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## Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, April 12, 2018

8:30 a.m. EDT

# Significant Activity – April 11-12



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**Significant Events:** Monitoring Severe Weather – Middle and Lower Mississippi Valley

**Tropical Activity:**

- Western Pacific – No activity affecting U.S. interests

**Significant Weather:**

- Elevated/Critical/Extreme Fire Weather/Red Flag Warnings – Southwest, Central Great Basin, Southern/Central Rockies, Southern/Central Plains, & spanning from the Ohio Valley to the Mid-Atlantic
- Heavy Snow – Northern Intermountain, Northern/Central Rockies, & Northern Plains
- Freezing Rain – CA, Northern Rockies, Northern Plains, & Great Lakes
- Space Weather:
  - Past 24 hours: None
  - Next 24 hours: None

**Earthquake Activity:** No significant activity

**Declaration Activity:** None

# NWC Monitoring – Severe Weather



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**Situation:** Strong to severe storms centered over a zone extending from Missouri southward across the ArkLaTex region. The greatest threat expected during the afternoon and evening hours tomorrow; the primary threat is expected to transition to damaging winds through the overnight hours.

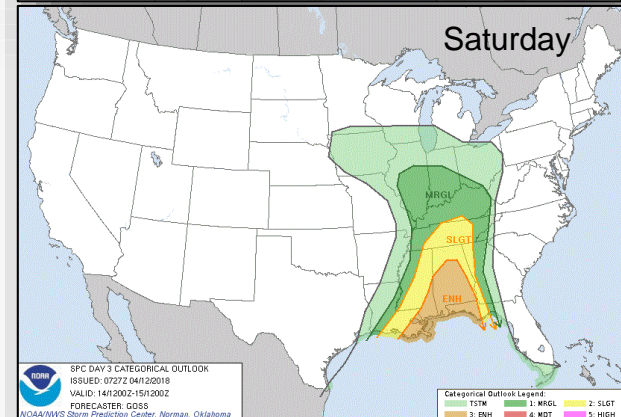
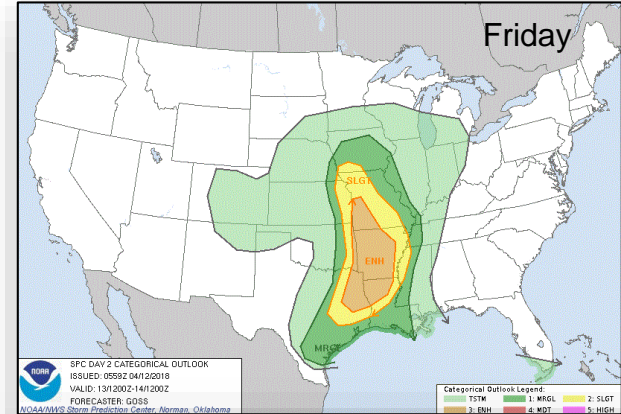
## **Potential Impacts:**

- Primary threat is large hail and damaging winds
- Potential for a few tornadoes

**State Posture:** No state EOCs are activated for this event

## **FEMA Posture:**

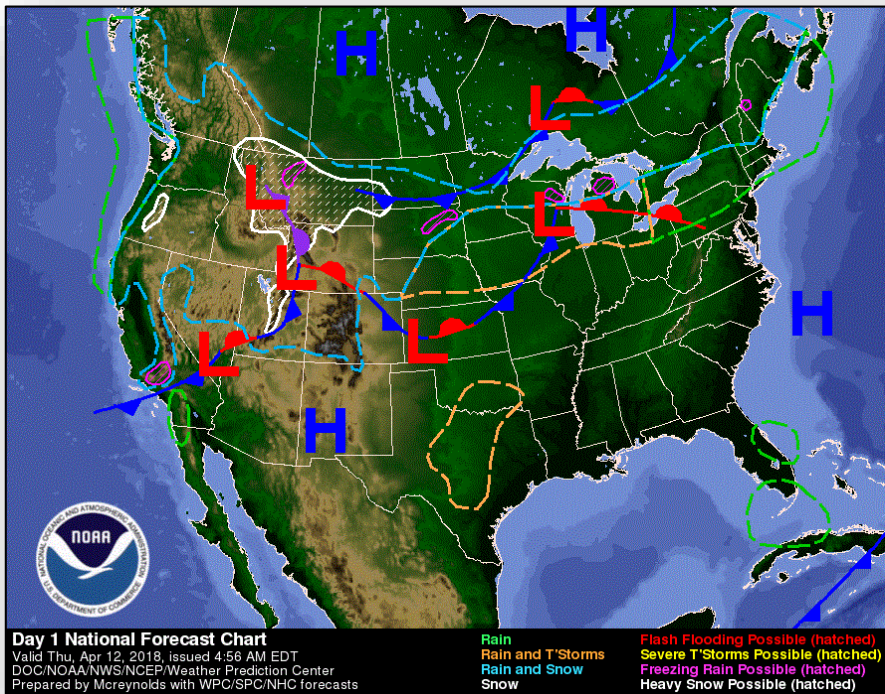
- FEMA NWC has coordinated with the Storm Prediction Center, FEMA Response Plans, and potentially impacted Regions
- FEMA National and Regional Watches will monitor the situation as it develops and report as warranted
- No requests for FEMA assistance



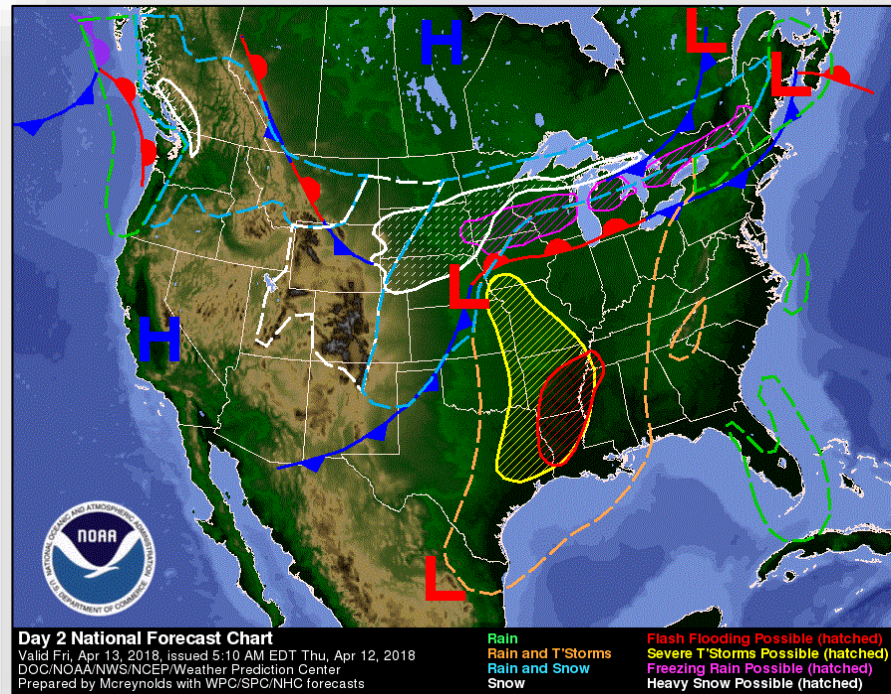
# National Weather Forecast



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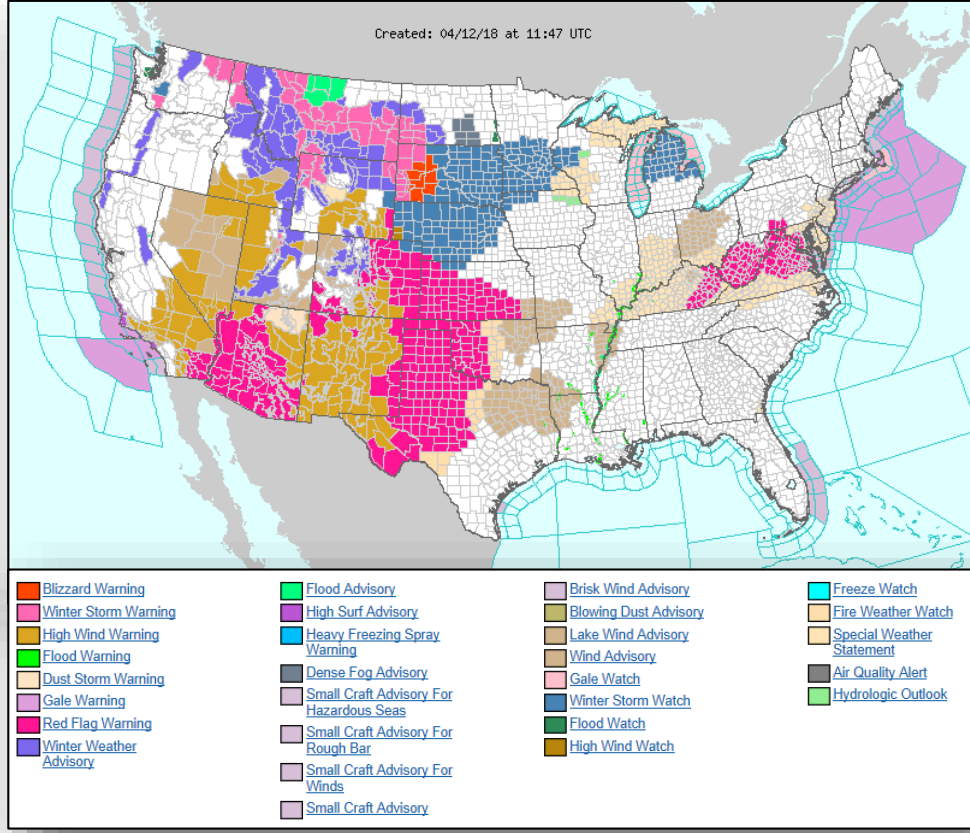


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# Active Watches and Warnings



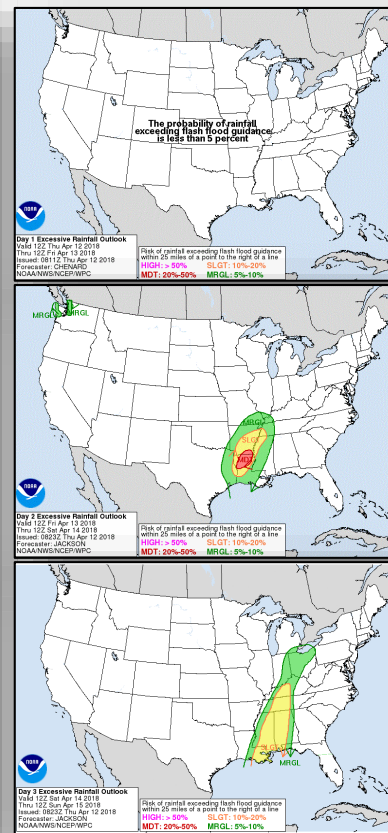
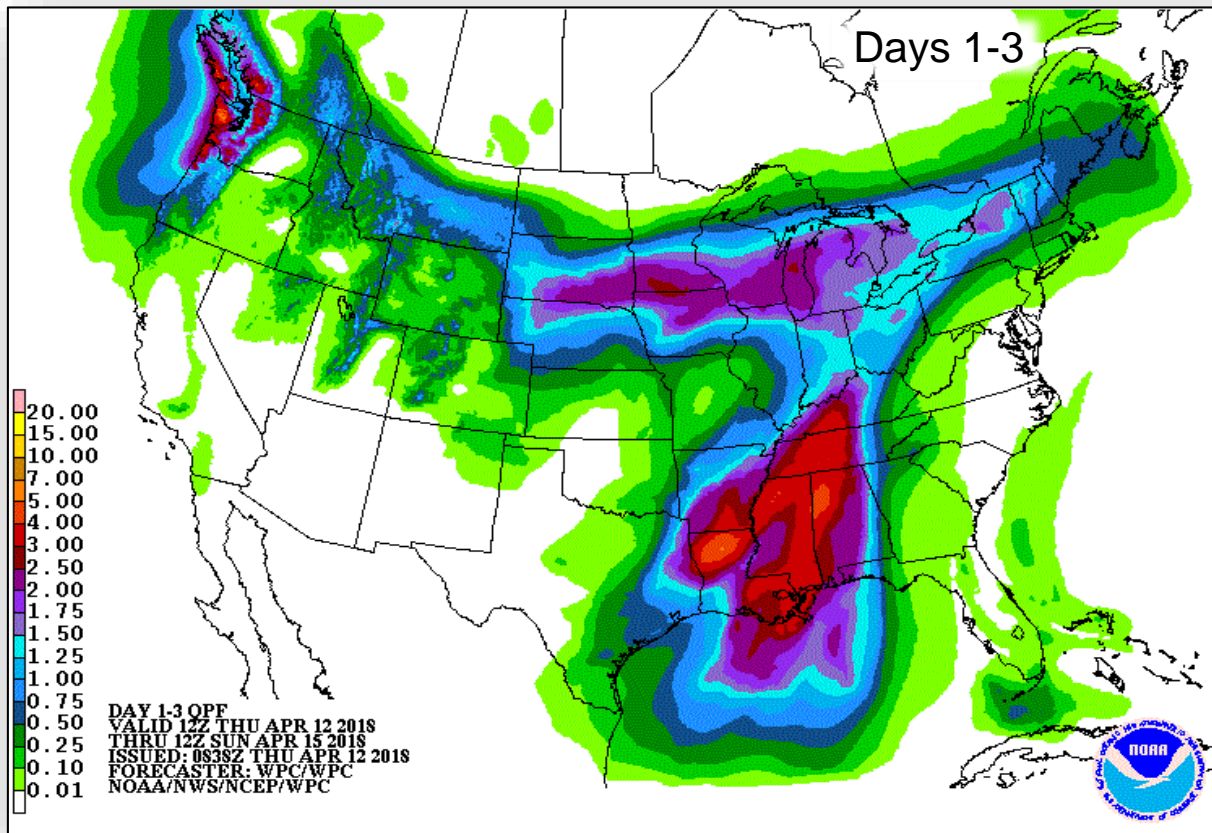
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# Precipitation Forecast



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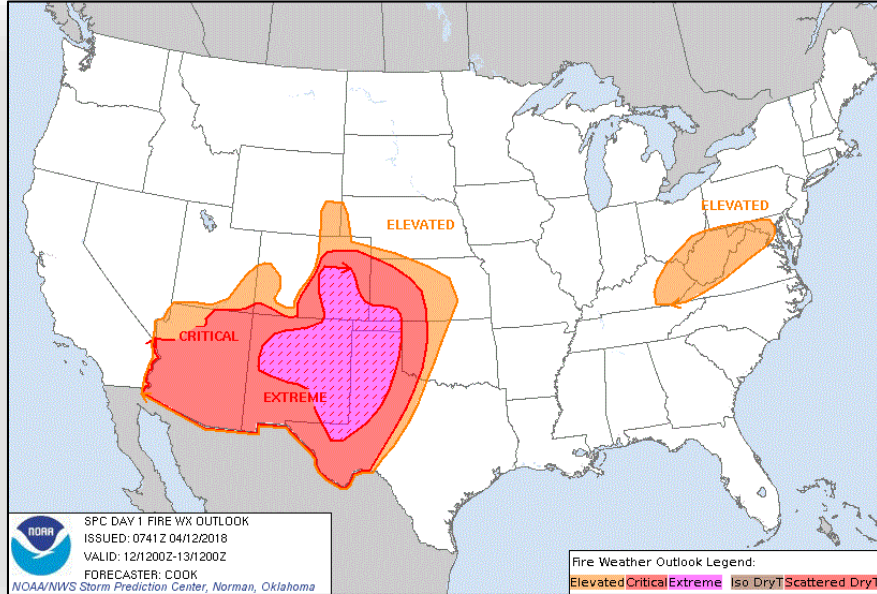
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Day 3

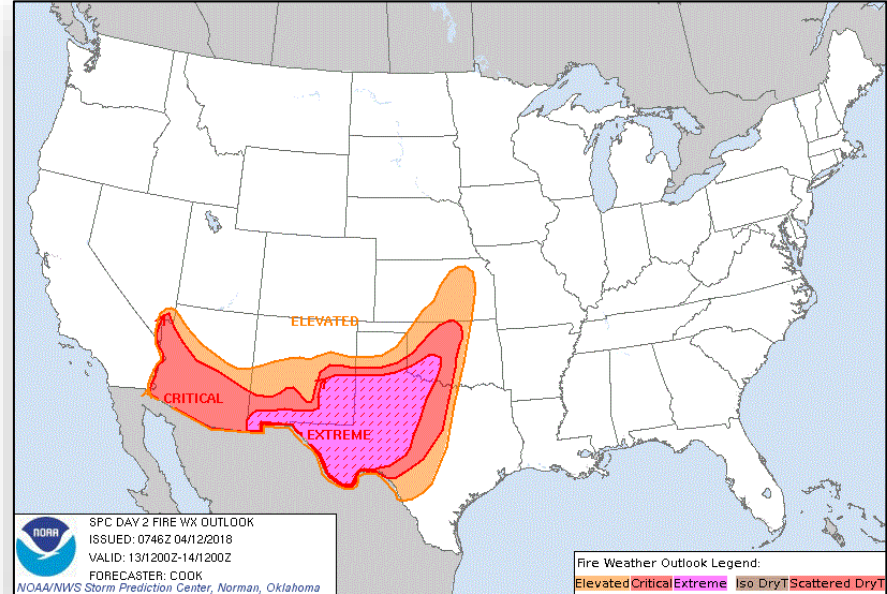
# Fire Weather Outlook



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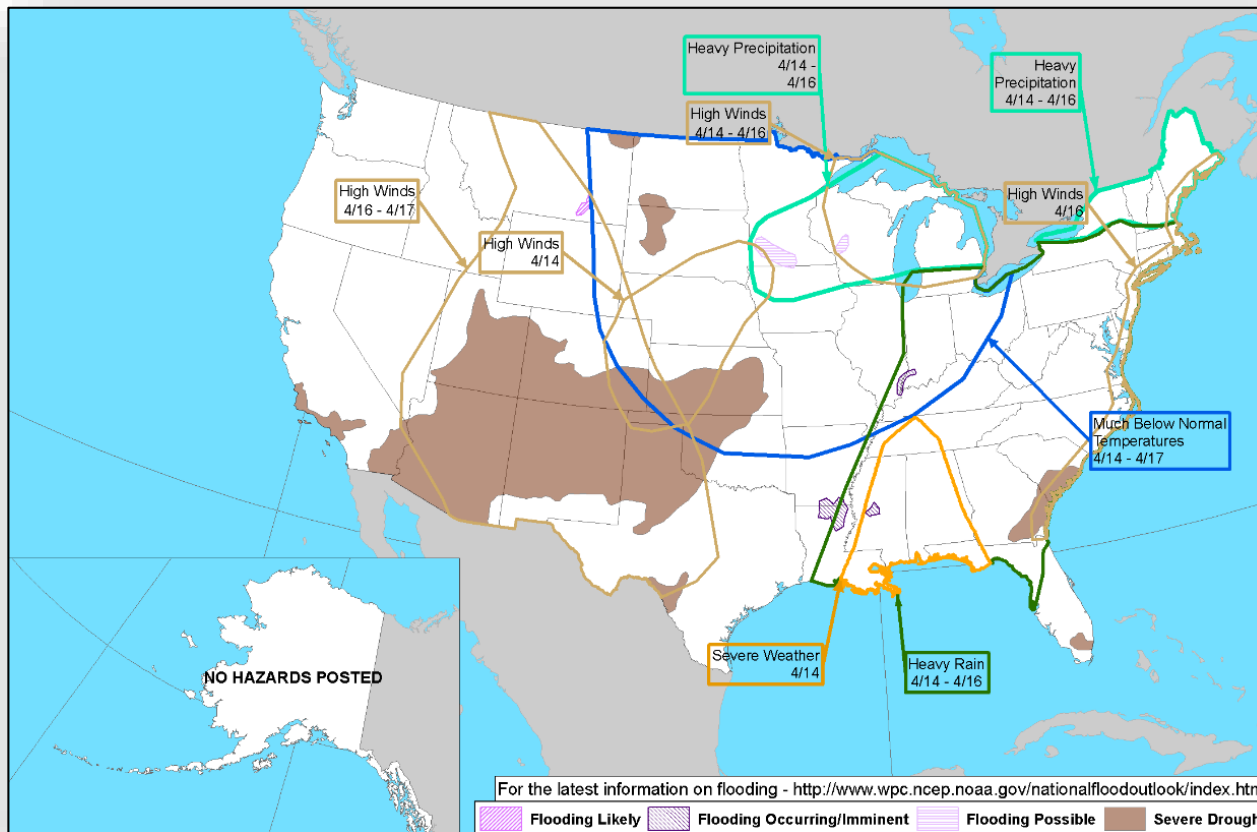
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# Hazards Outlook – Apr 14-18



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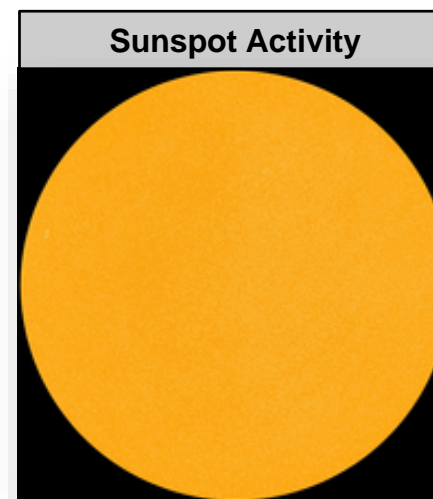
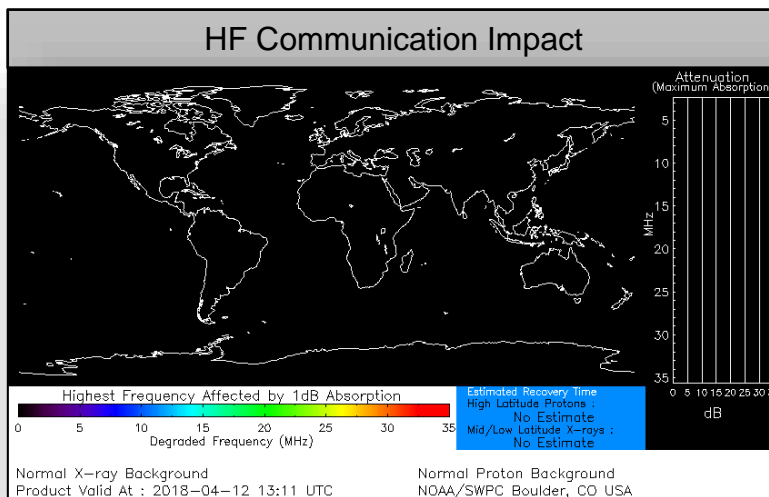
# Space Weather



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	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



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA / PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
I	MA	Nor'easter/Severe Storm March 2-4, 2018	IA	7	7	3/12 – 3/20
			PA	9	7 (+3)	3/15 – TBD
	NH	Snow March 13-14, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	3	0	3/29 – TBD
II	NJ	Winter Storm March 7, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	9	0	4/23 – TBD
IX	CA	Rain and Storms March 20-23, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	4	0	4/10 – TBD

# Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
8	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	0	0
AK – DR Severe Storm		X	X	January 25, 2018		
MT – (Appeal) Wildfires		X	X	January 26, 2018		
KY – DR Severe Storm, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides		X	X	March 8, 2018		
WV – DR Severe Storm, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides		X	X	March 16, 2018		
OH – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Flooding, and Landslides		X	X	March 26, 2018		
ME – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	March 30, 2018		
NH – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	April 5, 2018		
KY – DR Severe Storms , Flooding, Mudslides, and Tornadoes	X	X	X	April 9, 2018		

# Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



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Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability	
<b>Total Workforce</b>	11,916 ▼	3,785 ▼ 32%	4,700 ▲	3,431	ADR 10% (5/50); DI 21% (18/85); EHP 7% (23/352); FL 22% (29/133) HM 23% (222/990); IT 23% (143/613) LOG 25% (303/1,228); NDRS 17% (44/257); PA 13% (245/1,911); SAF 14% (8/58); SEC 5% (5/104)	
<b>National IMATs*</b> (3 Teams)	East 1: East 2: West:	<b>B-48</b> <b>Charlie</b> <b>B-2</b>				
<b>Regional IMATs</b> (≥6 Teams)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	13 6 2 5				
<b>US&amp;R</b> (≥66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	28 28 0 0				
<b>MERS</b> (≥66%)	Assigned: Available: NMC: Deployed:	36 34 0 2				
<b>FCO</b> (≥3 Type I)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	35 9 7 19				
<b>FDRC</b> (≥3)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	14 3 1 10				

\* **B-2 Status:** Assemble ≤ 2-hrs, On Site ≤ 18-hrs; **B-48 Status:** Assemble and deploy ≤ 48hrs; **Charlie Status:** No team assemble time requirement

# FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



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Resource	Status	Total	Status	Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments
NWC		5	Steady State				
NRCC		2	Available				
HLT		1	Available				
RWCs/MOCs		10	Steady State				
RRCCs		10	Available				

Backup Regions: V, IV, and VII



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