The Disaster Center is dedicated to the idea that disaster mitigation is cost effective and individuals pursuing their own interest are the greatest potential force for disaster reduction.

Please consider making a small donation to the Disaster Center



When disaster mitigation is cost effective, we are on the road to bringing disasters to an end.



FEMA Daily Operations Briefing Friday, July 5, 2019 8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – July 4-5



Significant Events:

- Earthquake Southern California
- Flooding Mississippi Valley (Weekly Update)

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic No activity affecting U.S. interests
- Eastern Pacific
 - Hurricane Barbara (CAT 2)
 - Disturbance 1: Medium (60%)
- Central Pacific See Eastern Pacific (Hurricane Barbara)
- Western Pacific No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

• Severe thunderstorms, heavy rain and flash flooding possible – Northern/Central Plains

Declaration Activity: None

Earthquake – Southern California



<u>Situation:</u> Southern California experienced a M6.4 earthquake centered near Ridgecrest, CA. USGS analysis expects several hundred aftershocks to occur over the next week with a 9% chance of 6.4 or greater Magnitude.

Impacts:

Safety & Security:

- Minor damage to a fire station in Trona, CA; no impacts to fire response (CAL OES)
- 2,670 damaged structures (2,340 Affected, 330 minor)

Health & Medical:

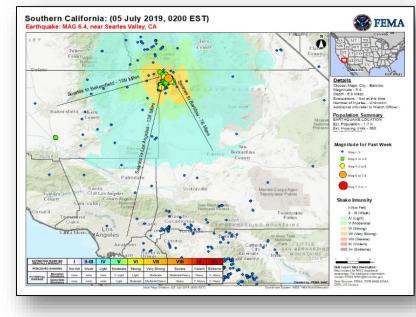
• Ridgecrest Regional Hospital evacuated for precautionary measure; no significant impacts to medical services in the area (*HHS*)

Energy:

- Power outages: 762 customers in Kern County (pop 800k), CA, down from a high of 6,828
- · No reported damages to power substations or generation facilities
- Natural Gas leaks potential cause for local fires does not appear to be any mainline breaks

Transportation:

- Local roadways had varying degrees of damage, highways in the area canyons were inspected no safety concerns on major highways
- · LAX reports no flight interruptions



Response:

- CA SEOC Partial Activated
- Governor of CA declared an State of Emergency
- Region IX Watch continues to monitor, LNO to State EOC
- NWC monitoring close coordination with HHS, DOE, & CISA Ops Centers

Eastern Pacific

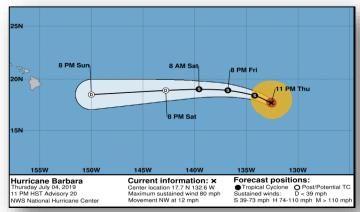
Hurricane Barbara (CAT 2) (Advisory #20 as of 2:00 a.m. EDT)

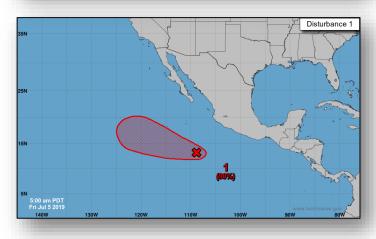
- 1,475 miles E of Hilo, HI
- Moving NW at 12 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 80 mph
- Rapid weakening expected, becoming a Tropical Storm today
- Hurricane force winds extend 35 miles
- Tropical storm force winds extend 150 miles

Disturbance 1 (as of 2:00 a.m. EDT)

- Located several hundred miles SSW of the coast of southwestern Mexico
- Moving WNW at 15 mph
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Medium (60%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: High (90%)
- No threat to U.S. interests

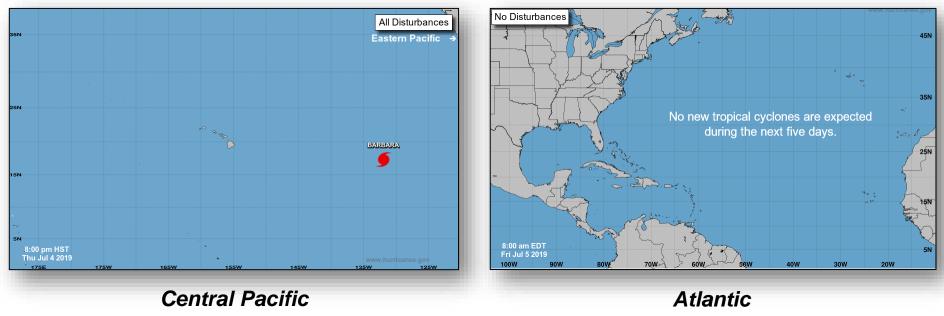






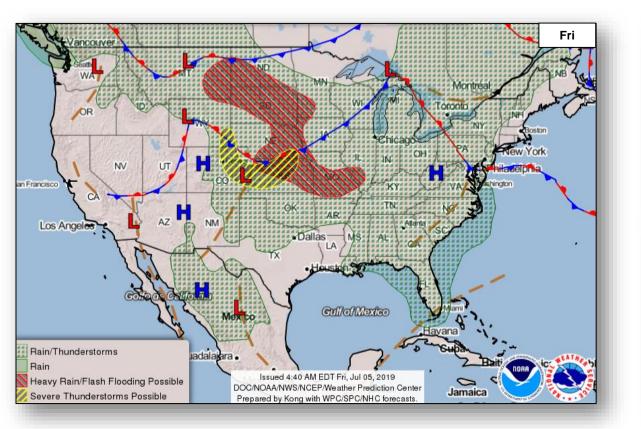
Tropical Outlook – Five Day

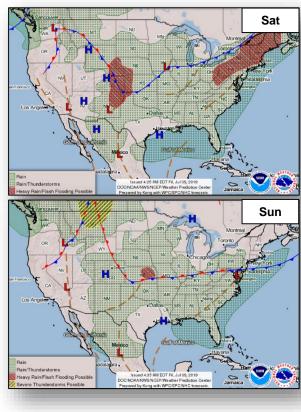




National Weather Forecast

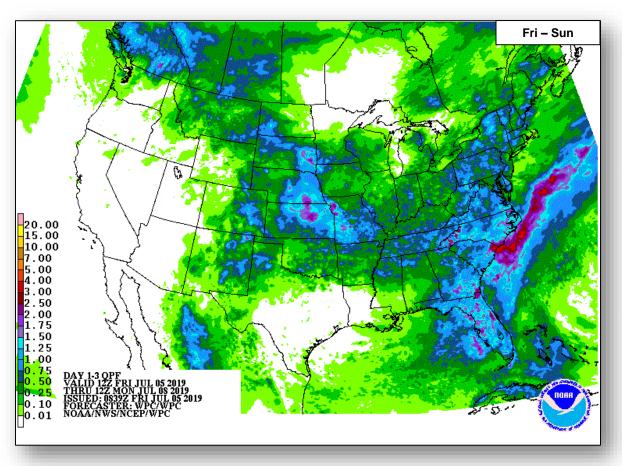


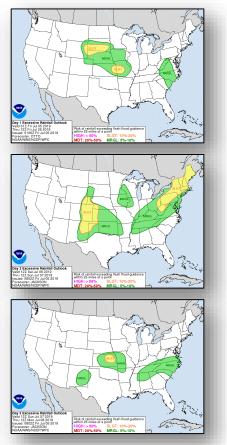




Precipitation Forecast







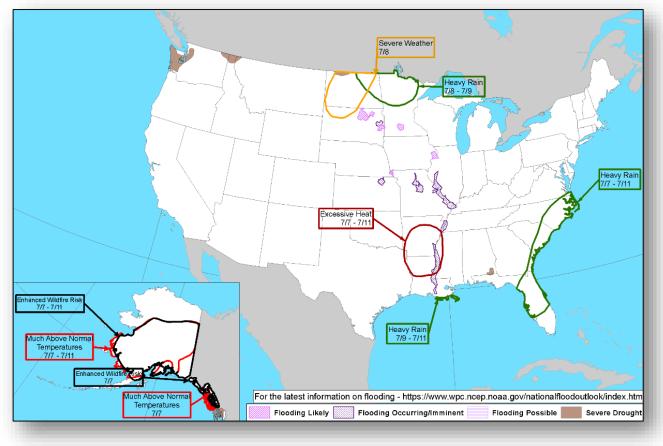
Fri

Sat

Sun

Hazards Outlook – July 7-11





Wildfire Summary



Fire Name	FMAG #	Acres burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations		Fatalities		
(County)					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	, Injuries
Alaska (1)								
Shovel Creek (North Star Borough)	5282-FM-AK	10,008	12% (+4)	973 (+798)	Homes: 211 Other: 0	Homes: 0 Other: 0	Homes: 0 Other: 0	0/2

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Pagion	State /	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End	
Region	Location	Event		Requested	Completed	Start – Enu	
VI	ОК	Flooding		0	0	N/A	
		May 7-9, 2019	PA	52	51	6/12 – TBD	
	тх	Severe Weather and Flooding		3	3 (+2)	6/24 – 7/1	
		June 2, 2019	PA	0	0	N/A	
VII	МО	Severe Storms and Flooding	IA	42	42	6/12 – 6/18	
		April 29, 2019 and continuing		73	25	6/24 – TBD	

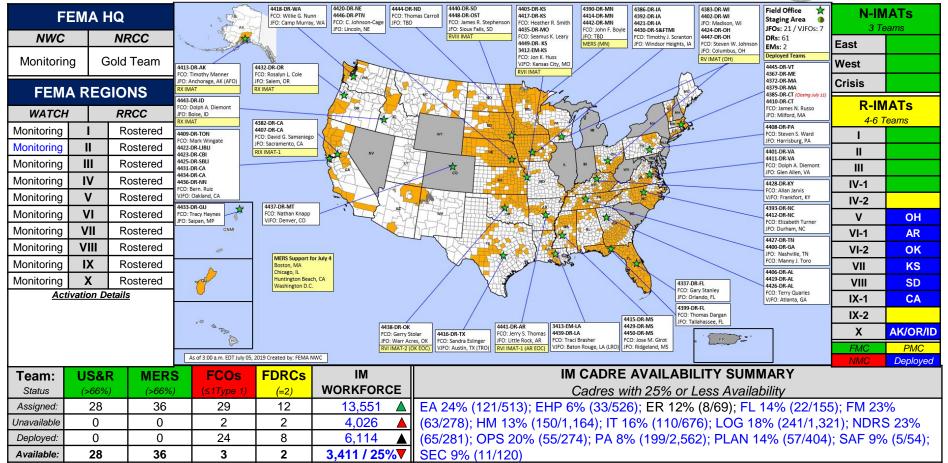
Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Pro	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)				
4	IA	PA	НМ	Date Requested	0	0
MI – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	x		Х	June 10, 2019		
OR – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides		х	Х	June 10, 2019		
MO – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding			Х	June 24, 2019		
OK – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding		х	Х	July 3, 2019		

FEMA Common Operating Picture







FEMA's mission is helping people before, during, and after disasters.

Click here to subscribe to this briefing.