

FEMA National Watch Center

# Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, February 28, 2026

8:30 a.m. ET



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# National Current Operations / Monitoring

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## New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Operations

- No new significant incidents / operations

## Hazard Monitoring

- Elevated Fire Weather – Central Plains

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## Disaster Declaration Activity

- No new declaration activity

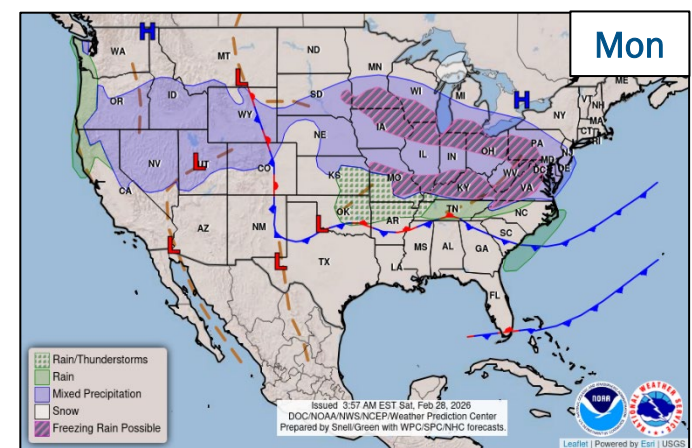
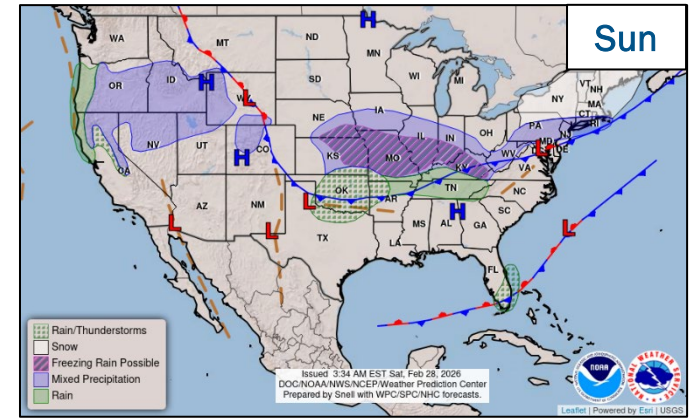
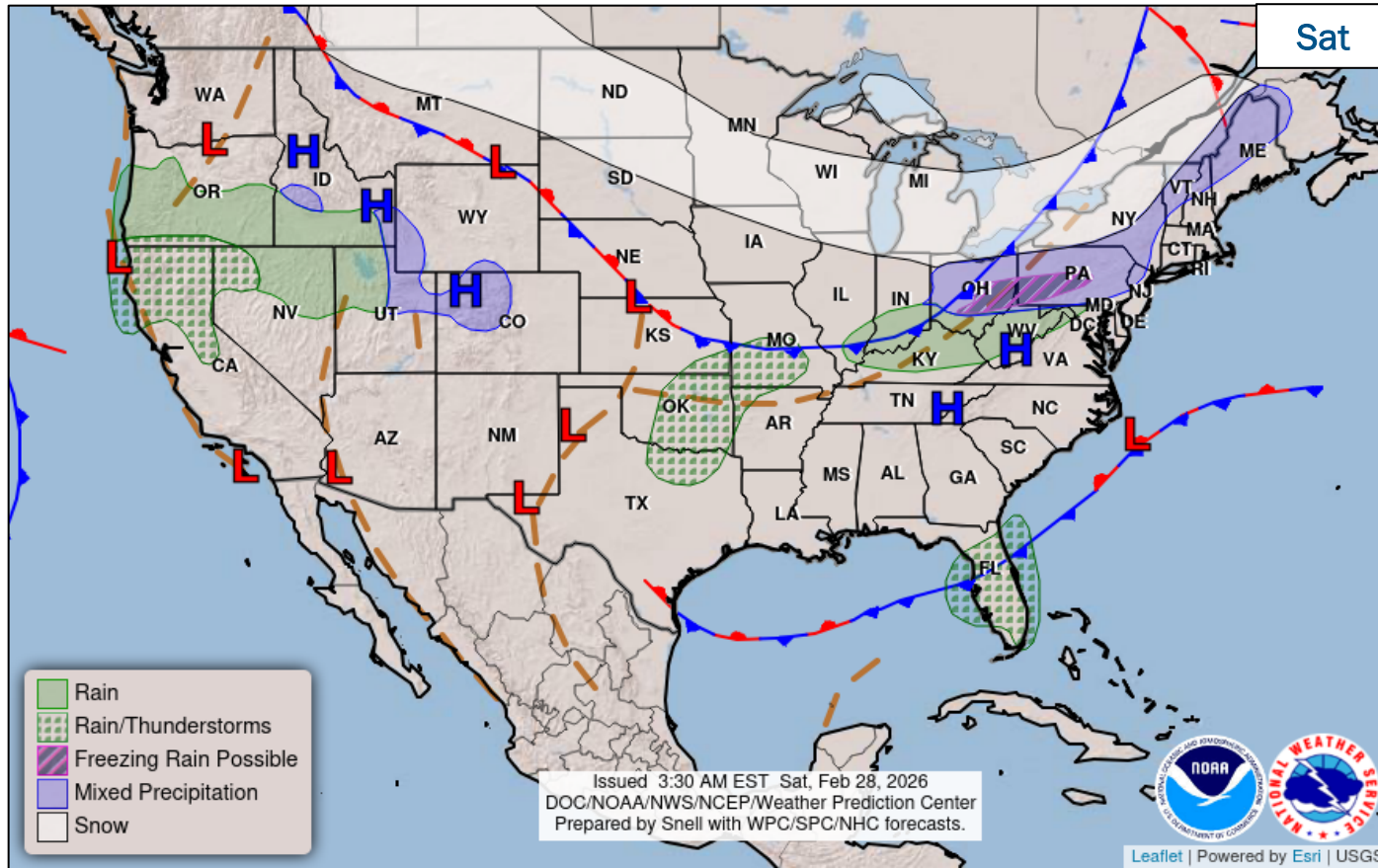
## Event Monitoring

- No new significant events



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# National Weather Forecast



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# Snowfall Forecast



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# FEMA Common Operating Picture

**12** Joint Field Offices    **Supporting**    **25** Major Disasters    **+ 19** Emergency Declarations    **8** Direct Housing Missions    **5** RSF-Supported Disasters    **6** Joint Recovery Offices

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FEMA HQ		
NWC	NRCC	
Monitoring	Steady State	
FEMA REGIONS		
Watch	RRCC	
Monitoring	R1	Rostered
Monitoring	R2	Rostered
Alt. Location	R3	Rostered
Monitoring	R4	Rostered
Monitoring	R5	Rostered
Monitoring	R6	Rostered
Monitoring	R7	Rostered
Monitoring	R8	Rostered
Monitoring	R9	Rostered
Monitoring	R10	Rostered
Notes:		
NRCC/RWCs/RRCCs:	State EOCs:	
• R3 RWC: Alternate location effective Feb 22, 2026, for approximately 4 weeks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DC: Potomac Interceptor Sewer Line</li> <li>• HI: Wildfires</li> <li>• FL: Previous Incidents</li> <li>• MA/MS/RI/TN: Winter Storm</li> <li>• PR: Influenza Epidemic</li> <li>• OK/TX: Fire Weather</li> </ul>	
IMATs:		
• NSTR		
Surge Capacity Force		
Rostered	Deployed	
7,974	0	

N-IMATs	
2-5 Teams Available	
Red	
White	
Blue	
Gold	
HS	
R-IMATs	
≥ 7 Teams Available	
R1	2
R2	
R3	DC (Feb 24)
R4 (1)	
R4 (2)	MS (Jan 26)
R5	1
R6 (1)	
R6 (2)	
R7	MO (Feb 15)
R8	3
R9 (1)	
R9 (2)	
R10	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fully Mission Capable (FMC)</li> <li>Partially Mission Capable (PMC)</li> <li>Not Mission Capable (NMC)</li> <li>Deployed</li> </ul>	

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN				
	JFO	DR	EM	JRO
R1	0	0	0	0
R2	0	0	0	2
R3	1	1	3	0
R4	6	17	11	1
R5	0	0	1	0
R6	3	5	3	3
R7	0	0	0	0
R8	1	1	1	0
R9	0	0	0	0
R10	1	1	0	0

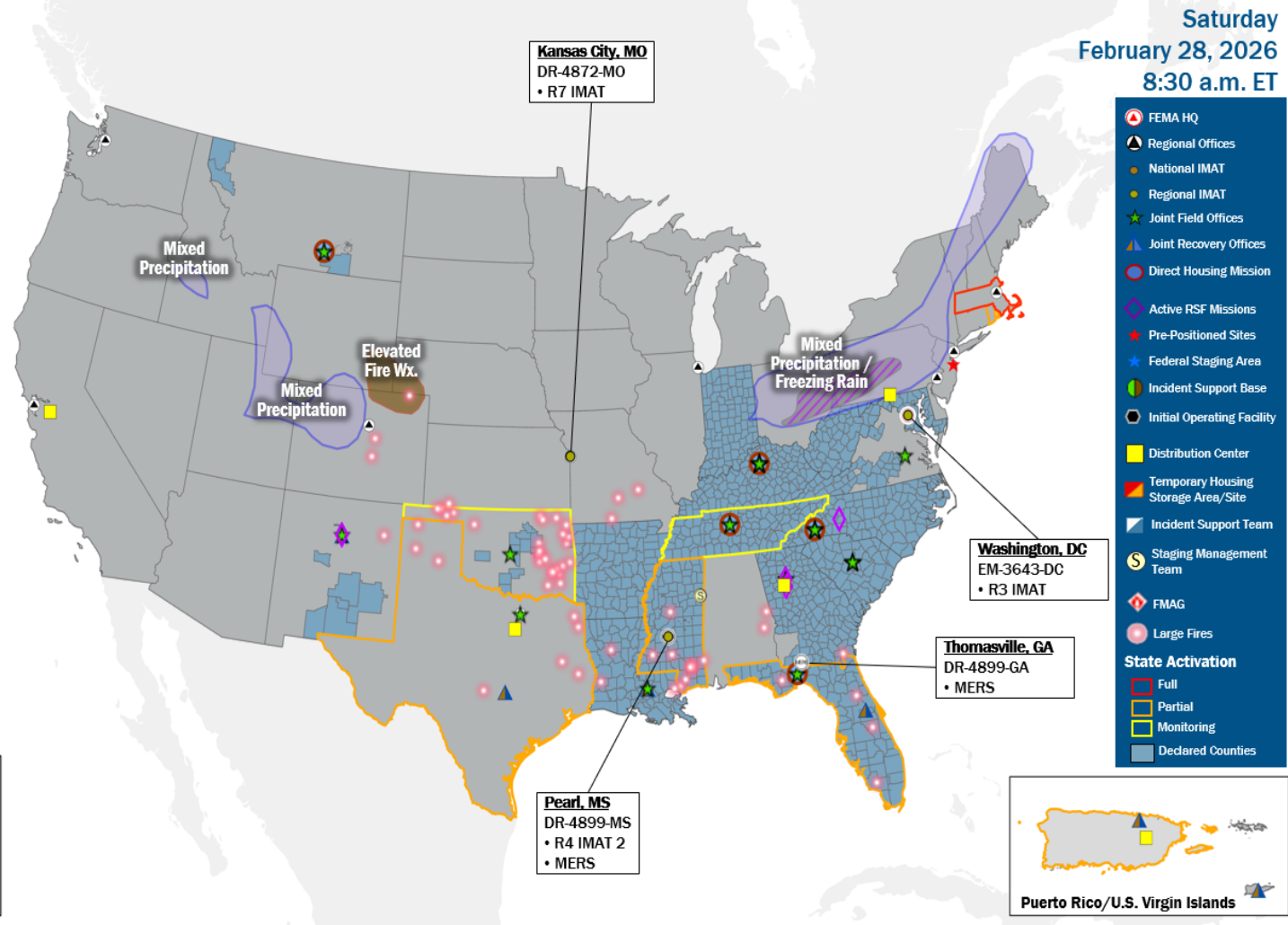
Alaska

Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands

Guam

American Samoa

Hawaii



## IM Workforce

11,323 (+1) Assigned  
4,159 (-17) Unavailable  
2,715 (-11) Deployed

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39% / 4,449 (+29) Available

## IM Cadre Availability

7 (+1) Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Civil Rights: 23% (22/96); Disability Integration: 19% (3/16); External Affairs: 23% (63/271); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 17% (109/644); Field Leadership: 17% (20/117); Hazard Mitigation: 18% (139/769); Planning: 18% (61/345)

### MERS

≥ 66%

36 Assigned  
6 Unavailable  
2 Deployed

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28 Available

### US&R

≥ 66%

28 Assigned  
0 Unavailable  
0 Deployed

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28 Available

### FCO

3 Type I

35 Assigned  
3 Unavailable  
26 (14 FCOR) Deployed

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6 Available

# Declaration Requests in Process – 20

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
AZ – Severe Storms and Flooding – Appeal	DR		X	X	Oct 24
IL – Severe Storms and Flooding – Appeal	DR	X			Nov 21
SCA* – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Nov 26
SCA* – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Dec 15
MT – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Jan 10
NVK* – Severe Storms, Flooding, and Remnants of Typhoon Halong	DR		X	X	Jan 11
MT – Severe Winter Storms and Straight-line Winds	DR		X	X	Jan 15
CO – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides – Appeal	DR		X	X	Jan 16
CO – Lee and Elk Fires, Flooding, and Mudslides – Appeal	DR		X	X	Jan 16
WA – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X			Jan 21
SD – Straight-line Winds	DR		X	X	Jan 27
AK – Severe Storms and Straight-line Winds	DR		X	X	Jan 30
KY – Severe Winter Storm	DR		X	X	Feb 5
ID – Straight-line Winds	DR		X	X	Feb 6
FPA & ST* – Severe Storm and Straight-line Winds	DR	X		X	Feb 11
CTM* – Straight-line Winds	DR	X		X	Feb 12
FBIC* – Severe Storms and Straight-line Winds	DR	X		X	Feb 13
OR – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR		X	X	Feb 18
WA – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR		X	X	Feb 17
SC – Severe Winter Storm	DR		X	X	Feb 25



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*\*San Carlos Apache Tribe / Native Village of Kipnuk / Fort Peck Assiniboine & Sioux Tribes / Crow Tribe of Montana / Fort Belknap Indian Community*

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