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# **FEMA**

# **Daily Operations Briefing**

Wednesday, July 17, 2019 8:30 a.m. EDT

# National Current Operations & Monitoring



#### **Significant Incidents or Threats:**

- Strong to severe thunderstorms possible Upper Midwest, Central Plains and Mid-Atlantic
- Heavy rain and flash flooding possible Upper Midwest and Tennessee/Ohio valleys to the Mid-Atlantic and Northeast
- Extreme heat Central and Eastern U.S.

### **Tropical Activity:**

- Atlantic No activity affecting U.S. interests
- Eastern Pacific No threat to U.S. interests
  - Disturbance 1: Medium (40%)
  - Disturbance 2: Medium (30%)
- Central Pacific No activity affecting U.S. interests
- Western Pacific Tropical Storm 06W (Danas)

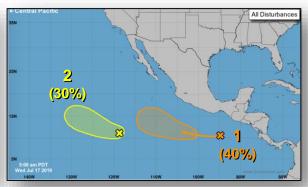
## **Declaration Activity:**

- Amendment No. 1 to FEMA-4451-DR-MO
- Amendment No. 6 to FEMA 4438-DR-OK

## Tropical Outlook – Five Day









#### Central Pacific

#### Eastern Pacific

## Atlantic

#### Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- Several hundred miles S of the Gulf of Tehuantepec
- Moving WNW at 10-15 mph
- A tropical depression could form by the weekend
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (near 0%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Medium (40%)

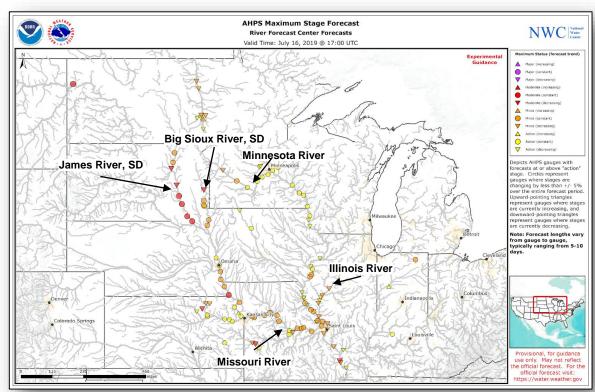
#### Disturbance 2 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- 1,000 miles SSW of the southern tip of Baja California Peninsula
- Moving WNW 10-15 mph
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Medium (30%)

## Upper & Middle Mississippi River Flooding & Impacts



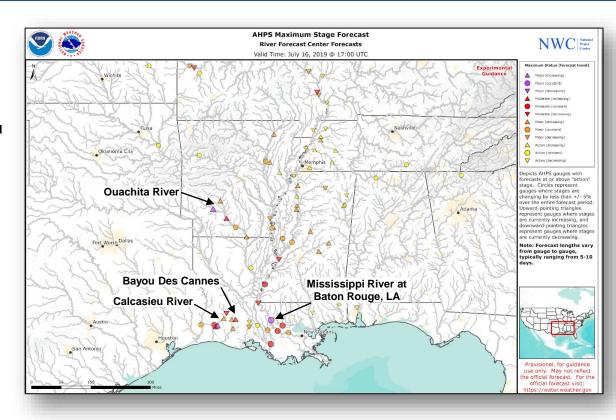
- Moderate flooding and slow recession continue along the James River, minor to isolated moderate flooding continues along the Big Sioux River, and flows along the Minnesota River continue to slowly recede
- Minor flooding continues along the Missouri and Illinois Rivers. These rivers are overall receding, though rainfall from Post-Tropical Storm Barry will likely prolong river flooding.
- Minor flooding continues along the mainstem of the Upper Mississippi River. A slow recession will continue despite rainfall and new flooding in the upper portions of the watershed.



## Post-Tropical Cyclone Barry Flooding & Impacts

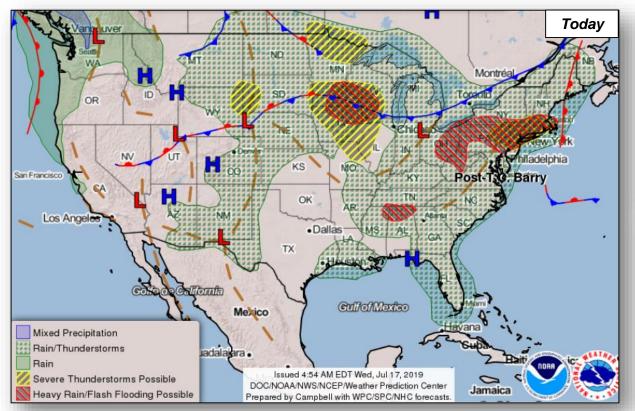


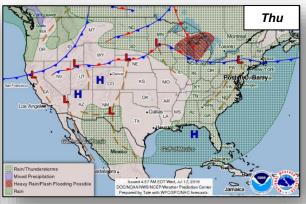
- Minor to isolated major flooding forecast for the **Ouachita River** in Arkansas and its tributaries due to the rainfall from Barry
- Moderate to major flooding is occurring and forecast for the Calcasieu River and Bayou Des Cannes
- Recessions along the Lower Mississippi have been slightly delayed due to the excessive precipitation from Barry, and Baton Rouge is forecast to remain at major flood for at least another week

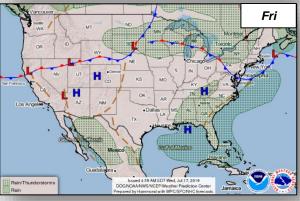


## National Weather Forecast



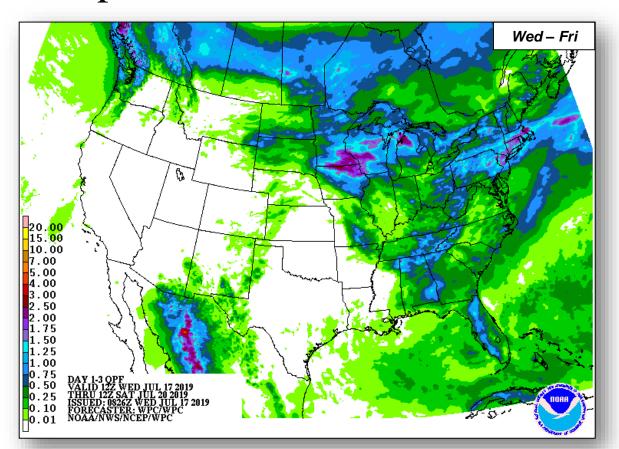






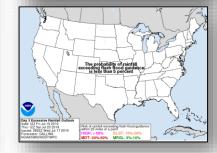
# **Precipitation Forecast**











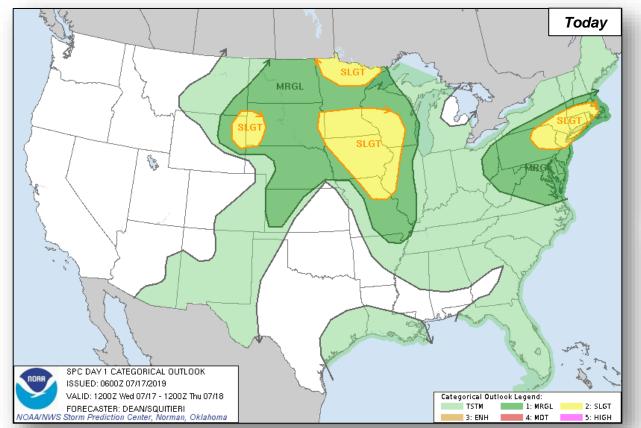
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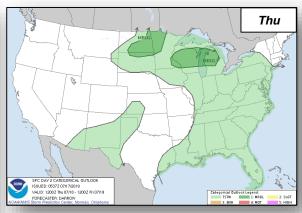
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## Severe Weather Outlook



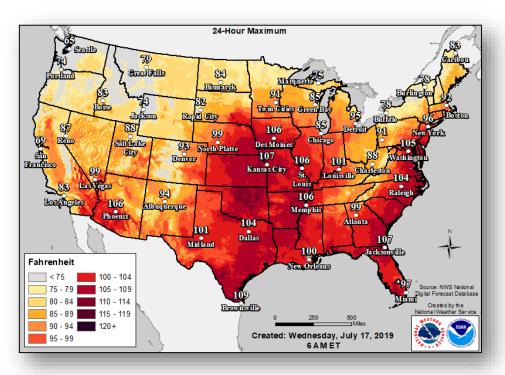


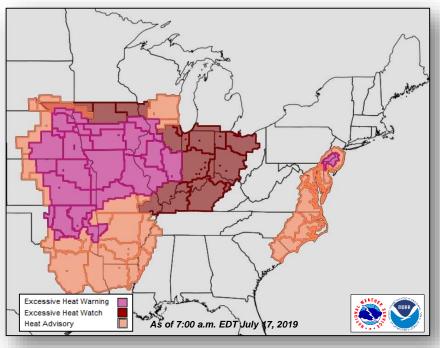




## Forecast Heat Index





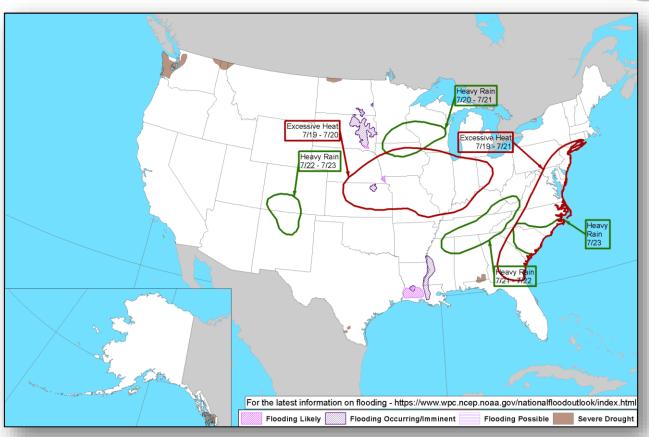


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# Hazards Outlook – July 19-23





# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of	Start – End	
				Requested	Completed	Start – Enu
	NJ	Severe Rain Storm June 19-20, 2019	IA	3	0	7/15 – TBD
11	INJ		PA	3	0	7/15 – TBD

# Declaration Requests in Process – 2



State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
MI – Severe Storms and Flooding		Х		Х	Jun 10
TX – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	Х		Х	Jul 10

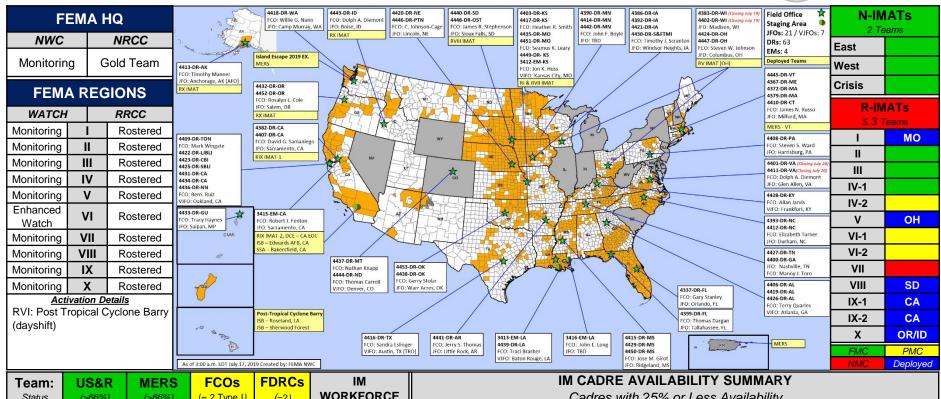
## **Declaration Amendments**



Declaration	Amendment No.	Issued	Action		
FEMA-4451-DR-MO	1	July 15	Closes the incident period effective July 5, 2019		
FEMA-4438-DR-OK	6	July 16	Adds Public Assistance or Public Assistance Categories for 41 counties		

## FEMA Common Operating Picture





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