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# **FEMA**

# Daily Operations Briefing Saturday, February 11, 2017 8:30 a.m. EST

# Significant Activity – Feb 10-11



#### Significant Events: None

#### Significant Weather:

- Heavy snow Central Rockies
- Snow Pacific Northwest, CA, Northern Intermountain, Central Great Basin, Rockies, Northern/Central Plains, Great Lakes to Northeast
- Rain and snow Southwest U.S.; lower Great Lakes to NY
- Rain Pacific Northwest, southern CA and Southwest; Middle/Lower Mississippi Valley up though Mid-Atlantic
- Critical Fire Weather Central/Southern Plains
- Red Flag Warnings CO, NM, TX, OK, and KS
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours: none; next 24 hours: none

Tropical Activity: No activity affecting U.S. interests

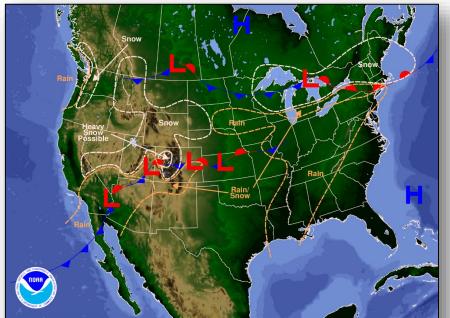
Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

#### **Declaration Activity:**

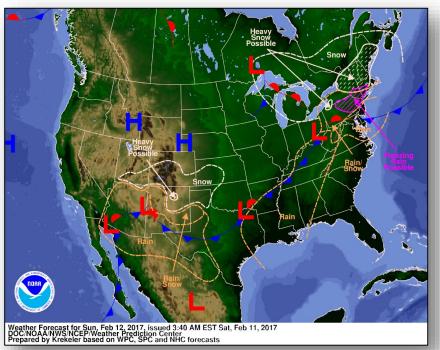
- FEMA-4299-DR-OK approved
- Major Disaster Declaration requested for LA
- Amendment No. 1 to FEMA-4293-DR-TN
- Amendment No. 4 to FEMA-4297-DR-GA

### National Weather Forecast





Weather Forecast for Sat, Feb 11, 2017, issued 3:30 AM EST DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center Prepared by Krekeler based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

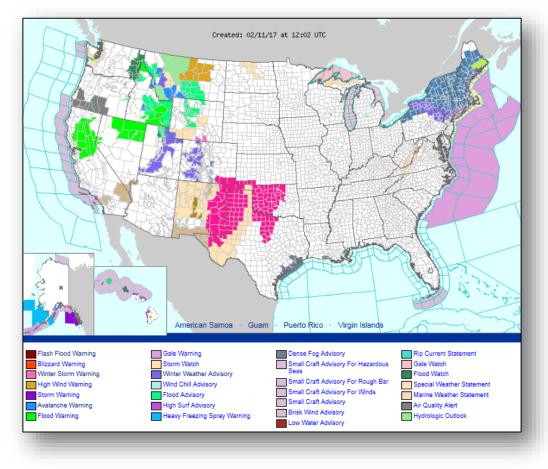


**Tomorrow** 

Today

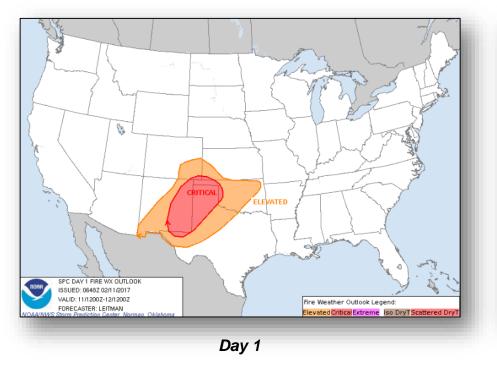
# Active Watches and Warnings

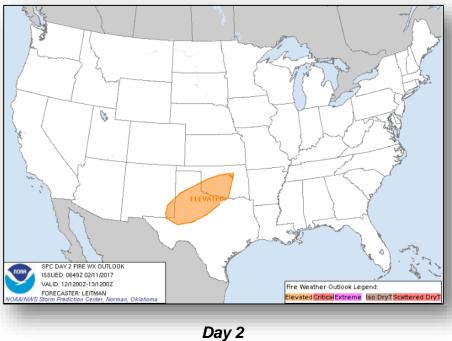




### Fire Weather Outlook

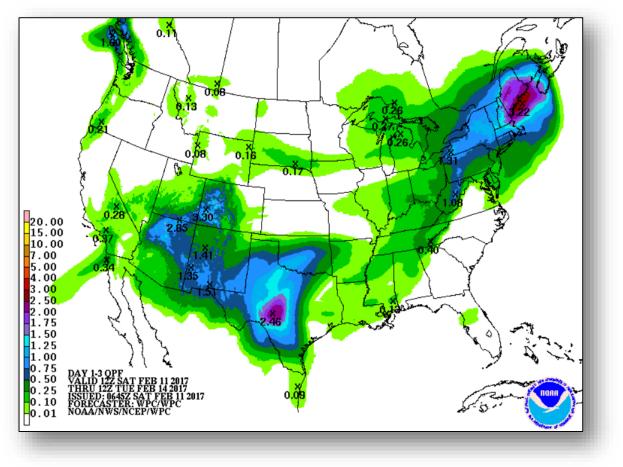


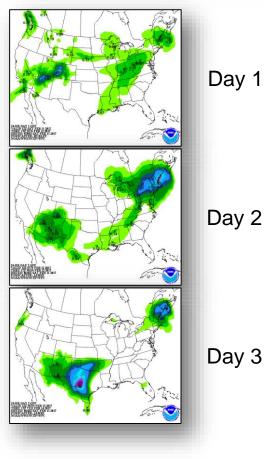




### Precipitation Forecast – Days 1-3

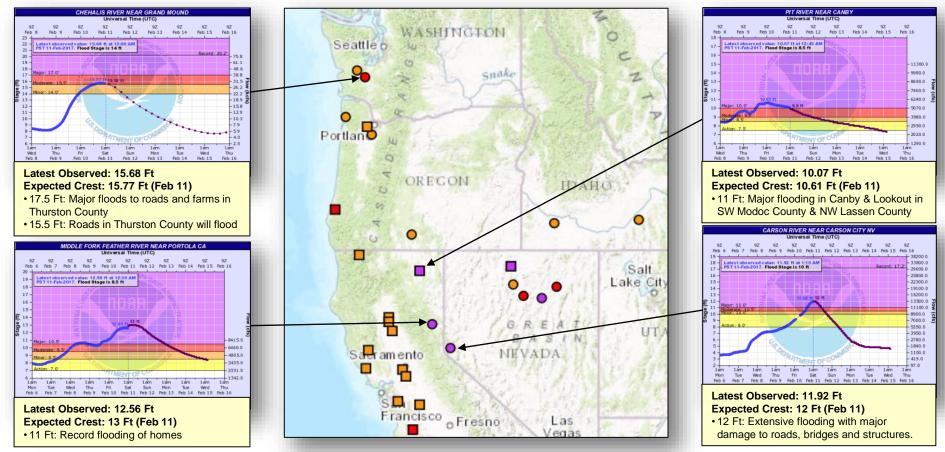






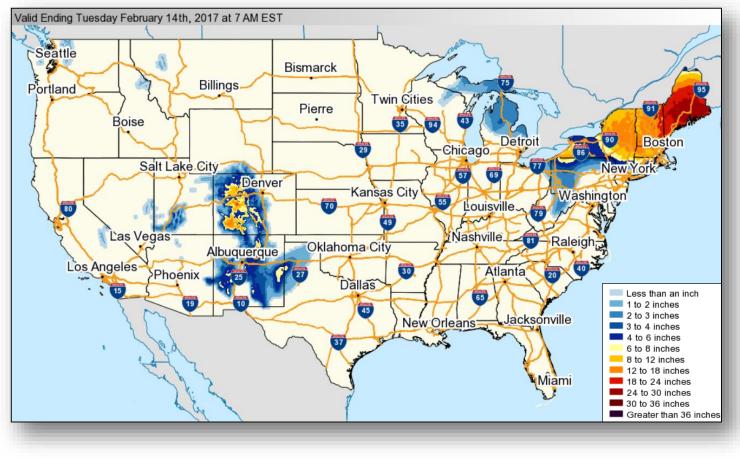
### Western U.S. River Forecasts





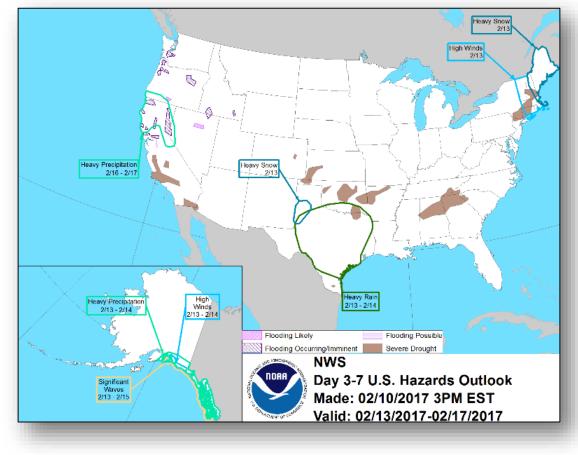
#### Forecast Snowfall – Days 1-3





#### Hazards Outlook – Feb 13-17

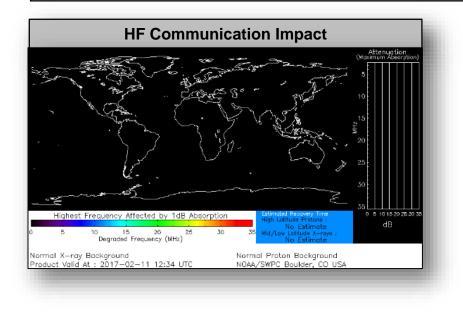




# Space Weather



	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts			
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None			
Next 24 Hours None None None None							
For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation							





# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State /	Event		Number of Counties		Start – End
	Location		IA/PA	Requested	Completed	
VI		Tornadoes	IA	6	1	2/9-TBD
VI LA	February 7, 2017	PA	7	0	2/10-TBD	
X ID	Severe Winter Weather	IA	2	0	2/8-TBD	
	U U	December 22, 2016 – January 19, 2017		4	0	2/8-TBD

### Disaster Requests & Declarations



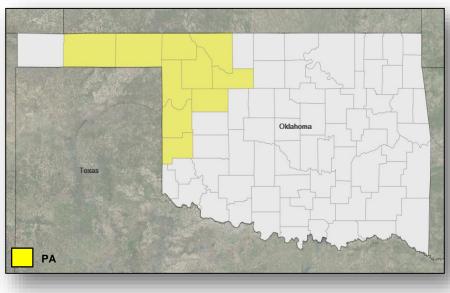
Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
3	Date Requested	1	0
SD Lake Traverse Reservation, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate Tribe – DR Severe Winter Storm	January 25, 2017		
OK – DR Severe Winter Storm	February 1, 2017	Declared February 10, 2017	
CA Hoopa Valley Tribe – DR Severe Winter Storm	February 2, 2017		
LA – DR Severe Storms and Tornadoes	February 10, 2017		

# Declaration Approved



#### FEMA-4299-DR-OK

- Major Disaster Declaration approved February 10, 2017 for the state of Oklahoma
- For severe weather during the period of January 13-16, 2017
- Provides:
  - o Public Assistance for 10 counties
  - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is John Long

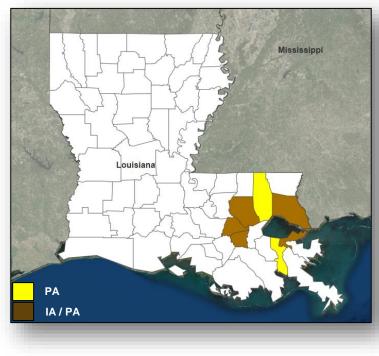


# **Declaration Request**

#### <u>Louisiana</u>

- Governor requested an expedited Major Disaster Declaration on February 10, 2017
- For severe storms, tornadoes, and straight-line winds that occurred on February 7, 2017
- Requesting:
  - $\circ~$  IA for 5 parishes
  - $\circ$  PA for 7 parishes
  - Hazard Mitigation statewide





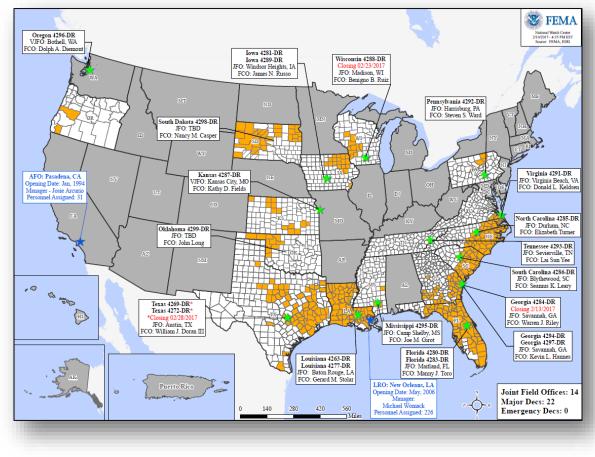
#### **Disaster Amendments**



Amendment	Effective Date	Action		
Amendment No. 4 to FEMA-4297-DR-GA	February 10, 2017	Adds 9 counties for Public Assistance and 1 county for Public Assistance (already designated for Individual Assistance)		
Amendment No. 1 to FEMA-4293-DR-TN	February 10, 2017	Appoints Lai Sun Yee as FCO		

# **Open Field Offices**





# Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Reso	urce	For Stren		Av	Available D		Other	Cadres with less than 25% availability		
Total Wor	rkforce	10,1	03	5,562	61%	3,188	1,350	None		
Resource	Status	Total		MC ilable	Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Status Criteria	
National IMAT		3		1	0	0	2	East-1 <b>PRIMARY</b> East-2 to LA (DR-4277) Phased demob through Feb17 West to GA (DR-4294, DR-4297)	Green: >3 Teams Available Yellow: 1 - 2 Teams Available Red: 0 Teams Available <i>N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs or Team</i> Leader unavailable for deployment	
Regional IMAT		13		9	0	2	2	Region V reconstituting through Feb 13 Region VI-1 reconstituting through Feb 15 <u>Deployed:</u> Region IV-2 to MS (DR-4295) Region X to WA (DR-4296-OR)	Green > 6 Teams Available Yellow: 4 - 6 Teams Available Red: 0 - 4 Teams Available <i>R-IMAT also red if TL or Ops / Log Chief is</i> <i>unavailable &amp; has no qualified replacement</i>	
FCO		35		5	0	5	25		OCD Readiness Yellow Red   FCO Green Yellow Red   Type 1 3+ 2 1	
FDRC		11		5	0	2	4		Type 2 4+ 3 2   Type 3 4+ 3 2   FDRC 3 2 1	
US&R		28	2	28	0	0	0		Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available	
MERS		36		28	0	6	2	<u>Assets supporting:</u> GA (DR-4297)	Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available	

### Readiness – Activation Teams



Resource	Status	Total	Status	Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason/Comments
NWC		5	Not Activated				
NRCC		2	Not Activated				BLUE Team on Call for February
HLT		1	Not Activated				Deactivated for the Season
RWCs/MOCs		10	Not Activated				
RRCCs		10	Not Activated				
Back-up Regions (Feb 6-12): II, V & VIII							





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