

# **FEMA**Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, March 25, 2014 8:30 a.m. EDT

# Significant Activity: Mar 24 - 25



Significant Events: Mudslide – Snohomish County, WA

## **Significant Weather:**

- Heavy snow Mid-Atlantic and Sierras
- Snow Northern/Central Plains to Central Rockies; Great Lakes to Tennessee Valley and Northeast
- Rain/snow Pacific Northwest to Central Great Basin and Northern/Central Rockies; Mid-Atlantic
- Rain and thunderstorms Southwest to Southern Plains
- Elevated Fire Weather Areas None
- Red Flag Warnings: AL & GA
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours No space weather storms occurred; next 24 hours none predicted

#### **FEMA Readiness:**

Type II IMATs from Regions V, VII and IX are NMC due to personnel and/or equipment issues

## **Disaster Activity:**

- Emergency Declaration FEMA-3370-EM-WA approved for WA
- West Virginia Request for Major Disaster Declaration
- Oregon Request for Major Disaster Declaration

# Mudslide – Washington State

#### March 22, 2014

- Large mudslide impacting a subdivision near the town of Oso (pop. 180) in Snohomish County; area is between the towns of Arlington (pop. 18k) and Darrington (pop. 1k)
- North Fork of the Stillaguamish River and State Road 530 blocked by debris

#### **Impacts**

- ▲ Estimated 16 homes destroyed; 7 homes outside the mudslide area have flooded
- ▲ 14 (+10) confirmed fatalities; 13 (+5) injured
- ▲ State EOC is reporting 108 people are potentially missing; number is expected to go down ▲ Unconfirmed media reports of up to 176 people missing
- ▲ Voluntary evacuations have been lifted
- ▲ 2 shelters open with 28 occupants (ARC, 7:00 a.m. EDT Mar 25)

#### **State/Local Response**

- Lt Governor declared a State of Emergency on March 22
- WA State EOC fully activated; Snohomish County EOC activated
- ▲ US&R WA TF-1 is deployed as a State asset; will not participate in the 2014 Capstone

#### **Federal Response**

- ▲ Emergency Declaration FEMA-3370-EM-WA approved March 24
- ▲ US&R IST White deployed to WA; CA-TF7 on alert
- ▲ Region X: RRCC at Level III; IMAT at Incident Command Post; LNO at WA EOC
- ▲ National IMAT West, Bothell MERS personnel and MEOV deployed to WA
- ▲ NRCC is not activated; NWC at Enhanced Watch (day shift 8 to 8; night shift on call)

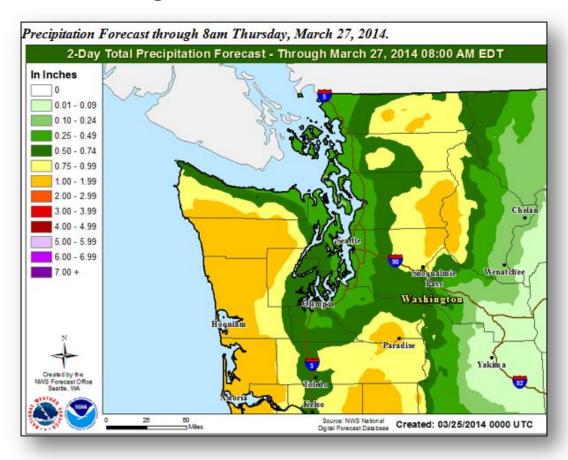






# Mudslide – Washington State





# Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
5	Date Requested	1	0
IN - DR Severe Winter Storm	March 5, 2014		
MD - DR Snowstorm	March 10, 2014		
TX - DR (Appeal) Severe Winter Storm	March 13, 2014		
WV - DR Chemical Spill	March 21, 2014		
OR - DR Winter Storm	March 21, 2014		
WA – EM Flooding & Mudslides	March 24, 2014	March 24, 2014	

## Emergency Declaration Approved – WA



## **FEMA-3370-EM-WA:**

- Emergency Declaration approved for State of Washington for flooding and mudslides that occurred March 22, 2014 and continuing
- Emergency protective measures (Category B), limited to direct federal assistance is approved for Snohomish County
- FCO is Michael J. Hall.



# Major Disaster Declaration Request – WV



## March 21, 2014:

- Requesting a Major Disaster Declaration for State of West Virginia for a chemical spill that occurred January 9-20, 2014
- Requesting:
  - Public Assistance, including direct federal assistance for nine counties
  - Hazard Mitigation statewide



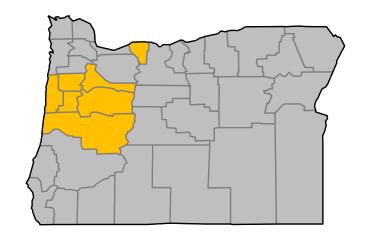
= Requested Counties

# Major Disaster Declaration Request – OR



## March 21, 2014:

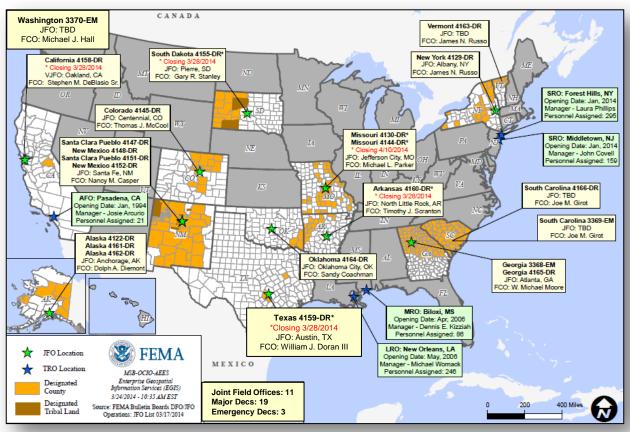
- Requesting a Major Disaster Declaration for State of Oregon for a severe winter storm, landslides and flooding during the period of February 6-14, 2014
- Requesting:
  - Public Assistance for 7 counties
  - Hazard Mitigation statewide



= Requested Counties

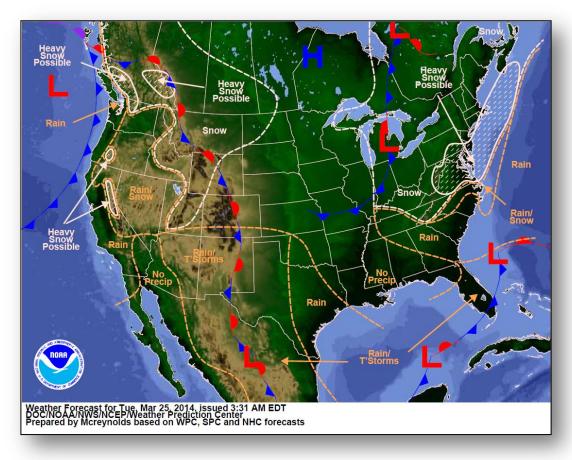
## Open Field Offices as of March 25, 2014





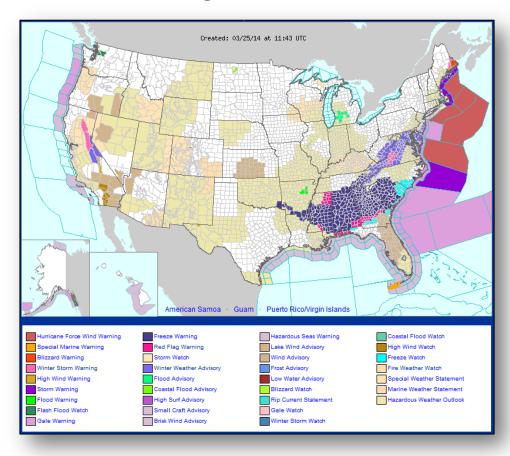
## National Weather Forecast





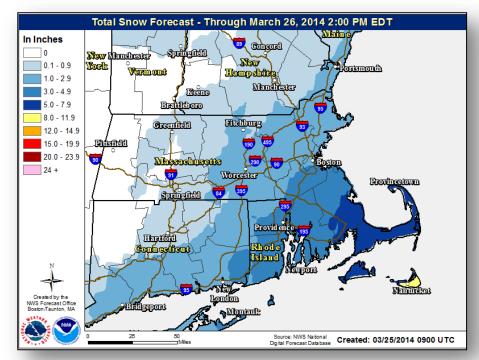
# Active Watches/Warnings

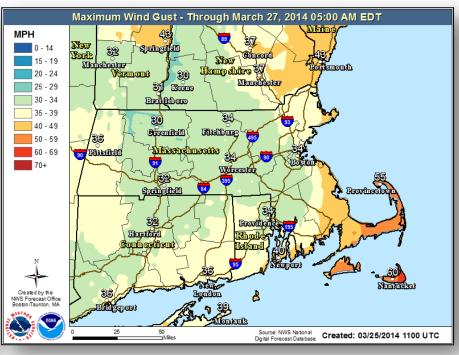




## **Total Snow Forecast**

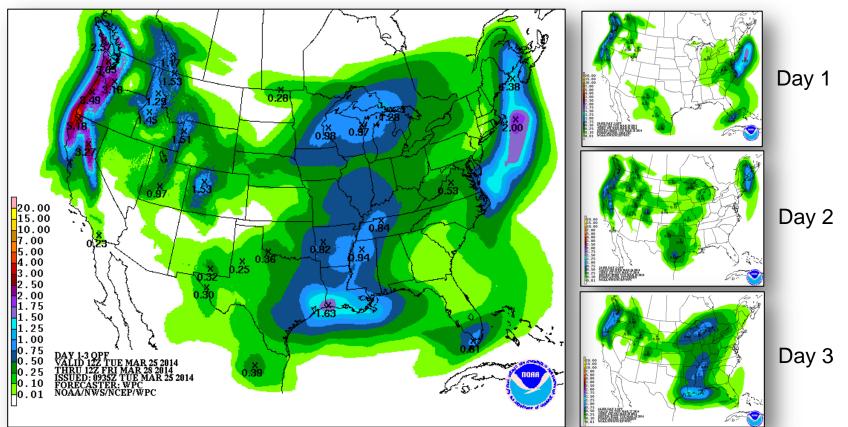






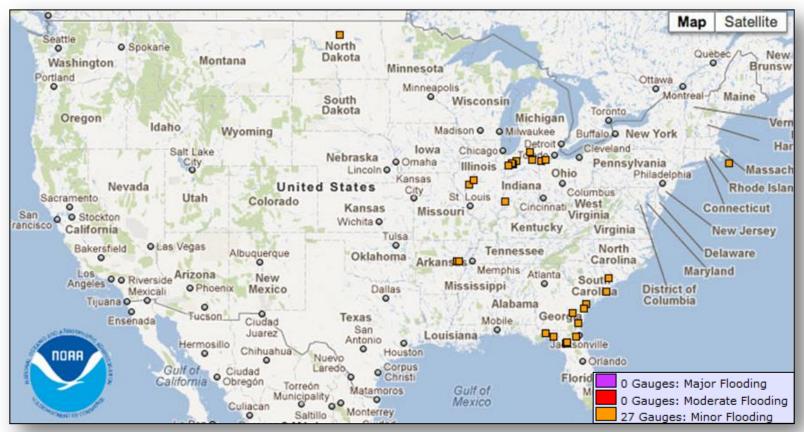
# Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day





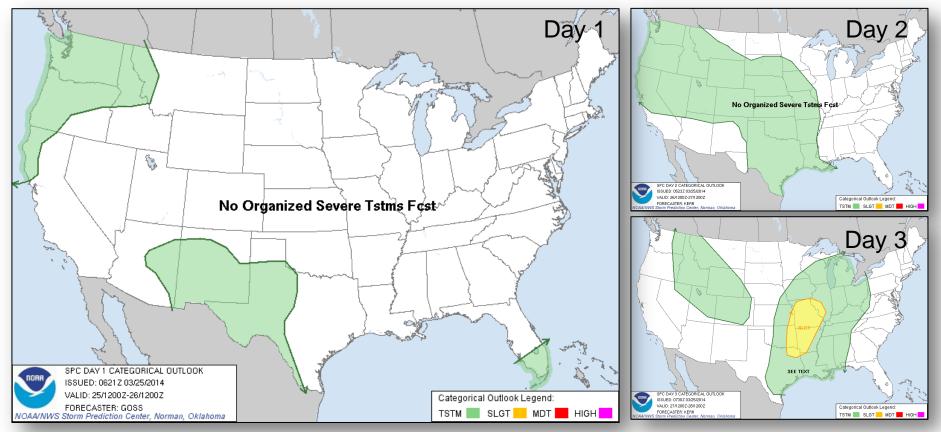
# River Forecast – 7 Day





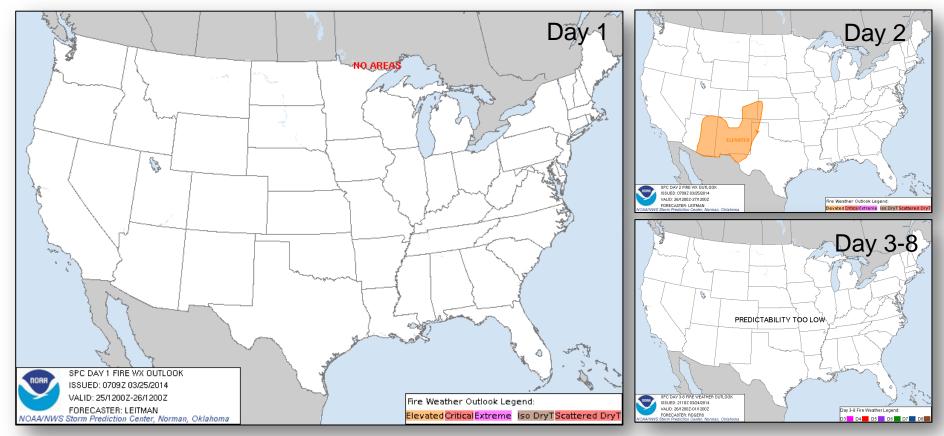
# Convective Outlooks Days 1-3





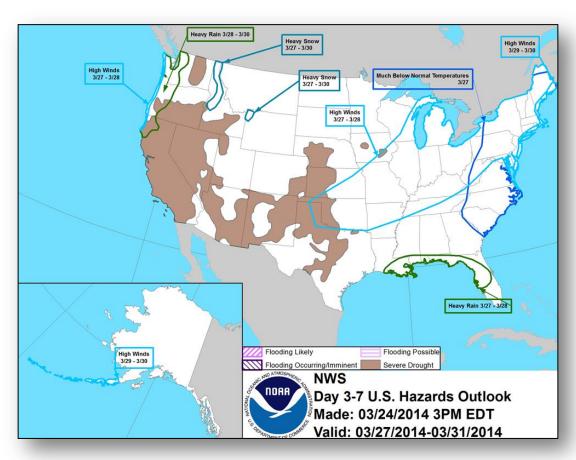
# Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 - 8





## Hazard Outlook: March 27 – 31

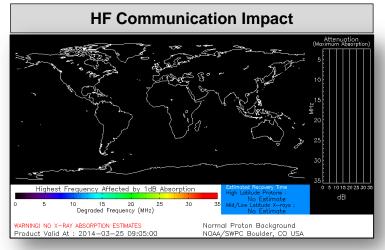


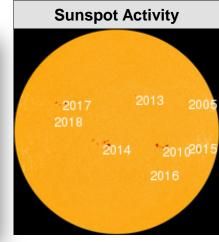


# Space Weather



NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	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





# Recovery Readiness



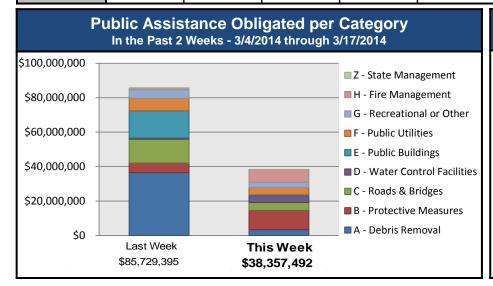
	Recovery Cadre Readiness																
	STAFFING												TRAI	NING	EQUII	PPING	READINESS
Cadre	Force Structure (FS)	orce % of Force and NO Qualified and Qualified and NO Qualified and NO Available % Deployed and Available and NOT Available							Qualified and NOT Available Rating	% Qualified	Qualified 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	ı (.aiis	Comments	Status Criterion				
Current NPSC Staffing	Baseline		Applicant Services, SWAT	377 average daily active	77 average daily 8.445 543		Staffed sufficiently for current number of calls     Green - Sufficiently Staffed Yellow - Nearing Call Capacitation.					
Available NPSC Staffing	Major to Catastrophic		At-home Agents, IRS, Temp hires, Private Sector	<b>5,205</b> on call	97,000	N/A	Not Activated At this time	Red - Surpassed Call Capacity Grey - Not Activated but Available				

# Public Assistance Grant Program



		PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of March 17 2014 at 1400 EDT											
	Emerger	ncy Work											
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	33	51	81	17	22	26	23	8	18	279			
This Week	\$3,341,020	\$11,237,796	\$4,581,063	\$3,725,959	\$736,496	\$4,252,898	\$3,086,489	\$7,300,411	\$95,360	\$38,357,492			



## **PA Highlights**

 On March 19<sup>th</sup> the Public Assistance Division Co-Hosted with Intergovernmental Affairs two Webinars on PA Simplified Procedures. There will be another offering on March 26<sup>th</sup>.

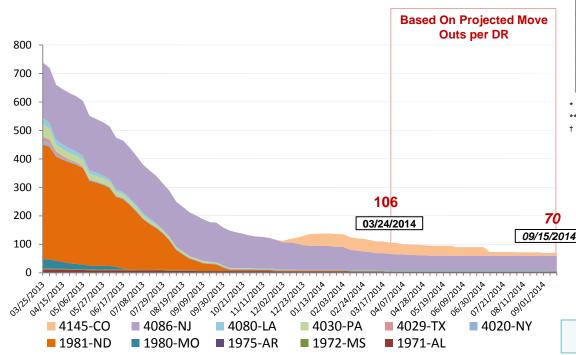
# **Direct Housing**



Total Households in FEMA Direct Housing per State

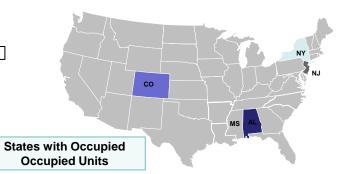
Past Year per Week, Mar 25, 2013 – Mar 24, 2014, Projected to Sept 15, 2014

There are currently 106 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	40
4086-NJ**	10/30/2012	04/29/2014	58
4020-NY <sup>†</sup>	08/31/2011	03/01/2013	3
1972-MS <sup>†</sup>	04/29/2011	10/29/2012	2
1971-AL <sup>†</sup>	04/28/2011	10/28/2012	3

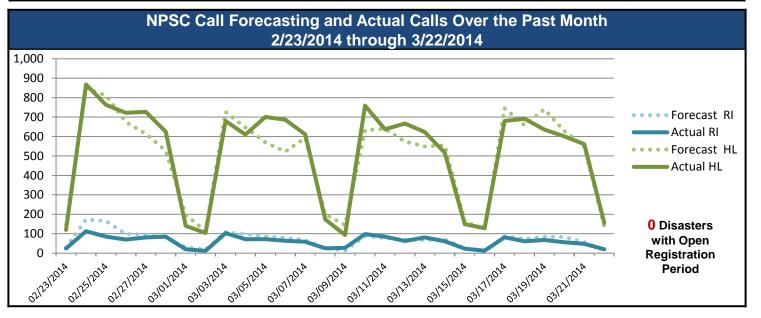
- \* Housing Program has been extended
- \*\* NJ Includes 24 households in MHUs; 34 households in Ft Monmouth apartments
- <sup>†</sup> Units are under authority of Department of Justice
  - = Program End Date has passed and Units are still occupied
    = Program End Date is within 90 days and Units 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 3/16/2014 through 3/22/2014										
Call Type	Call Type  Forecasted Calls  Number of Calls  Average Answer Time  Maximum Answer Time  Time  Time									
Registration Intake (RI)	411	348	:12	1:40	:08					
Helpline (HL)	<b>Helpline (HL)</b> 3,577 3,455 :12 :17 :07									
All Calls	3,988	3,803	:12	1:40	:07					

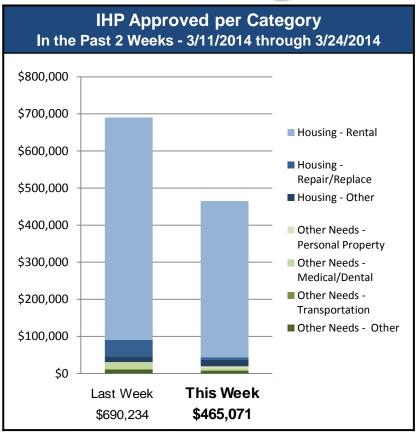


# Individual Assistance Activity



Individuals and Households Program (IHP) Activity In the Past Week, as of March 24, 2014 at 1400 EDT									
12 DRs are IHP Programmatically Open (18 months from declaration unless extended)									
Assistance Type  Survivors Amount Approved Approved									
Housing Assistance	150	\$445,839							
Other Needs Assistance 17 \$19,232									
Total IHP	\$465	5,071							

**IHP Active Disasters** 



# FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams/Assets



	Deployable Teams/Assets																				
Resource	Status	Total	Available		Available		Available		Available		Available		Available		Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		40	19	48%	4	2	15		OFDC Readiness:  FCO Green Yellow Red  Type 1 3+ 2 1  Type 2 4+ 3 2												
FDRC		9	4	44%	0	0	5		Type 3 4 3 2 <u>FDRC</u> 3 2 1												
US&R		28	22	79%	4	2	0	NV-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional) NM-TF1, NY-TF1 & VA-TF1 (Yellow/Exercise) PA-TF1 (Red/Exercise) CA-TF7 on alert for WA mudslide IST White deployed to WA for mudslide WA-TF1 (Red/deployed to WA as state asset)	Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed												
National IMAT		3	2	67%	0	0	1	IMAT West deployed to WA for mudslide	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	3	5	Region IV deployed to GA & SC Region VI deployed to TX & OK Region X deployed to WA Not Mission Capable: Region V & IX: Personnel shortages Region VII: Personnel/equipment shortages	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	51	93%	0	4	0	4 not available – transitioning/upgrade to new satellite system	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		Available		Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	24/7	Enhanced Watch for WA mudslide	•Green = FMC				
NRCC		2	354	91%	0	34	Not Activated		• Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC				
HLT		1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated						
DEST							Not Activated						
RRCCs		10	9	100%	0	0	Activated	Region X - Level III for WA mudslide					
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	24/7						



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