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# **FEMA**

## **Daily Operations Briefing**

Tuesday, February 23, 2016

8:30 a.m. EST

### Significant Activity: February 22 - 23



**Significant Events:** Severe Weather possible– Gulf Coast

#### **Significant Weather:**

- · Severe thunderstorms: Gulf States
- Excessive rain with Flash Flooding possible: Lower Mississippi Valley
- Moderate to heavy snow: Southern and Central Rockies
- Snow: Northern Plains into Upper Midwest
- Red Flag Warnings: Southern TX
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather Areas: Southern TX; CA / AZ border
- Space Weather: None observed past 24 hours; none expected next 24 hours

**Tropical Activity:** No activity affecting U.S. territories

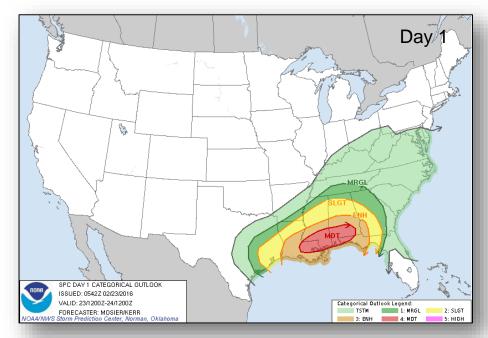
Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

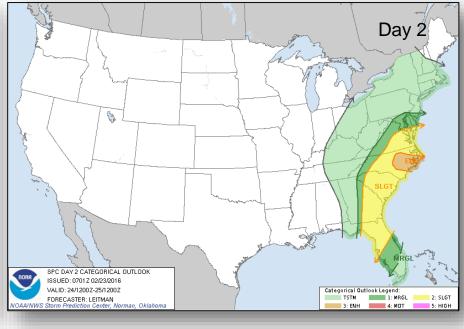
#### **Declaration Activity:**

Request for Major Disaster Declarations – VA

#### Severe Weather Outlook: Days 1-2









**Thunderstorms** 



Slight Risk

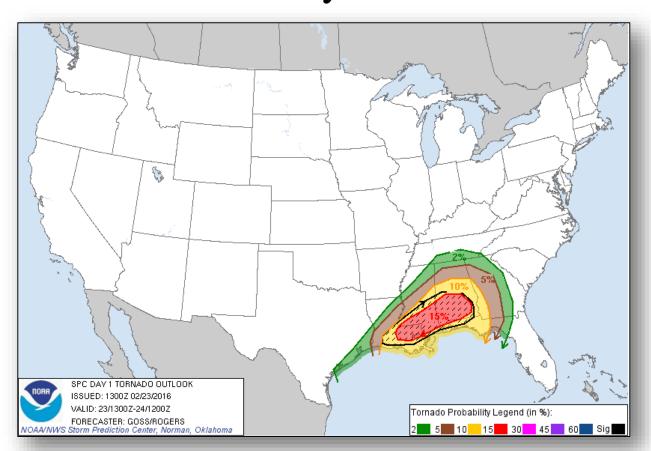


Enhanced Risk Moderate Risk

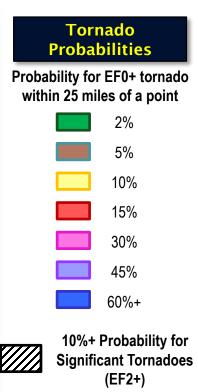




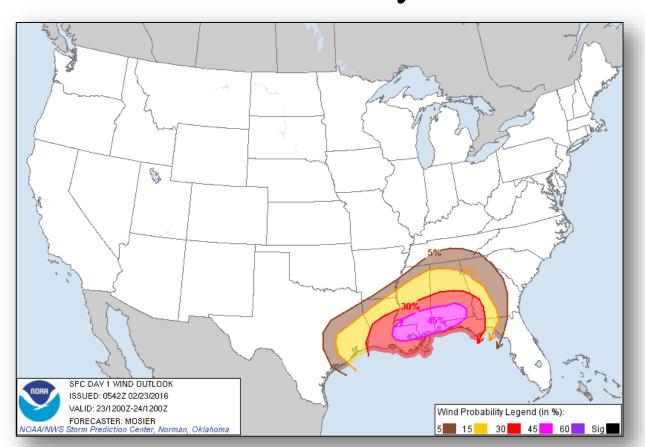
#### Tornado Outlook: Day 1



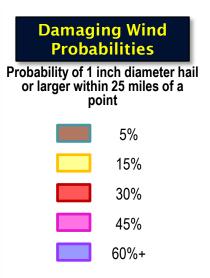




#### Severe Wind Outlook: Day 1





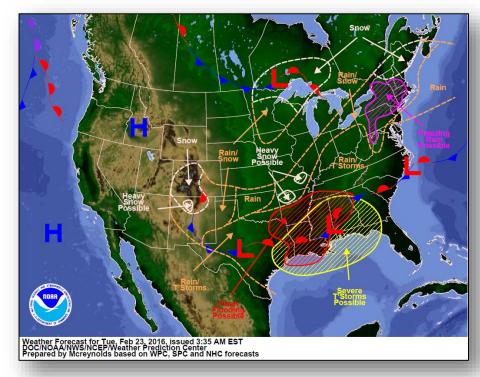


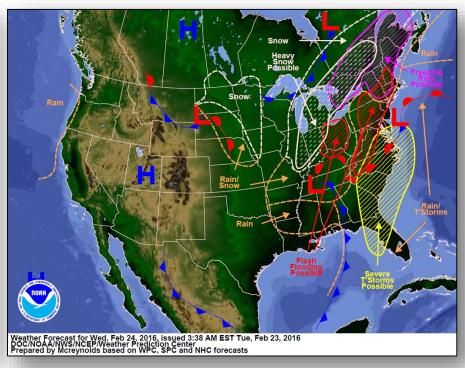


10%+ Probability for **Significant Damaging** Winds (75+ mph gusts)

#### National Weather Forecast



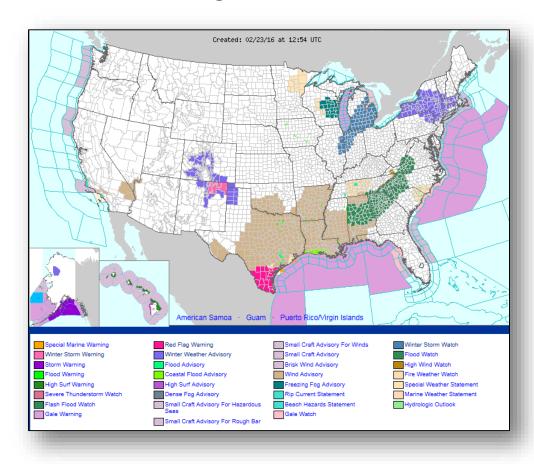




Today Tomorrow

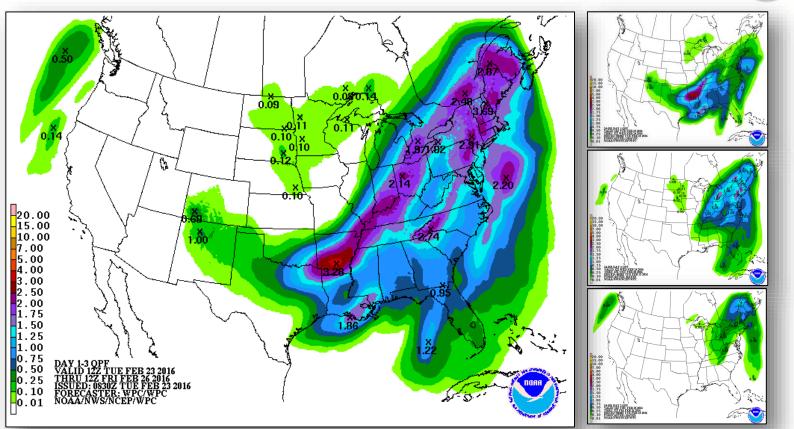
### Active Watches/Warnings





### Precipitation Forecast, 1-3 Day





Day 1

Day 2

Day 3

### Hazard Outlook February 25-29

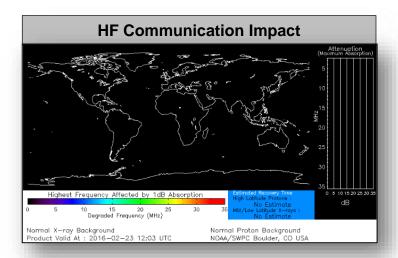


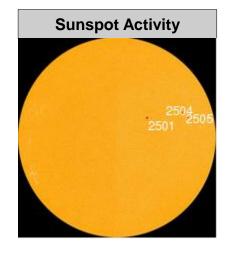


### Space Weather



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





### Disaster Requests & Declarations



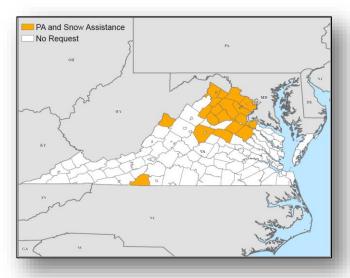
Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
8	Date Requested	0	0
DC – DR Snowstorm	January 29, 2016		
NJ – DR Severe Winter Storms, Snowstorm	February 11, 2016		
GA – DR Severe Thunderstorms, Flash Flooding, Flooding	February 10, 2016		
NM – DR Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	February 14, 2016		
DE – DR Severe Winter Storm and Flooding	February 18, 2016		
PA – DR Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	February 19, 2016		
MD – DR Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	February 19, 2016		
VA – DR Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	February 19, 2016		

#### Major Disaster Declaration Request – VA



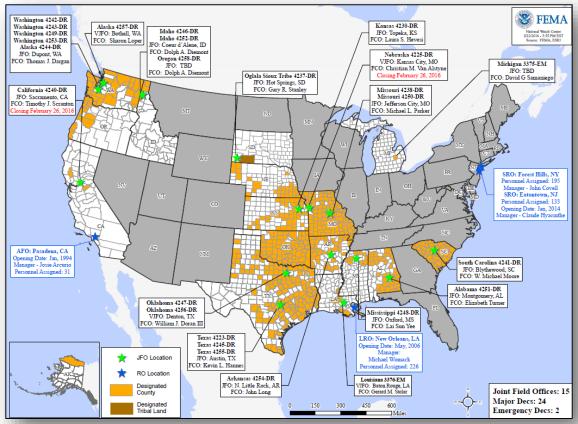
#### **February 19, 2016**

- Request for Major Disaster Declaration for Commonwealth of Virginia
- For severe winter storm and flooding during the period of January 22-24, 2016
- Requesting:
  - Public Assistance, including Snow Assistance, for 20 counties and 5 independent cities
  - Hazard Mitigation statewide



### Open Field Offices as of February 23





### Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State / Location	Event		Number of	Start – End	
				Requested	Complete	
III	WV	Severe Winter Storm/Snowstorm January 22-23, 2016	PA	33	0	2/17 – TBD
IV	FL	Severe Storms/Tornadoes February 15, 2016	IA	1	0	2/22 – TBD

#### FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



	Deployable Teams/Assets																
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available										Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		33	16	48%	0	1	16	Only 2 Type 1 FCOs available	OFDC Readiness: <u>FCO Green Yellow Red</u> Type 1 3+ 2 1  Type 2 4+ 3 2								
FDRC		8	3	38%	0	0	5		Type 3 4 3 2  FDRC 3 2 1								
US&R		27	27	100%	0	0	0		Green = Available/FMC     Yellow = Available/PMC     Red = Out-of-Service     Blue = Assigned/Deployed								
National IMAT		3	3	100%	0	0	0		Green: 3 avail     Yellow: 1-2 avail     Red: 0 avail (Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.)								
Regional IMAT		13	7	50%	0	0	7*	RVIII – returned to FMC on 2/22  Deployed: RIV (Team 1) Deployed to AL RV (Team 1) Deployed to MI RVI (Team 1) Deployed to AR; (Team 2) Deployed to TX RVII Deployed to MO RIX (Team 2) Deployed to OR RX Deployed to WA  *Deployed but Available to re-deploy: RII (Deployed in place for Regional Relocation Taskforce)	Green: 7 or more avail Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available Red: > 8 teams deployed/unavailable R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement								
MERS Teams		18	17	94%	0	0	1	Denton (both teams returned)  Deployed: Bothell (1)	Green = >66% available     Yellow = 33% to 66% available     Red = <33% available								

#### FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams

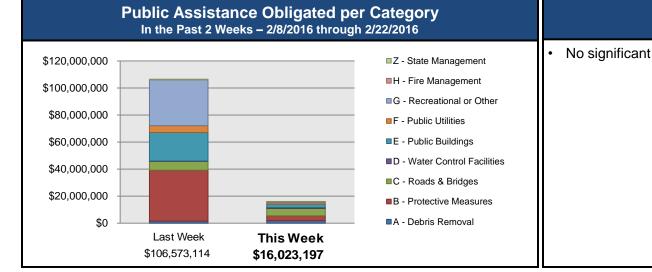


	National/Regional Teams																
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available										Partially Available	Not Available	Status	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Not Activated		• Green = FMC								
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		• Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC								
HLT		1	1 N/A N/A		0	0	Not Activated										
DEST							Not Activated										
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated										
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated	Severe Weather: Region IV RWC to Enhanced Watch at noon – LNO deployed to MS Region VI RWC to Enhanced Watch (dayshift only); LNO's on stand-by									

#### Public Assistance Grant Program



		PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of 02/22/16 at 1500 EDT									
	Emergei	ncy Work			Permanent Worl	(					
PA Category	A - Debris Removal	B - Protective Measures	C - Roads & Bridges	D - Water Control Facilities	E - Public Buildings	F - Public Utilities	G - Recreational or Other	H - Fire Management	Z - State Management	Total	
Number Of PWs Obligated	32	69	118	4	38	20	24	0	1	306	
Federal Share Obligated	\$1,912,730	\$3,449,711	\$5,492,602	\$756,705	\$2,384,807	\$1,236,960	\$690,644	\$0	\$99,038	\$16,023,197	



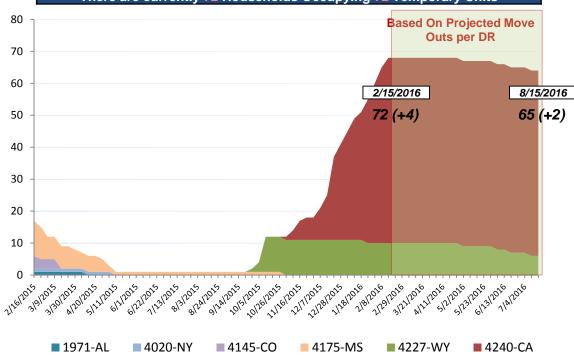
#### PA Highlights

No significant project activity over the past week

#### **Direct Housing**







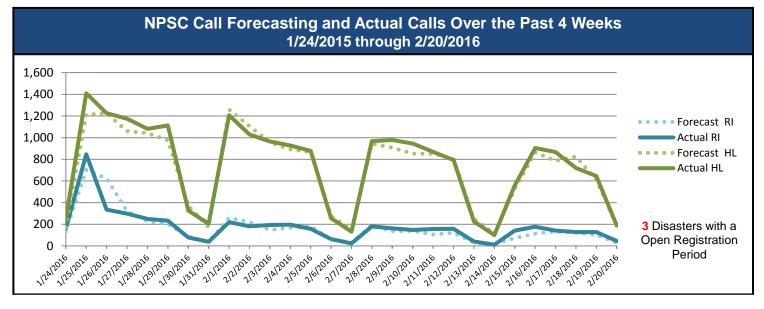
DR	IA Declaration Date	Program End Date	Current # of Households in Direct Housing (Weekly Change)
4227-WY	7/7/2015	1/7/2017	10 (0)
4240-CA	9/22/2015	3/22/2017	62 (+4)



**NPSC** Activity



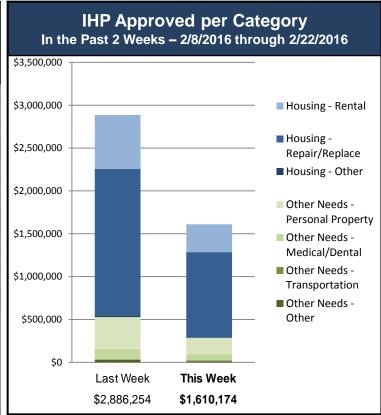
NPSC Call Activity in the Past Week 2/14/2016 through 2/20/2016									
Call Type Projected Calls Actual Calls Average Answer Time Time									
Registration Intake	592	769	:12	2:32					
Helpline	3,974	3,982	:11	2:20					
All Calls 4,566 4,751 :11 2									



#### Individual Assistance Activity



	Individuals and I as of 0	Household 2/22/2016 at		n Activity		
		In Past	7 Days	Cumulative		
		Applicants Approved	Amount Approved	Applicants Approved	Amount Approved	
	4248-MS Declared 01	-04-2016 Er	nd Of Reg Perio	d 03-04-2016		
-	Housing Assistance	3	\$37,473.40	260	\$2,023,347.11	
ĕ	Other Needs Assistance	5	\$4,866.74	141	\$422,310.76	
Pe	Total IHP	<b>\$42,</b> 3	340.14	\$2,445	,657.87	
Open Registration Period	4250-MO Declared 01	I-21-2016 Er	nd Of Reg Perio	d 03-21-2016		
ati	Housing Assistance	169	\$484,484.10	1,680	\$8,269,074.85	
isti	Other Needs Assistance	76	\$151,517.47	625	\$1,823,687.37	
eg	Total IHP	\$636,	001.57	\$10,092,762.22		
_ E	4254-AR Declared 02	2-05-2016 Er	nd Of Reg Perio	d 04-05-2016		
be	Housing Assistance	63	\$285,988.26	125	\$694,076.75	
O	Other Needs Assistance	9	\$18,640.72	18	\$39,636.89	
	Total IHP	\$304,	628.98	\$733,	713.64	
_	8 Declarations IHP Programmatically C	pen - Closed	Registration *			
Other IHP Active	Housing Assistance	195	\$518,132.64			
hei	Other Needs Assistance	58	\$109,070.37			
ŏ	Total IHP	\$627,2	203.01			
	Total IHP Approved in Past Week	\$1,610	,173.70			





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