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## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Tuesday, March 3, 2015**

**8:30 a.m. EST**

# Significant Activity: Mar 2 – 3



**Significant Events:** None

**Significant Weather:**

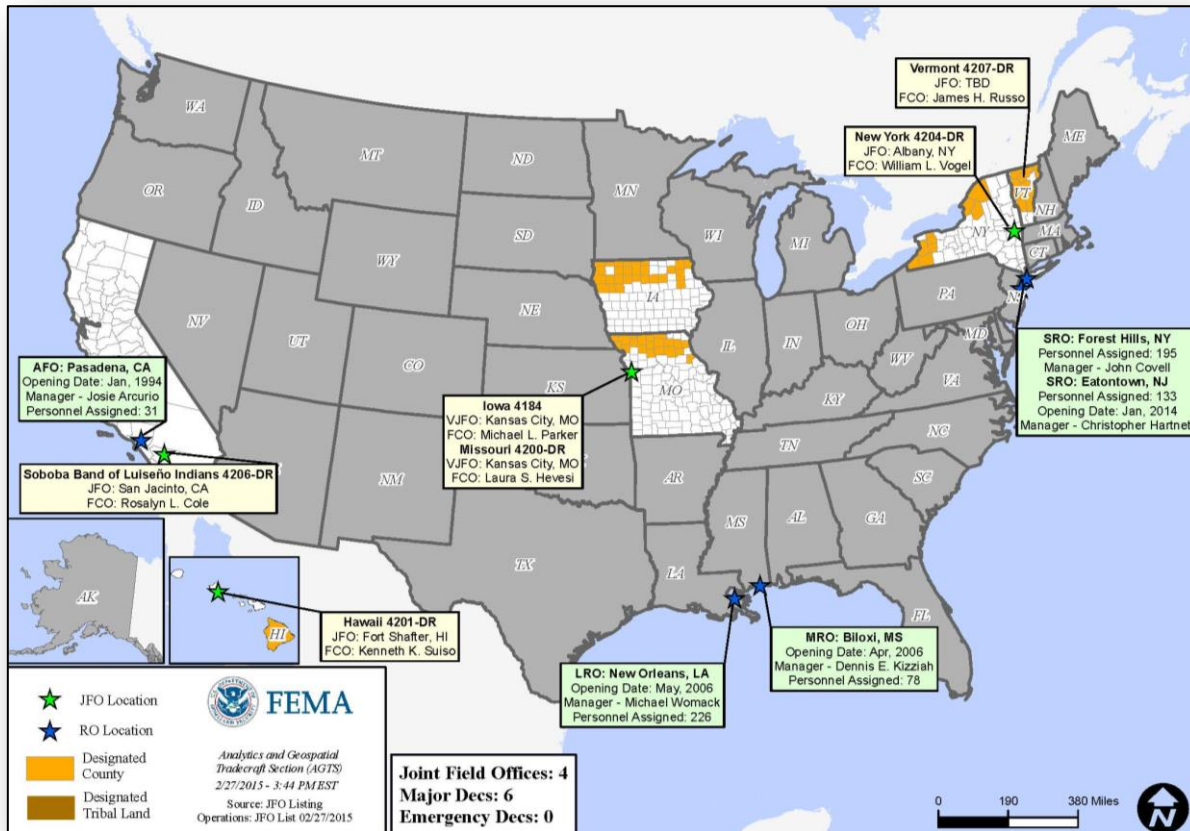
- Flash flooding possible – Ohio Valley to Central Appalachians
- Freezing rain – Middle MS Valley to Northeast/Mid-Atlantic
- Heavy Snow – Central Rockies & Upper MS Valley to Northeast
- Snow – Northern Intermountain/Central Great Basin/Southwest to Great Lakes/Northeast/Mid-Atlantic
- Elevated Fire Weather/Red Flag Warnings: none
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours – Minor G1 geomagnetic storms & Moderate R2 radio blackouts occurred;  
No space weather storms expected in the next 24 hours

**Tropical Activity:** No significant activity

**FEMA Readiness:** None

**Disaster Activity:** None

# Open Field Offices as of March 3



# Disaster Requests & Declarations



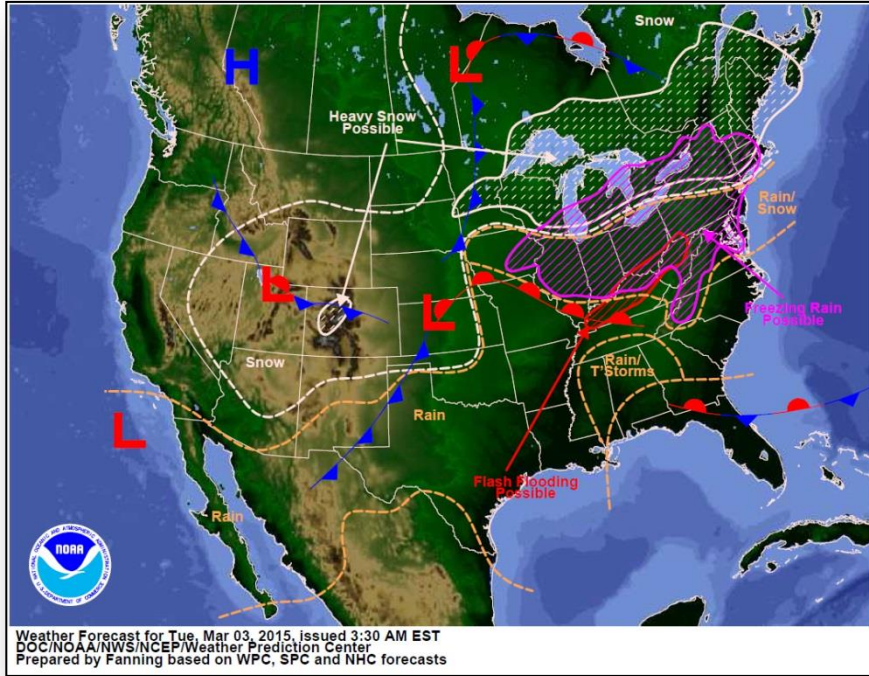
Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
1	Date Requested	0	0
ME – DR Severe Winter Storm, Snowstorm, and Flooding	February 27, 2015		

# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

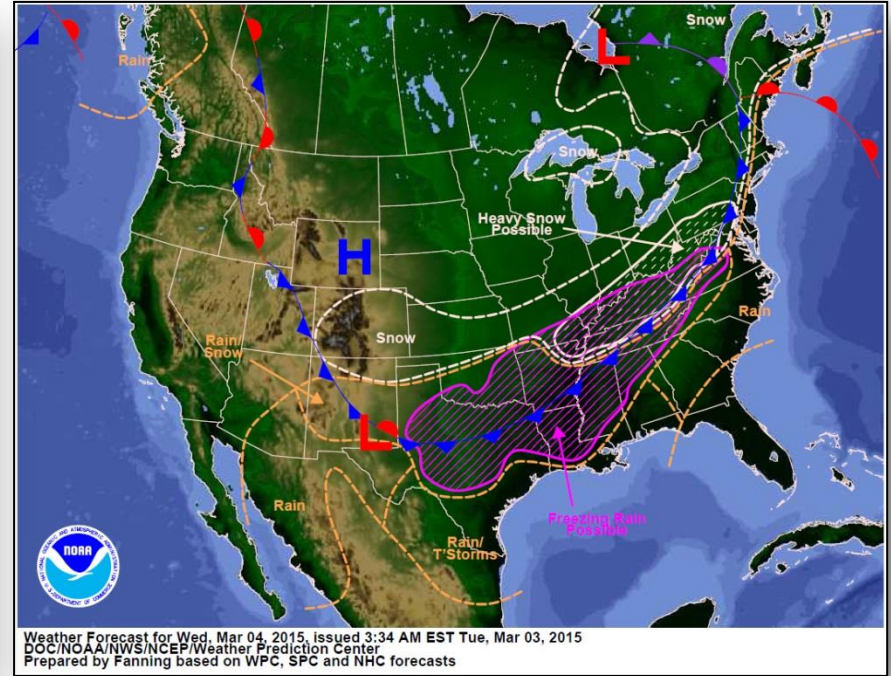


Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
I	RI	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	5	0	02/11 – TBD
I	CT	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	4	0	02/24 – TBD

# National Weather Forecast



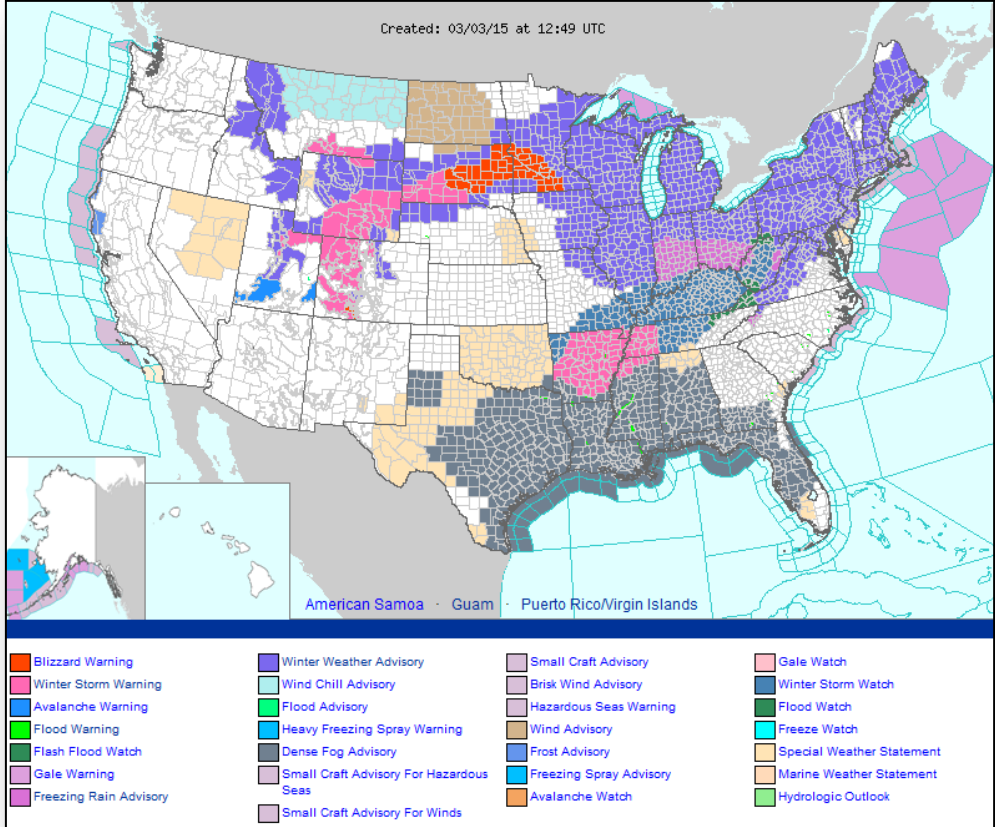
*Today*



*Tomorrow*

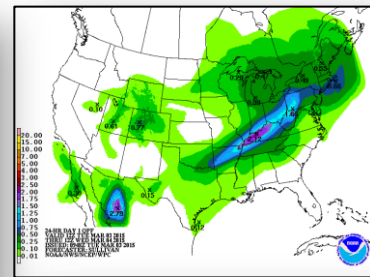
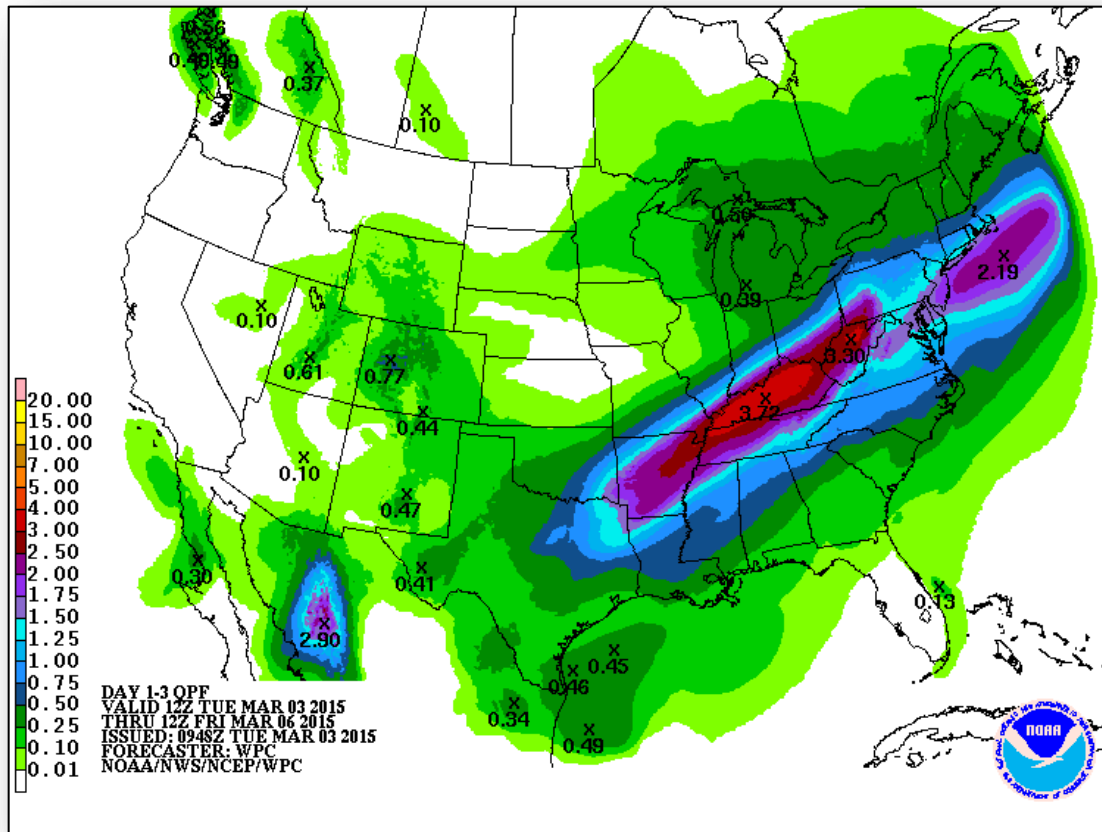


# Active Watches/Warnings

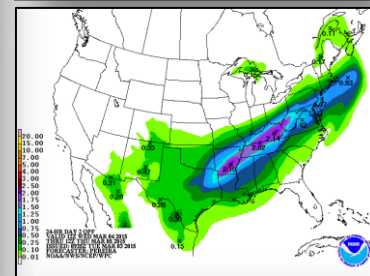




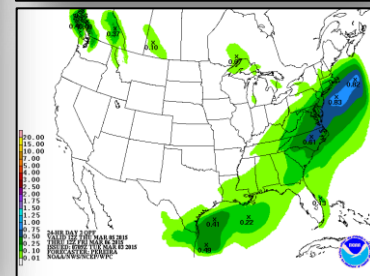
# Precipitation Forecast 1 – 3 Day



Day 1



Day 2

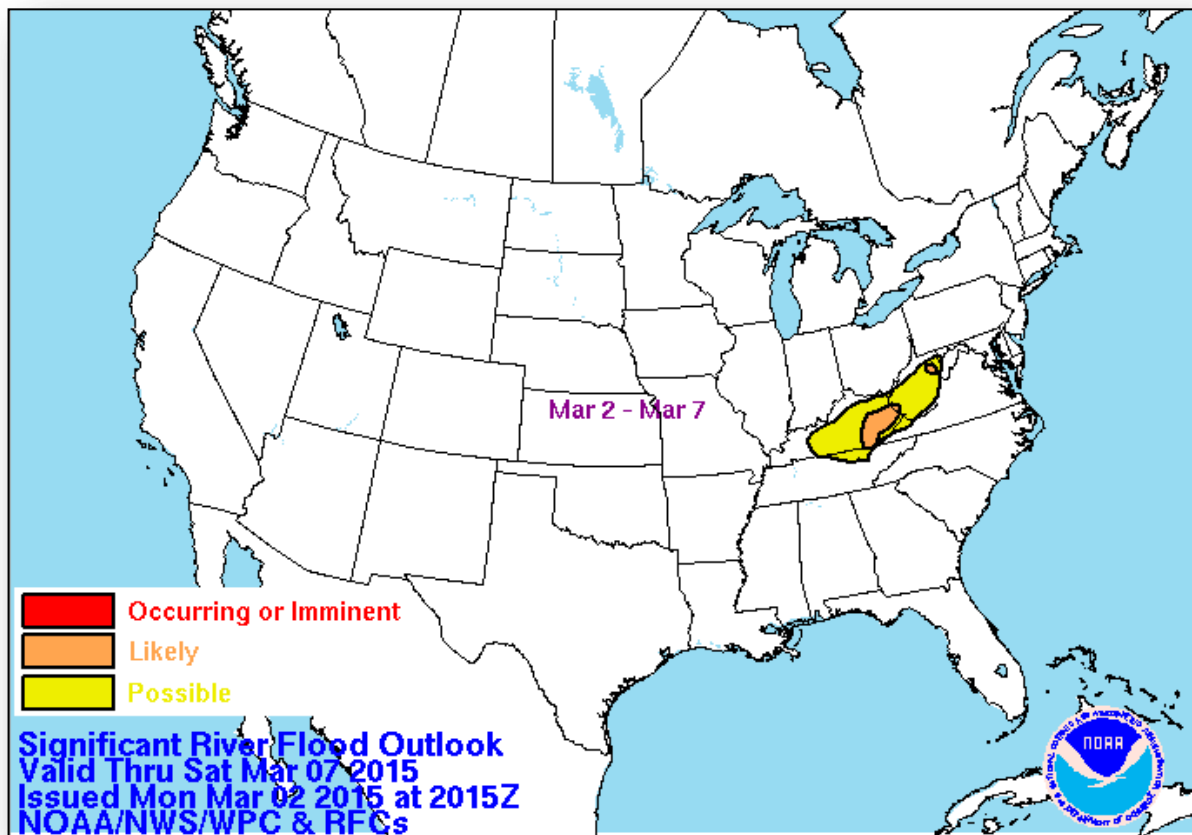


Day 3

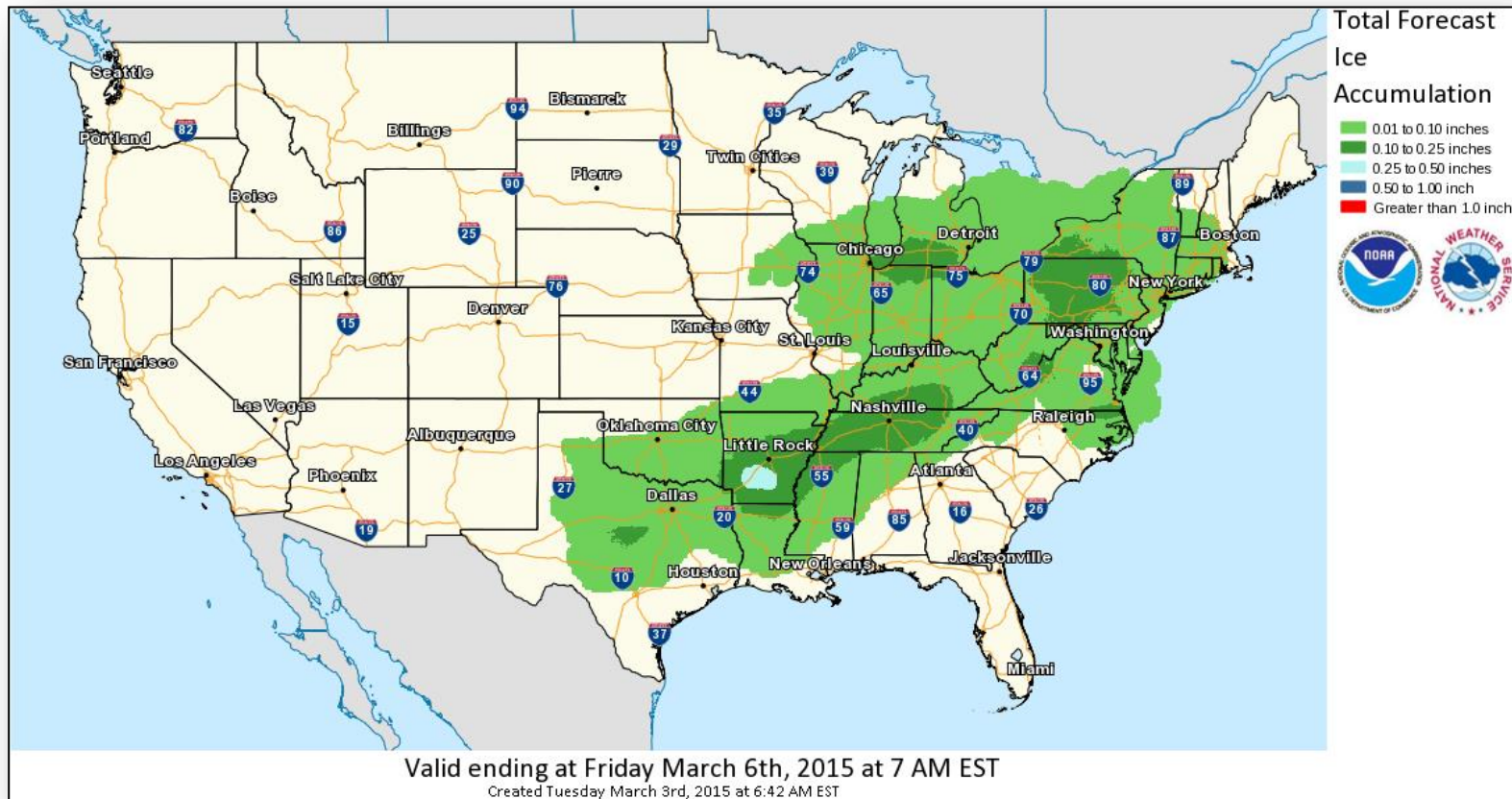
# Significant River Flood Outlook



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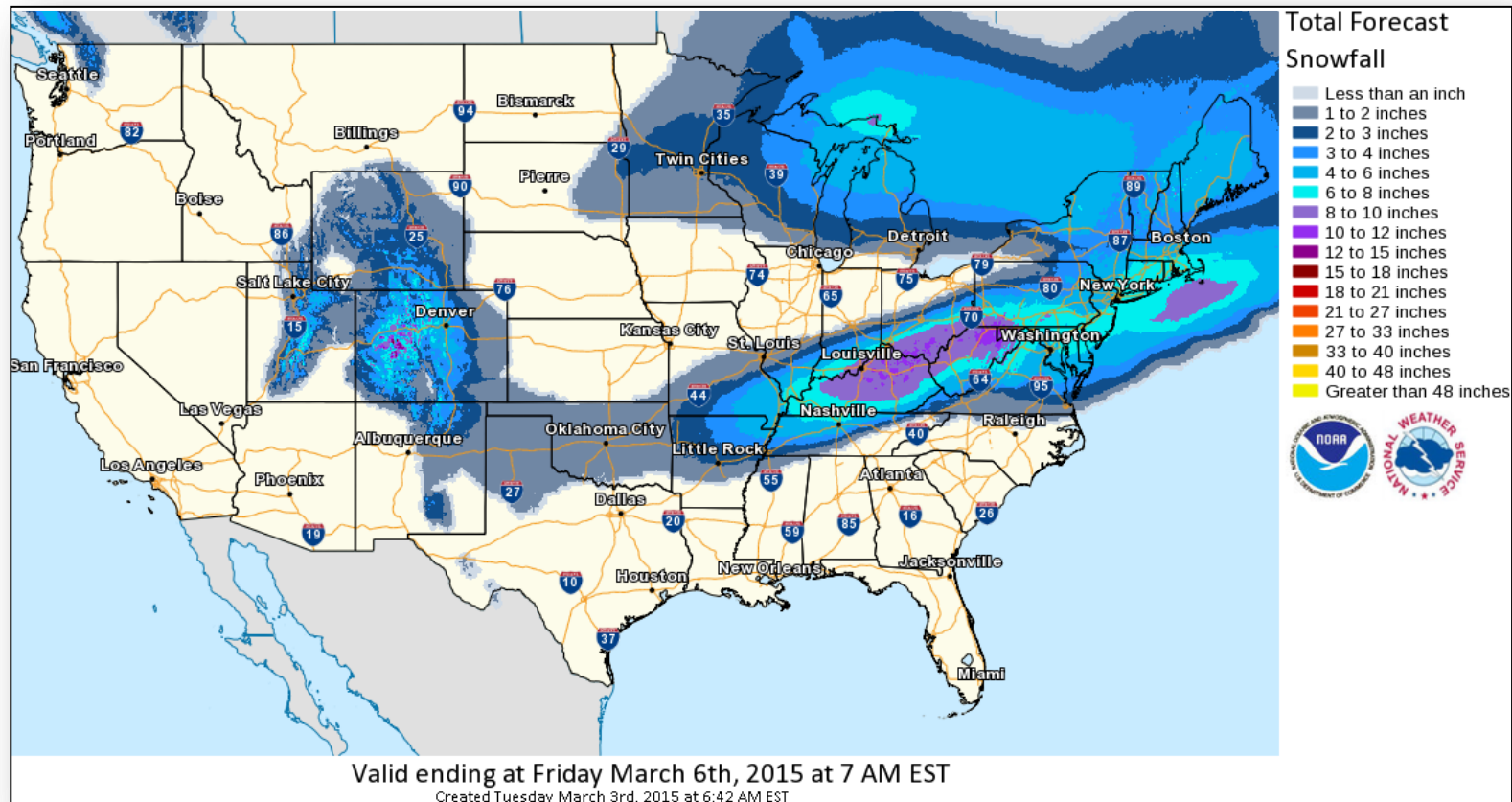
# Total Forecast Ice



# Total Forecast Snowfall



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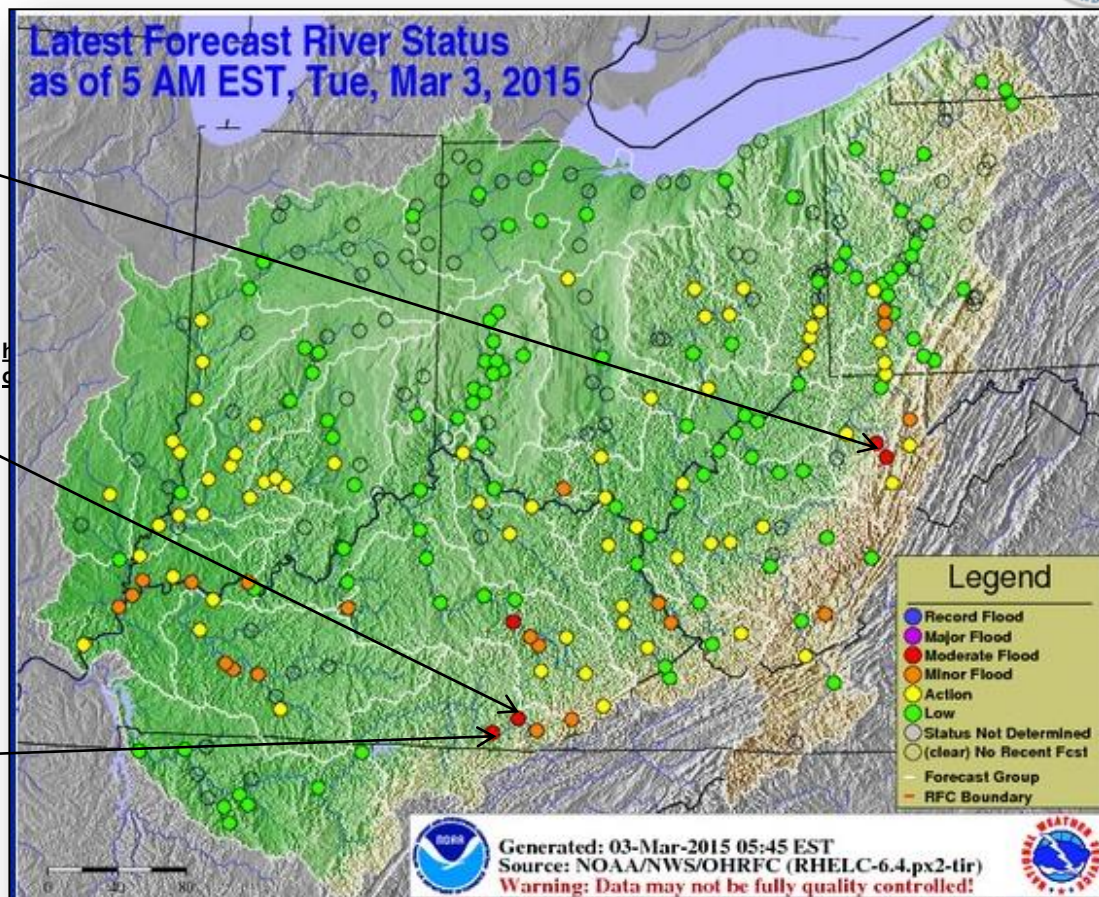
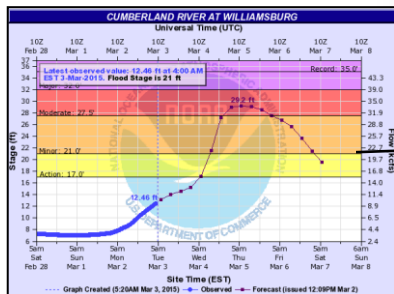
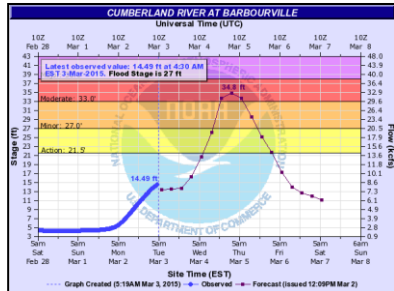
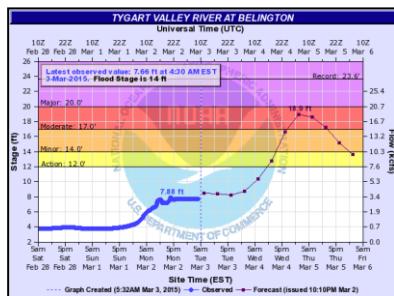




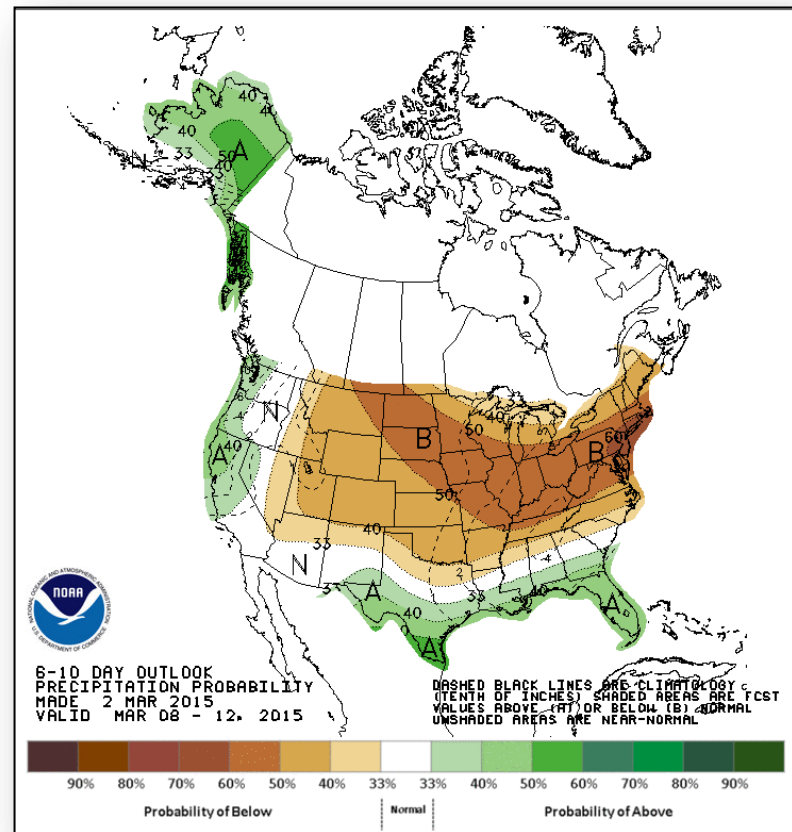
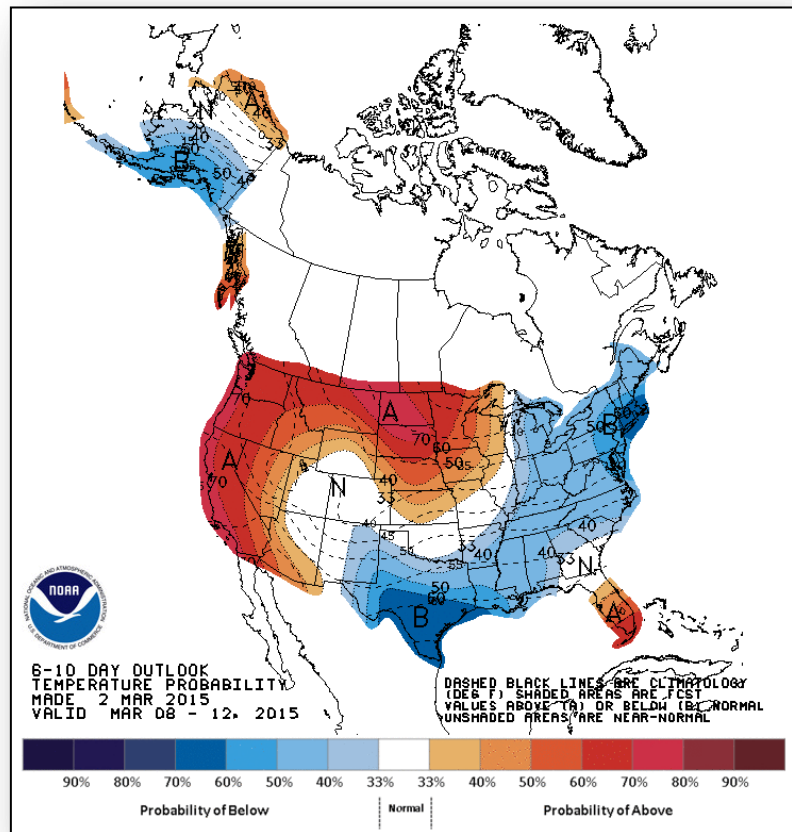
# River Forecast – Ohio RFC



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# CPC 6-10 Day Temp & Precipitation Outlook

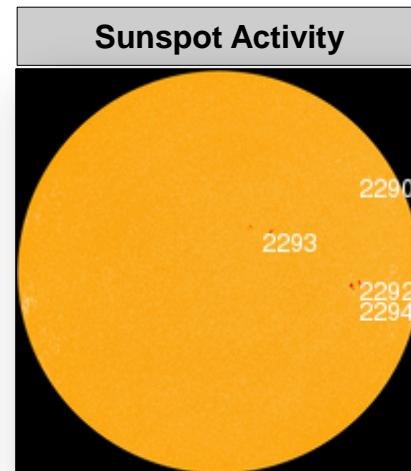
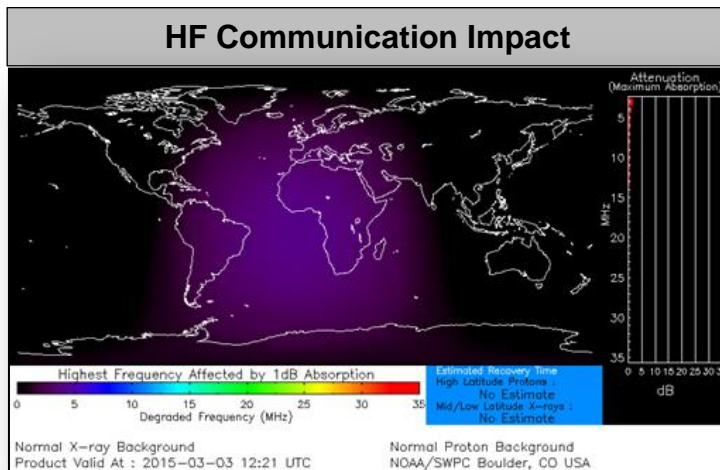


# Space Weather



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NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	Moderate	None	None
• Geomagnetic Storms	G1	None	None
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	R2	None	None



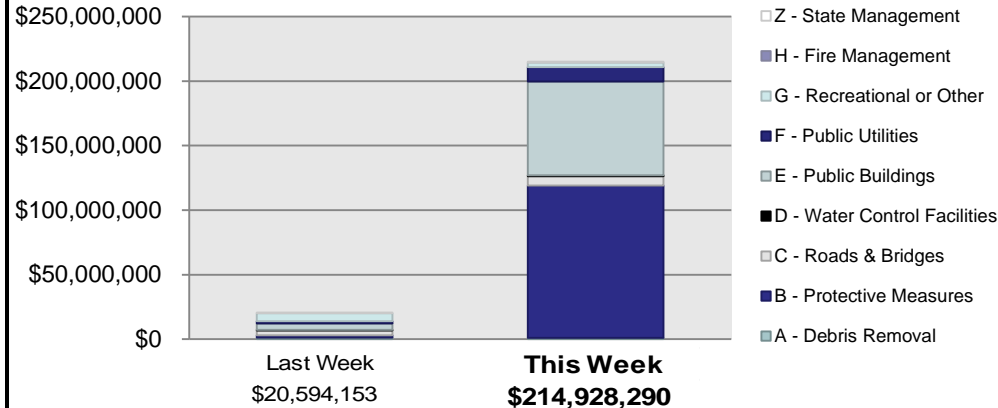


# Public Assistance Grant Program



PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of 3/2/2015 at 1400 EST										
PA Category	Emergency Work		Permanent Work							Total
	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	
Number Of PWS Obligated	21	40	100	12	54	40	26	0	15	308
Federal Share Obligated	\$1,096,086.74	\$117,888,871.39	\$7,151,897.29	\$741,389.67	\$72,769,523.96	\$11,219,477.25	\$3,313,048.48	\$0	\$747,994.84	\$214,928,289.62

**Public Assistance Obligated per Category**  
In the Past 2 Weeks – 2/16/2015 through 3/2/2015



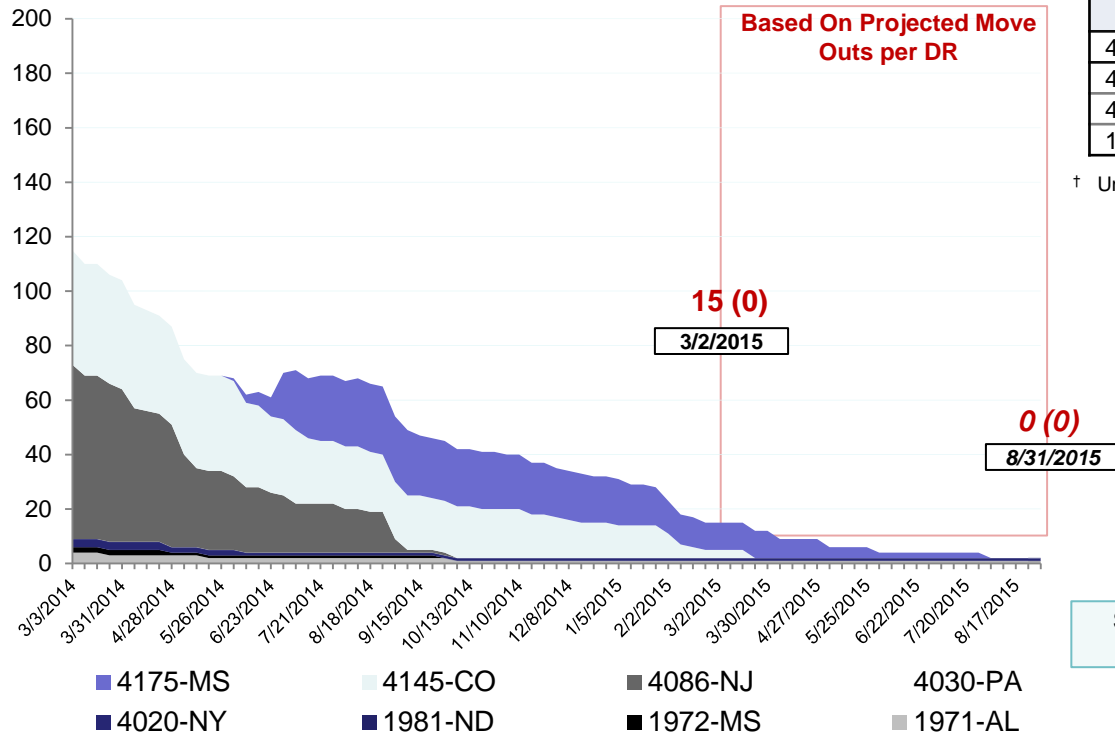
## PA Highlights

- On 2/25 a Category B grant for over \$116 million was obligated to the New York City Department of Environmental Protection for protective measures under the STEP program as a result of DR-4085, Hurricane Sandy.

# Direct Housing

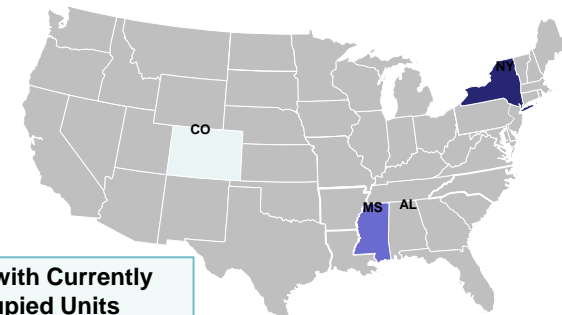


**Total Households in FEMA Direct Housing per State**  
 Past Year per Week, 3/3/2014 – 3/2/2015, Projected to 8/31/2015  
 There are currently **15** Households Occupying **15** Temporary Units



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

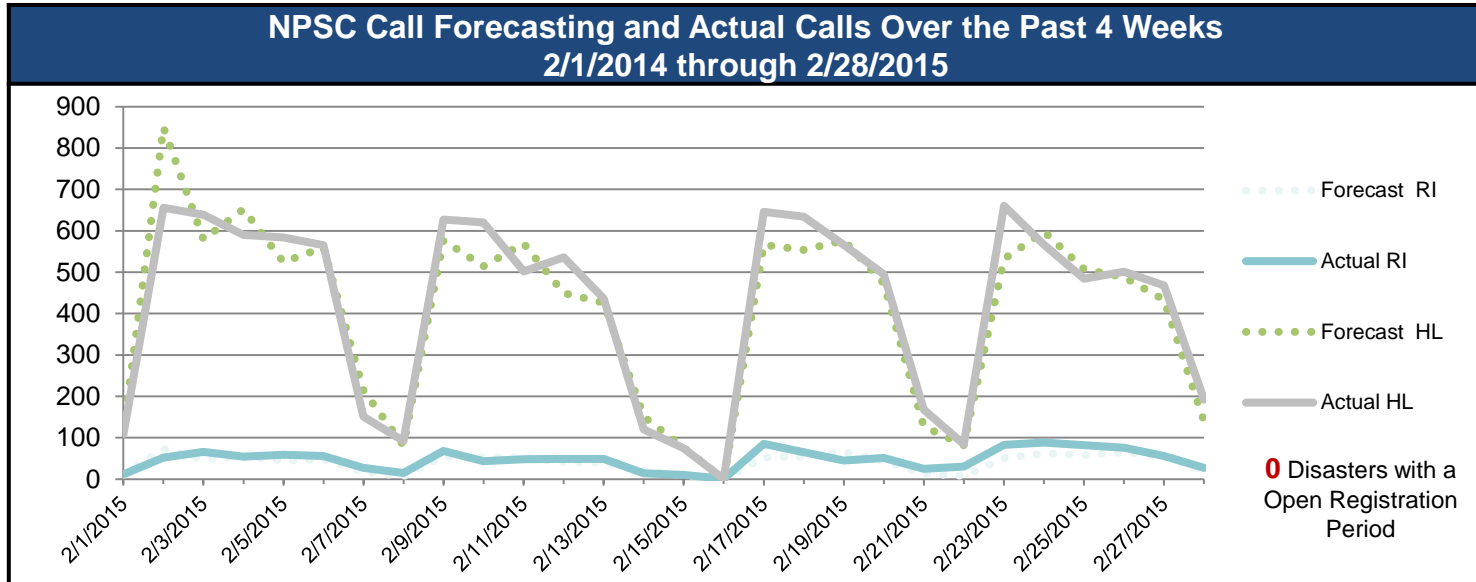
<sup>†</sup> Units are under authority of Department of Justice



# NPSC Activity



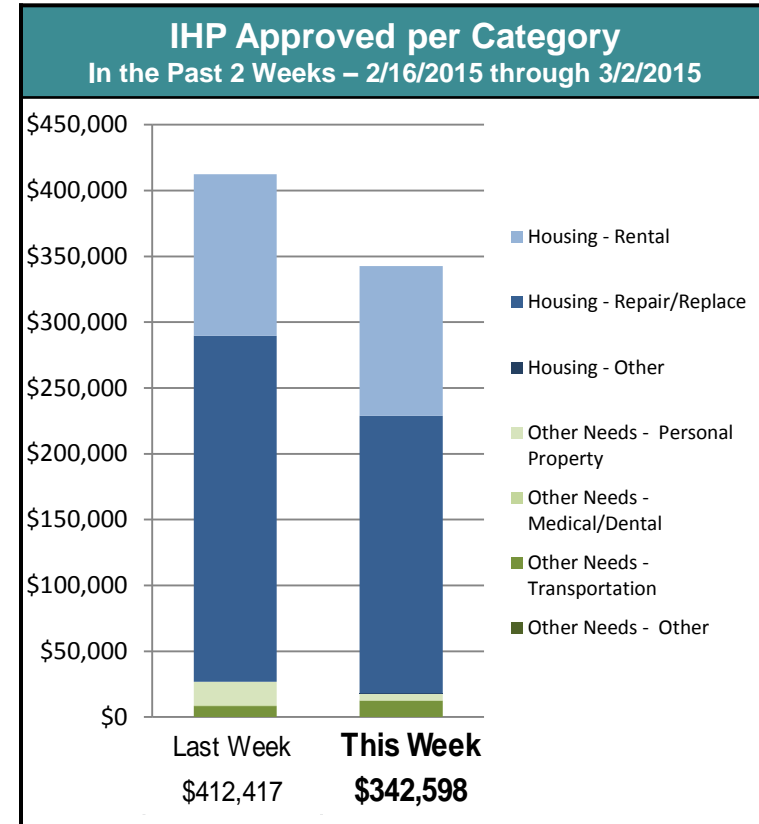
NPSC Call Activity in the Past Week 2/22/2014 through 2/28/2015					
Call Type	Projected Calls	Actual Calls	Average Answer Time	Maximum Answer Time	Minimum Answer Time
Registration Intake	319	442	:12	:20	:06
Helpline	2,779	2,955	:12	:29	:06
All Calls	3,098	3,397	:12	:28	:13



# Individual Assistance Activity



Individuals and Households Program Activity as of March 2, 2015 at 0000 EST			
		In Past 7 Days	
		Applicants Approved	Amount Approved
IHP Active	9 Declarations IHP Programmatically Open – Closed Registration *		
	Housing Assistance	107	\$324,718
	Other Needs Assistance	13	\$17,881
	<b>Total IHP</b>		<b>\$342,598</b>



# FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets									
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		37	22	60%	0	1	14		OFDC Readiness: FCO   Green   Yellow   Red Type 1   3+   2   1 Type 2   4+   3   2 Type 3   4   3   2 FDRC   3   2   1
FDRC		10	10	100%	0	0	0		
US&R		28	27	96%	0	1	0	NM-TF1 (Red – Personnel shortages)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Green = Available/FMC</li><li>• Yellow = Available/PMC</li><li>• Red = Out-of-Service</li><li>• Blue = Assigned/Deployed</li></ul>
National IMAT		3	1	33%	0	0	2	IMAT East 1 – Deployed to FEMA HQ IMAT East 2 – Deployed to GA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Green: 3 avail</li><li>• Yellow: 1-2 avail</li><li>• Red: 0 avail (<i>Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.</i>)</li></ul>
Regional IMAT		13	9	77%	1	3	0	<u>Not Mission Capable (NMC):</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Regions IV-3, VI-1 &amp; IX-1</li></ul> <u>Partially Mission Capable (PMC):</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Region VIII (EMI; Training Assessment)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Green: 7 or more avail</li><li>• Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available</li><li>• Red: &gt; 8 teams deployed/unavailable</li></ul> <i>R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable and has no qualified replacement</i>
MCOV		60	58	97%	0	2	0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Green = 80 – 100% avail</li><li>• Yellow = 60 – 79% avail</li><li>• Red = 59% or below avail</li><li>• Readiness remains 95%</li></ul>

# 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)	<div>• Green = FMC</div> <div>• Yellow = PMC</div> <div>• Red = NMC</div>
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		
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	Not Activated		



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