

FEMA National Watch Center

# Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, September 16, 2021

8:30 a.m. ET



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# National Current Ops / Monitoring

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## New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- Wildfire Activity – Western U.S.

## Hazard Monitoring

- Heavy rain/flash flooding – Lower Mississippi Valley and Southeast
- Severe weather possible – Central Plains to Upper Mississippi Valley
- Tropical Activity:
  - Atlantic:
    - Disturbance 1: High (80%)
    - Disturbance 2: High (70%)
    - Disturbance 3: Low (20%)

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## Disaster Declaration Activity

- 15 Amendments issued

## Event Monitoring

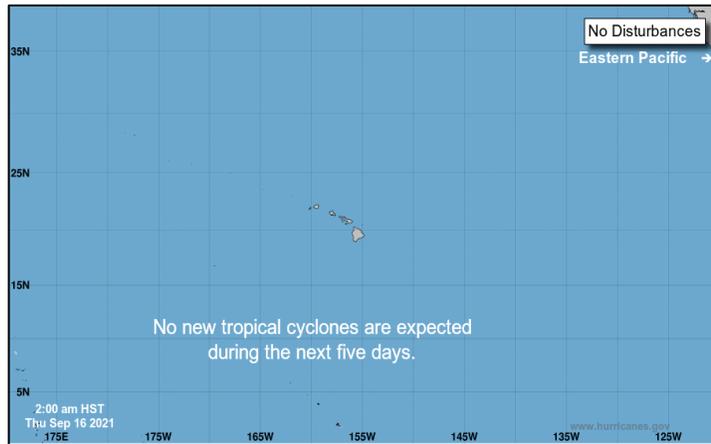
- United Nations General Assembly



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# Tropical Outlook – Five Day

## Central Pacific



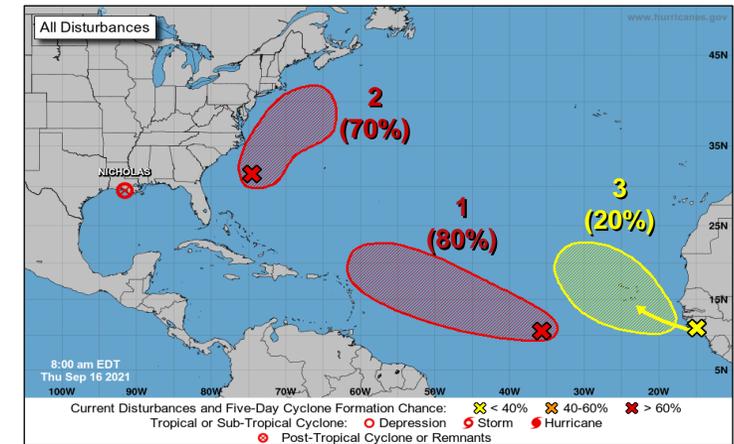
- No new tropical cyclones expected during the next five days

## Eastern Pacific



- No new tropical cyclones expected during the next five days

## Atlantic



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

- 800 miles WSW of the Cabo Verde Islands
- Tropical depression likely to form this weekend
- Formation chance: 48 hours: High (70%); 5 days: High (80%)

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

- 250 miles SSE of the Outer Banks, NC
- Tropical depression likely to form during the next day or two
- Formation chance: 48 hours: High (70%); 5 days: High (70%)

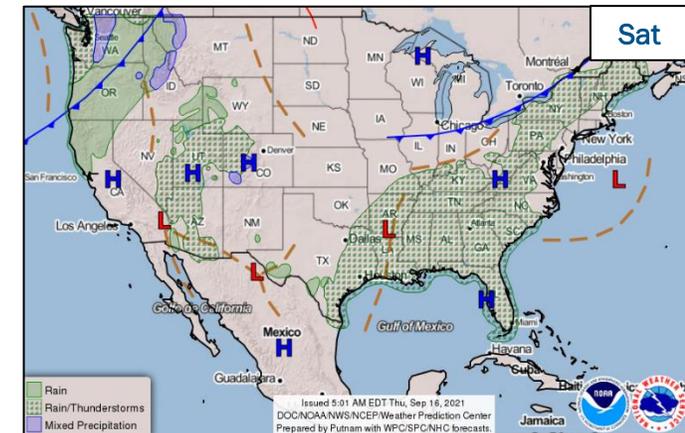
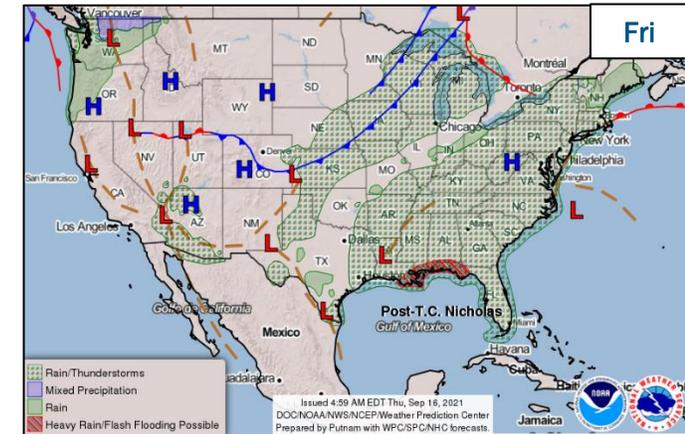
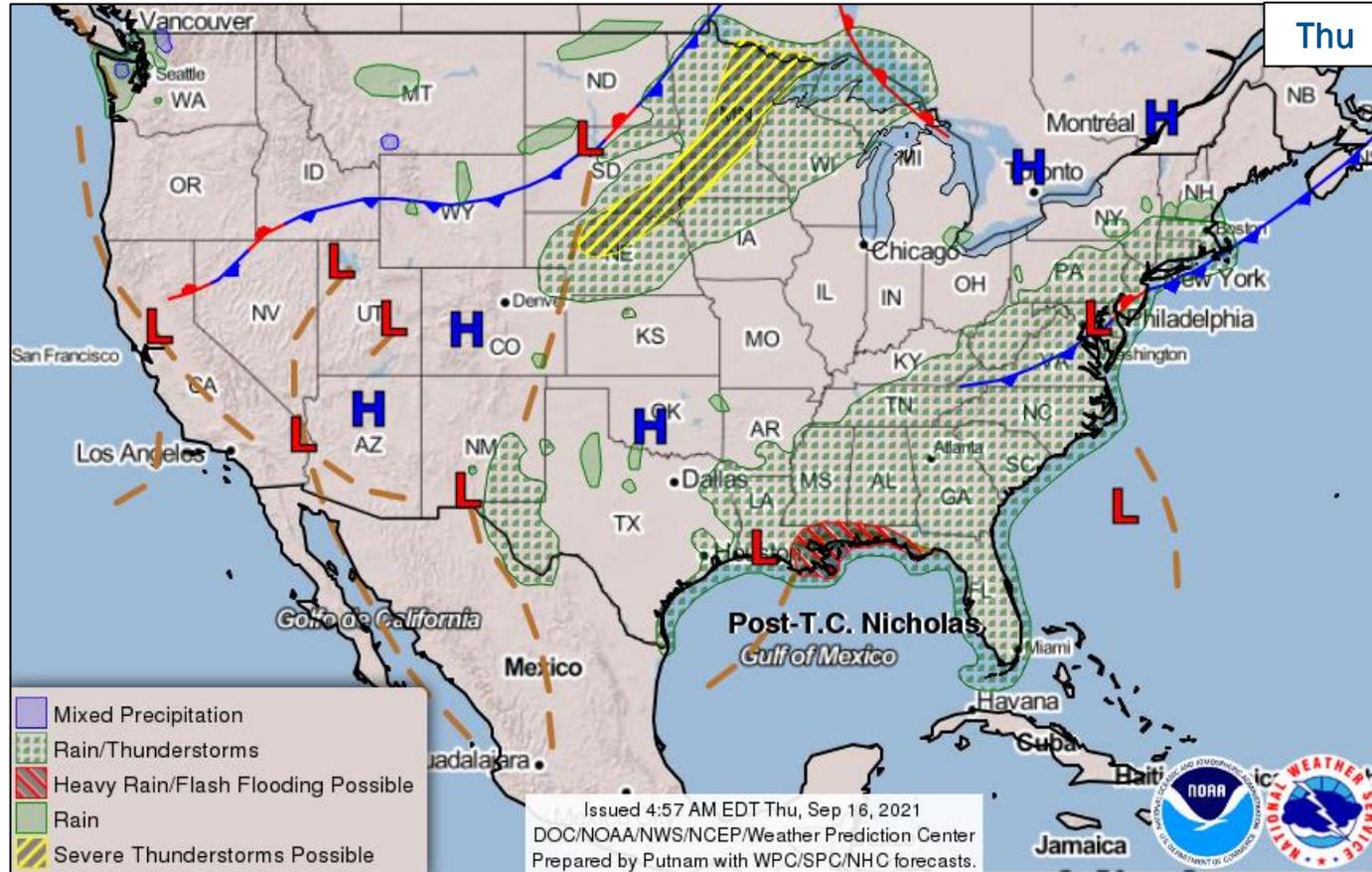
### Disturbance 3 (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Expected to emerge off the west coast of Africa in a day or so
- Conditions conducive for additional development
- Formation chance: 48 hours: Low (10%); 5 days: Low (20%)



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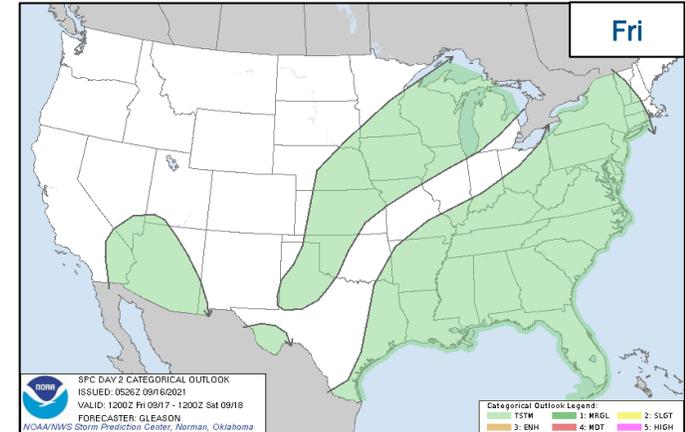
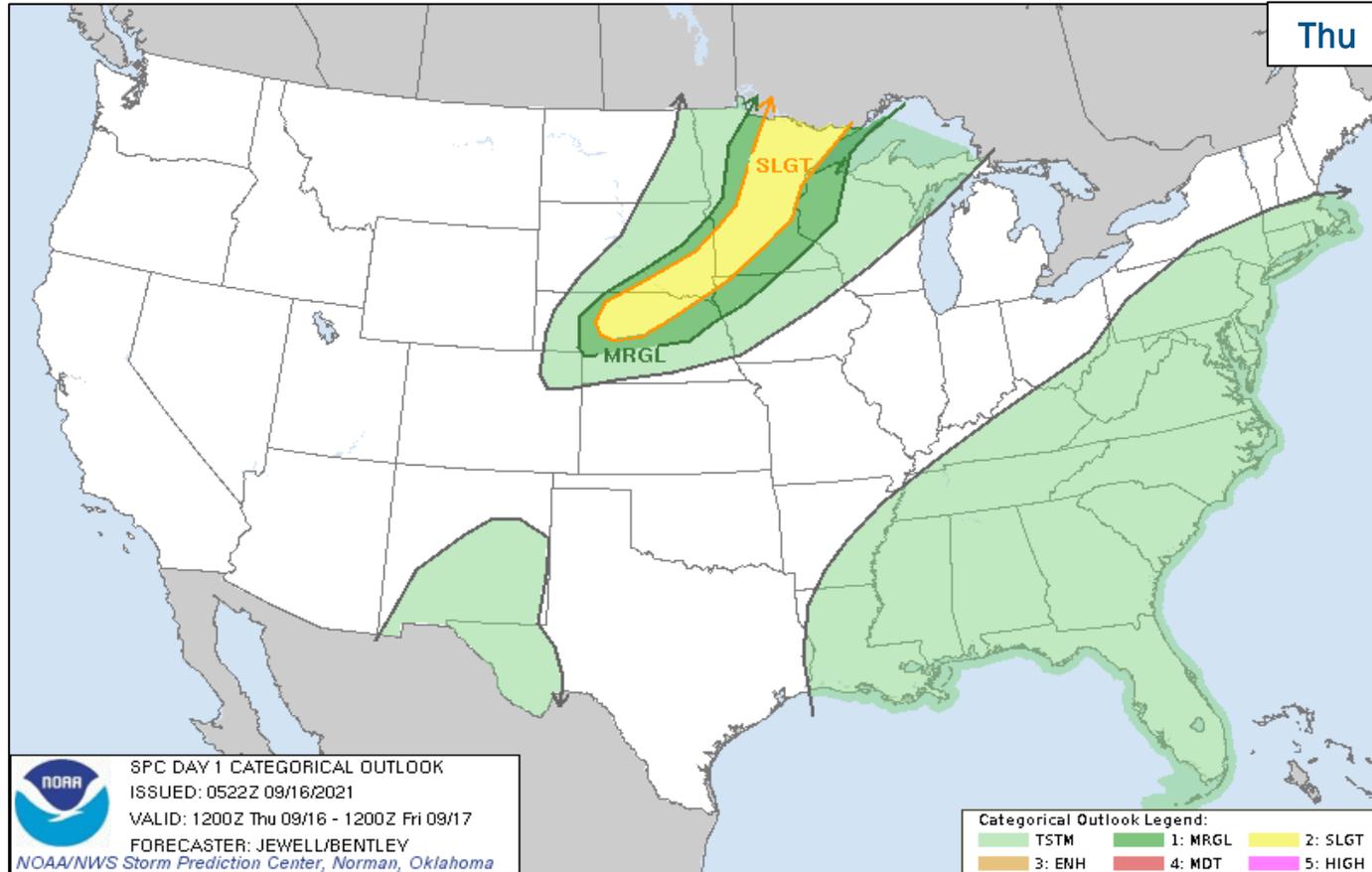
# National Weather Forecast



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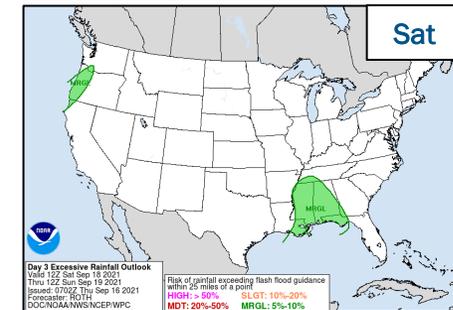
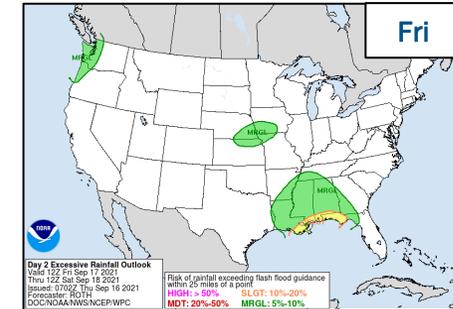
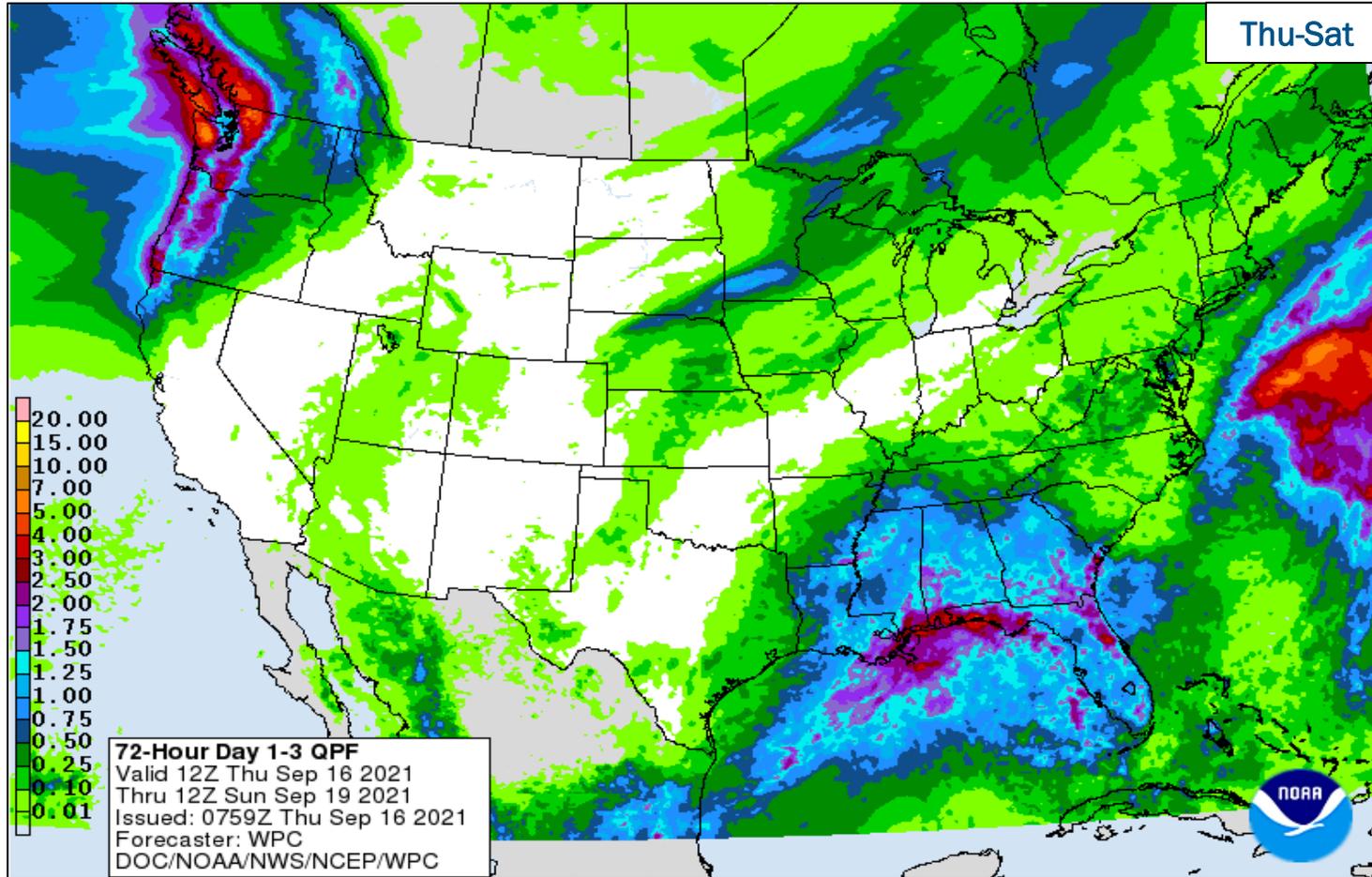
# Severe Weather Outlook



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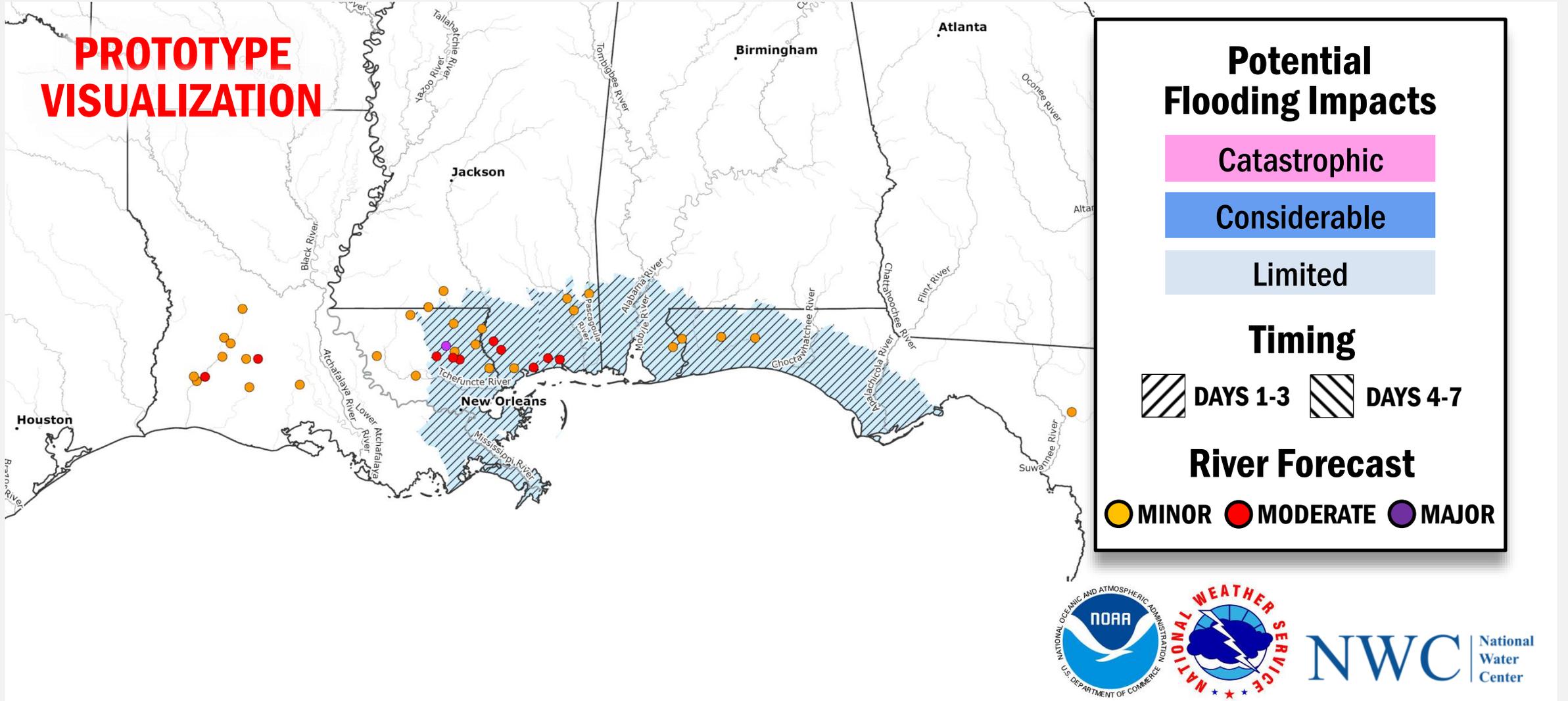
# Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



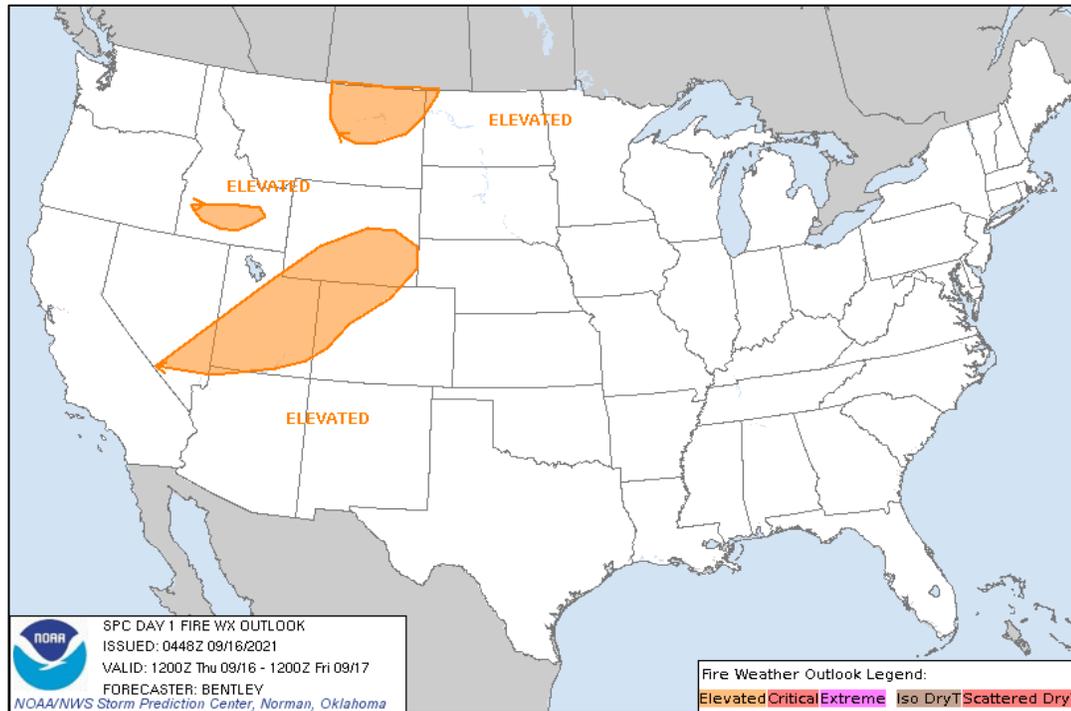
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# Post-Tropical Cyclone Nicholas

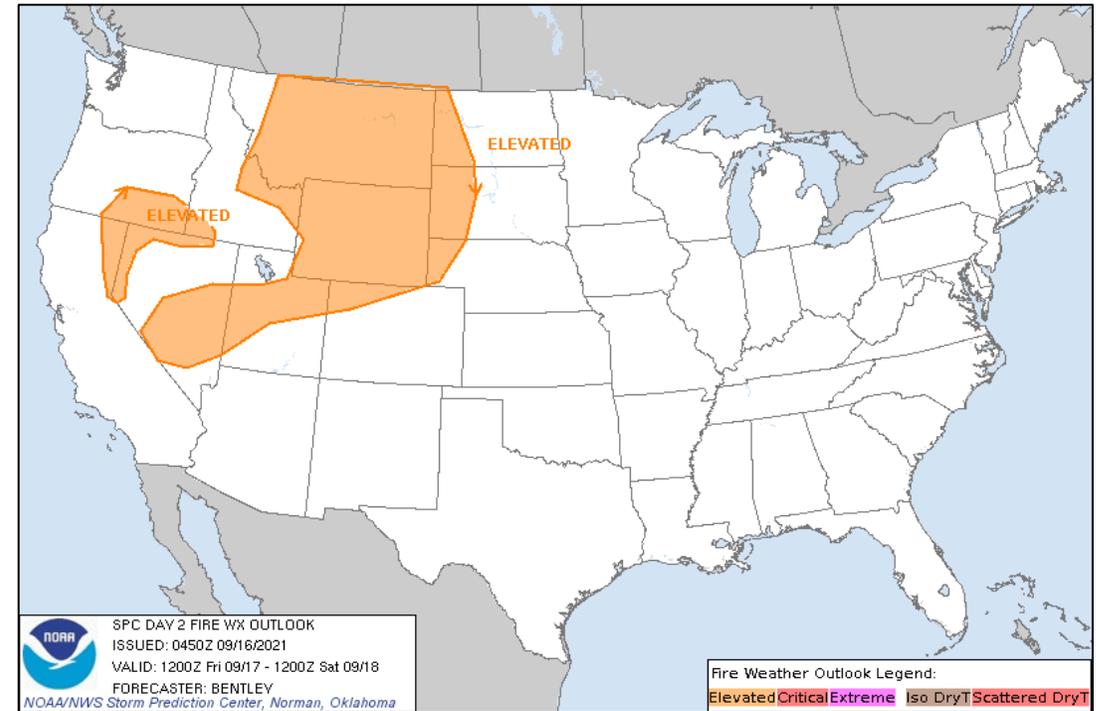
## 7-DAY FLOOD HAZARD OUTLOOK



# Fire Weather Outlook



Today



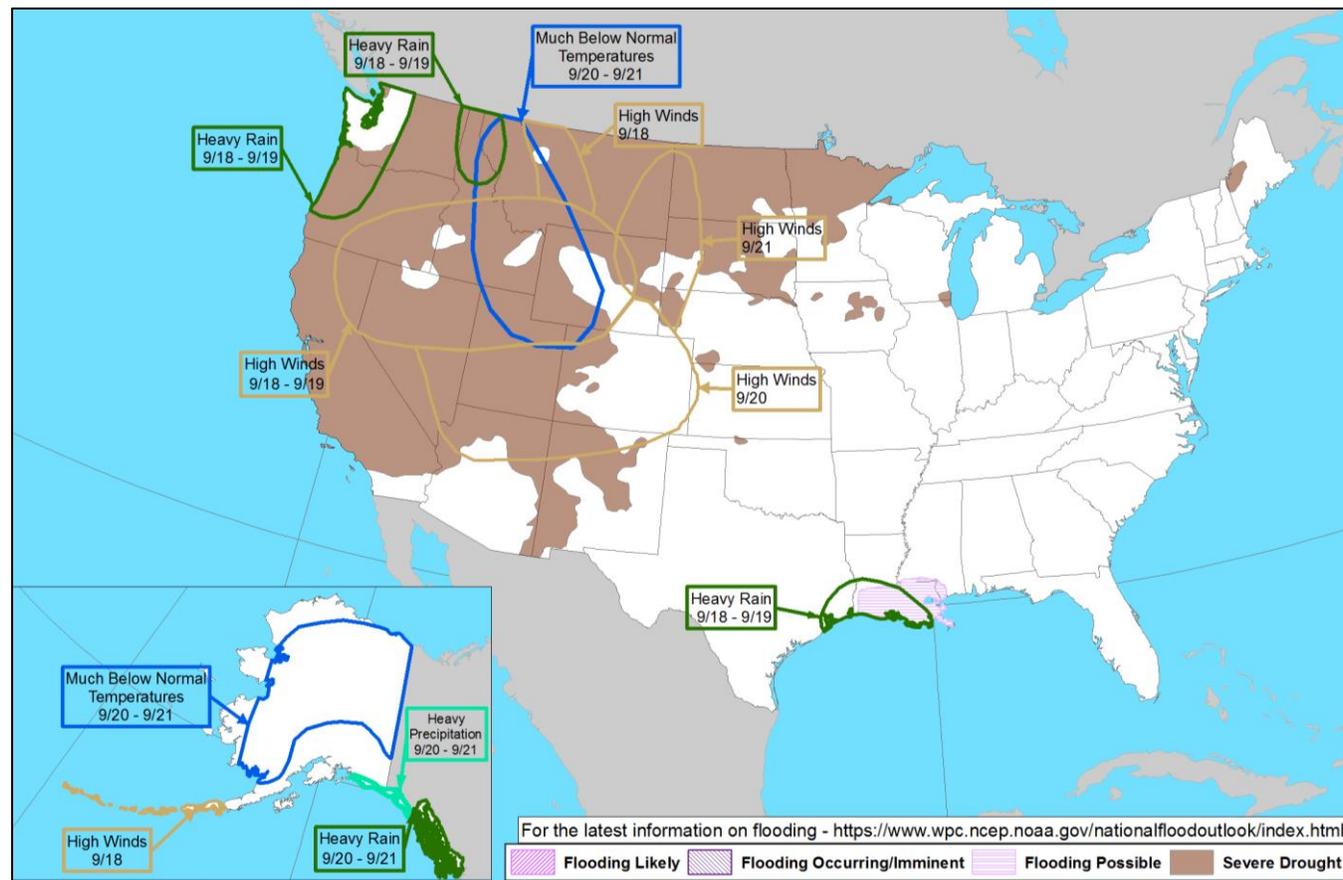
Tomorrow



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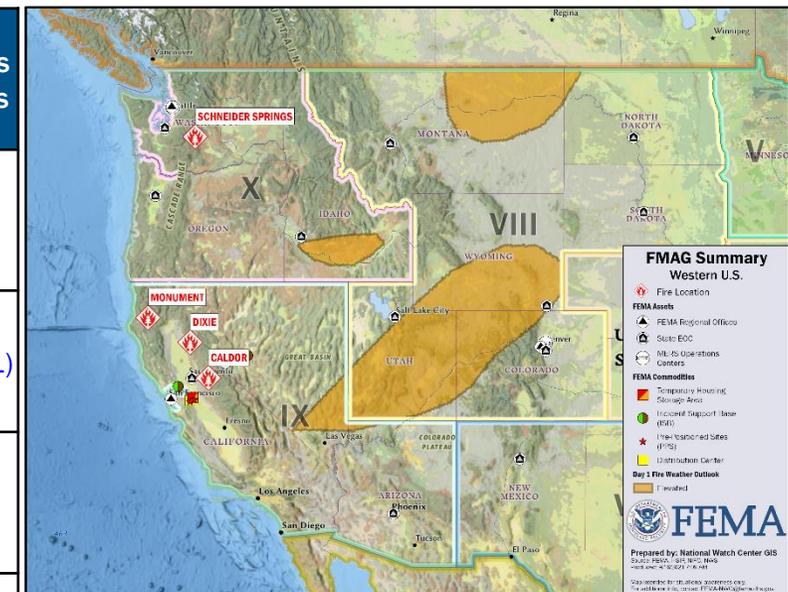
# Hazards Outlook – Sep 18-22



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# Wildfire Summary

Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Dixie (Plumas, CA) FINAL	5400-FM-CA	960,470	86% (+11)	M: 519 V: 0	H: 1,585 O: 31	H: 56 O: 39	H: 744 O: 585	1/11
Monument (Trinity, CA)	5412-FM-CA	215,044 (+1,234)	50% (+4)	M: 8,005 V: 0	H: 5,780 O: 4,800	H: 3 O: 0	H: 20 O: 30	0/12 (+1)
Caldor (El Dorado, CA)	5413-FM-CA	219,267	71% (+2)	M: 3,157 (-10) V: 0	H: 13,208 (-2,764) O: 474 (-100)	H: 53 O: 28	H: 782 O: 221	0/18
Schneider Springs (Yakima, WA)	5415-FM-WA	102,819 (+77)	26% (+1)	M: 240 V: 0	H: 1,658* O: 0	H: 0 O: 0	H: 0 O: 0	0/9



\*Structures are a mix of residential, commercial, and other minor structures  
(Evacuations: M = Mandatory / V = Voluntary; Structures: H = Homes and Mixed Commercial/Residential / O = Non-residential Commercial/Other Minor Structures)



# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties		Start - End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	NH	Severe Storms and Flooding Jul 29-30	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	2	0	8/30 - TBD
	MA	Severe Storms and Flooding Jul 16-21	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	5	0	8/10 - TBD
II	NY	Tropical Storm Fred Aug 19	IA	5 (+4)	1	8/31 - TBD
			PA	8 (+1)	0	9/13 - TBD
III	DE	Tropical Depression Ida Sep 1	IA	1	1	9/9 - 9/9
			PA	1	0	TBD
	MD	Tropical Depression Ida Sep 1	IA	2	2	9/13 - 9/13
			PA	2	0	TBD
	VA	Flooding and Mudslide Aug 30	IA	1	0	9/16 - TBD
			PA	1	0	9/16 - TBD
IV	MS	Tropical Cyclone Ida Aug 29	IA	8	4	9/9 - TBD
			PA	21 (+21)	0	9/20 - TBD
VIII	MT	Richard Spring Wildfire Aug 10 and continuing	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	3	0	9/7 - TBD



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# Declaration Amendments

Declaration	Number	Issued	Action
FEMA-3556-EM-LA	1	Sep 13	Closes the incident period effective Feb 19, 2021
FEMA-4611-DR-LA	2	Sep 13	Closes the incident period effective Sep 3, 2021
FEMA-4489-DR-IL	6	Sep 7	Appoints Moises Dugan as the FCO
FEMA-4494-DR-MI	5	Sep 7	Appoints Moises Dugan as the FCO
FEMA-4507-DR-OH	6	Sep 7	Appoints Moises Dugan as the FCO
FEMA-4515-DR-IN	6	Sep 7	Appoints Moises Dugan as the FCO
FEMA-4520-DR-WI	6	Sep 7	Appoints Moises Dugan as the FCO
FEMA-4531-DR-MN	6	Sep 7	Appoints Moises Dugan as the FCO
FEMA-4539-DR-WA	1	Sep 8	Appoints Toney L. Raines as the FCO



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FEMA-4584-DR-WA	2	Sep 8	Appoints Toney L. Raines as the FCO
FEMA-4585-DR-AK	1	Sep 8	Appoints Toney L. Raines as the FCO
FEMA-4589-DR-ID	1	Sep 8	Appoints Toney L. Raines as the FCO
FEMA-4593-DR-WA	2	Sep 8	Appoints Toney L. Raines as the FCO
FEMA-4599-DR-OR	1	Sep 8	Appoints Timothy B. Manner as the FCO
FEMA-4562-DR-OR	7	Sep 8	Appoints Timothy B. Manner as the FCO



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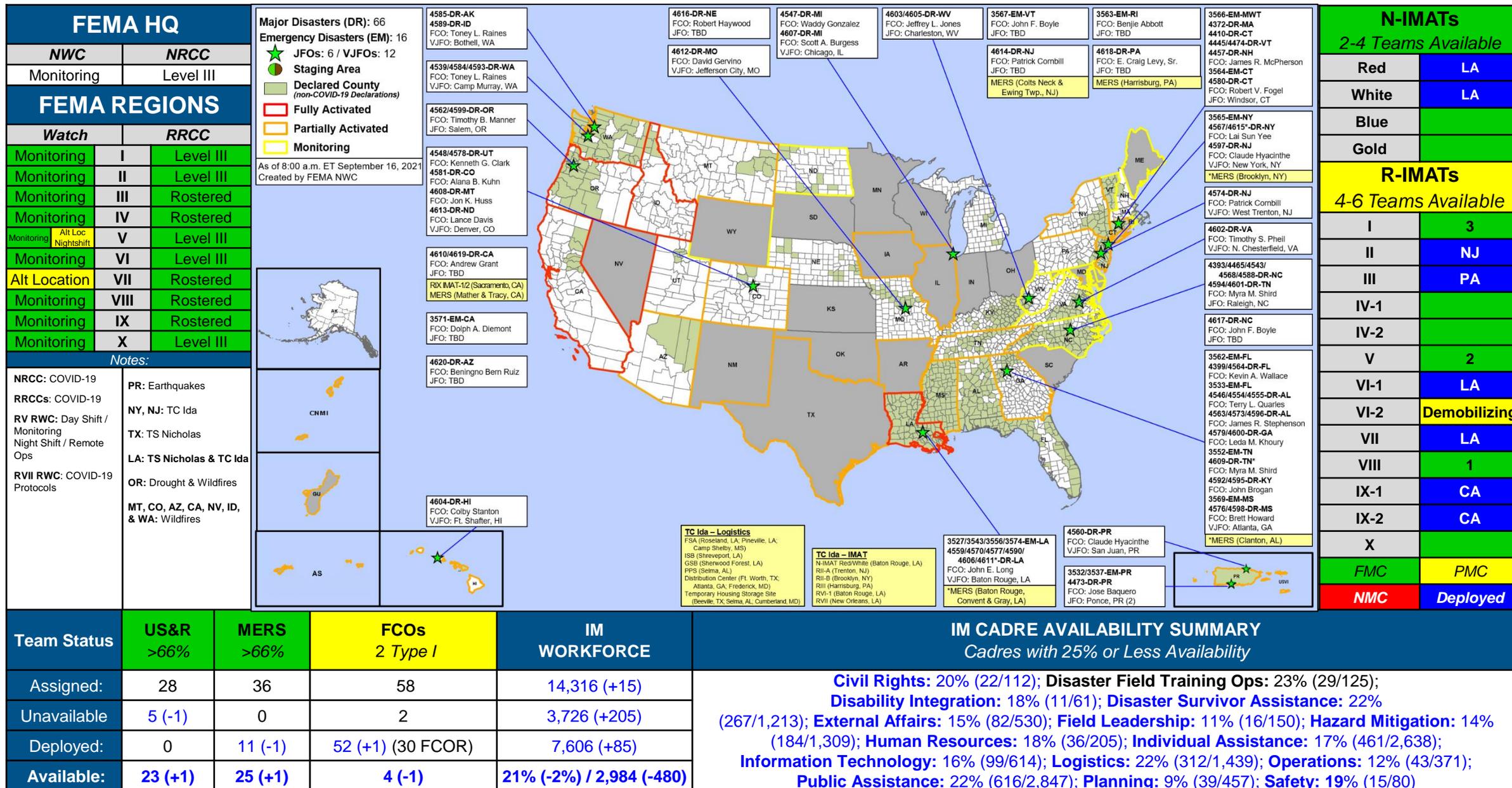
# Declaration Requests in Process – 2

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
NH – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Sep 11
VT – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Sep 13



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# FEMA Common Operating Picture





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