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



FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, May 2, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations & Monitoring



Significant Incidents or Threats:

- COVID-19
- Critical fire weather Southern Plains

Declaration Activity:

- Major Disaster Declaration approved South Carolina
- Amendment No. 1 to FEMA-4540-DR-KY
- Amendment No. 1 to FEMA-4538-DR-MS
- Amendment No. 4 to FEMA-4428-DR-KY

COVID-19 Update

FEMA

<u>Situation:</u> FEMA, HHS, and federal partners are working with our state, local, tribal, and territorial governments to execute a whole-of-America response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The President released Guidelines for Opening American Up Again and the Federal Government is continuing to work with governors across the country to ensure they have the equipment, supplies, and testing resources they need to reopen safely and responsibly. The HHS Secretary issued a renewal of the January 31 COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Declaration for 90 days.

- FEMA NRCC remains at Level I in unified effort with HHS SOC; all FEMA RRCCs activated
- FEMA IMAT-A teams deployed to 27 states/territories; LNOs deployed to 37 states/territories
- 56 major disaster declarations approved: All State / Territory EOCs activated
- 47,211 FEMA, DOD, HHS, VA and CDC personnel deployed/activated in support of COVID-19 response
 - 3,152 (-5) FEMA Employees deployed in support of COVID-19 response
- Testing: 6,482,602 (+406,899) cumulative as of May 1

Community Based Testing Sites (CBTS)

- 144,343 (+3,641) samples collected at CBTS locations since March 20
- 102,341 (+12,466) tests processed from Private-Partnership Testing Sites since April 5

Supply Chain Stabilization

- Project Airbridge Activity: 107/135 flights complete: 28 flights scheduled
- Four flights carrying 4.5M. FEMA procured N 95 masks arrived April 30 in New York City, Chicago, Baltimore, and Washington, D.C.;
 including these flights, total 3M masks received 31.5M/55M currently scheduled for shipment
- Fifth HHS airlift flight with roughly 266K Tyveks suits arrived to Dallas-Fort Worth, TX; end point distribution to storage sites beginning May 1

Data and Analysis

- · Completed training for CDC and Laboratory Diagnostics Task Force on the International Reagent Resource (IRR) Allocation Tool
- · Completed preliminary Gate Indicators dashboard

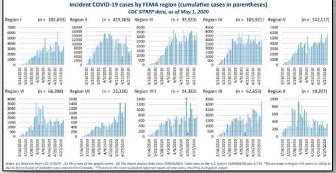
Food, Water, & Shelter

Salvation Army providing hot meal service across the country; continuing "Operation Restaurant Relief," and providing hot and cold
meal delivery to hotel, motels, isolated quarantined, homeless, unsheltered homeless, seniors, homebound children, infected medical
workers, and foster youth

(FEMA SLB COVID-19, Apr 30)

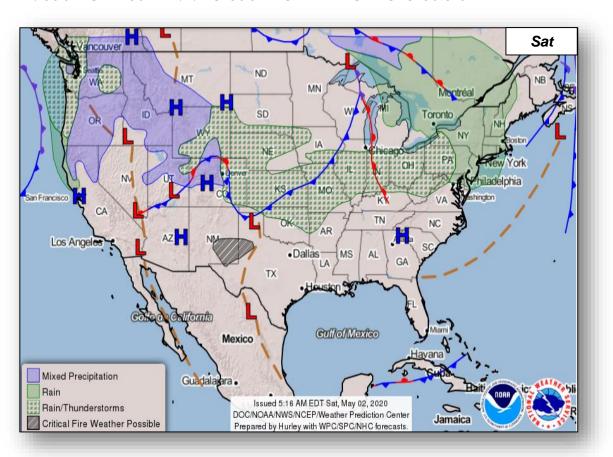
COVID-19	Confirmed	Deaths
United States	1,090,578 (+33,143)	64,197 (+2,008)
Worldwide	3,175,207 (+84,771)	224,172 (+6,403)

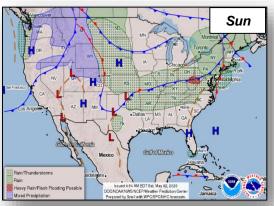


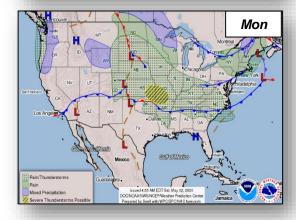


National Weather Forecast



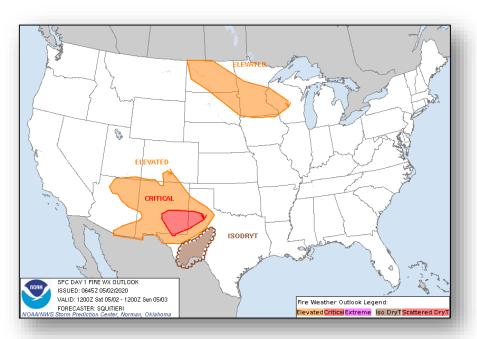


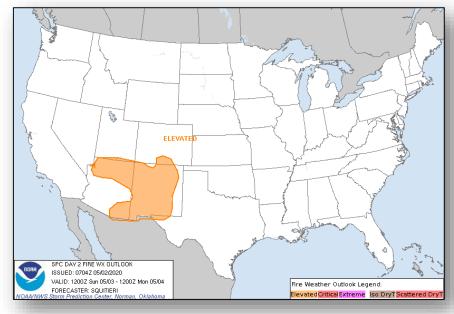




Fire Weather Outlook







Today

Tomorrow

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Bogies State /		Event	IA/PA	Number of	Start – End	
Region Location	IAVPA		Requested	Completed	Start – End	
IV	SC	Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line	IA	9	9	4/21 – 4/24
IV	10 30	Winds; Apr 12-13	PA	8	0	4/23 – TBD
	TX VI	TX Tornado Apr 22	IA	5	0	4/30 – TBD
VI			PA	0	0	N/A
	ΛD	Severe Storms	IA	8	0	5/1 – TBD
AR	Apr 12	PA	11	0	5/1 – TBD	

Declaration Approved

FEMA

Declaration: Major Disaster Declaration FEMA-4542-DR-SC for South Carolina

Requested: April 18, 2020

Approved: May 1, 2020

Incident: Severe storms, tornadoes, and straight-line winds

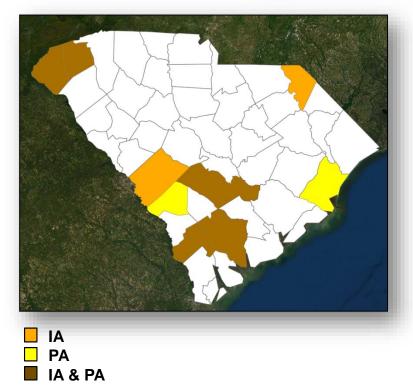
Incident Period: Apr 12-13, 2020

Provides:

IA only: 2 counties
PA only: 2 counties
IA & PA: 5 counties

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide

FCO: Allan Jarvis



COVID-19 Declaration Requests in Process – 1



State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
STOF (Seminole Tribe of Florida) – COVID-19	DR	Χ	Χ	Χ	Apr 22

Declaration Requests in Process – 5

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
AK – Fire – DENIED (April 30)	DR		Х	Х	Apr 7
NC – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Apr 9
SC – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds – APPROVED (May 1)	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Apr 18
AR – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds	DR	Х	Х	Х	Apr 24
AL – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Apr 25
HI – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Apr 27
TX - Severe Storms Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes (Appeal)	DR		X	X	May 1

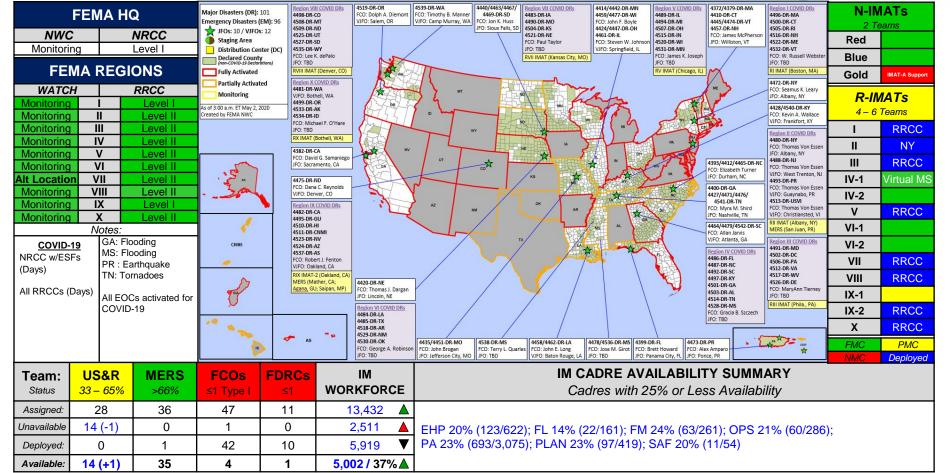
Declaration Amendments



Declaration	Number	Issued	Action
FEMA-4540-DR-KY	1	Apr 24	Appoints Kevin A. Wallace as FCO
FEMA-4538-DR-MS	1	Apr 23	Appoints Jose M. Girot as FCO
FEMA-4428-DR-KY	4	Apr 24	Appoints Kevin A. Wallace as FCO

FEMA Common Operating Picture







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