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Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, February 19, 2019

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Feb 15-19



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Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity: Western Pacific – Tropical Depression Two (02W)

Significant Weather:

- Heavy rain and flash flooding – Southern Plains to Ohio Valley
- Freezing rain possible – Southern Plains to Mid-Atlantic
- Heavy snow – Cascades, Rockies, Central Plains to Upper Midwest, and Central Appalachians

Declaration Activity: None

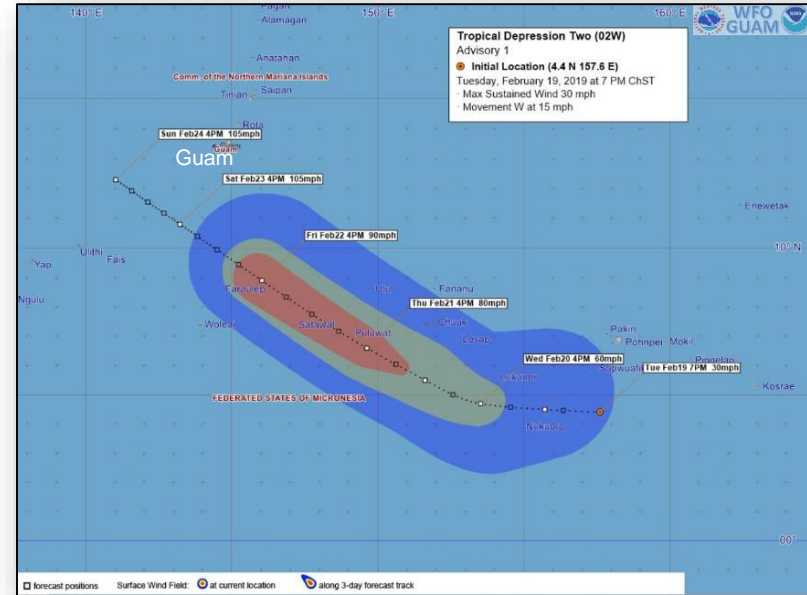
Tropical Outlook – Western Pacific



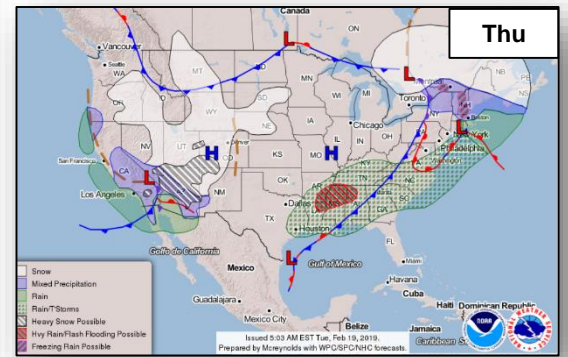
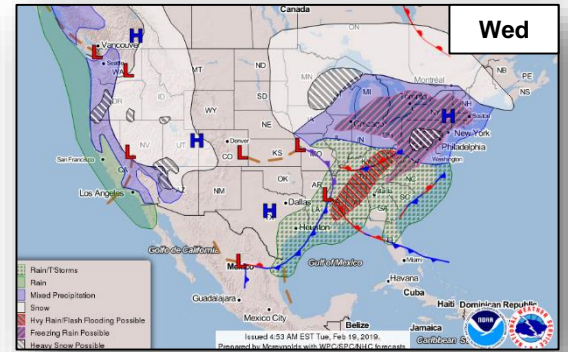
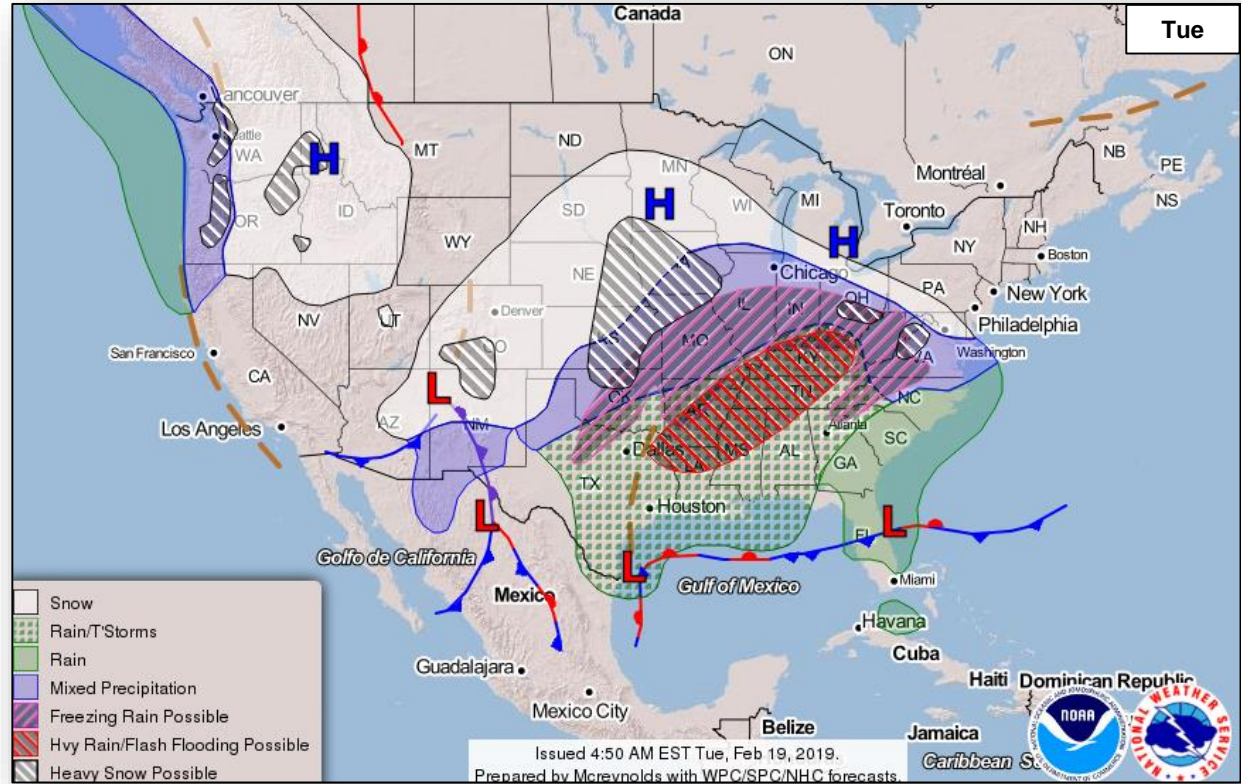
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Tropical Depression Two (02W) (Warning #1A as of 4:00 a.m. EST)

- 1,045 miles SE of Guam
- Moving W at 15 mph; maximum sustained winds 35 mph
- Forecast to pass about 200 miles S of Guam on Friday, Feb 23 as a Category 2 Typhoon
- FEMA Region IX and NWC remain at Steady State and continue to monitor



National Weather Forecast



- Snow
- Rain/T'Storms
- Rain
- Mixed Precipitation
- Freezing Rain Possible
- Hvy Rain/Flash Flooding Possible
- Heavy Snow Possible

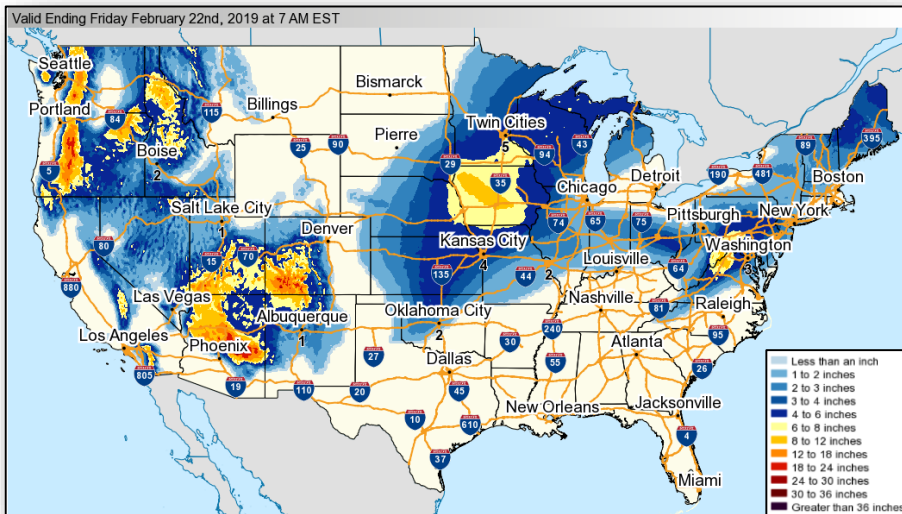
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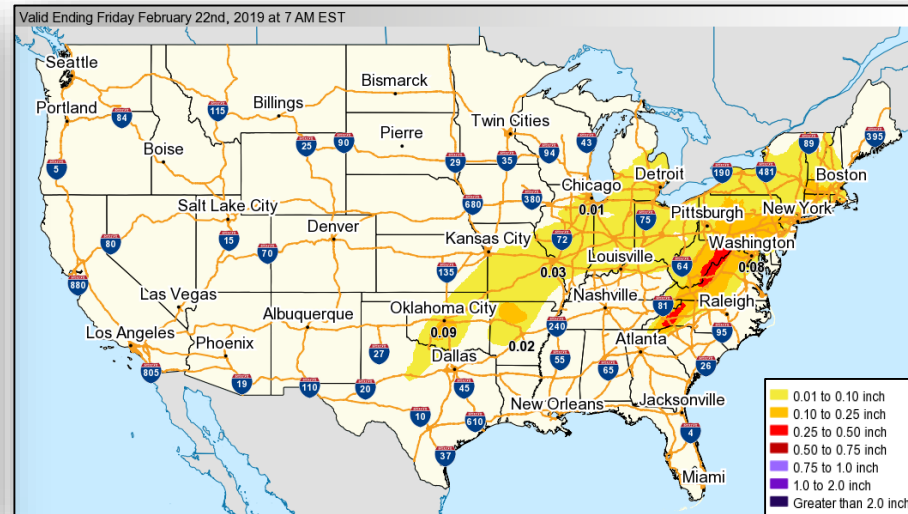
Winter Precipitation Outlook



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Forecast Snowfall

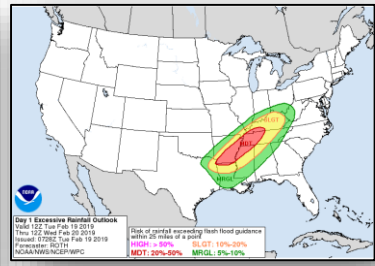
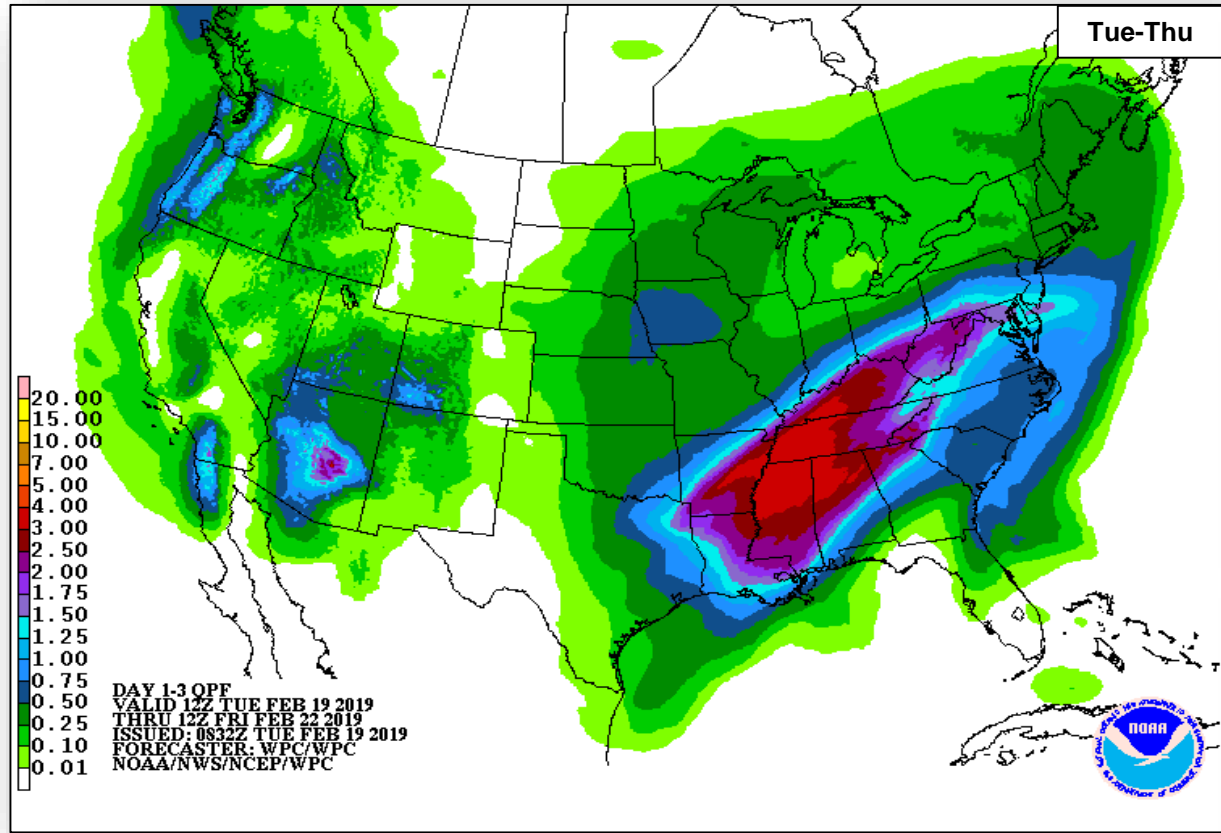


Forecast Ice Accumulation

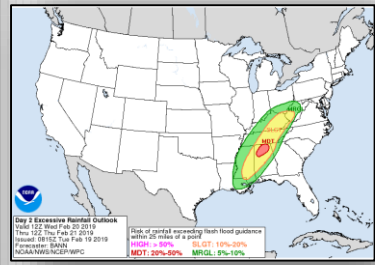
Precipitation Forecast



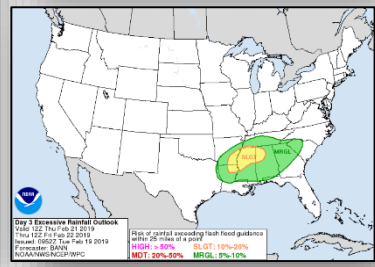
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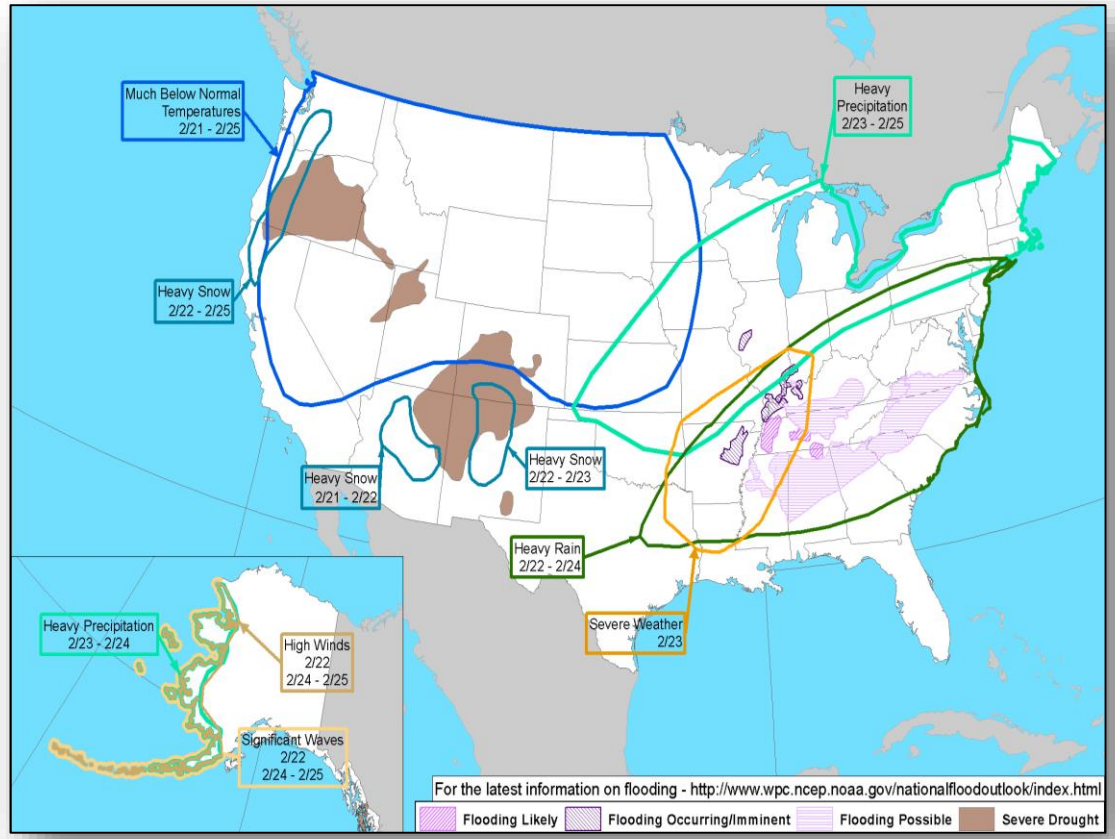


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Hazards Outlook – Feb 21-25



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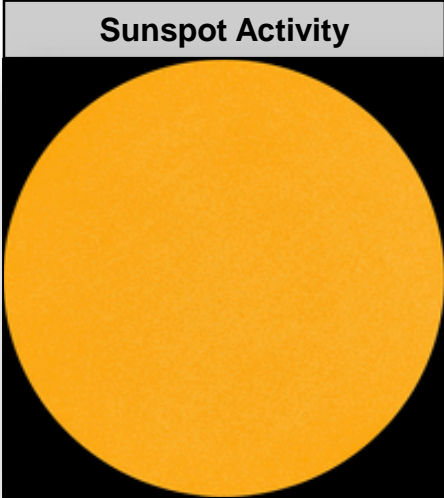
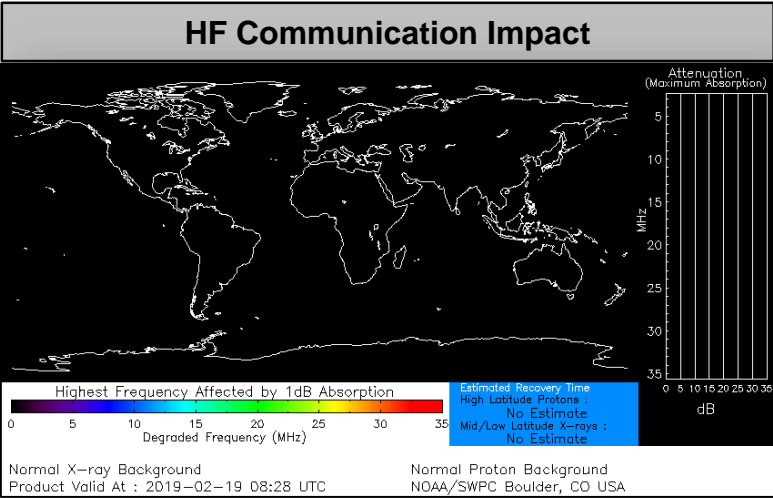
Space Weather



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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>



Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
2	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	0	0
TX – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	X	X	X	October 30, 2018		
KS – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding		X	X	November 14, 2018		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



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National and Regional Resources		Cadres with 25% or Less Availability	
IM Workforce	Strength: ▲ 12,928 Available: ▲ 4,295 / 33% Other: 3,479 Deployed: ▲ 5,154	EHP 5% (23/451); ER 16% (9/57); FL 18% (29/165); HM 22% (236/1,076); LOG 22% (289/1,327); PA-NEW 10% (211/2,128); SAF 19% (11/58); SEC 25% (31/124)	
N-IMAT	East: Available West: Available Crisis: Available		
Regional IMAT (4-6 Teams)	Assigned: 13 Available: 5 PMC / NMC: 4 Deployed: 4	Field Office Staging Area JFOs: 14 / VJFOs: 6 DRs: 49 EMs: 0 Deployed Teams	
N-ISB Teams (3 Teams)	Team A: Available Team B: Available Team C: Available	4354-DR-ME 4355-DR-NH 4356-DR-VT 4367-DR-ME 4370-DR-NH 4371-DR-NH 4372-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4385-DR-CT 4410-DR-CT FCO: James N. Russo JFO: Milford, MA	
US&R (>66%)	Assigned: 28 Available: 27 PMC / NMC: 1 Deployed: 0	4374-DR-MD 4376-DR-MD FCO: Emily Breslin VJFO: Philadelphia, PA	
MERS (>66%)	Assigned: 36 Available: 35 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 1	4401-DR-VA 4411-DR-VA FCO: Donald Keldsen JFO: Glen Allen, VA	
FCO (≥3 Type I)	Assigned: 29 Available: 5 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 24	4393-DR-NC 4412-DR-NC FCO: Albert Lewis JFO: Durham, NC	
FDRC (=2)	Assigned: 13 Available: 2 PMC / NMC: 1 Deployed: 10	4394-DR-SC FCO: Elizabeth Turner JFO: Columbia, SC	

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FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



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Status		Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments
NWC (5 Teams)	Steady State				
NRCC (2 Teams)	Available				Primary - Blue Team
HLT	Available				
RWC / MOCs (10 Regions)	Steady State				
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available				

Backup Regions: **VI, I, and II**



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