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When disaster mitigation is cost effective, we are on the road to bringing disasters to an end.



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Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, April 23, 2015

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity: April 22-23



Significant Events: None

Significant Weather:

- Severe Thunderstorms Southern Plains & Lower Mississippi Valley
- Snow Great Lakes
- Rain/Snow Parts of California, Northern Intermountain/Central Great Basin/Rockies & Central Appalachians/Northeast
- Rain & Thunderstorms California to Southeast
- Red Flag Warnings NM
- Elevated/Critical Fire Weather AZ, NM OK & TX
- Space Weather Space Weather Space weather storms were observed to be minor for the past 24 hours.
 Radio blackouts reaching the R1 level occurred; no space weather storms are predicted for the next 24 hours

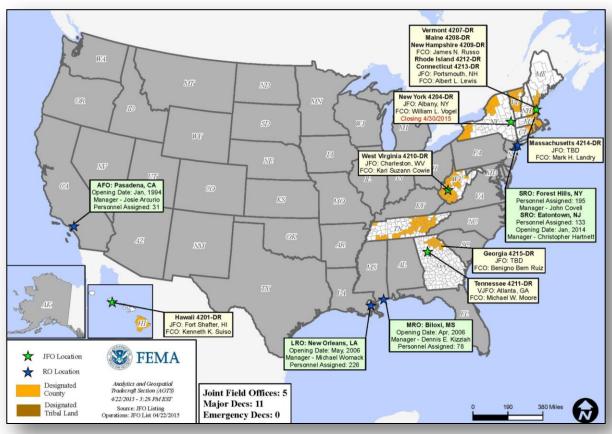
Tropical Activity: None

Declaration Activity: None

FEMA Readiness: No activity

Open Field Offices as of April 23





Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
2	Date Requested	0	0
KY – DR Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	April 17, 2015		
FSM - Typhoon Maysak *This request was made pursuant to the Compact of Free Association	April 17, 2015		

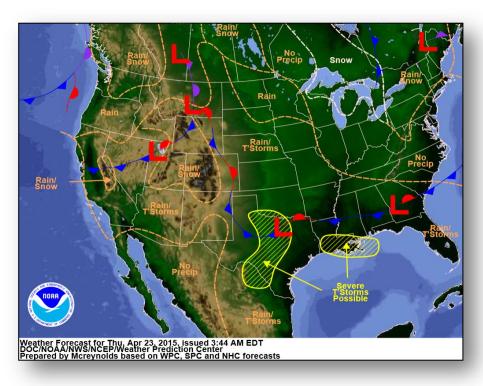
Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

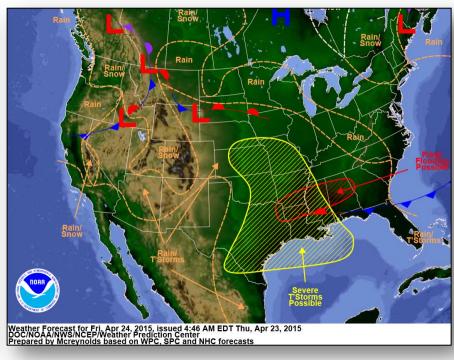


Region	State /	Front	IA/PA	Number of	Start Fred	
	Location	Event		Requested	Complete	Start – End
III	WV	Rain & Flooding April 8, 2015	PA	10	0	4/21–TBD
III	WV	FEMA-4210-DR-WV		6	0	4/23-TBD
III WV	Rain & Flooding	IA	6	0	4/23-TBD	
	VVV	April 3-5, 2015	PA	6	6	4/13–4/16
IV KY	I/V	Severe Storms & Flooding	IA	10	10	4/13–4/17
	r\ f	April 2-3, 2015	PA	19	19	4/21–TBD 4/23–TBD 4/23–TBD 4/13–4/16

National Weather Forecast



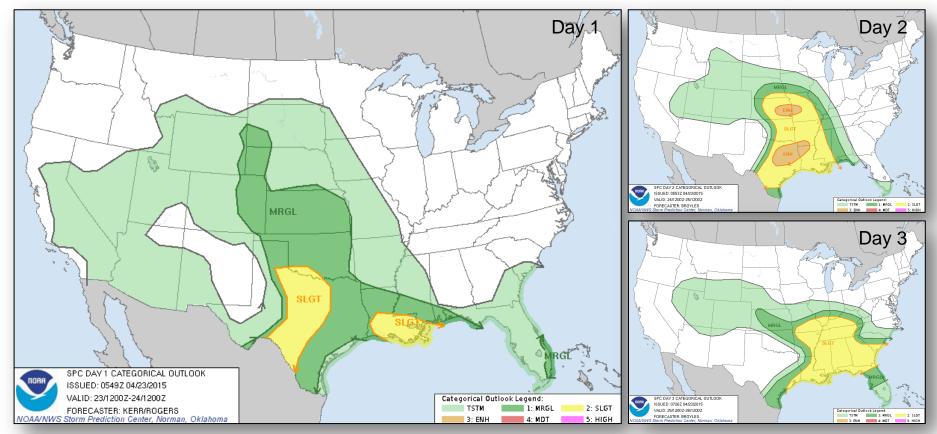




Today Tomorrow

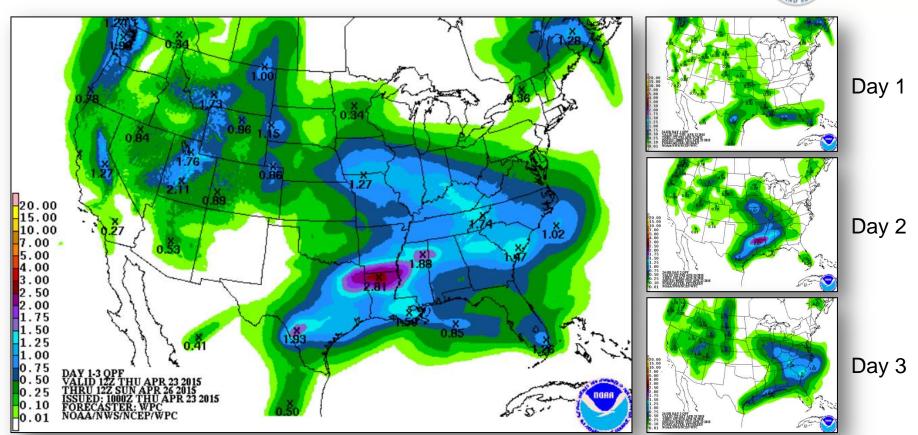
Convective Outlook, Days 1-3





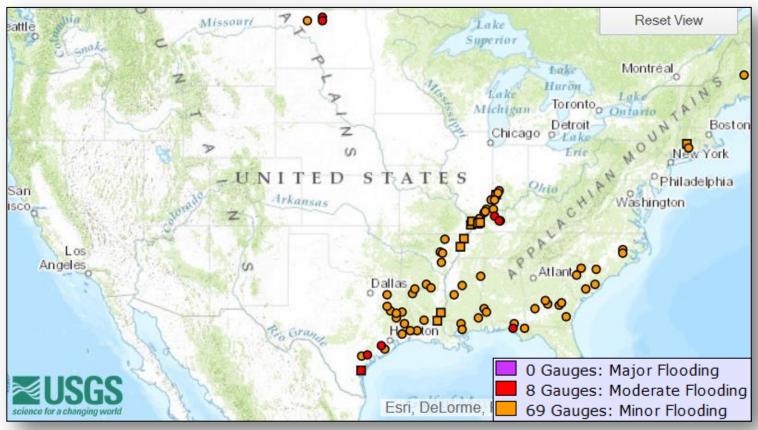
Precipitation Forecast, 1-3 Day





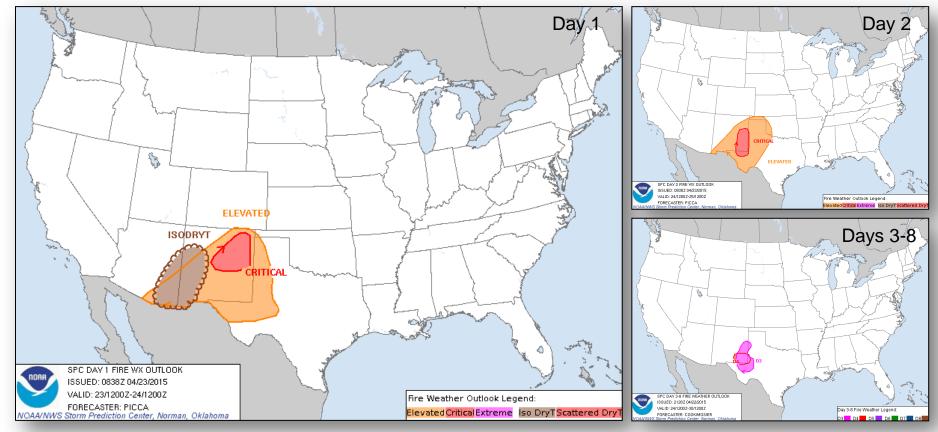
River Forecast





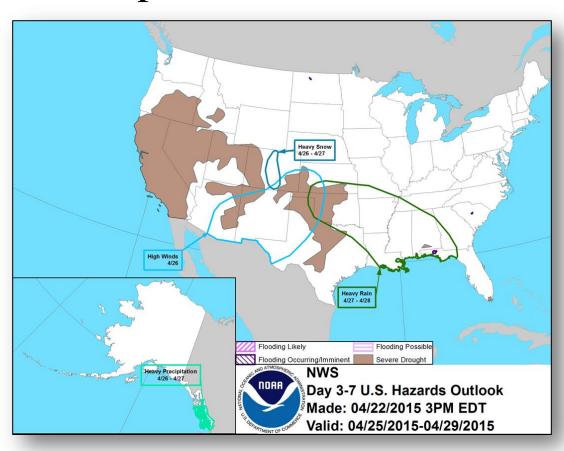
Fire Weather Outlook, Days 1-8





Hazard Outlook, Apr 25-29

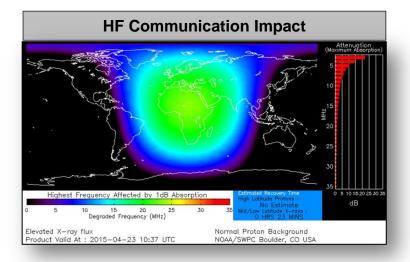


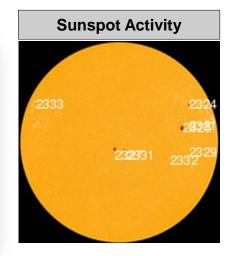


Space Weather



None	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	Minor	None	None
Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	None
Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
Radio Blackouts	R1	None	None





Post JFO COP Brief – FEMA-4200P-MO W FEMA



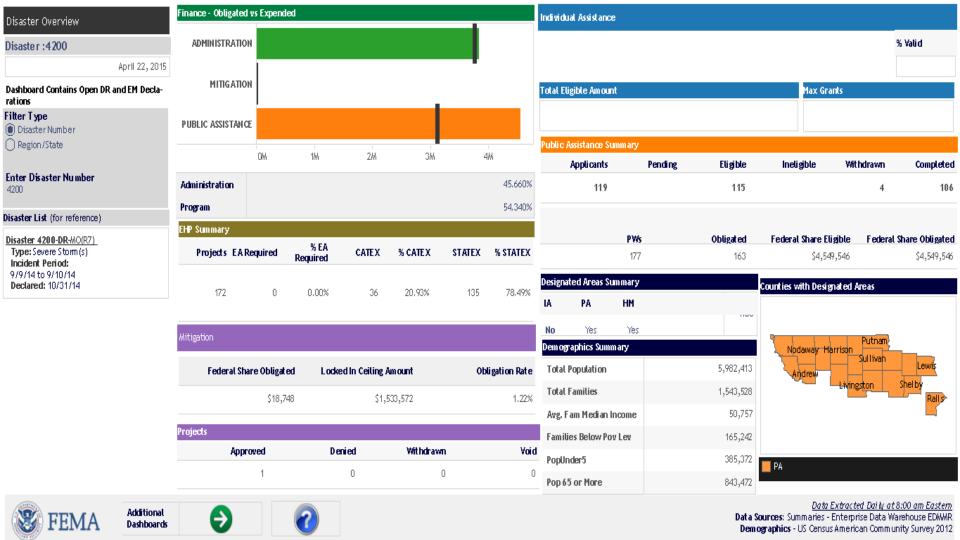
Virtual JFO

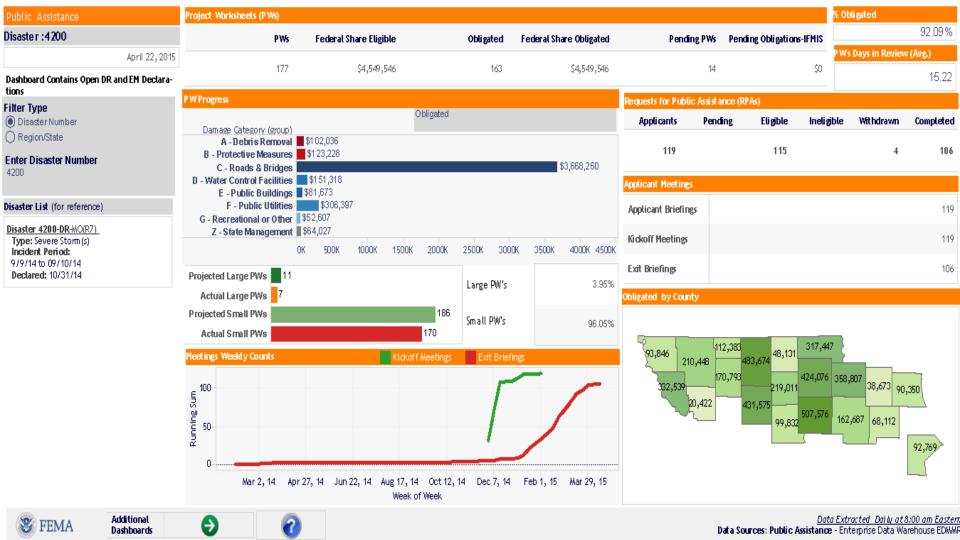
Days Open: 161 Closed: April 10, 2015

FEMA-4200-DR-MO

- Major Disaster Declaration was declared on October 31, 2014 for State of Missouri
- For severe storms, tornadoes, straight-line winds and flooding that occurred September 9-10, 2014
- Declaration provided:
 - Public Assistance for 20 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is Laura S. Hevesi









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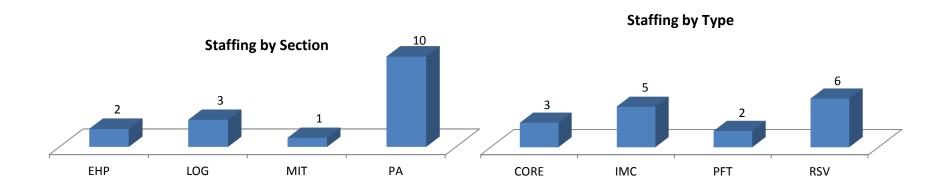
FEMA-4200P-MO

Declared: 10/31/2014 Incident Period: 09/09/2014 to 09/10/2014

04/23/15 (Day 13)

STAFFING OVERVIEW

Total Staff: 16



Post JFO COP Brief

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04/23/15 (Day 13)

BEST PRACTICES / LESSONS LEARNED

Public Assistance

- Centralized Regional QA/QC
 - 63.64% reviews completed within 3 days
 - On average project review did not exceed 10 days
 - Innovative methods of data sharing enhanced consistency and continuity of project reviews
 - More uniform eligibility outcomes across Regional disasters

Command Staff

Virtual Telework ADR/ERO

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	17	46%	0	1	19		OFDC Readiness: <u>FCO Green Yellow Red</u> Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2	
FDRC		9	9	100%	0	0	0		Type 2 4+ 3 2 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	2	66%	0	0	1	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	Region III – Deployed to WV Not Mission Capable (NMC) Regions IV-3, VI-3 & IX-1	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 & has no qualified replacement	
MCOV		60	56	93%	0	4	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	Not Activated		• 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	Not Activated				



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