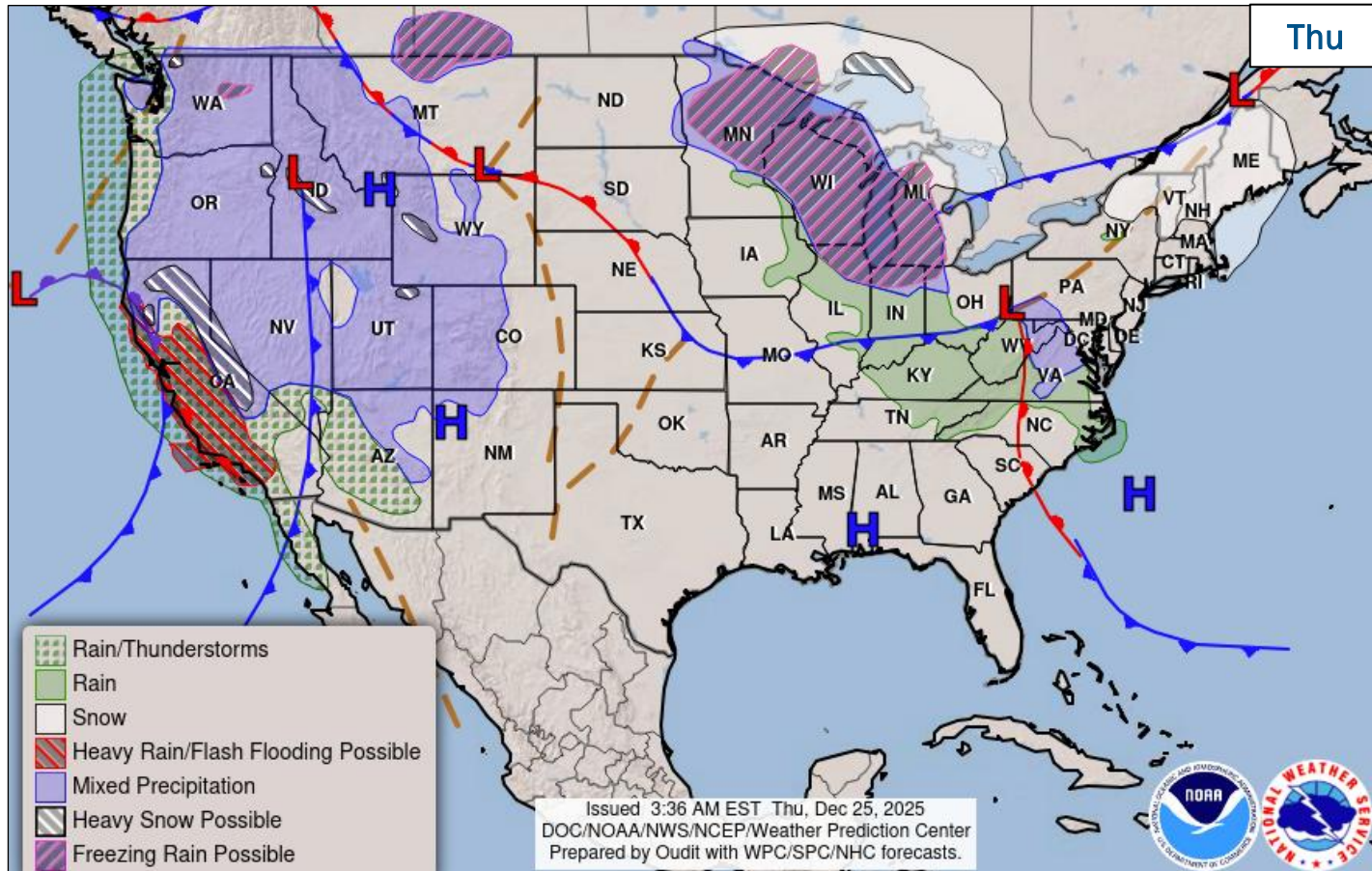
Event Monitoring

- No new significant events



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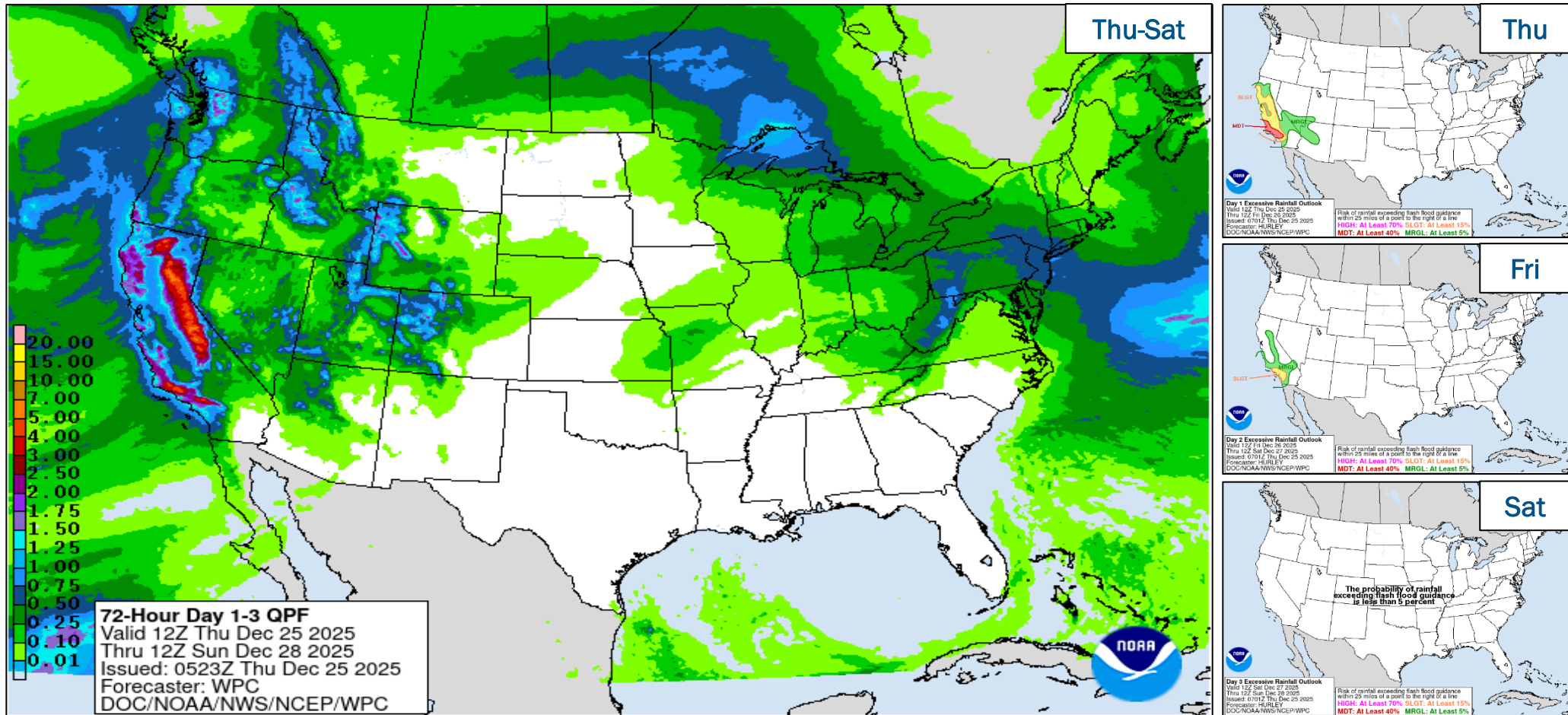
National Weather Forecast



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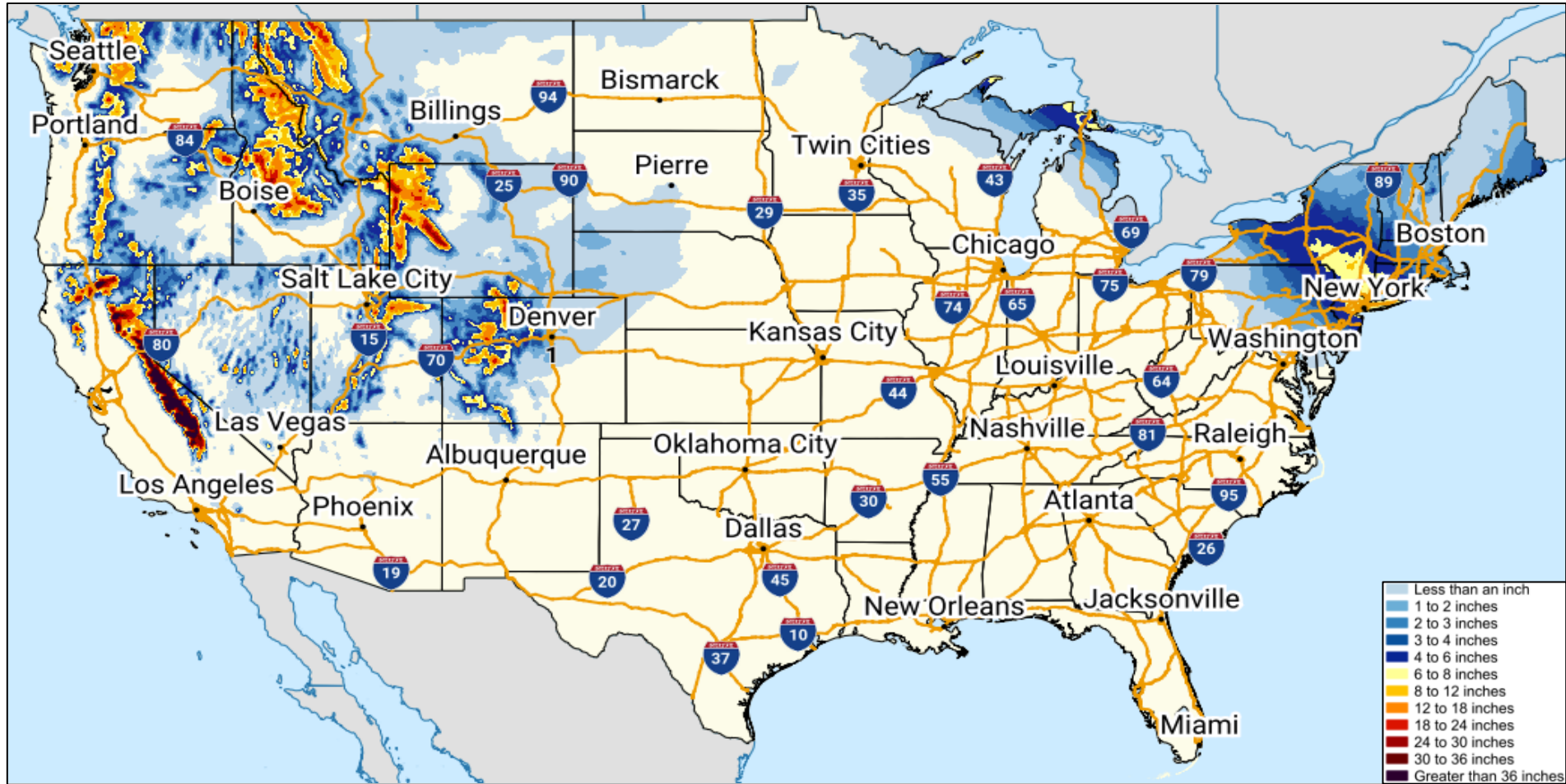
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



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Snowfall Forecast



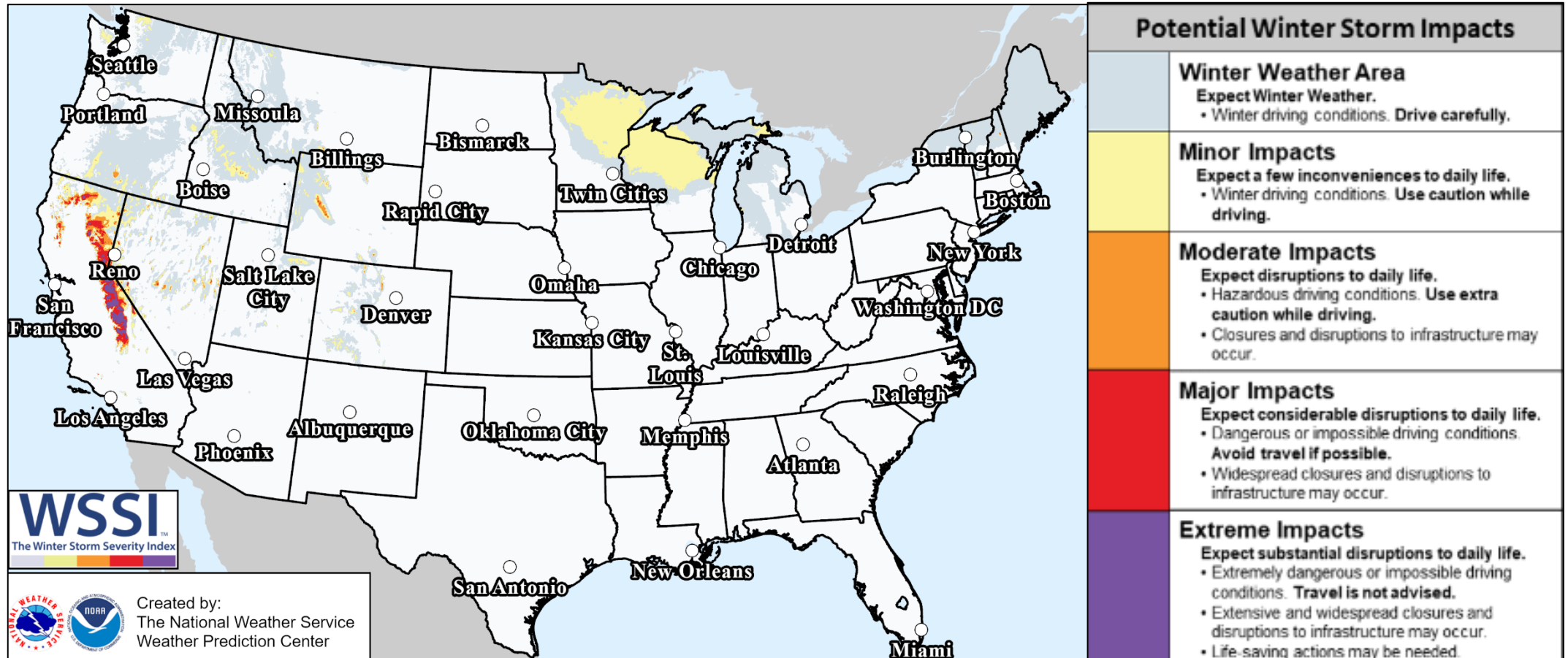
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Ice Accumulation Forecast



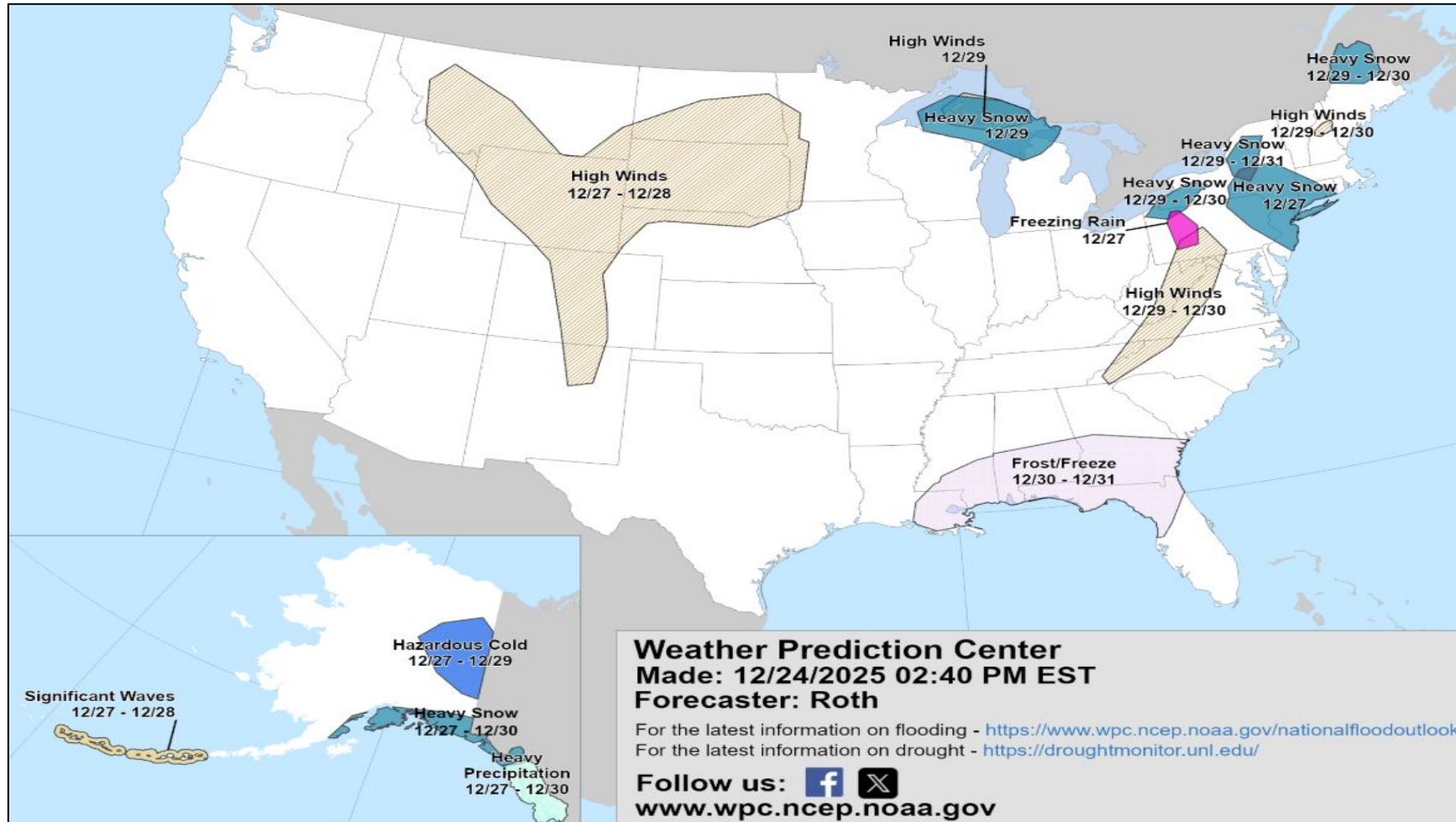
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Snowfall Forecast Impacts



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Hazards Outlook – Dec 27-31



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FEMA Common Operating Picture

13 Joint Field Offices **42** + **8** Major Disasters **11** Direct Housing Missions **8** RSF-Supported Disasters **6** Joint Recovery Offices

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NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Steady State
FEMA REGIONS	
Watch	RRCC
Monitoring	R1 Rostered
Monitoring	R2 Rostered
Monitoring	R3 Rostered
Monitoring	R4 Rostered
Monitoring	R5 Rostered
Monitoring	R6 Rostered
Monitoring	R7 Rostered
Monitoring	R8 Rostered
Monitoring	R9 Rostered
Monitoring	R10 Rostered
Notes:	
NRCC/RWCs/RRCCs: • R5 RWC: Staffing (Dayshift only)	State EOCs: • HI: Wildfires • FL: Previous Incidents • AZ/MT/TX: Flooding • CA/ID/WA: Atmospheric River • CO: High Winds
IMATs: • R10 IMAT: Reconstituting Dec 12-26	
Surge Capacity Force	
Rostered 7,970	Deployed 0

N-IMATs	
2-5 Teams Available	
Red	
White	
Blue	
Gold	
HS	
R-IMATs	
≥ 7 Teams Available	
R1	3
R2	
R3	WA (Dec 11)
R4 (1)	
R4 (2)	1
R5	
R6 (1)	
R6 (2)	2
R7	MO (Oct 27)
R8	
R9 (1)	
R9 (2)	
R10	Reconstituting
Fully Mission Capable (FMC)	
Partially Mission Capable (PMC)	
Not Mission Capable (NMC)	
Deployed	

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN				
	JFO	DR	EM	JRO
R1	0	0	0	0
R2	0	0	0	2
R3	2	4	1	0
R4	6	16	5	1
R5	0	2	0	0
R6	3	5	1	3
R7	1	12	0	0
R8	1	2	1	0
R9	0	0	0	0
R10	0	1	0	0

Alaska

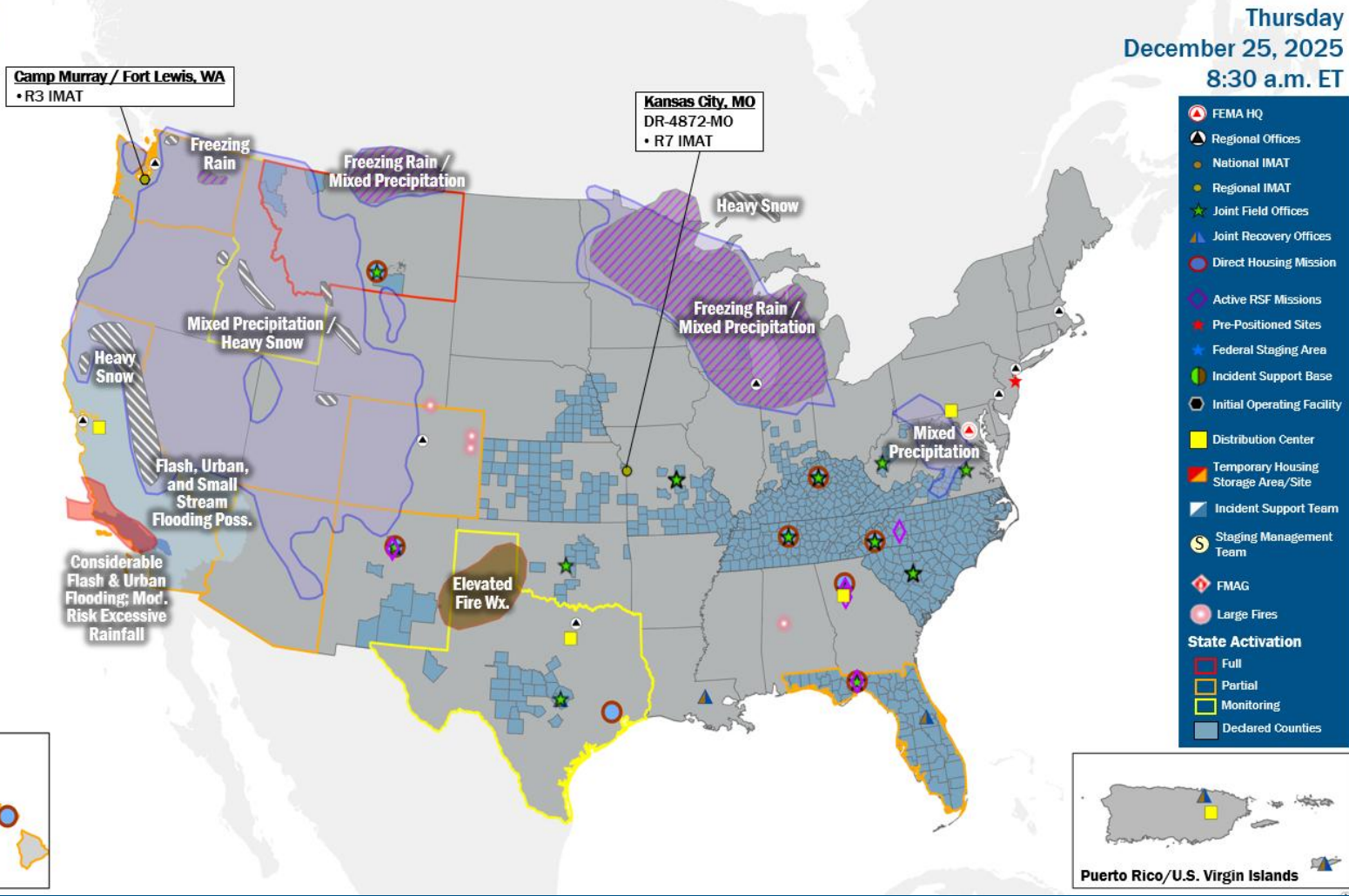
Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands

Guam

American Samoa

Hawaii

Puerto Rico/U.S. Virgin Islands



IM Workforce

11,601 Assigned
5,730 (+2) Unavailable
2,900 (-7) Deployed

26 % / 2,971 (+5) Available

IM Cadre Availability

14 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Alternative Dispute Resolution: 13% (4/31); Civil Rights: 15% (15/100); Disability Integration: 24% (4/17); External Affairs: 11% (32/287); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 8% (51/664); Field Leadership: 16% (19/119); Financial Management: 24% (44/183); Hazard Mitigation: 10% (78/782); Human Resources: 17% (27/159); Interagency Recovery Coordination: 21% (40/195); Public Assistance: 17% (338/2,043); Planning: 8% (27/351); Safety: 8% (7/89); Security: 11% (12/112)

MERS

≥ 66%

36 Assigned
6 Unavailable
0 Deployed

30 Available

US&R

≥ 66%

28 Assigned
4 Unavailable
0 Deployed

24 Available

FCO

2 Type I

38 Assigned
8 Unavailable
24 (17 FCOR) Deployed

6 Available

Declaration Request – Montana

Declaration Type: Emergency Declaration – MT

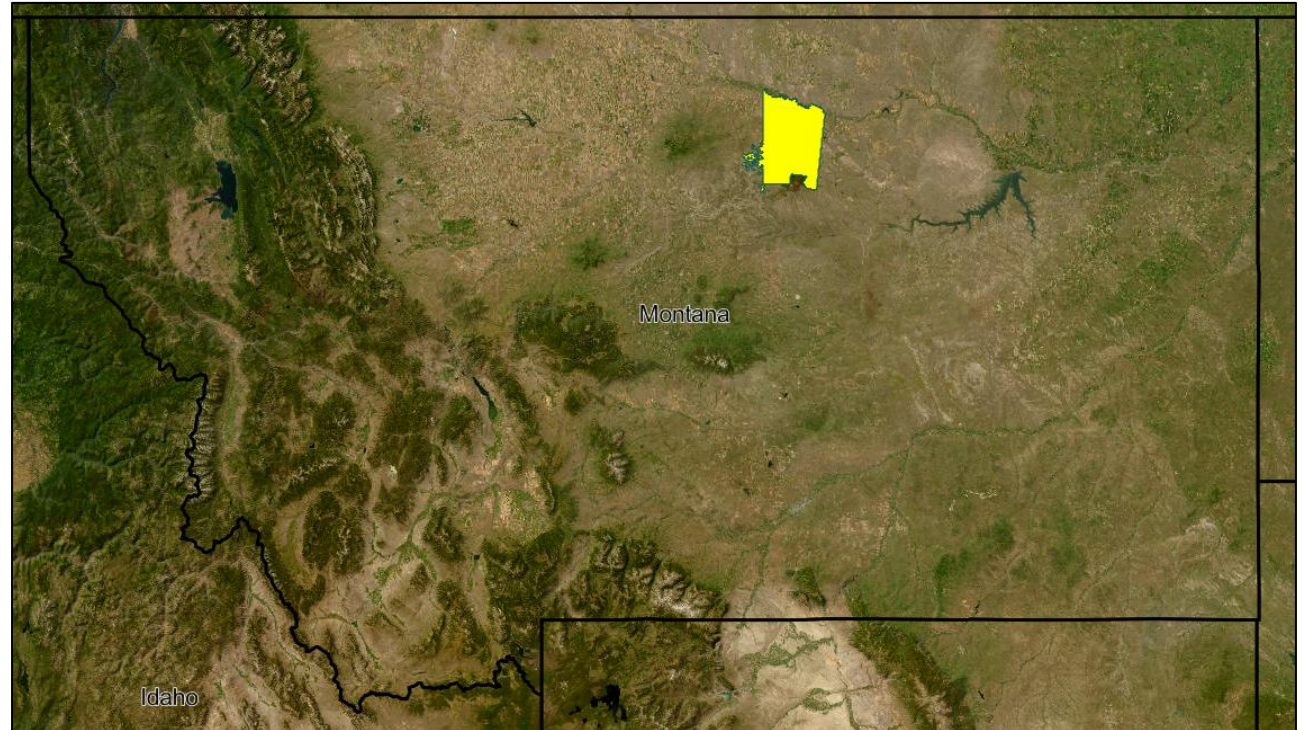
Date Requested: Dec 24

Incident: Severe Winter Storms and Straight-line Winds

Incident Period: Dec 17 and continuing

Requested:

- **PA:** Fort Belknap Indian Community



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Declaration Requests in Process – 8

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
MT – Water Systems Failure – Denied	EM		X		Oct 22
POA* – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Oct 22
AZ – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X			Nov 12
VT – Severe Storm and Flooding – Appeal	DR		X	X	Nov 20
IL – Severe Storms and Flooding – Appeal	DR	X			Nov 21
IL – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding – Appeal	DR	X			Nov 21
KS – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	DR		X	X	Nov 21
LLBO** – Building Fire	DR		X	X	Nov 30
MT – Severe Winter Storms and Straight-line Winds	EM		X		Dec 24

*Pueblo of Acoma, **Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe



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