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# **FEMA**

# **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Sunday, April 24, 2016** 

8:30 a.m. EDT

## Significant Activity: April 23-24



Significant Events: Tropical Cyclone Amos (20P) - FINAL

#### Significant Weather:

- Rain Pacific Northwest; FL Gulf coast
- Rain and snow Pacific Northwest to Northern/Central Plains and Central Great Basin; Upper MI
- Rain and thunderstorms Northern to Southern Plains, Upper/Middle Mississippi valleys and Great Lakes
- Severe thunderstorms Central/Southern Plains and Upper/Middle Mississippi Valley
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather Areas NM and TX
- Red Flag Warnings NM, TX, NH, and ME
- Space weather Minor, G1 geomagnetic storms observed past 24 hours; none predicted next 24 hours

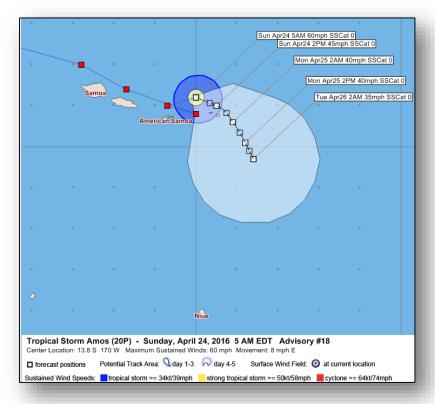
#### **Tropical Activity:**

Southern Pacific: Tropical Cyclone Amos (20P)

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

**Declaration Activity:** None

# Southern Pacific-Tropical Cyclone Amos-FINA FEMA



#### **Tropical Cyclone Amos (20P)** (Advisory #18 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- Located 55 miles NE of Pago Pago; center has passed American Samoa
- Moving E at 8 mph; motion ESE will continue next 24-48 hours before dissipating
- Maximum sustained winds 60 mph; tropical storm strength
- Expected to rapidly weaken next day or two
- No tropical watches or warnings in effect
- Flash Flood Watch remains in effect through Sunday night

#### **Impacts:**

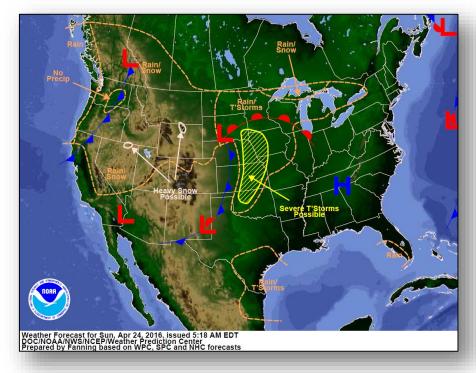
No significant impacts reported

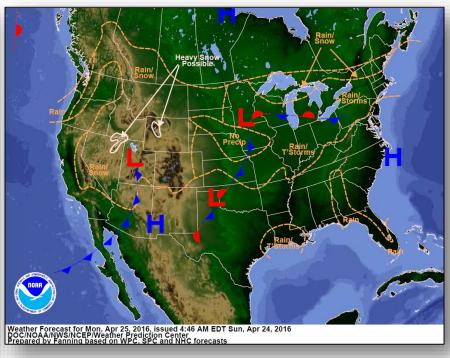
#### Response:

- American Samoa EOC returning to Normal Operations
- FEMA personnel on American Samoa pending demobilization:
  - FEMA Logistics ISB Team
  - Bothell MERS
  - Region IX IMAT-1 with ESFs 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9,12 & 15, USCG, DoD, DCO/DCE
  - 2 US&R Blue IST personnel
- Region IX RWC returned to Watch Steady/State (24/7)
- Region IX RRCC activation cancelled
- FEMA NWC returned to Watch Steady/State (24/7)
- FEMA NRCC activation cancelled

#### National Weather Forecast



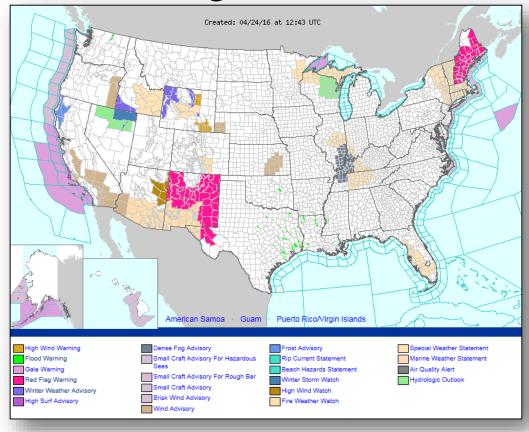




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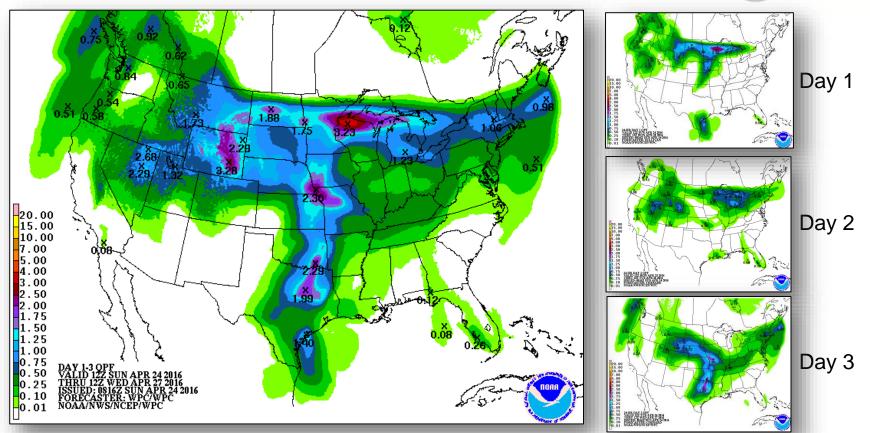
### Active Watches/Warnings





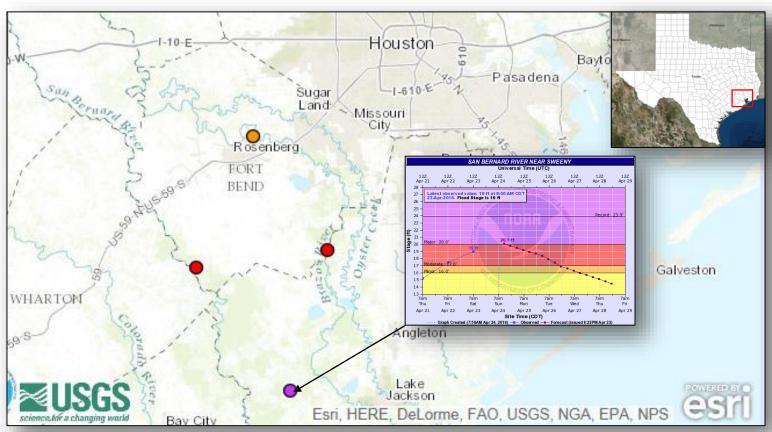
# Precipitation Forecast, 1-3 Day





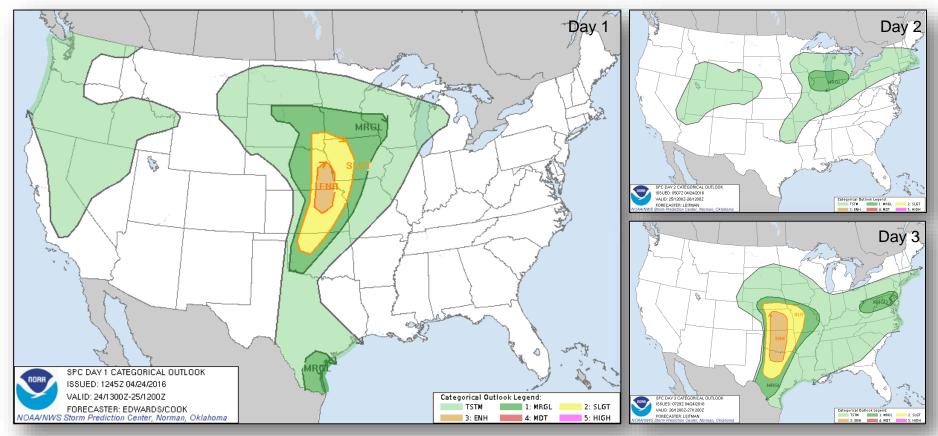
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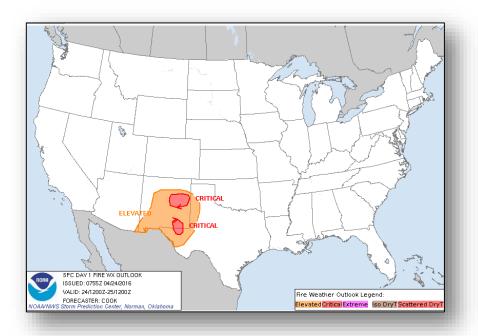
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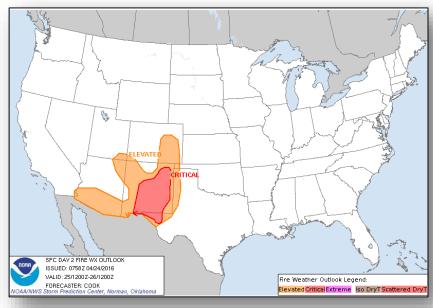




#### Fire Weather Outlook



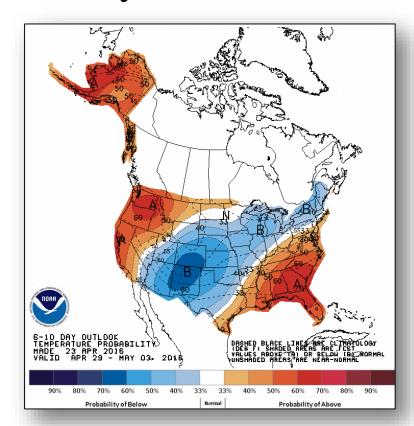


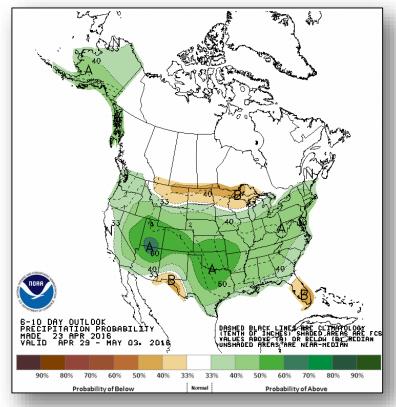


Day 1 Day 2

## 6-10 Day Outlooks







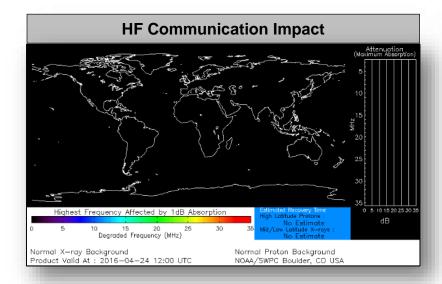
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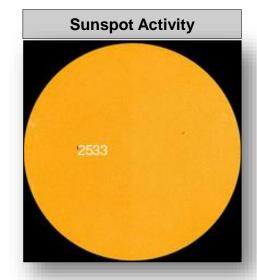
**Precipitation Probability** 

# Space Weather



	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity	Minor	None	None
Geomagnetic Storms	G1	None	None
Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
Radio Blackouts	None	None	None





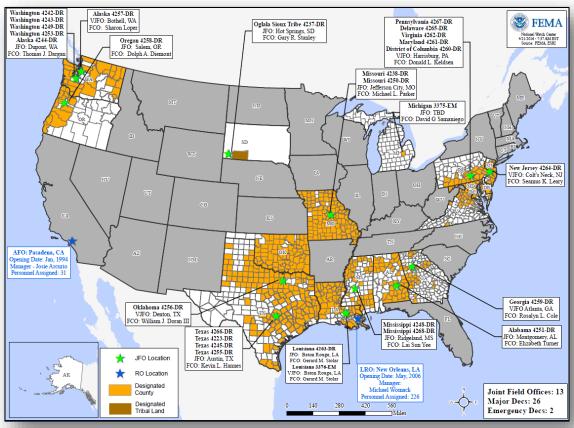
## Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
2	Date Requested	0	1
Republic of the Marshall Islands – Severe Drought *This request was made pursuant to the Compact of Free Association.	April 1, 2016		
IL – DR (Appeal) Severe Storms and Flooding	April 8, 2016		Denied April 22, 2016
NM – DR (Appeal) Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	April 7, 2016		

# Open Field Offices as of April 24, 2016





### FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams/Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets															
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available								Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		33	15	45%	0	1	17		OFDC Readiness:         FCO         Green         Yellow         Red           Type 1         3+         2         1           Type 2         4+         3         2						
FDRC		9	5	56%	0	0	4		Type 3 4 3 2 <u>FDRC</u> 3 2 1						
US&R		27	26	96%	0	1	0	VA-TF1: 4/18 – 5/1 non-mission capable (Exercise) Blue IST personnel (2) deployed to America Samoa with Region IX IMAT for post landfall assessment/evaluation of US&R needs and support	Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed						
National IMAT		3	2	67%	0	0	1	National IMAT West deployed to LA (4263-LA)	Green: 3 available     Yellow: 1-2 available     Red: 0 avail (Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.)						
Regional IMAT		13	5	38%	0	0	8	Deployed: RI to LA (4263-LA) RII to TX (4266-TX) RIII to PA (4260-DC; 4261-MD; 4262-VA; 4265-DE; 4267-PA) RV to MI (3375-MI) RVI Team 1 to TX (4266-TX); Team 2 to LA (4263-LA) RVIII to LA (4263-LA) RIX Team 1 to American Samoa RIV Team 2 returned home from MS	Green: >6 teams available Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available Red: < 4 teams available R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement						
MERS Teams		18	16	88%	0	0	2	Deployed: Denton: 1 team to LA Bothell: 1 team to American Samoa	Green = >66% available     Yellow = 33% to 66% available     Red = <33% available						

### FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



National/Regional Teams													
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		_		[ntal		otal	Not Available	Status	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Not Activated	Returned to Watch Steady/State (24/7)	• Green = FMC				
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated	Activation cancelled	• 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	Region IX activation cancelled					
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated	Region IX returned to Watch Steady/State (24/7)					



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