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Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, February 5, 2019

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Feb 4-5



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Significant Events: SOTUA

Significant Weather:

- Freezing rain and ice accumulations up to ½ inch – Middle Mississippi Valley to the lower Great Lakes and Northeast
- Heavy snow and high winds – Sierras into the NV and CA Mountains, Northern/Central Rockies, and Upper Midwest
- Heavy rain, flash flooding and burn-scar debris flows possible – southern CA coast
- Wintry mix of rain, freezing rain, and snow – Midwest, Great Lakes, Ohio Valley, and New England

Tropical Activity: Western Pacific – No activity affecting U.S. interests

Declaration Activity: None

2019 State of the Union Address



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Situation

The President will deliver the 2019 State of the Union Address to a Joint Session of Congress today at the U.S. Capitol at 9:00 p.m. EST. This is a National Special Security Event.

State/Local Response

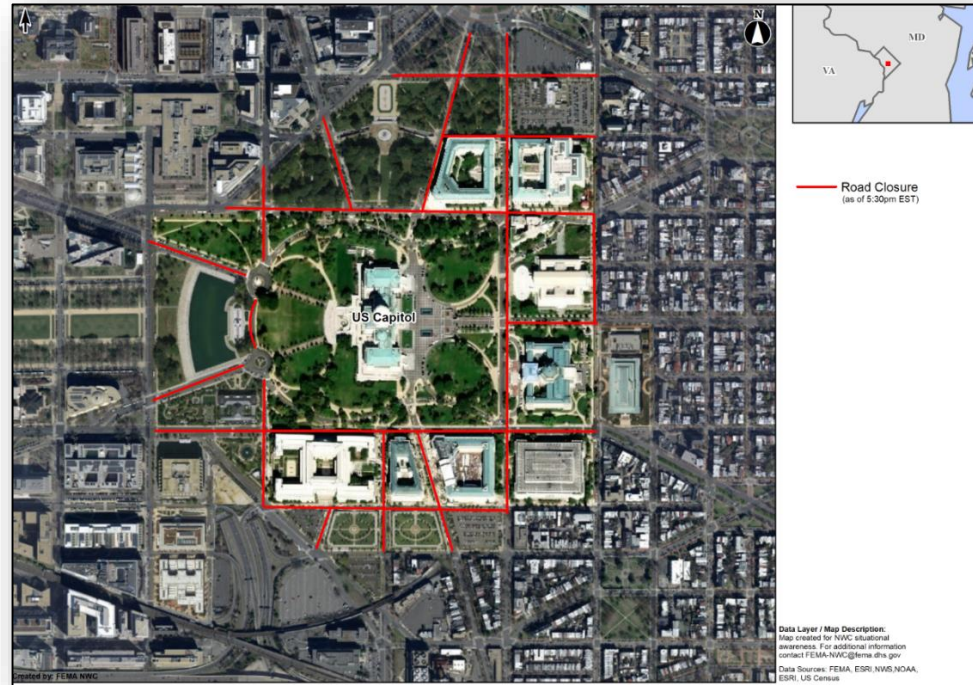
- The DC HSEMA EOC Full Activation today
- Street closures begin at 5:30 p.m. EST until after the event

FEMA Region III Response

- FEMA Region III RRCC Enhanced Watch (Alpha Team) from 1:00 p.m. EST through conclusion of the event

FEMA HQ Response

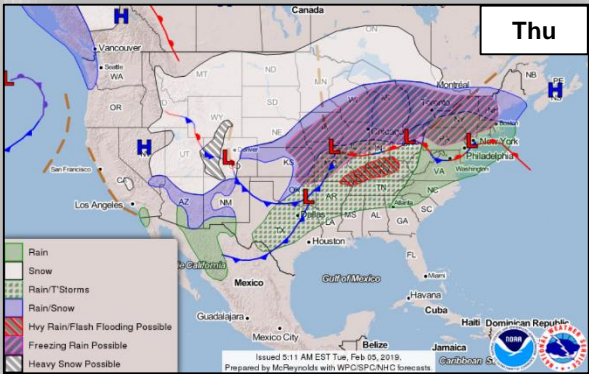
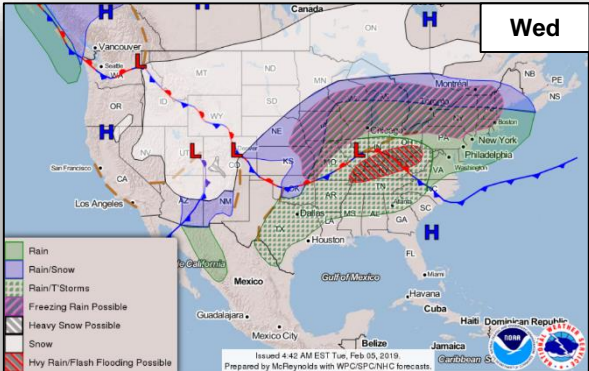
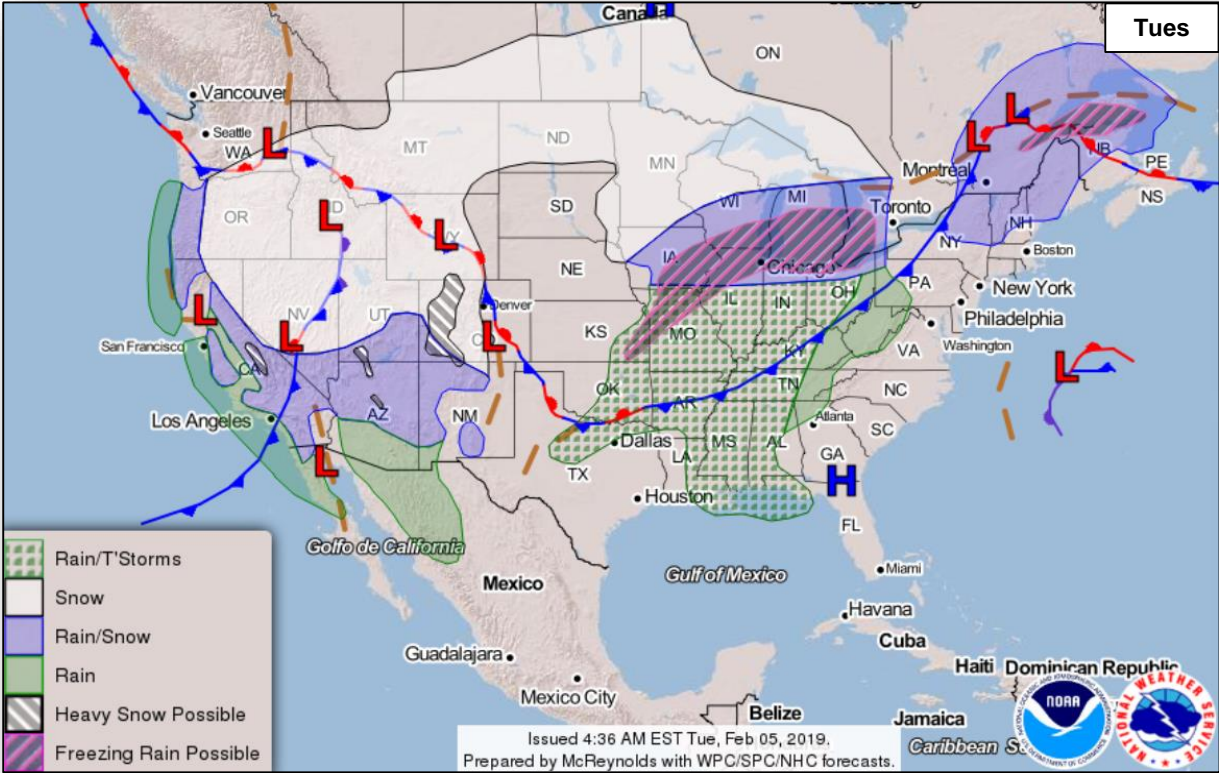
- FEMA NWC Enhanced Watch from 3:00 p.m. through conclusion of the event
- FEMA MERS providing support to FEMA Region III and other Federal agencies
- NRCS Blue Team, ESFs, National IMAT East, CMCU and DEST are on Alert
- National Urban Search and Rescue Branch issued an ESF 9 Advisory
- LNOs will deploy to Mt. Weather and FBI SIOC



National Weather Forecast



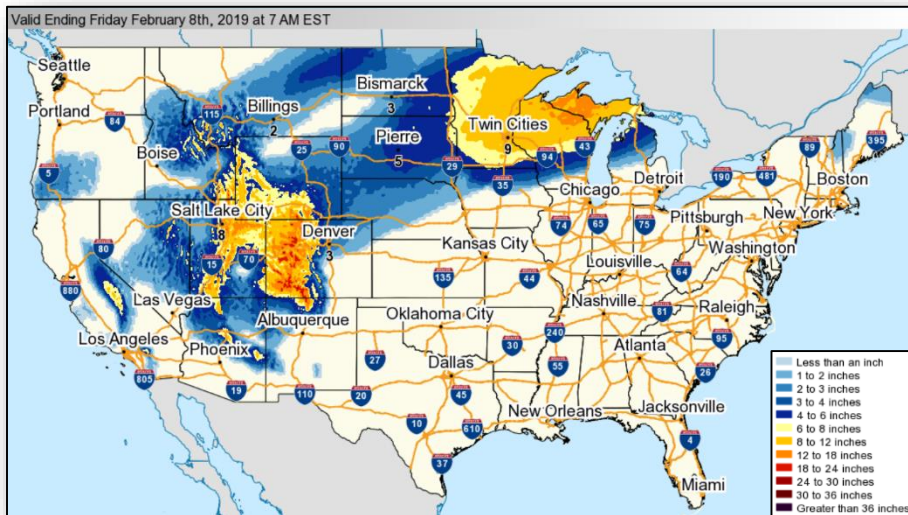
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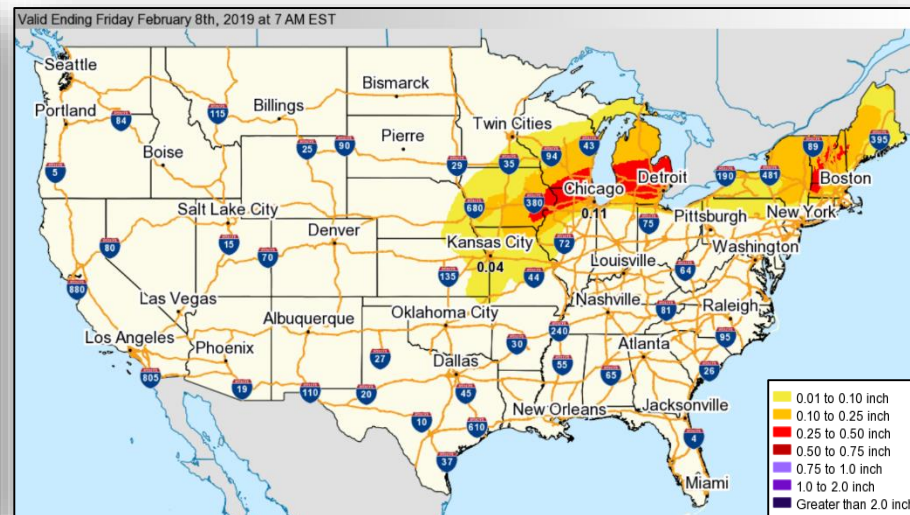
Winter Precipitation Outlook



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Forecast Snowfall

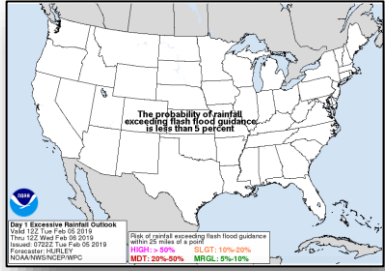
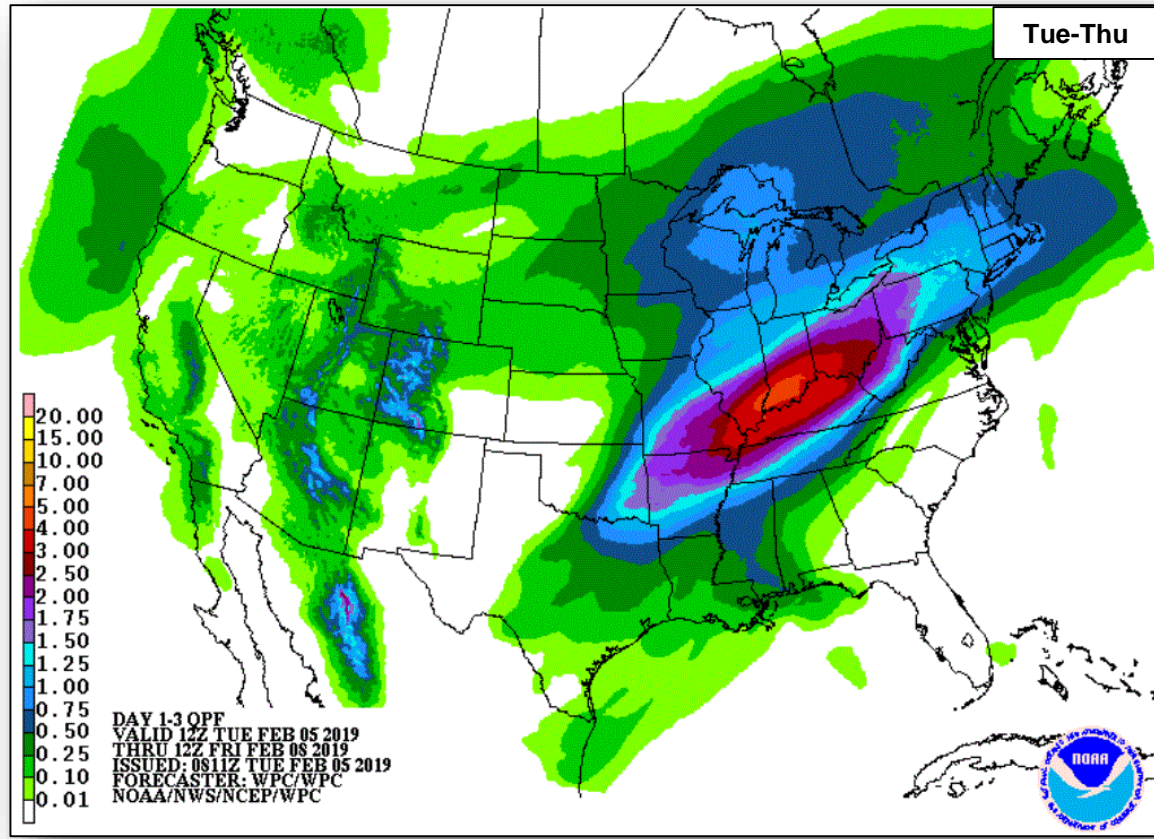


Forecast Ice Accumulation

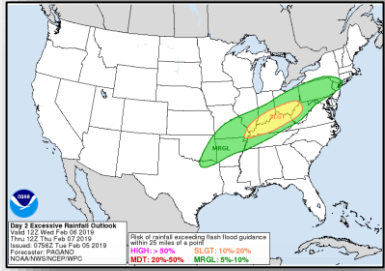
Precipitation Forecast



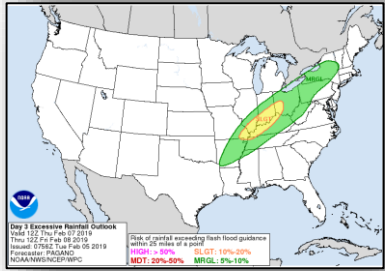
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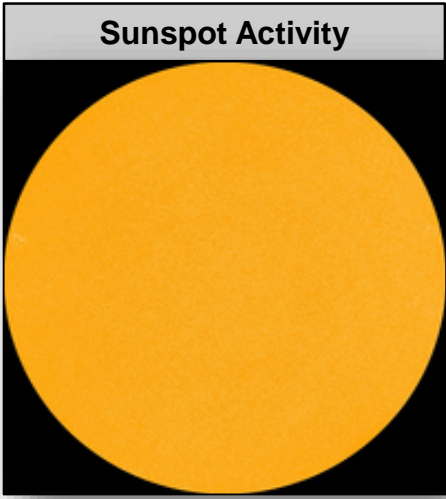
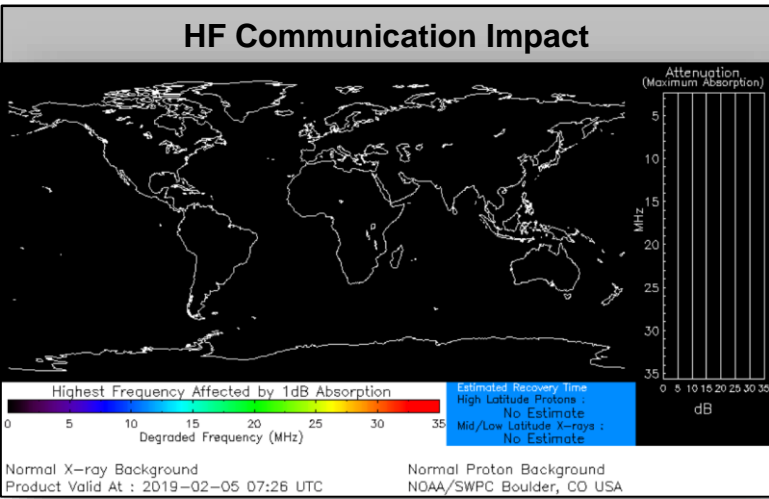
Space Weather



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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>



Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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| Region | State / Location | Event | IA / PA | Number of Counties | | Start – End |
|--------|------------------|---|---------|--------------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | | Requested | Completed | |
| X | WA | Winter storms, high winds, flooding, mudslides, landslides, and tornado December 10 - 25, 2018 | IA | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| | | | PA | 14 | 0 | 1/30 – TBD |

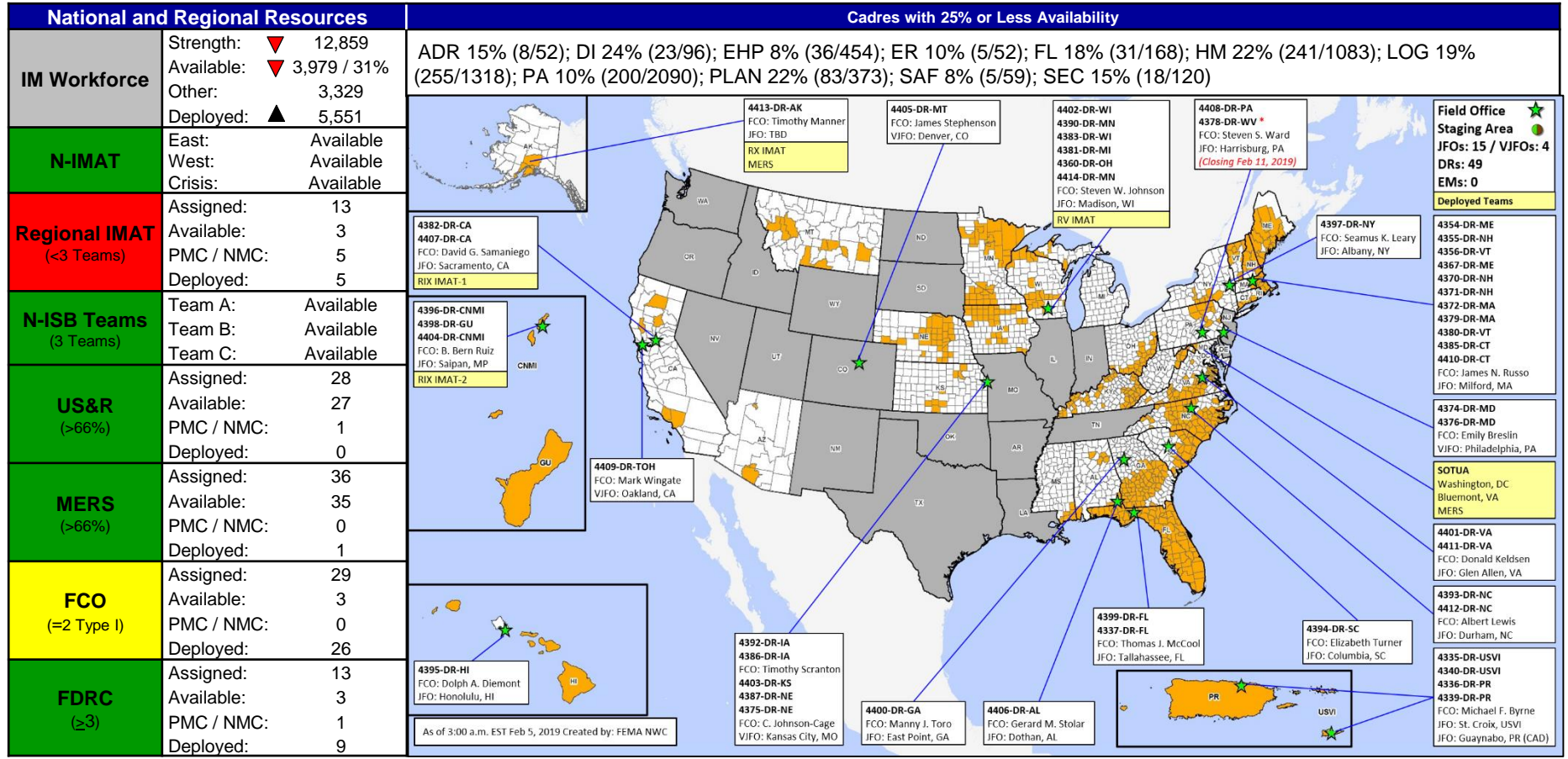
Disaster Requests & Declarations



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| Declaration Requests in Process | | | | | Requests APPROVED (since last report) | Requests DENIED (since last report) |
|--|----|----|----|-------------------|--|--|
| 4 | IA | PA | HM | Date Requested | 0 | 0 |
| LA – (Appeal) DR Flooding | | X | X | October 26, 2018 | | |
| 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 | | |
| VT – DR Severe Winter Storm | | X | X | January 4, 2019 | | |

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



- Field Office Staging Area** ★
- JFOs: 15 / VJFOs: 4**
- DRs: 49**
- EMs: 0**
- Deployed Teams**
- 4354-DR-ME FCO: Seamus K. Leary JFO: Albany, NY
 - 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
 - 4374-DR-MD
 - 4376-DR-MD FCO: Emily Breslin VJFO: Philadelphia, PA
 - SOTUA** Washington, DC Bluemont, VA MERS
 - 4401-DR-VA
 - 4411-DR-VA FCO: Donald Keldisen JFO: Glen Allen, VA
 - 4393-DR-NC
 - 4412-DR-NC FCO: Albert Lewis JFO: Durham, NC
 - 4335-DR-USVI
 - 4340-DR-PR
 - 4336-DR-PR
 - 4339-DR-PR FCO: Michael F. Byrne JFO: St. Croix, USVI
 - 4339-DR-PR JFO: Guaynabo, PR (CAD)

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



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| Status | | Activated Team | Activation Level | Activation Times | Reason / Comments |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------------|------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| NWC (5 Teams) | Steady State | NWC | Enhanced Watch | 3:00 p.m. until conclusion | (SOTUA) |
| NRCC (2 Teams) | Available | | | | Blue Team on standby |
| HLT | Available | | | | |
| RWC / MOCs (10 Regions) | Steady State | | | | |
| RRCCs (10 Regions) | Available | Region III | Enhanced Watch | 1:00 p.m. until conclusion | (SOTUA) |

Backup Regions: VI, VIII and I

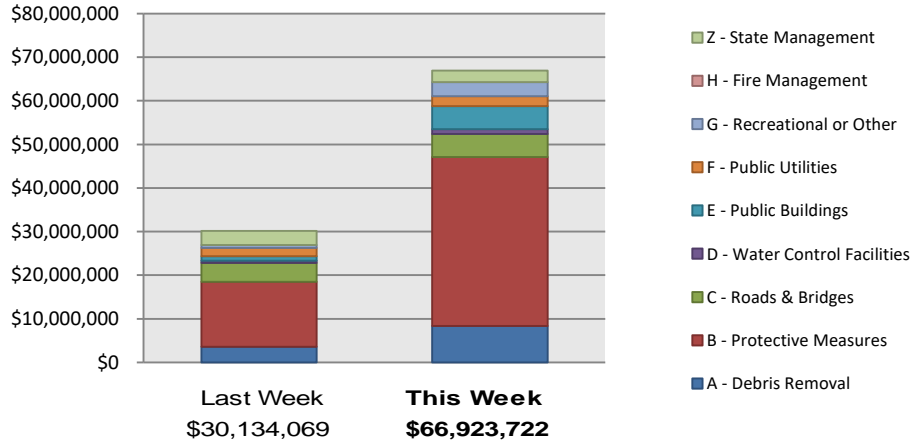
Public Assistance Grant Program



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| PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of 02/4/19 at 1500 EDT | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| PA Category | Emergency Work | | Permanent Work | | | | | H - Fire Management | Z - State Management | Total |
| | A - Debris Removal | B - Protective Measures | C - Roads & Bridges | D - Water Control Facilities | E - Public Buildings | F - Public Utilities | G - Recreational or Other | | | |
| Number Of PWs Obligated | 65 | 84 | 61 | 12 | 92 | 22 | 36 | 0 | 39 | 411 |
| Federal Share Obligated | \$8,384,322 | \$38,737,432 | \$5,309,970 | \$1,072,286 | \$5,303,415 | \$2,232,097 | \$3,249,340 | \$0 | \$2,634,860 | \$66,923,722 |

Public Assistance Obligated per Category In the Past 2 Weeks – 1/21/2019 through 2/4/2019



This weeks PA Highlights

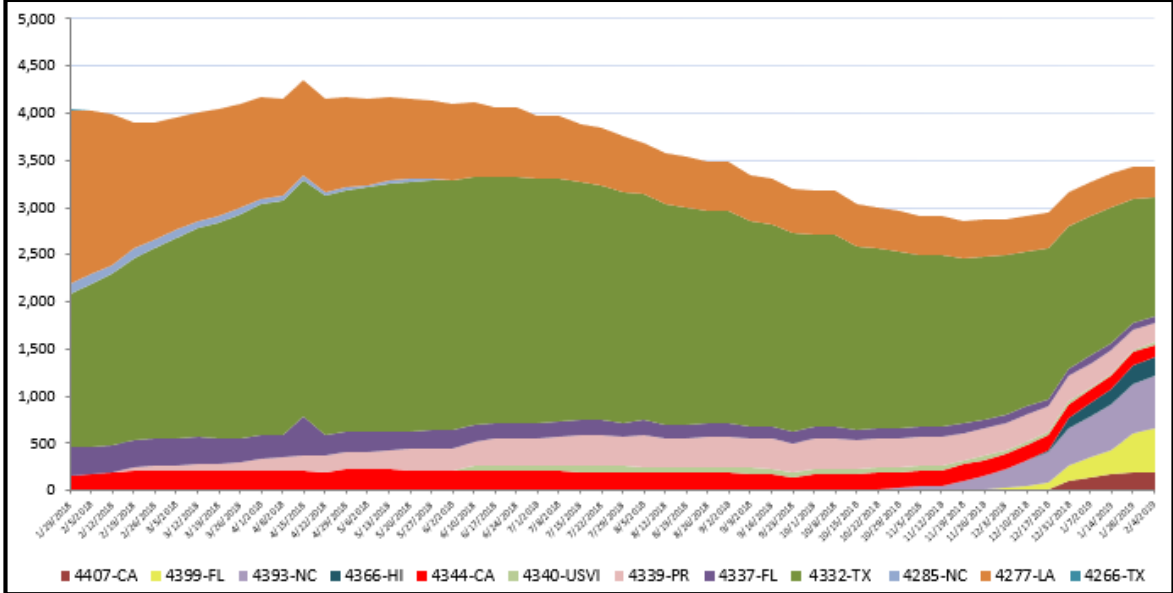
- In 4339-PR
 - \$28.8 Million obligated for Category B – Protective Measures
- In 4379-MA
 - \$4 Million obligated for Category B – Protective Measures

Direct Housing



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Total Households in FEMA Direct Housing per State Past Year per Week, 1/29/2018 – 2/4/2019, There are currently 3,243 Households Occupying 3,243 Temporary Units



| DR | IA Declaration Date | Program End Date | Current # of Households in Direct Housing (Weekly Change) |
|-----------|---------------------|------------------|---|
| 4407-CA | 11/12/2018 | 5/12/2020 | 197 (+5) |
| 4399-FL | 10/11/2018 | 4/11/2020 | 464 (+57) |
| 4393-NC | 9/14/2018 | 3/14/2020 | 555 (+20) |
| 4366-HI | 5/11/2018 | 11/11/2019 | 6 (0) |
| 4344-CA | 10/10/2017 | 4/10/2019 | 136 (-1) |
| 4340-USVI | 9/20/2017 | 3/20/2019 | 25 (-1) |
| 4339-PR | 9/20/2017 | 3/20/2019 | 210 (-7) |
| 4337-FL | 9/10/2017 | 3/10/2019 | 59 (-7) |
| 4332-TX | 8/25/2017 | 2/25/2019 | 1,259 (-64) |
| 4277-LA | 8/14/2016 | 1/15/2019 | 332 (-7) |



States with Currently Occupied Units

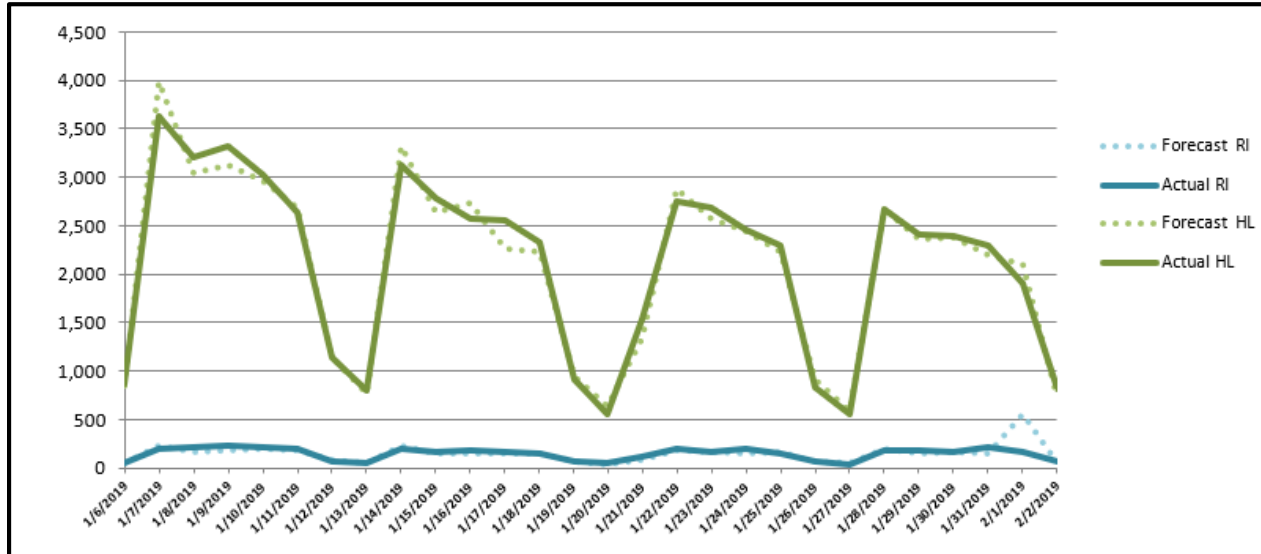
NPSC Call Activity



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| NPSC Call Activity in the Past Week 1/27/2019 through 2/02/2019 | | |
|--|-----------------|--------------|
| Call Type | Projected Calls | Actual Calls |
| Registration Intake: | 1,339 | 988 |
| Helpline: | 13,020 | 13,045 |
| Combined: | 14,359 | 14,033 |

NPSC Call Forecasting and Actual Calls Over the Past 4 Weeks 1/6/2019 through 2/2/2019



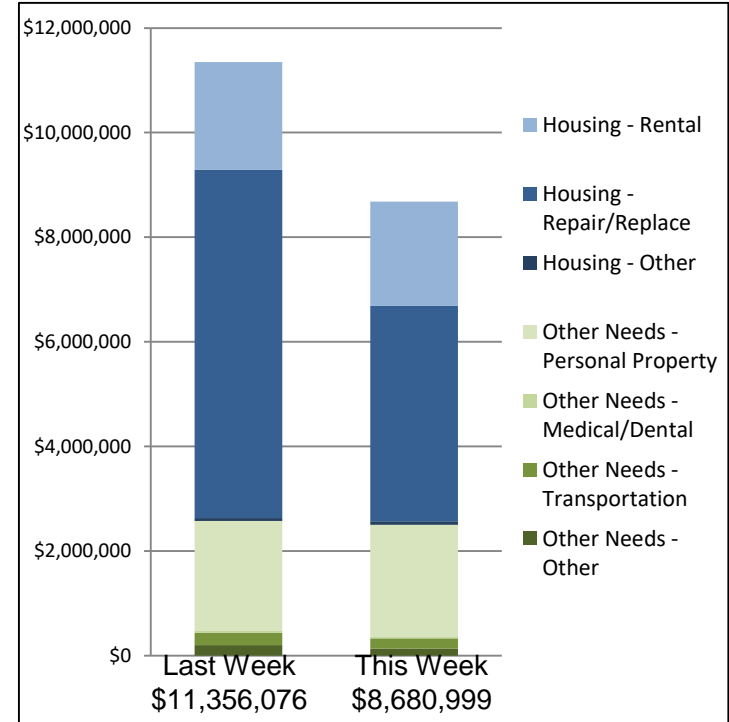
Individual Assistance Activity



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IHP Approved per Category in the Past 2 Weeks – 1/14/2019 through 1/28/2019

| Individuals and Households Program Activity As Of: 2/4/19 | | | | | |
|---|---|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| | | In Past 7 Days | | Cumulative | |
| | | Applicants Approved | Amount Approved | Applicants Approved | Amount Approved |
| 4407-CA Declared 11-12-2018 End Of Reg Period 02-15-2019 | | | | | |
| Open Registration Period | Housing Assistance | 230 | \$1,215,753.68 | 7,267 | \$47,326,701.67 |
| | Other Needs Assistance | 146 | \$733,833.94 | 3,911 | \$24,806,697.43 |
| | Total IHP | | \$1,949,587.62 | | \$72,133,399.10 |
| | Average IHP | | | | \$9,468 |
| | Total Max Grants | | | | 819 |
| Other IHP Active | 17 Declarations IHP Programmatically Open - Closed Registration * | | | | |
| | Housing Assistance | 1,837 | \$4,961,623.15 | | |
| | Other Needs Assistance | 885 | \$1,769,787.73 | | |
| | Total IHP | | \$6,731,410.88 | | |
| | Total IHP Approved in Past Week | | \$8,680,998.50 | | |





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