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FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, February 24, 2015

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity: Feb 23-24



Significant Events: No significant activity

Significant Weather:

- Snow Across the Upper Tier of the U.S. and from the Southern Plains to the Mid-Atlantic
- Freezing Rain Southern Plains to Lower MS Valley & Southeast to Mid-Atlantic
- Flood Warnings Portions of Tennessee, Kentucky, Arkansas, Alabama, Mississippi & Louisiana
- Elevated Fire Weather/Red Flag Warnings: None
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours Minor, G1 geomagnetic storm occurred; Next 24 hours Minor, G1 geomagnetic storm predicted

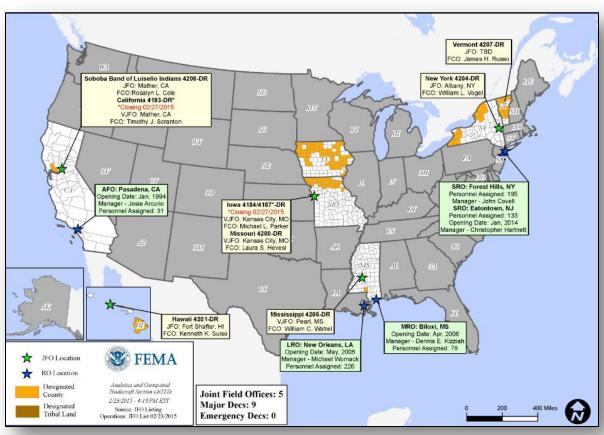
Tropical Activity: No significant activity

FEMA Readiness: No significant changes

Disaster Activity: None

Open Field Offices as of February 24





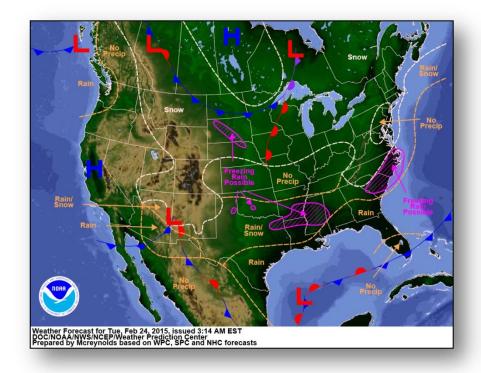
Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

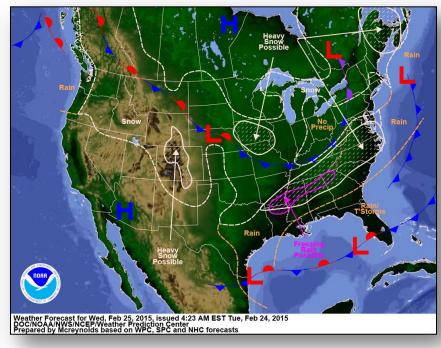


				Number o		
Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Requested	Complete	Start – End
I	ИН	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	3	0	02/11 – TBD
I	RI	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	5	0	02/11 – TBD
I	СТ	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	3	0	02/24 – TBD
I	MA	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	9	1	02/17 – TBD
I	ME	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	4	0	02/19 – TBD

National Weather Forecast



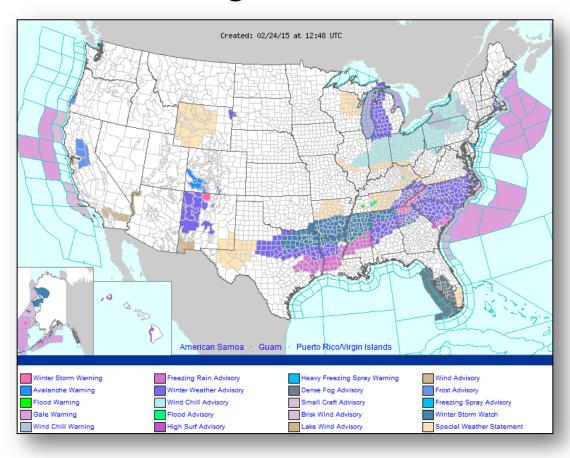




Today Tomorrow

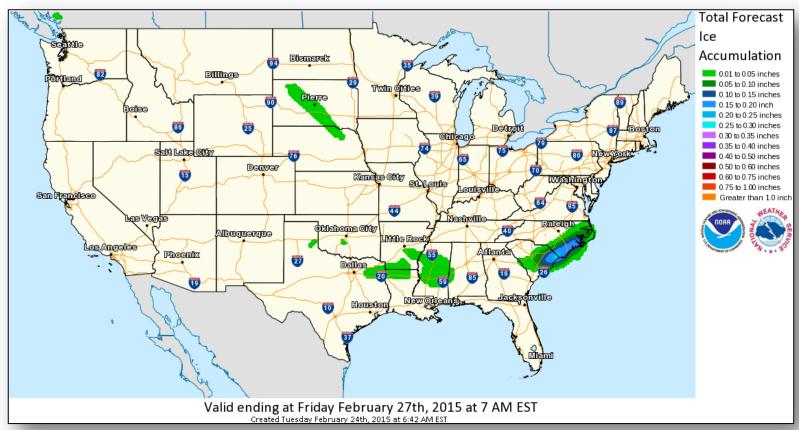
Active Watches/Warnings





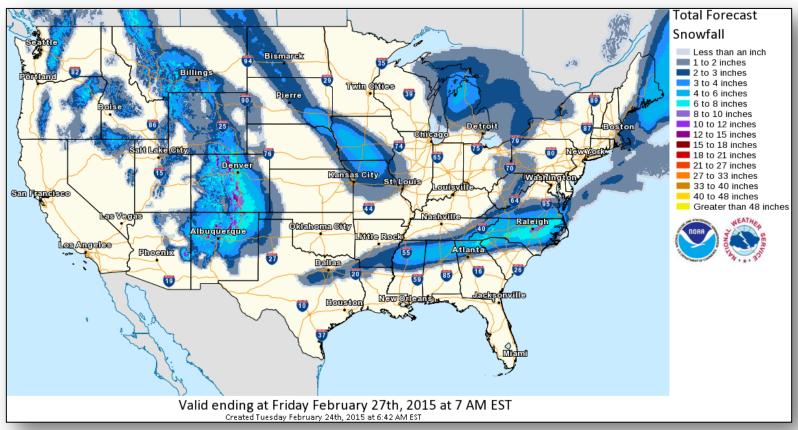
Total Forecast Ice





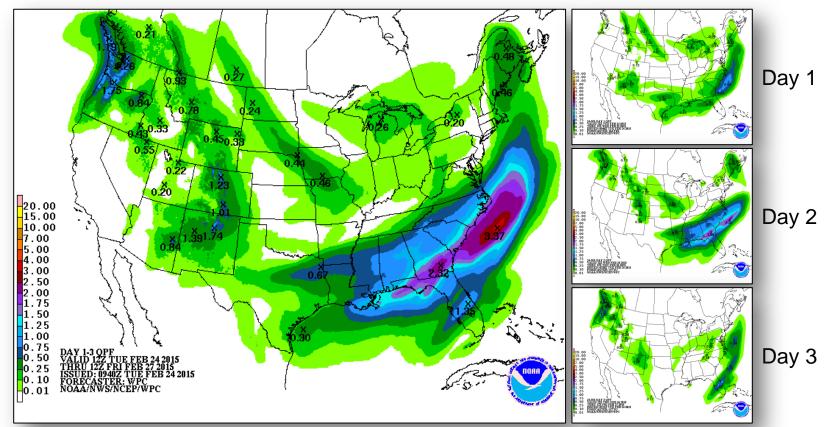
Total Forecast Snowfall





Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day





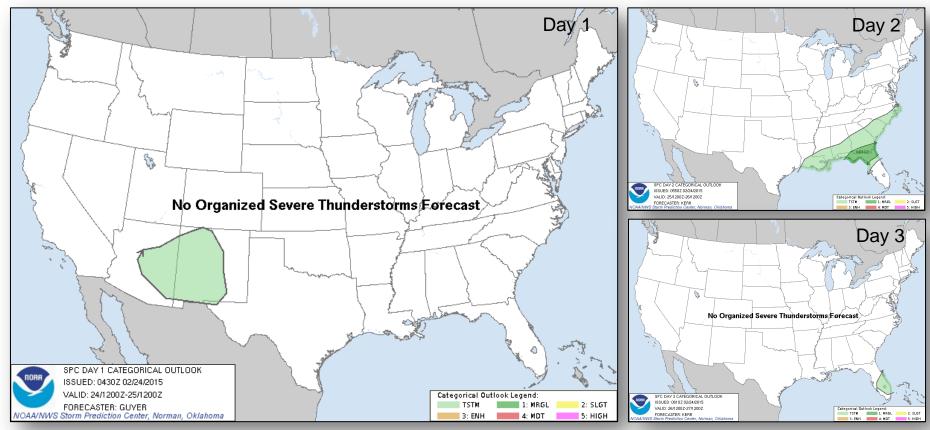
River Forecast





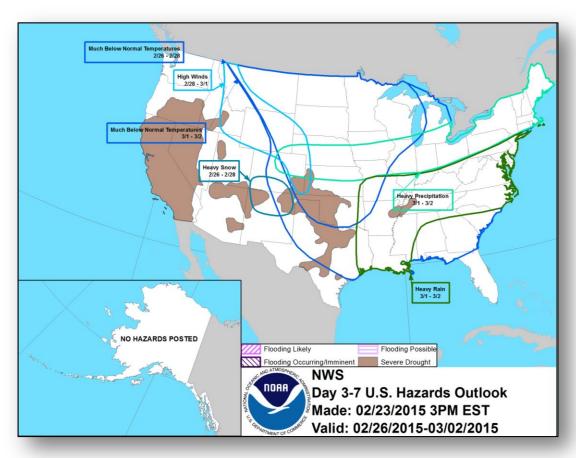
Convective Outlook, Days 1-3





Hazard Outlook: Feb 26 – Mar 2

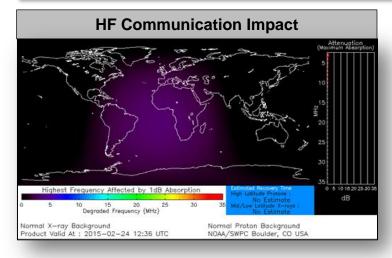


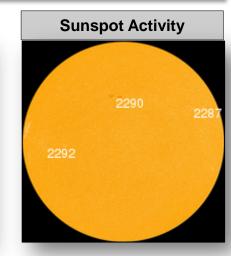


Space Weather



NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours	
Space Weather Activity:	Minor	None	Minor	
Geomagnetic Storms	G1	None	G1	
Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None	
Radio Blackouts	None	None	None	

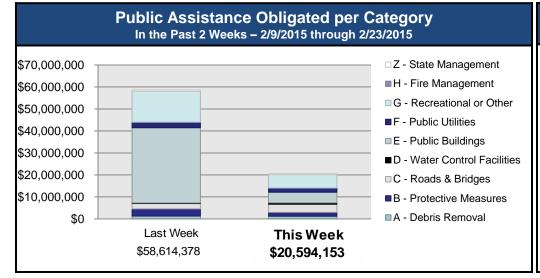




Public Assistance Grant Program



			PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of 2/23/2015 at 1400 EST										
		Emerger	Emergency Work Permanent Work										
PA Ca	ategory	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		
	r Of PWs igated	26	30	19	5	35	15	14	0	5	149		
	al Share igated	\$1,244,733.73	\$1,752,777.13	\$3,661,850.26	\$669,462.16	\$4,818,027.50	\$1,897,305.54	\$6,120,269.87	\$0	\$429,727.18	\$20,594,153.37		



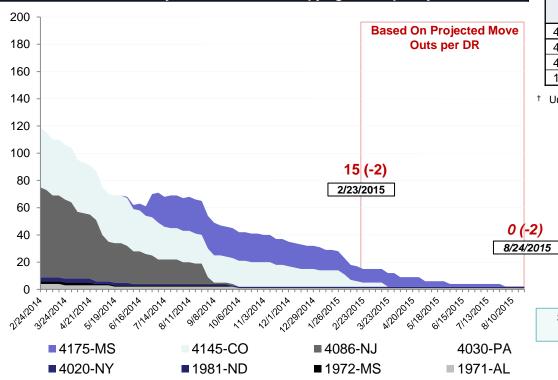
PA Highlights

 On 2/19 a Category G grant for over \$5.2 million was obligated to Cleveland, OH for damage repairs to the shoreline of Burke Lakefront Airport as a result of DR-4098, Hurricane Sandy.

Direct Housing

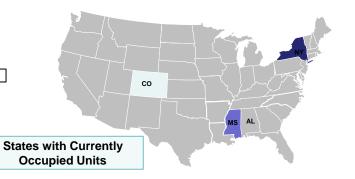


Total Households in FEMA Direct Housing per State Past Year per Week, 2/24/2014 – 2/23/2015, Projected to 8/24/2015 There are currently 15 Households Occupying 15 Temporary Units



DR	IA Declaration Date	Program End Date	Current # of Households in Direct Housing (Weekly Change)
4175-MS	04/30/2014	10/30/2015	10 (-1)
4145-CO	09/14/2013	03/14/2015	3 (-1)
4020-NY [†]	08/31/2011	06/01/2013	1 (0)
1971-AL [†]	04/28/2011	10/28/2012	1 (0)

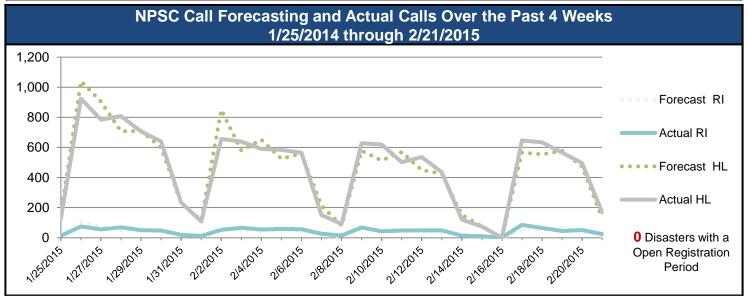
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NPSC Activity



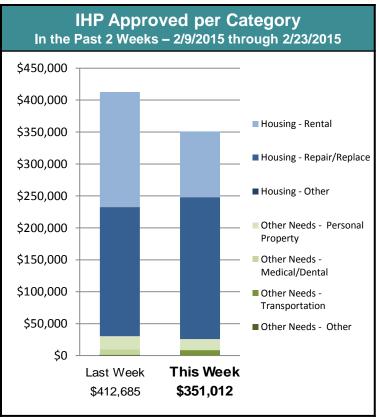
NPSC Call Activity in the Past Week 2/15/2014 through 2/21/2015										
Call Type Projected Calls Actual Calls Average Answer Maximum Minimum Answer Time Answer Time										
Registration Intake	239	282	:12	:19	:00					
Helpline	2,373	2,583	:12	:36	:00					
All Calls										



Individual Assistance Activity



	Individuals and Households Program Activity as of February 23, 2015 at 1500 EST								
	In Past 7 Days								
		Applicants Approved	Amount Approved						
υ	4 Declarations IHP Programmatically C	pen – Closed Rec	jistration *						
ctiv	Housing Assistance	111	\$325,112						
IHP Active	Other Needs Assistance	25	\$25,900						
=	Total IHP \$351,012								



FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



					D	eployal	ole Team	ns/Assets					
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available						Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		37	20	54%	0	1	16		OFDC Readiness: FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2				
FDRC		10	10	100%	0	0	0		Type 3 4 3 2 FDRC 3 2 1				
US&R		28	27	96%	0	1	0	NM-TF1 (Red – Personnel shortages)	Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed				
National IMAT		3	1	33%	0	0	2	 IMAT East 1 – Deployed to FEMA HQ IMAT East 2 – Deployed to GA 	Green: 3 avail Yellow: 1-2 avail Red: 0 avail (Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.)				
Regional IMAT		13	9	69%	0	3	1	Not Mission Capable (NMC): Regions IV-3, VI-1 & IX-1 Deployed Region IX-2 to CA	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		60	59	98%	0	1	0		Green = 80 – 100% avail Yellow = 60 – 79% avail Red = 59% or below avail Readiness remains 95%				

FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



	National/Regional Teams												
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		_		_		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Activated	Enhanced Watch (day shift only)	•Green = FMC				
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		• Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC				
HLT		1	N/A	N/A	0	0	Not Activated						
DEST							Not Activated						
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated						
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated	RVI at Enhanced Watch					



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