



FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, March 11, 2014

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity: Mar 10 – 11



Significant Events:

- Ice Jam Flooding – Wyoming
- Earthquake Activity – M6.4 offshore of South Sandwich Islands

Significant Weather:

- Heavy snow and rain/snow mix – Central Plains into the Great Lakes
- Rain and thunderstorms – Gulf Coast & Southeast
- Snow – Northern/Central Rockies, Northeast
- Red Flag Warnings: Nevada, Kansas
- Critical Fire Weather/Elevated Fire Weather Areas: Oklahoma, Texas, California, Nevada and Arizona
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours – minor, R1 radio blackouts occurred; next 24 hours – Minor, R1 radio blackouts predicted

FEMA Readiness: No significant changes

Ice Jam Flooding – Wyoming & Montana

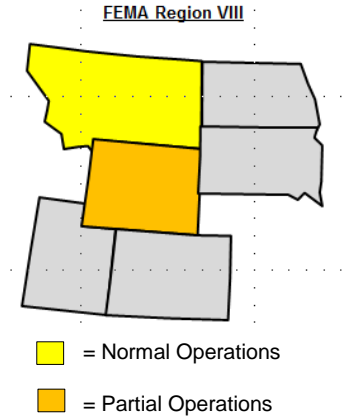


Current Situation:

- Ice jam flooding continues across portions of Montana and Wyoming, as a result of the recent snow melt from unseasonably high temperatures
- No significant/widespread property damage reported; no injuries or fatalities reported
- No shelters are open; American Red Cross is prepared to assist, if needed
- No shortfalls, unmet needs or requests for FEMA assistance

Montana:

- State EOC is at Normal Operations
- Governor of Montana declared a statewide State of Emergency on March 10
- Localized flooding reported in 7 counties; at least 12-18 homes with basements flooding
- Numerous roads and bridges in rural locations have become impassable, due to high water

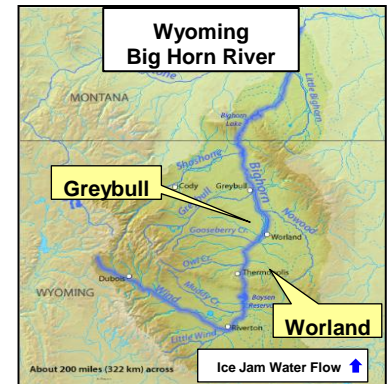


Wyoming:

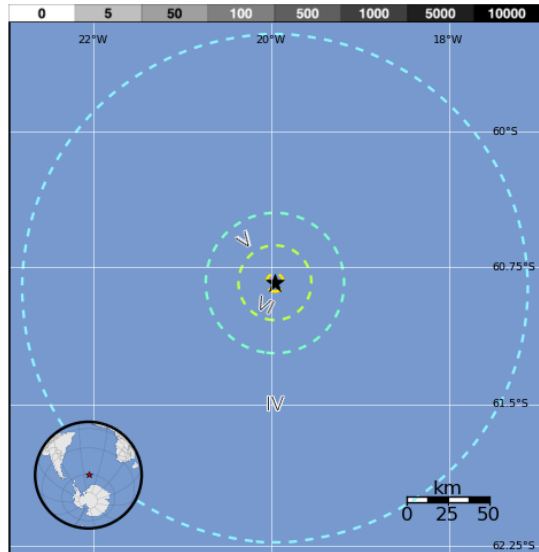
- State EOC is Partially Activated
- USACE deployed 5 individuals to provide technical assistance to affected towns
- In Greybull, 3 Rapid Assistance Teams (RAT's) assisting with sandbagging and mitigation efforts
- In Worland, ice jams have moved downstream and no additional flooding has been reported
- National Guardsmen are assisting with sandbagging efforts, as needed

FEMA Response:

- NRCC is not activated; NWC is at Watch/Steady State
- Region VIII remains at Watch/Steady State



Significant Earthquake Activity



M 6.4 – offshore of South Sandwich Island

- Occurred at 10:44 p.m. EDT on March 10, 2014
 - 265 miles ESE of Bristol Island, South Sandwich Islands
 - Depth of 6 miles
- No tsunami was generated
- No initial reports of damage/injuries
- Green PAGER alert issued: a low likelihood of casualties/damage

Estimated Modified Mercalli Intensity		I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X
Est. Population Exposure		--*	--*	Ok	Ok	Ok	Ok	Ok	Ok	Ok
Perceived Shaking		Not Felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
Potential Structure Damage	Resistant	none	none	none	V.Light	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V.Heavy
	Vulnerable	none	none	none	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V.Heavy	V.Heavy

Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
3	Date Requested	0	0
ME – DR Severe Winter Storm	February 21, 2014		
SC – DR Severe Winter Storm	March 2, 2014		
IN – DR Severe Winter Storm	March 5, 2014		

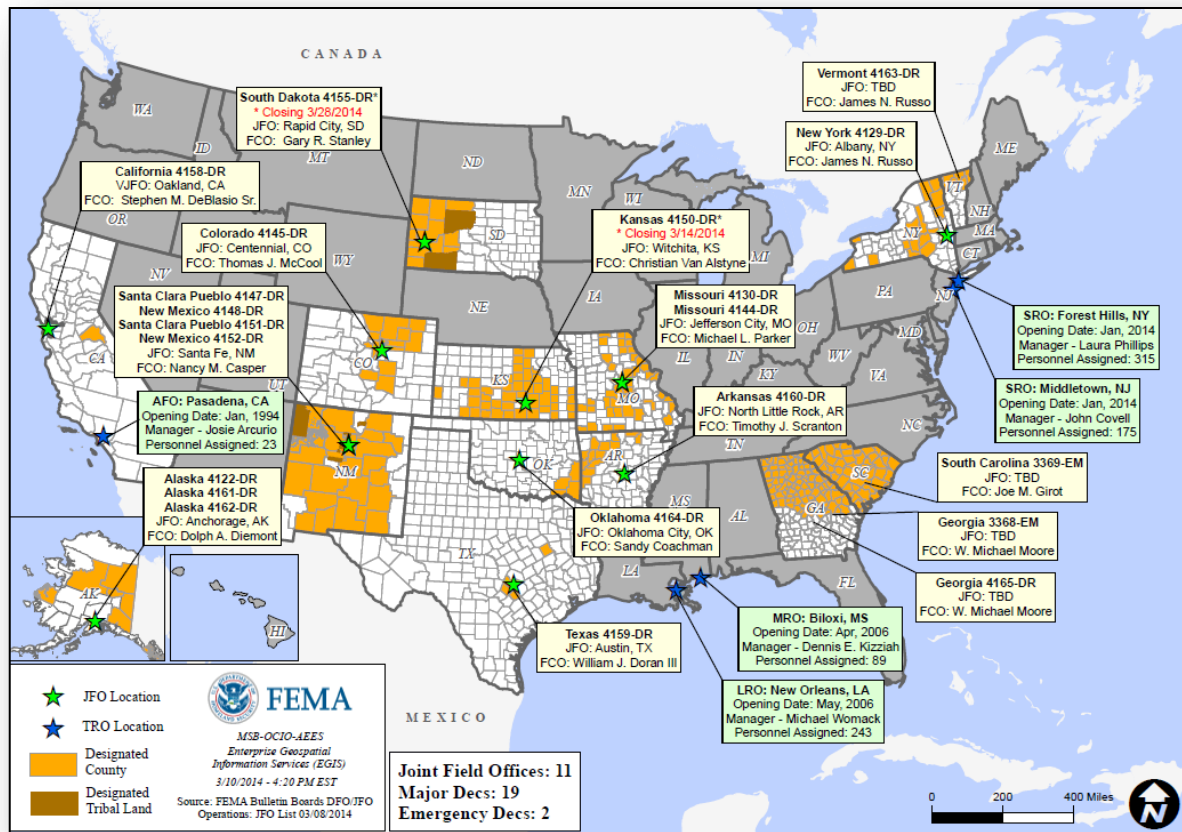
Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
X	OR	Winter Storm February 6, 2014	PA	6	0	3/10 – 3/14

Open Field Offices as of March 11, 2014



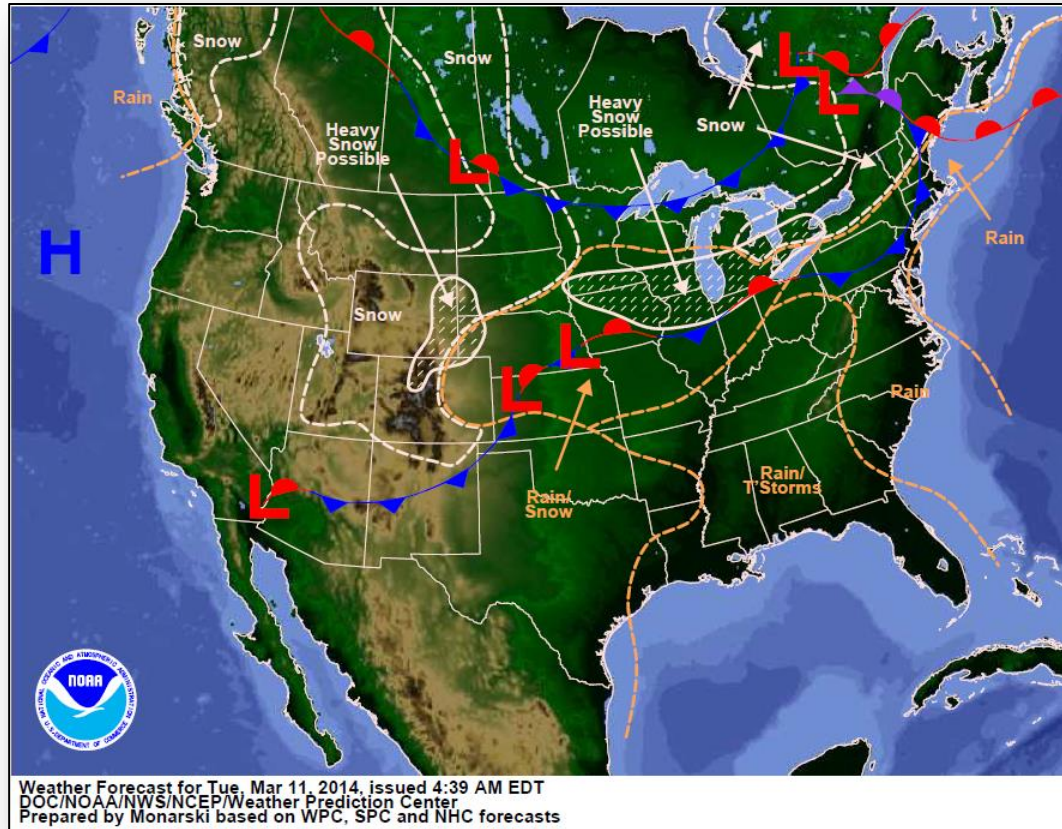
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National Weather Forecast



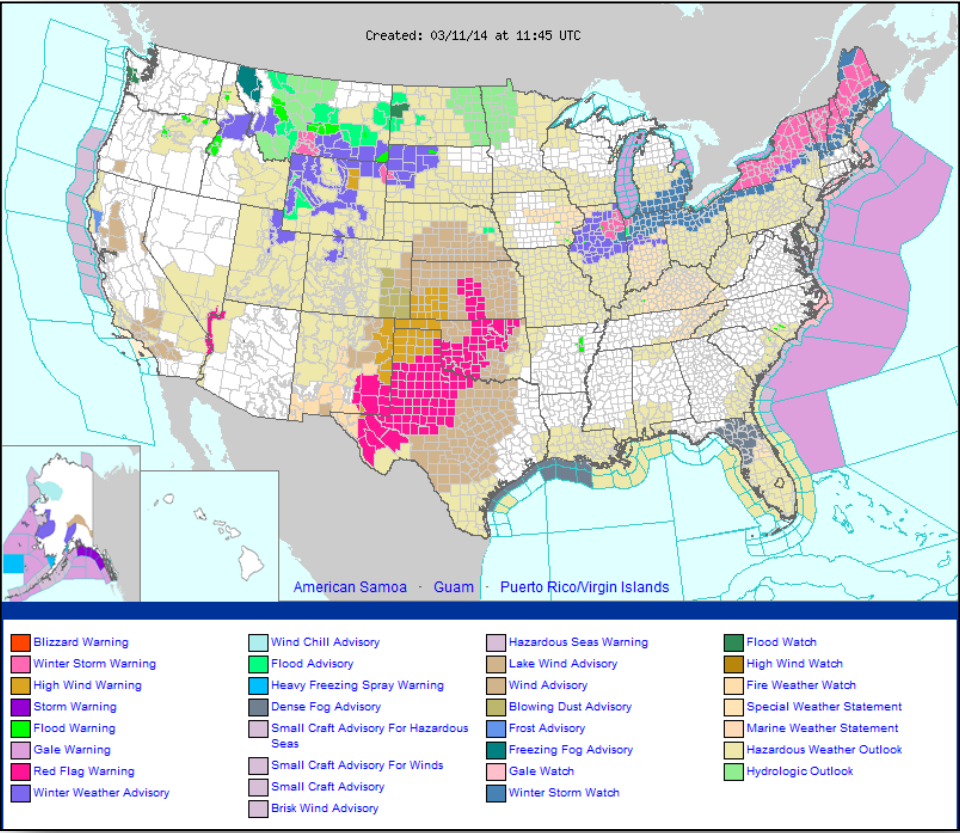
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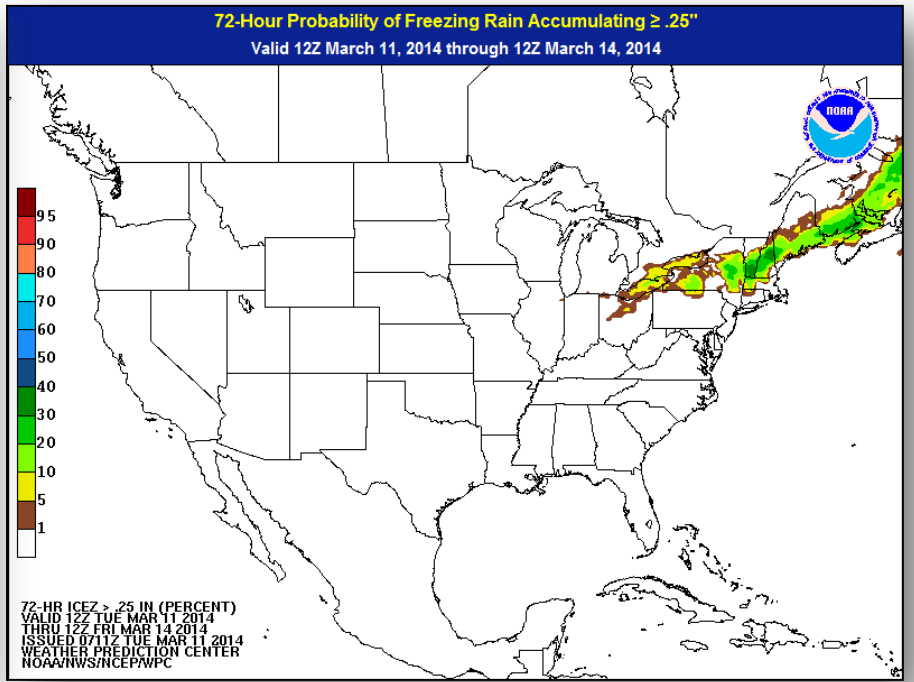
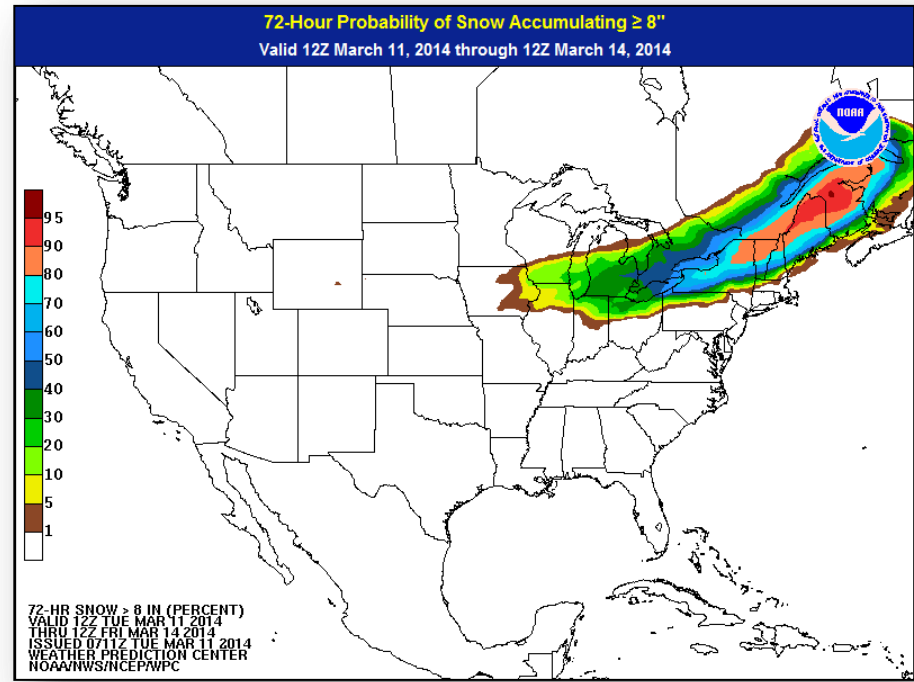
Active Watches/Warnings



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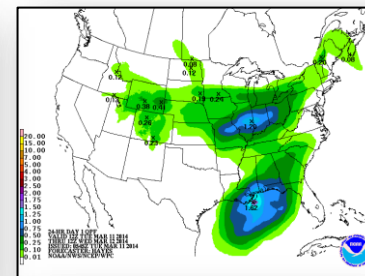
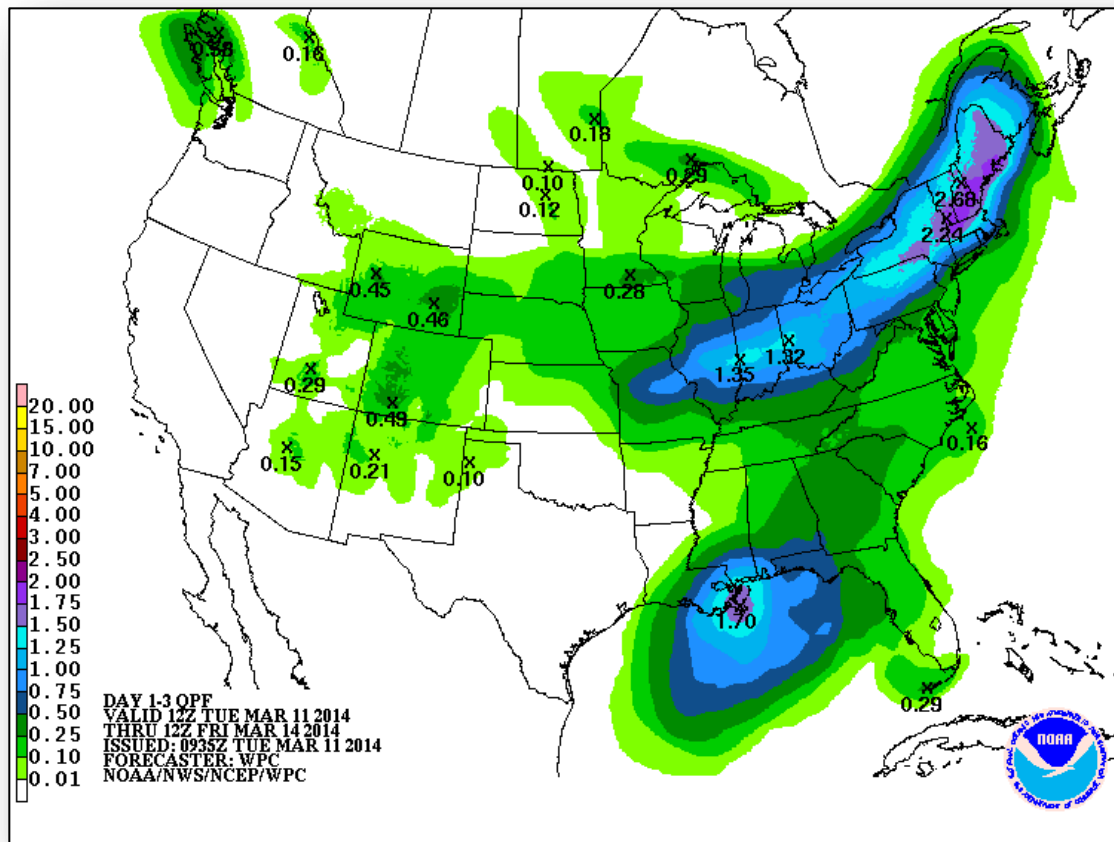
Snowing/Freezing Rain Probabilities (72-hour)



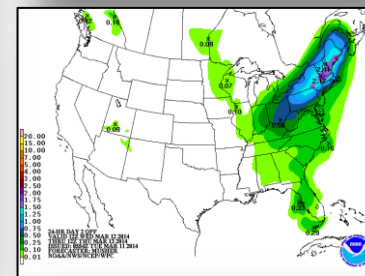
Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



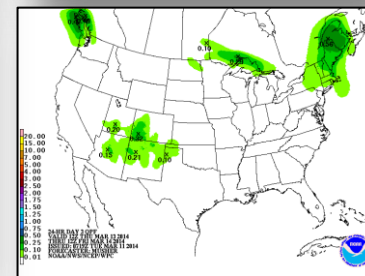
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Day 1



Day 2

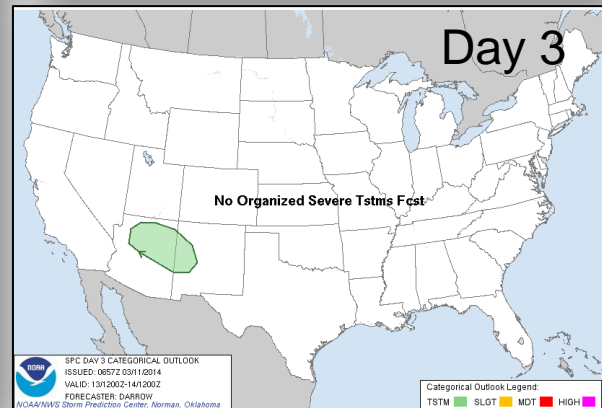
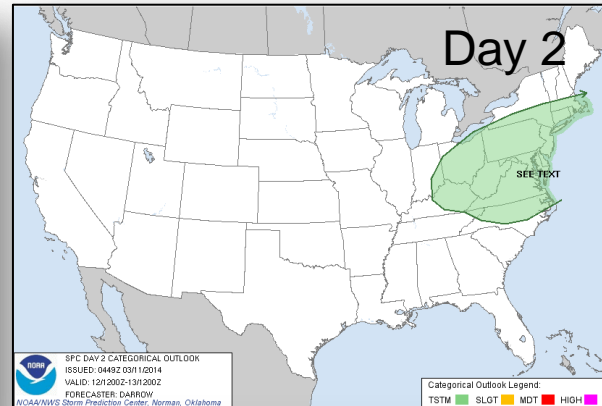
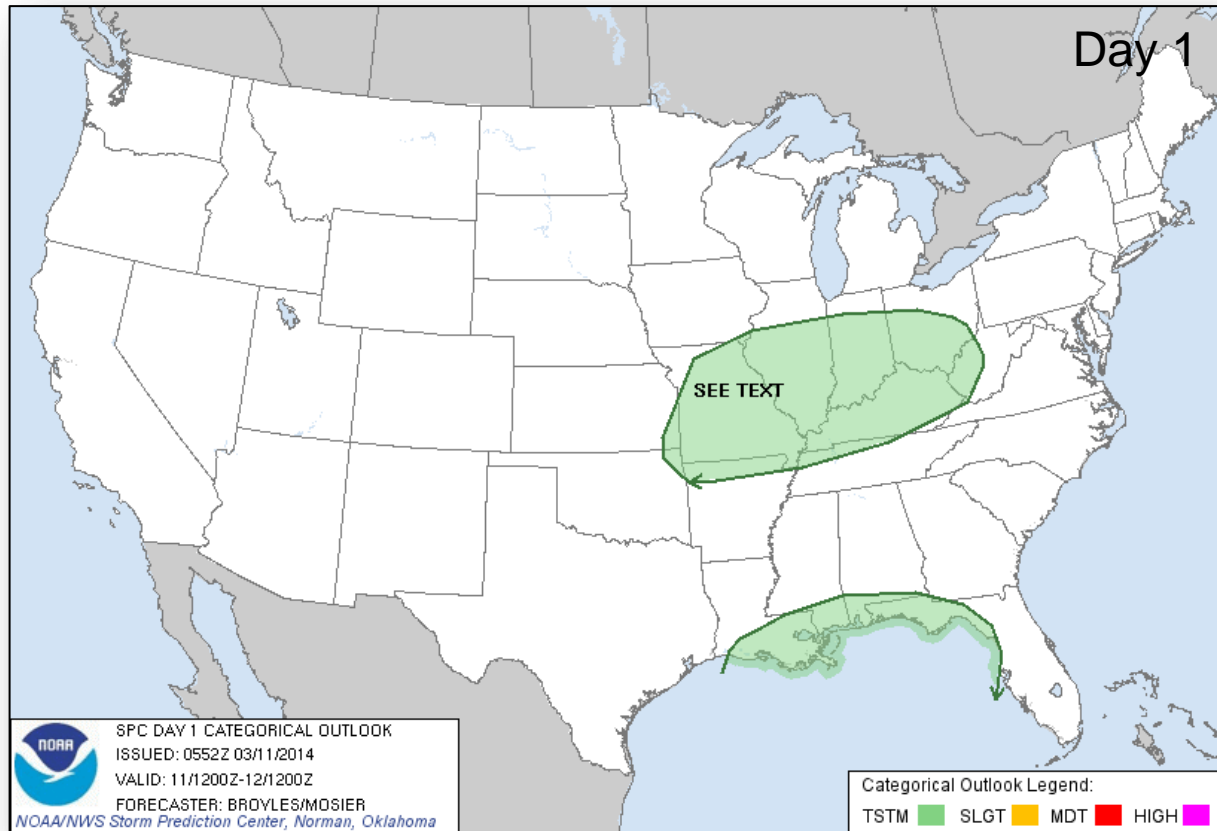


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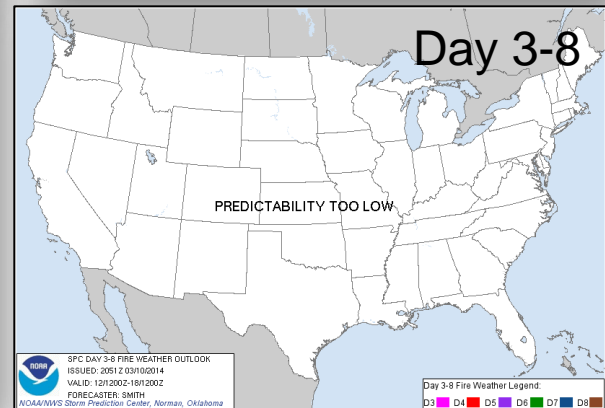
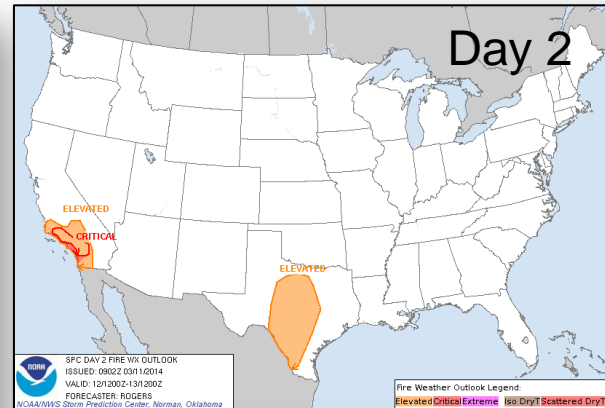
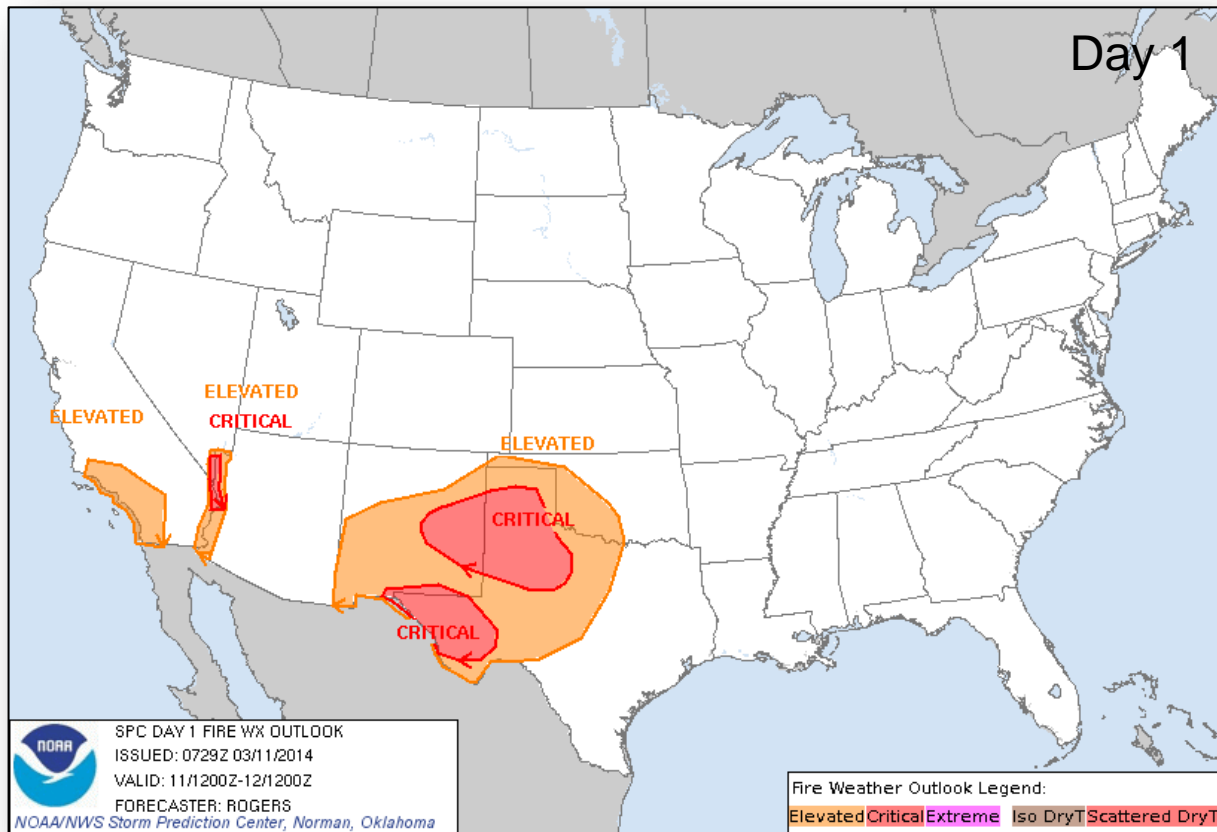
River Forecast – 7 Day



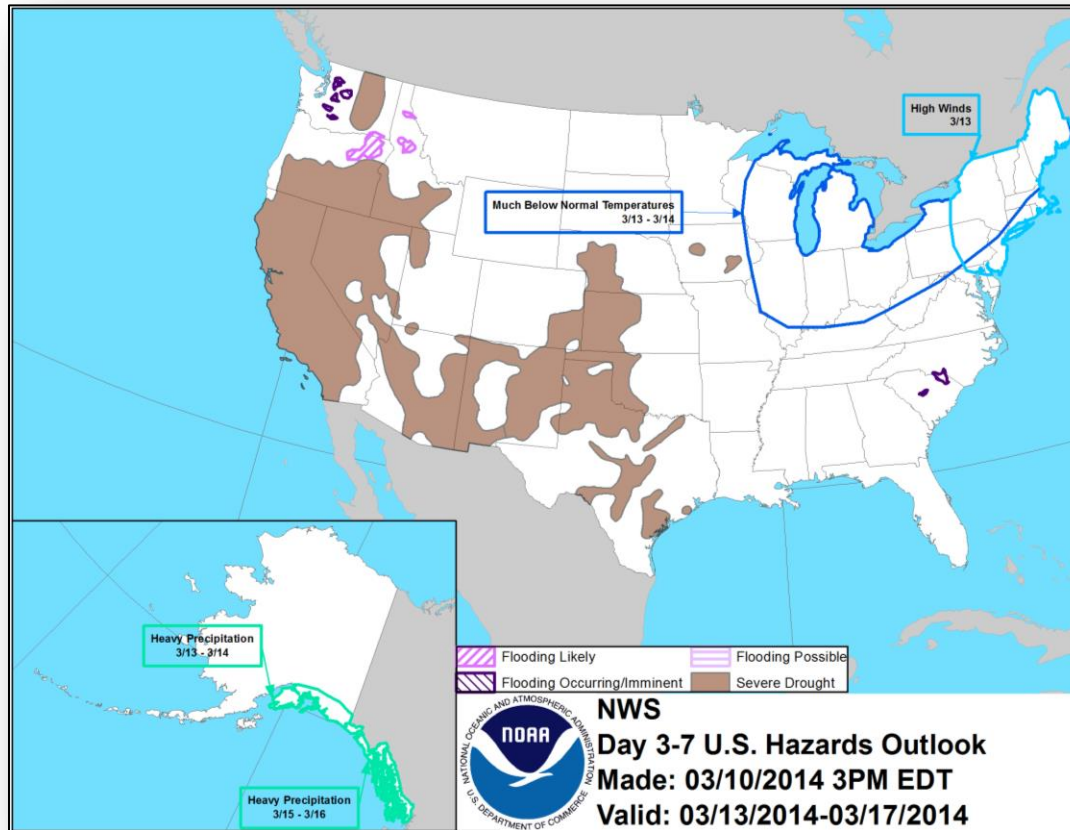
Convective Outlooks Days 1 – 3



Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 – 8

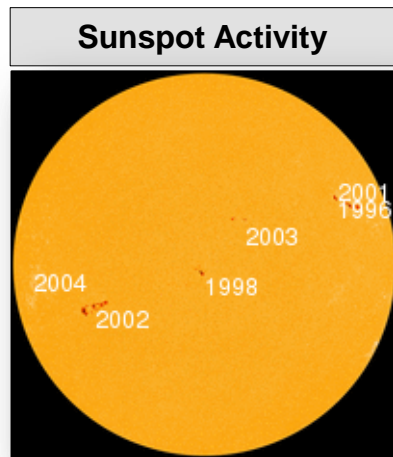
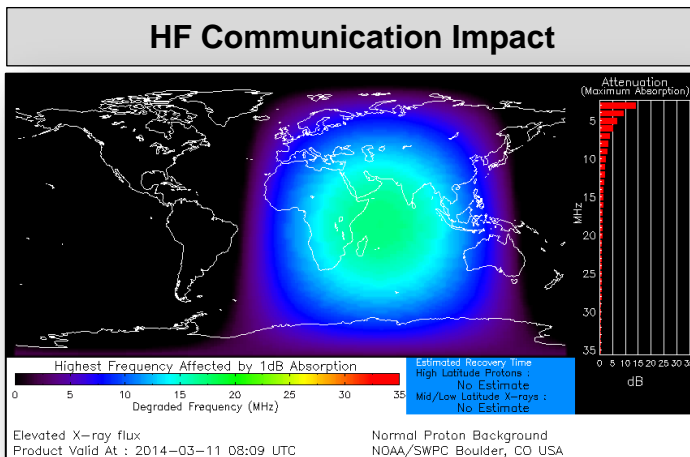


Hazard Outlook: March 10 – 14



Space Weather

NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	Minor	None	Minor
• Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	None
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	R1	None	R1



Recovery Readiness



Recovery Cadre Readiness																	
		STAFFING											TRAINING		EQUIPPING		READINESS
Cadre	Force Structure (FS)	Total On Hand (OH)	% of Force Structure	Force Structure Rating	% Available	Available Rating	% Deployed	Deployed Rating	% Qualified and Available	Qualified and Available Rating	% Qualified and NOT Available	Qualified and NOT Available Rating	% Qualified	Qualified Rating	% Reservist 1-1-1	Reservist 1-1-1 Rating	Deployment Rating
DSA	808	643	80%	3	75%	2	0%	1	93%	1	7%	1	40%	5	67%	3	D3
IA	3,241	1,572	49%	5	44%	3	8%	1	86%	1	3%	1	31%	5	63%	3	D4
NDRS	309	110	36%	5	18%	4	39%	3	57%	2	6%	1	29%	5	57%	4	D5
PA	1,547	1,316	85%	2	31%	3	58%	5	30%	3	8%	1	68%	3	74%	3	D3

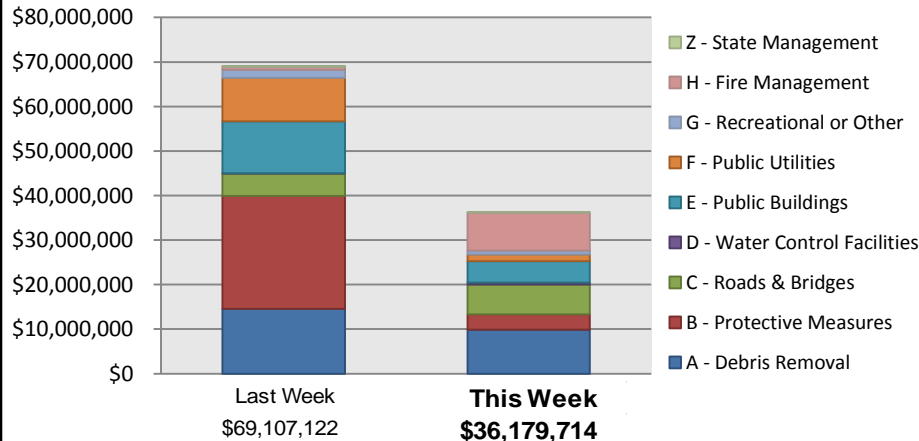
National Processing Service Centers (NPSC) Readiness								
Resource	Staffing Level	Status	Staffing Resources	Staff	Daily Call Capacity	Average Daily Calls (past 7 days)	Comments	Status Criterion
Current NPSC Staffing	Baseline		Applicant Services, SWAT	373 average daily active	8,350	581	• Staffed sufficiently for current number of calls	Green - Sufficiently Staffed Yellow - Nearing Call Capacity Red - Surpassed Call Capacity Grey - Not Activated but Available
Available NPSC Staffing	Major to Catastrophic		At-home Agents, IRS, Temp hires, Private Sector	5,205 on call	97,000	N/A	• Not Activated At this time	

Public Assistance Grant Program



PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of March 10 2014 at 1400 EDT										
PA Category	Emergency Work		Permanent Work							Total
	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	
Number Of PWs Obligated	39	48	122	4	33	19	18	12	2	297
This Week	\$9,907,654	\$3,419,857	\$6,679,472	\$476,748	\$4,795,081	\$1,493,043	\$846,775	\$8,553,073	\$8,010	\$36,179,714

Public Assistance Obligated per Category
In the Past 2 Weeks - 2/18/2014 through 3/3/2014



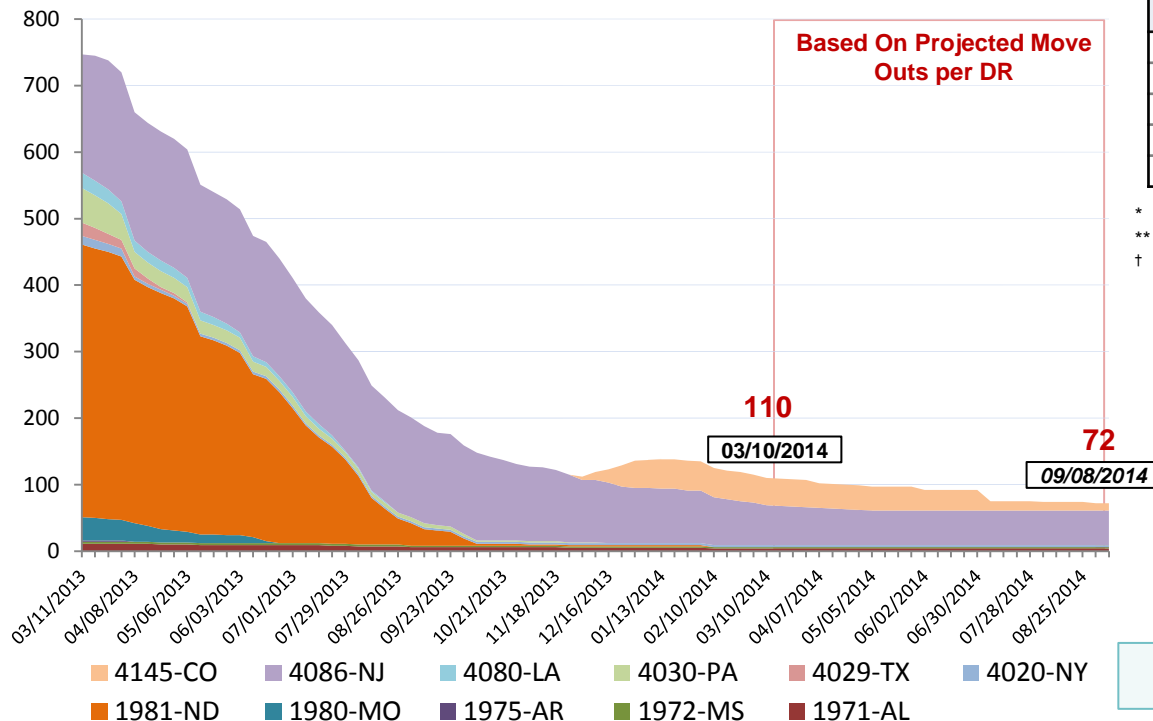
PA Highlights

- On March 7 a large project was cleared for obligation for New Jersey DR-4086. Over \$27 million will be awarded to NJ Department of Environmental Protection for removal of sand and debris from the non-Federally maintained navigable waterways along the New Jersey Coastline.

Direct Housing



Total Households in FEMA Direct Housing per State
 Past Year per Week, Mar 11, 2013 – Mar 10, 2014, Projected to Sept 8, 2014
 There are currently **110** Households in Temporary Housing



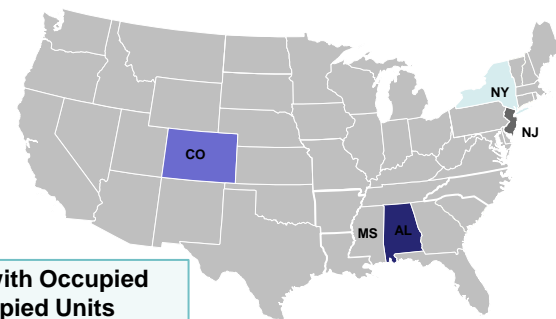
DR	IA Declaration Date	Program End Date	Current # of Households in Direct Housing
4145-CO	09/14/2013	03/14/2015	41
4086-NJ**	10/30/2012	04/29/2014	60
4020-NY†	08/31/2011	03/01/2013	3
1972-MS†	04/29/2011	10/29/2012	2
1971-AL†	04/28/2011	10/28/2012	4

* Housing Program has been extended

** NJ - Includes **24** households in MHUs; **36** households in Ft Monmouth apartments

† Units are under authority of Department of Justice

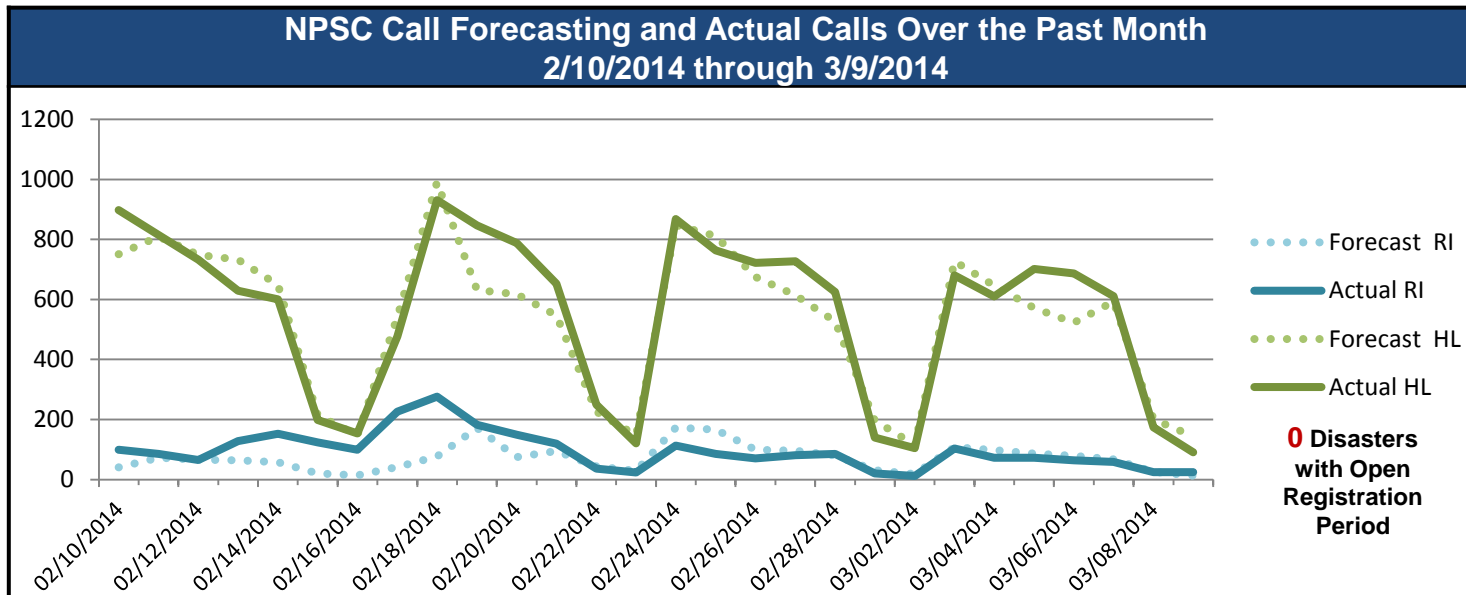
= Program End Date has passed and Units are still occupied
 = Program End Date is within 90 days and Units are projected to be occupied
 = Units are vacated, or on track to be, by Program End Date



NPSC Activity



NPSC Call Activity in the Past Week 3/3/2014 through 3/9/2014					
Call Type	Forecasted Calls	Number of Calls	Average Answer Time	Maximum Answer Time	Minimum Answer Time
Registration Intake (RI)	477	437	:13	:31	:08
Helpline (HL)	3,403	3,633	:12	:17	:07
All Calls	3,880	4,070	:12	:31	:07



Individual Assistance Activity



Individuals and Households Program (IHP) Activity in past week, as of March 10, 2014 at 1400 EDT

12 DRs are IHP Programmatically Open
(18 months from declaration unless extended)

Assistance Type

**Survivors
Approved**

**Amount
Approved**

Housing Assistance

283

\$938,391

Other Needs Assistance

26

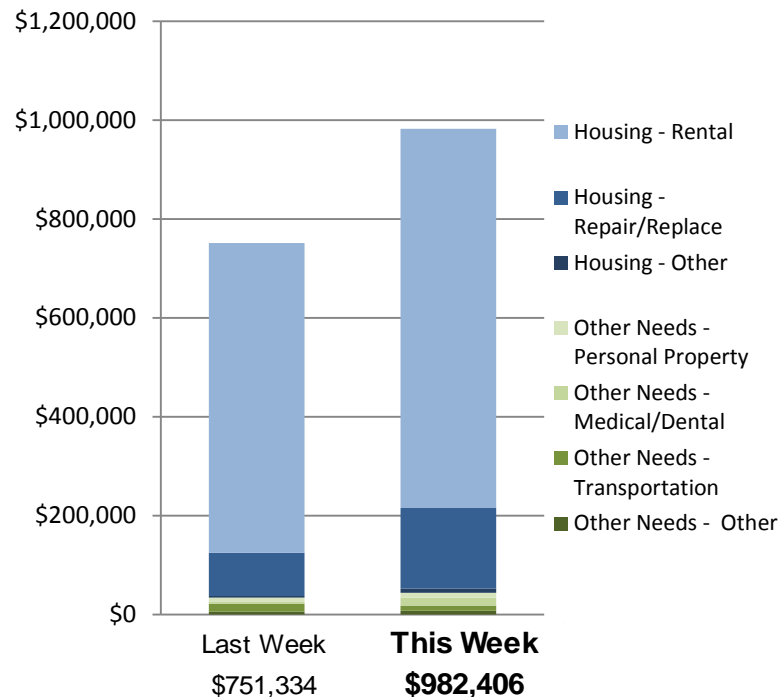
\$44,015

Total IHP

\$982,406

IHP Active Disasters

IHP Approved per Category In the Past 2 Weeks - 2/25/2014 through 3/10/2014



FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams/Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets									
Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		41	20	49%	3	2	16		OFDC Readiness: FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4 3 2 FDRC 3 2 1
FDRC		9	4	44%	0	0	5		
US&R		28	26	92%	2	0	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NV-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional) NM-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed
National IMAT		3	3	100%	0	0	0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green: 3 avail Yellow: 1 avail Red: 0 avail Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.
Regional IMAT		13	5	38%	0	5	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Region VI: Deployed to TX & OK Region III : Deployed to MD for T'bolt Region V, IX,VIII & X: Personnel shortages Region VII: Personnel shortages & equip 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 and has no qualified replacement.
MCOV		55	49	89%	0	6	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 not available – transitioning/upgrade to new satellite system 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed

FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



National/Regional Teams									
Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	24/7		<div>• Green = FMC</div> <div>• Yellow = PMC</div> <div>• Red = NMC</div>
NRCC		2	371	95%	0	20	Not Activated		
HLT		1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
DEST							Not Activated		
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	24/7		



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