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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

Friday, April 27, 2018

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – April 26-27



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Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity: Western Pacific: no activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Elevated fire weather – IA, MN & NE
- Isolated dry thunderstorms – AZ & NM
- Space Weather – Past 24 hours: none; next 24 hours: none

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

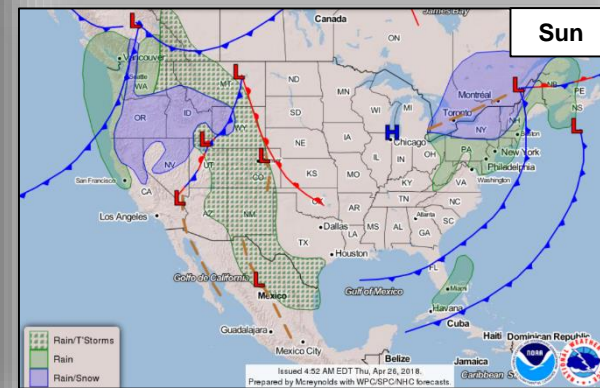
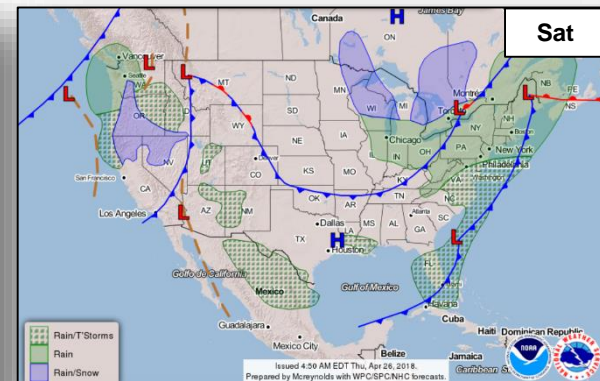
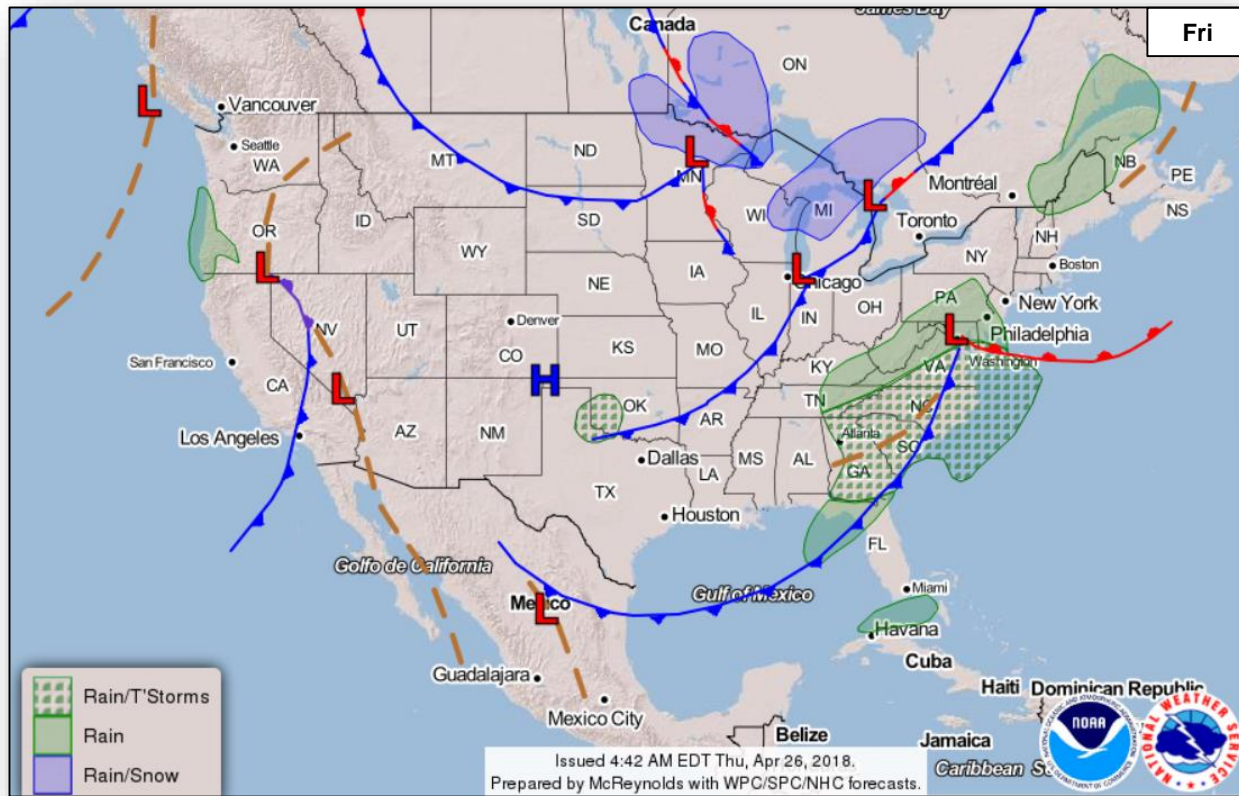
Declaration Activity:

- Major Disaster Declaration approved – Kentucky & Alabama
- Major Disaster Declaration request – North Carolina

National Weather Forecast



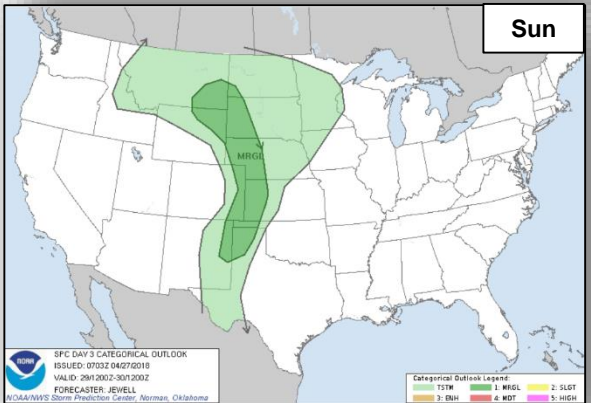
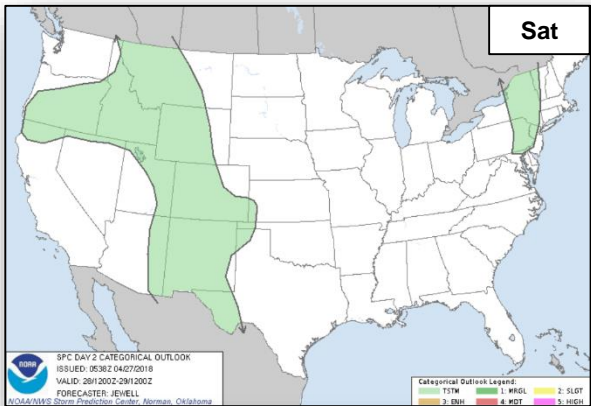
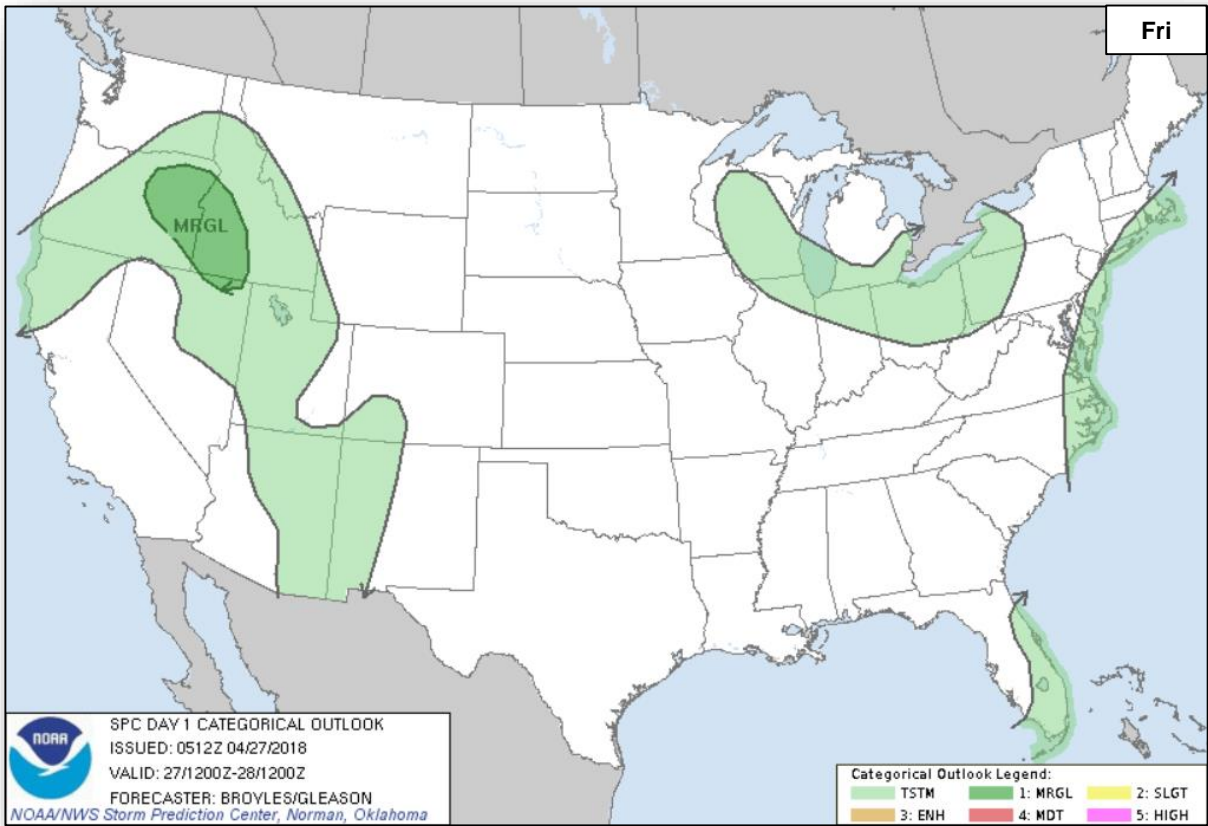
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Severe Weather Outlook



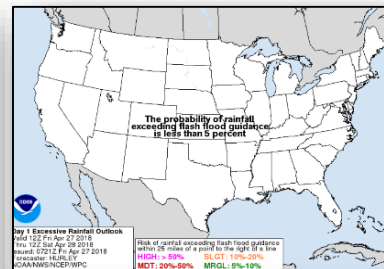
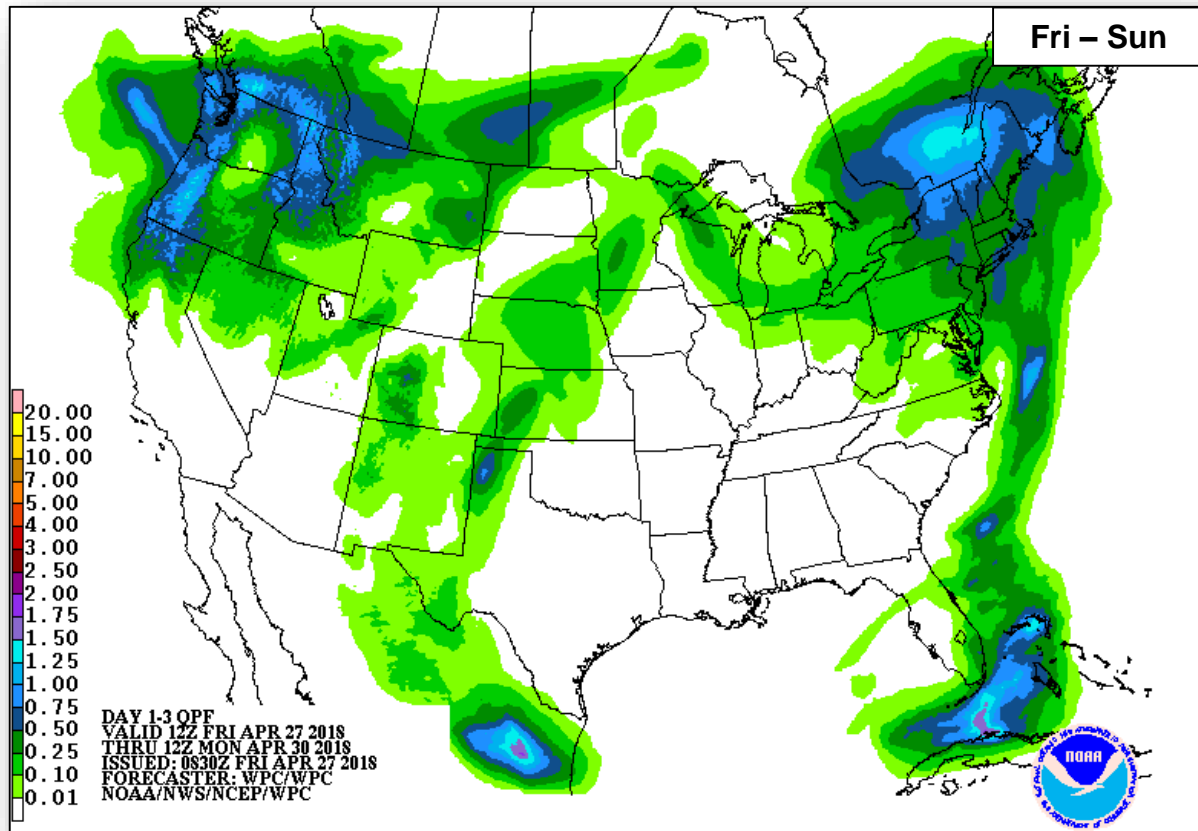
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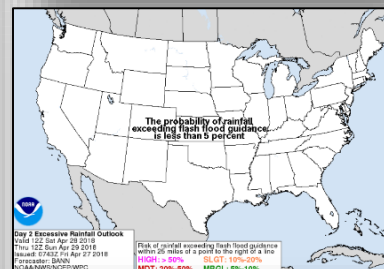
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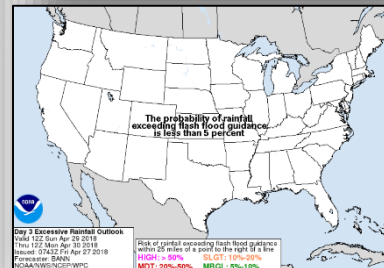
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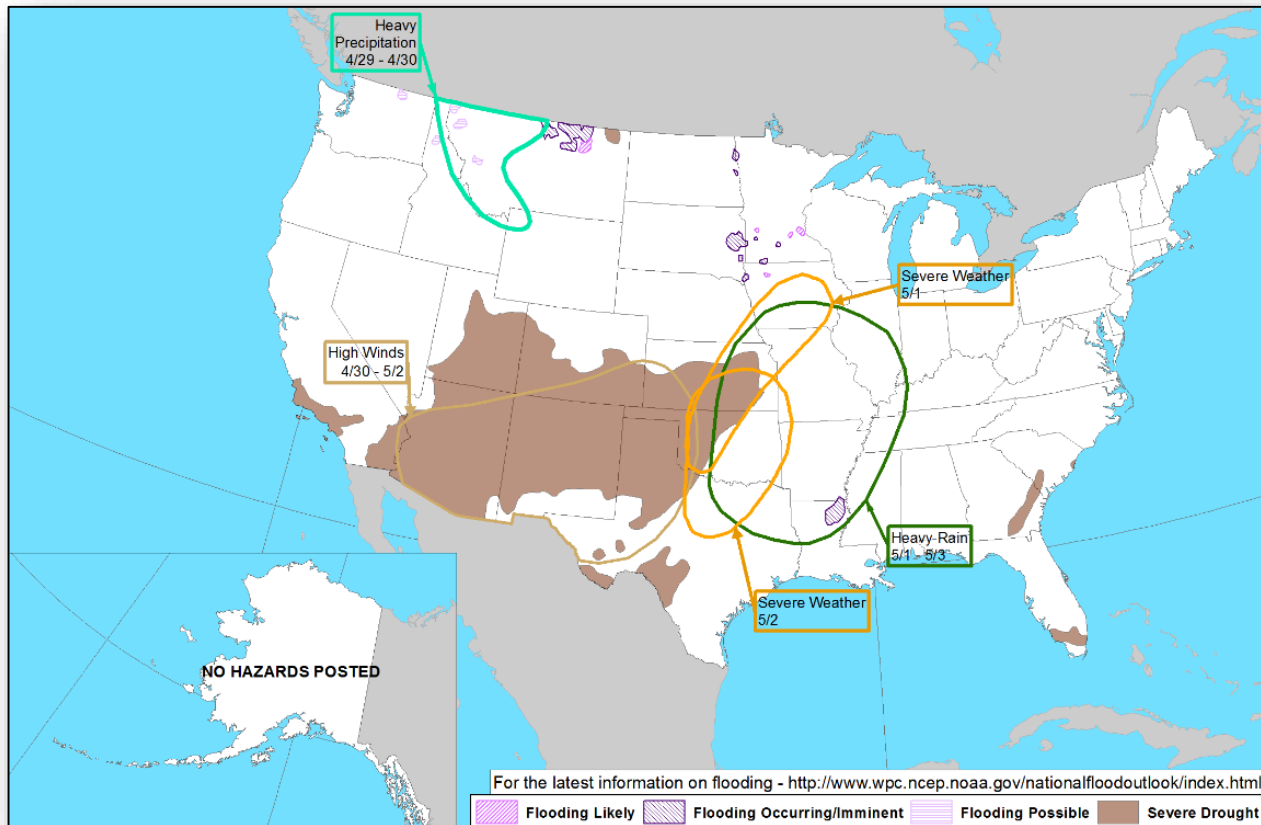


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Hazards Outlook – Apr 29-May 03



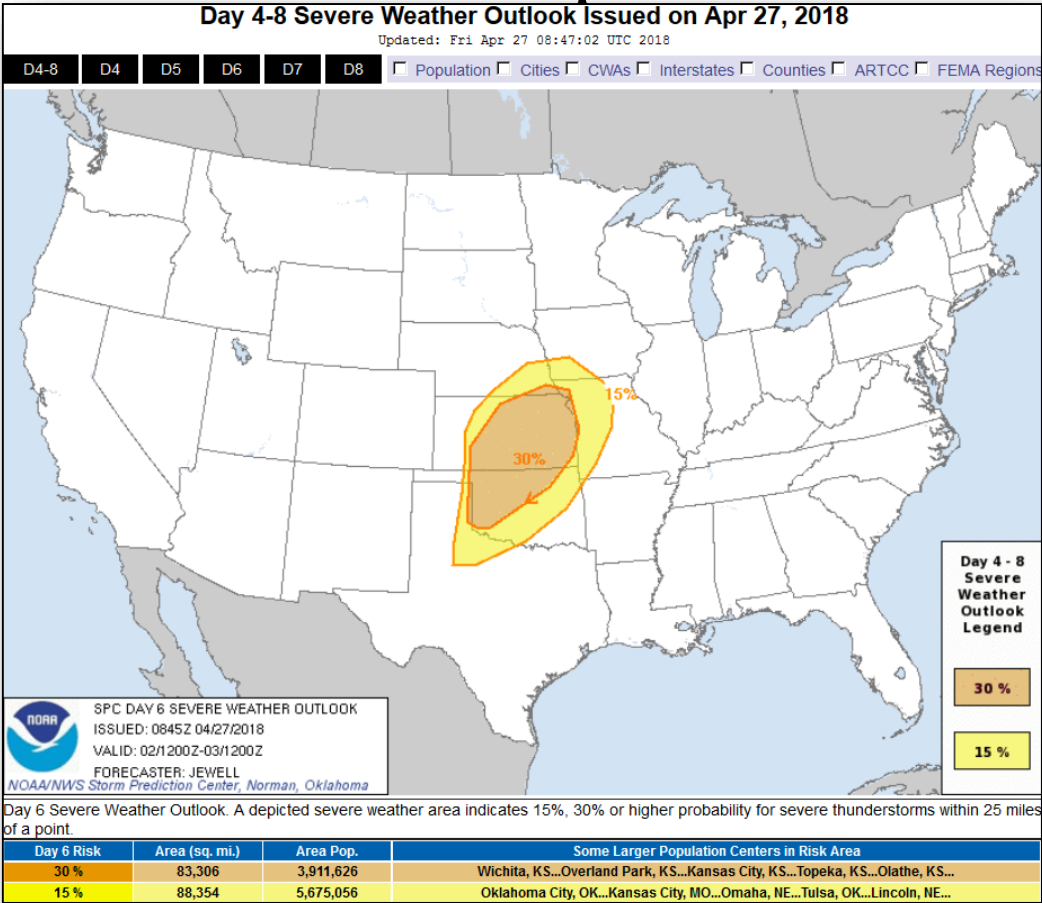
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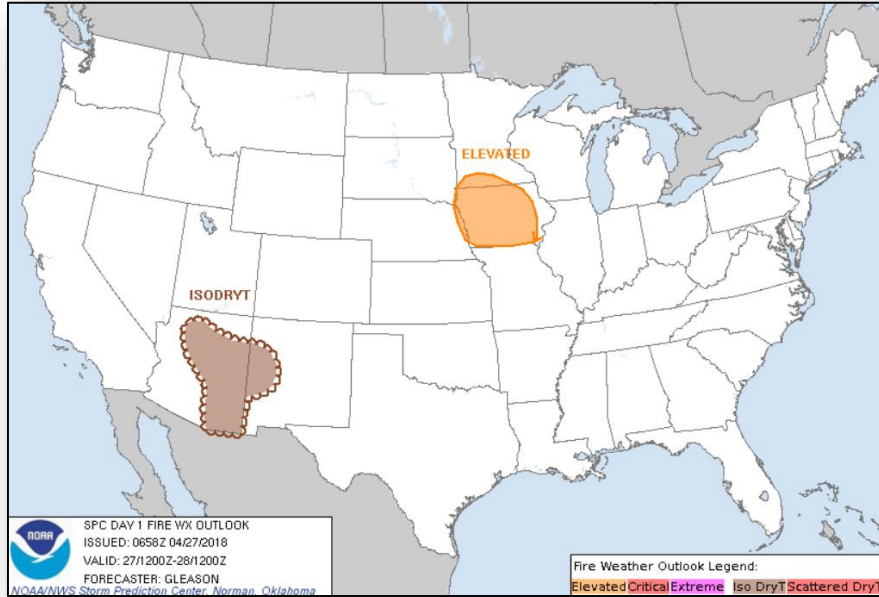
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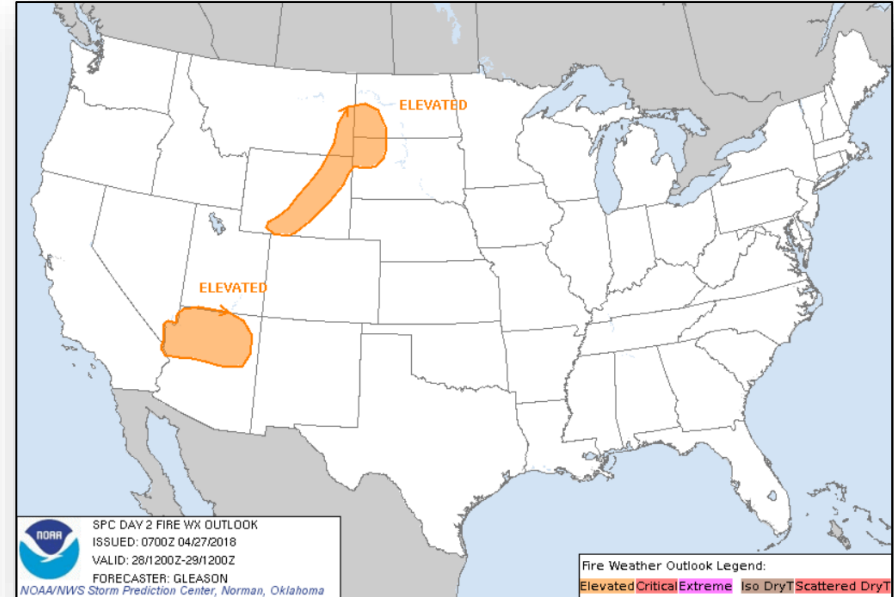
Fire Weather Outlook



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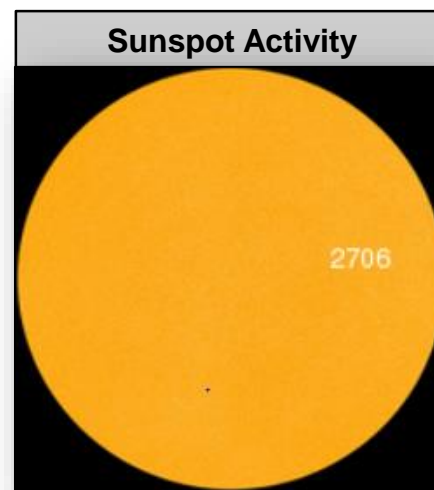
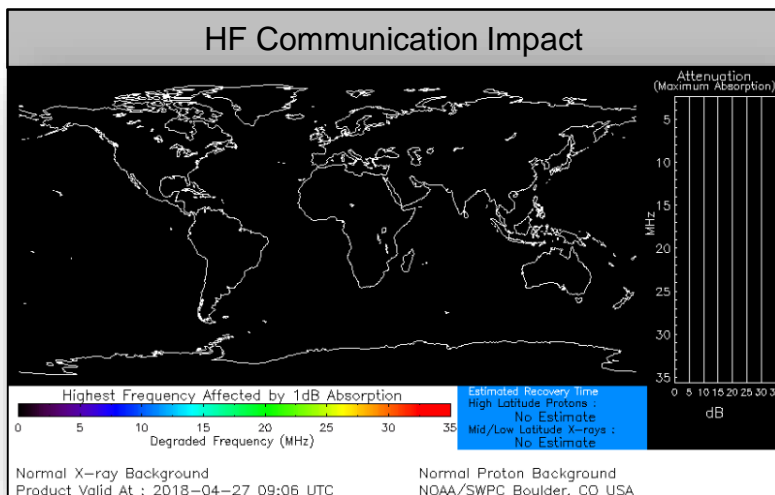
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Space Weather



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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	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	5	0	4/23 – TBD
VI	OK	Wildfires April 11, 2018 and continuing	IA	2	2	4/25 – 4/27
			PA	0	0	N/A
VII	NE	Severe Winter Storm April 13-18, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	34	0	4/30 - TBD
IX	HI	Flooding and Landslides April 13-15, 2018	IA	2	1	4/22 – TBD
			PA	2	0	4/23 – TBD

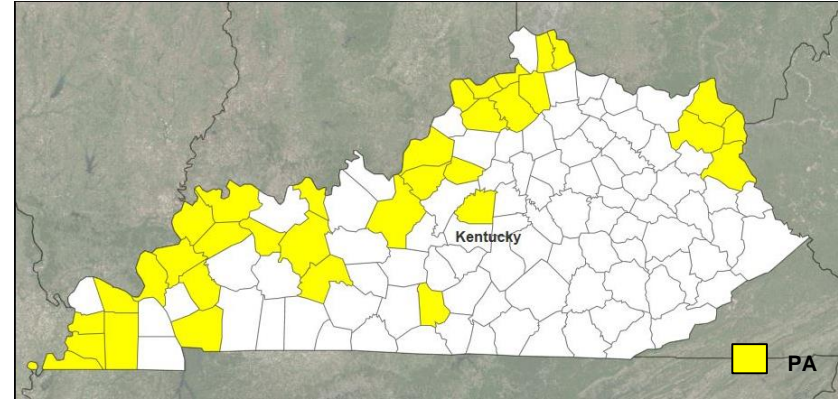
Declaration Approved



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Kentucky

- Major Disaster Declaration FEMA-4361-DR-KY was approved on April 26, 2018 for the Commonwealth of Kentucky
- For severe storms, tornadoes, flooding, landslides and mudslides that occurred February 21-March 21, 2018
- Provides:
 - Public Assistance for 34 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation for the entire Commonwealth
- FCO is Manny J. Toro



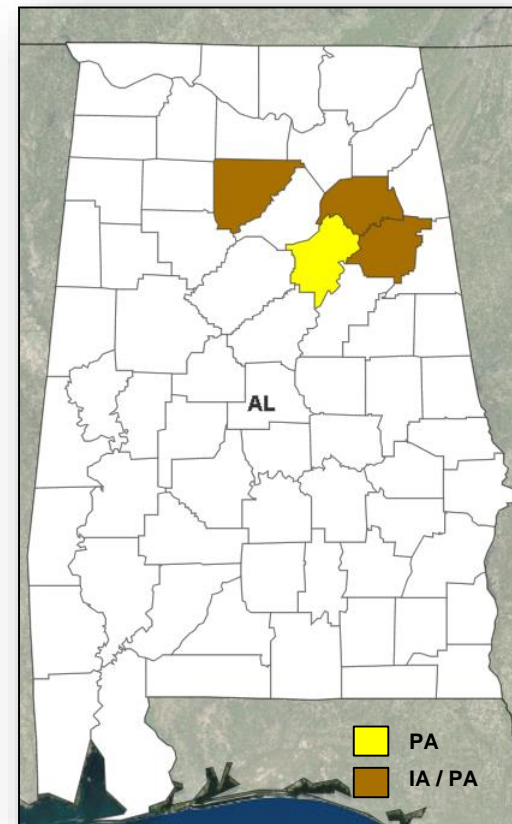
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Alabama

- Major Disaster Declaration FEMA-4362-DR-KY was approved on April 26, 2018 for the State of Alabama
- For severe storms and tornadoes that occurred March 19-20, 2018
- Provides:
 - Individual Assistance for 3 counties
 - Public Assistance for 4 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is Thomas J. McCool



Declaration Request



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North Carolina

- Major Disaster Declaration was requested on April 25, 2018 for the State of North Carolina
- For severe storms and tornadoes that occurred April 15, 2018
- Requesting:
 - Individual Assistance for 2 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide



Disaster Requests and Declarations



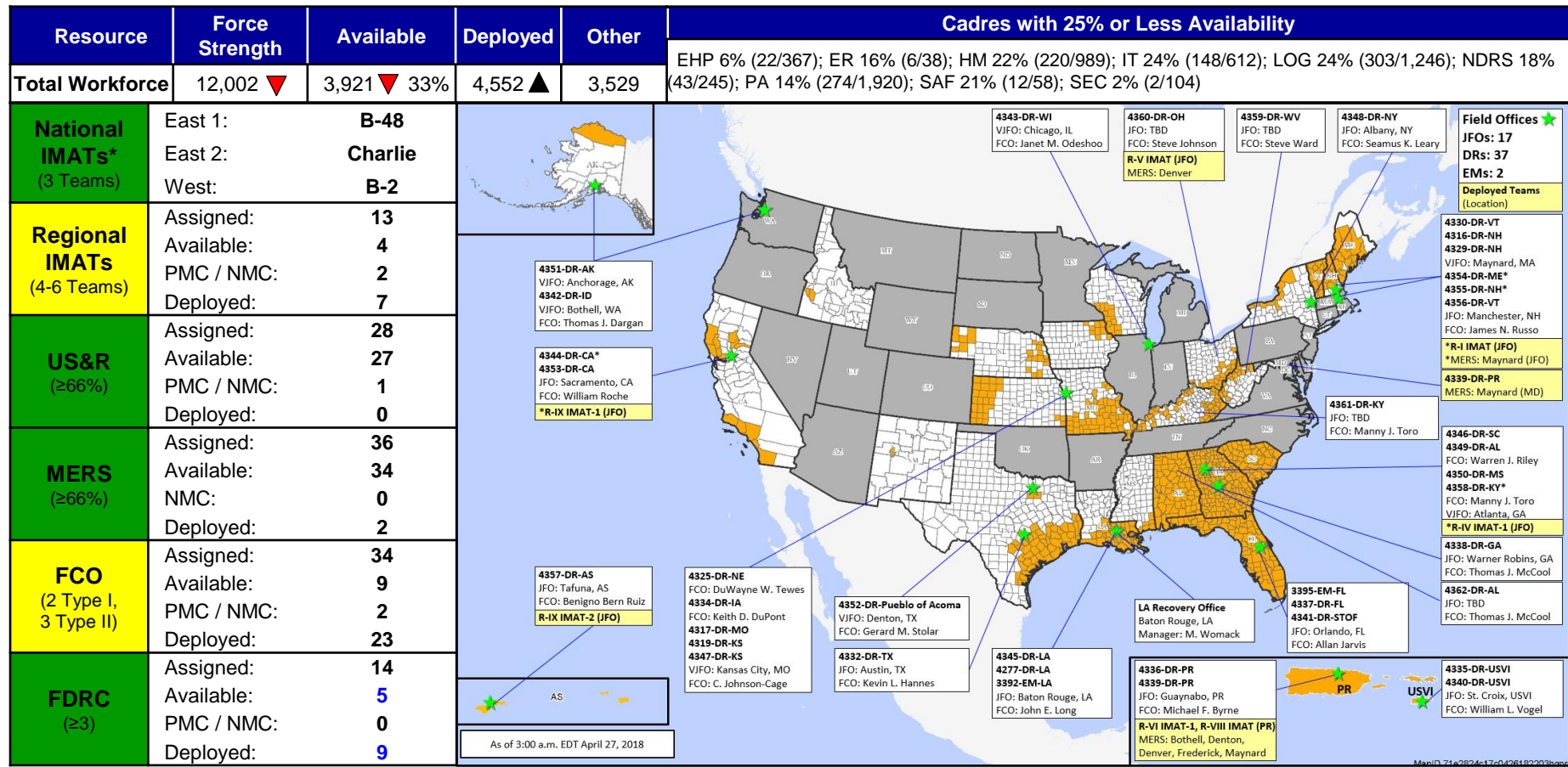
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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
4	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	2	2
AK – DR Severe Storm		X	X	January 25, 2018		
MT – (Appeal) Wildfires		X	X	January 26, 2018		Denied April 26, 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, Tornadoes, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	X	X	X	April 10, 2018	Declared April 26, 2018	
IL – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	X		X	April 11, 2018		Denied April 26, 2018
AL – DR Severe Storms and Tornadoes	X	X	X	April 12, 2018	Declared April 26, 2018	
NC – DR Severe Storms and Tornadoes	X		X	April 25, 2018		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



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* **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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Status		Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments
NWC (5 Teams)	Steady State				
NRCC (2 Teams)	Available				Gold Team on call for April
HLT (1 Team)	Available				
RWCs/MOCs (10 Regions)	Steady State				
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available				

Backup Regions: III, VI, & II



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