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Daily Operations Briefing

Monday, May 15, 2017

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – May 12-15



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Significant Events: None

Significant Weather:

- Severe thunderstorms possible – Southern/Central Plains and Upper Mississippi Valley
- Rain and thunderstorms – Plains to Great Lakes; southern FL
- Rain and snow – Northern Intermountain to Central Great Basin and Northern Rockies
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather – AZ, NM, TX, UT, CO, WY, OK, FL & GA
- Red Flag Warnings – AZ, NM & CO
- Space Weather:
 - Past 24 hours: None observed
 - Next 24 hours: Minor predicted; geomagnetic storms reaching G1 level likely

Tropical Activity: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

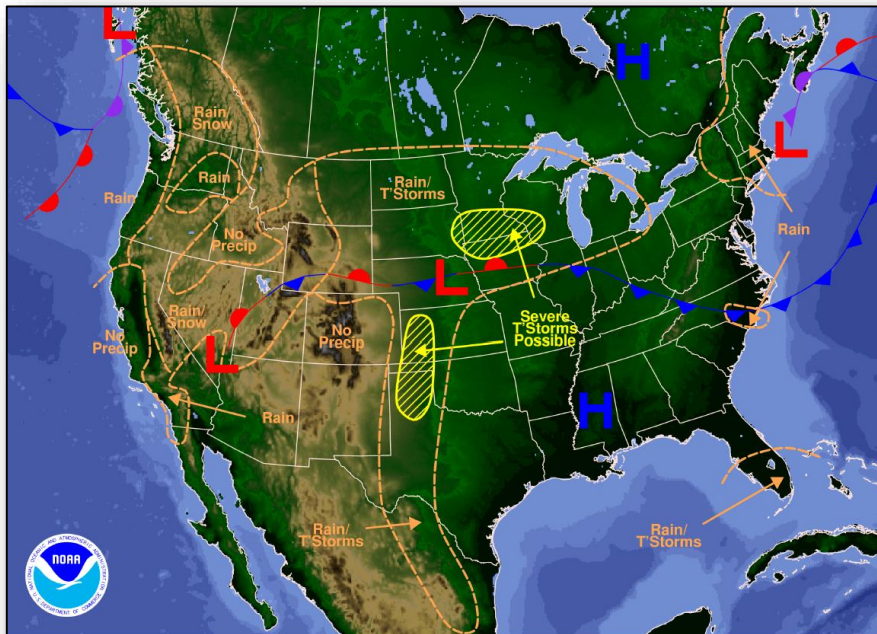
Declaration Activity:

- Major Disaster Declaration Request – Mississippi
- Major Disaster Declaration Request – New Hampshire
- Amendment No. 2 to FEMA-4307-DR-NV

National Weather Forecast

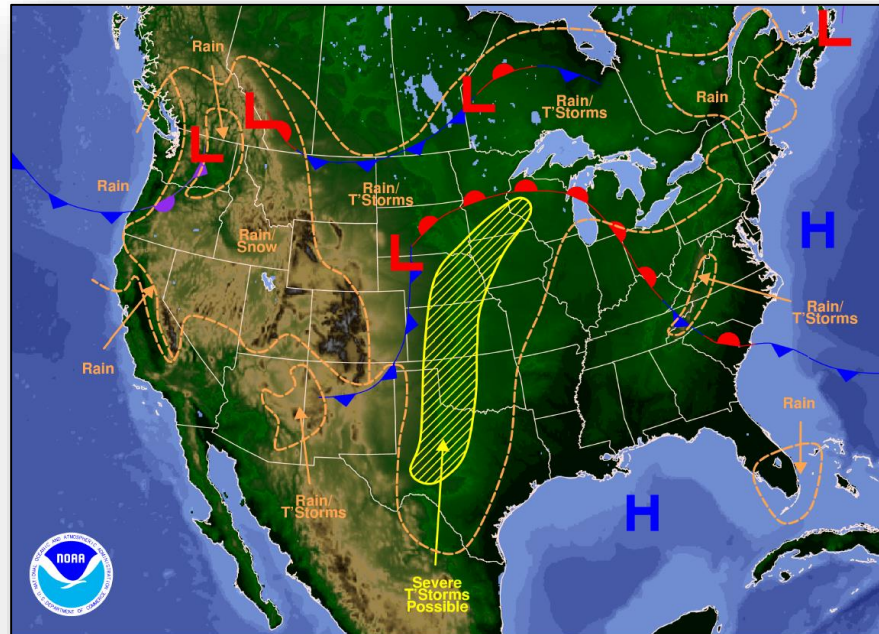


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Weather Forecast for Mon, May 15, 2017, issued 4:27 AM EDT
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
Prepared by McReynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

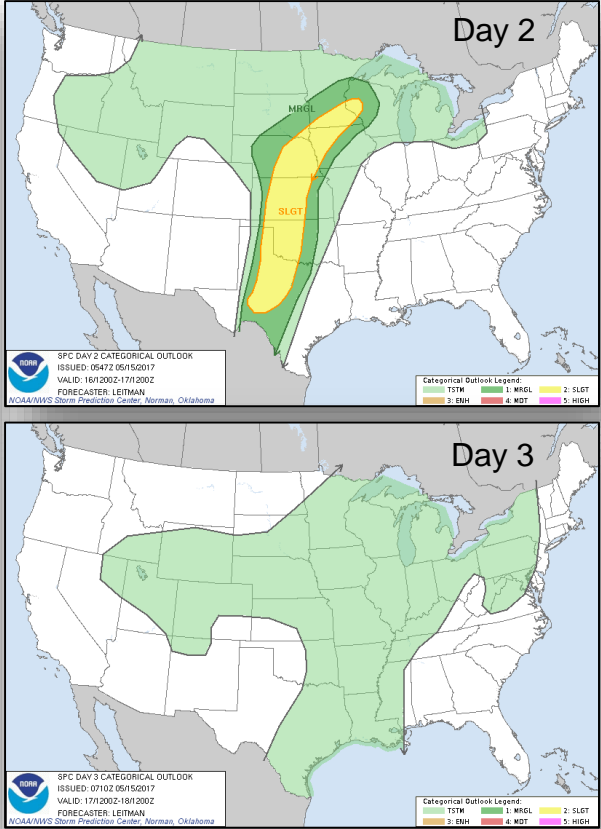
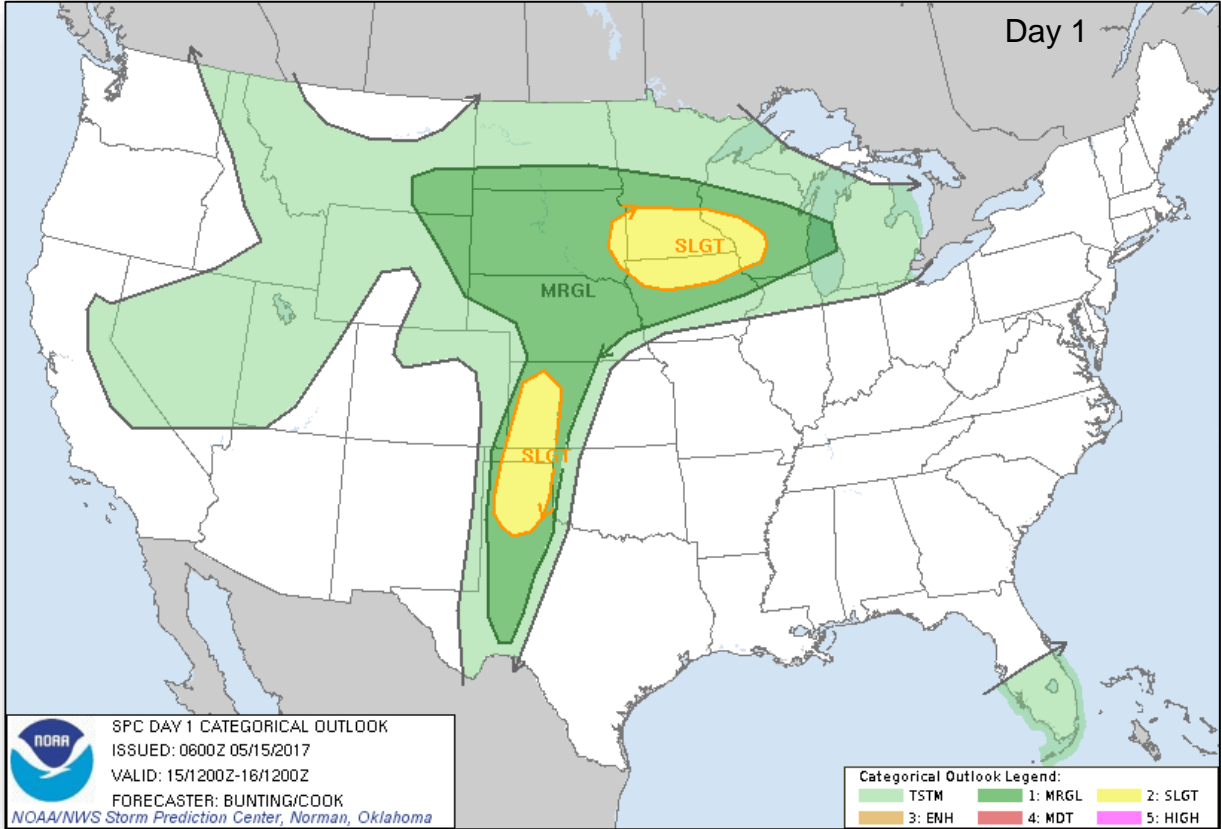
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Weather Forecast for Tue, May 16, 2017, issued 4:31 AM EDT Mon, May 15, 2017
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
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Tomorrow

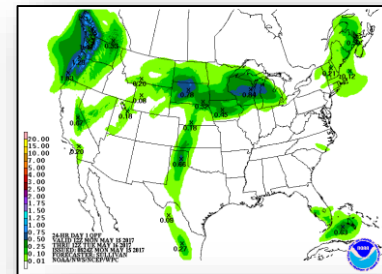
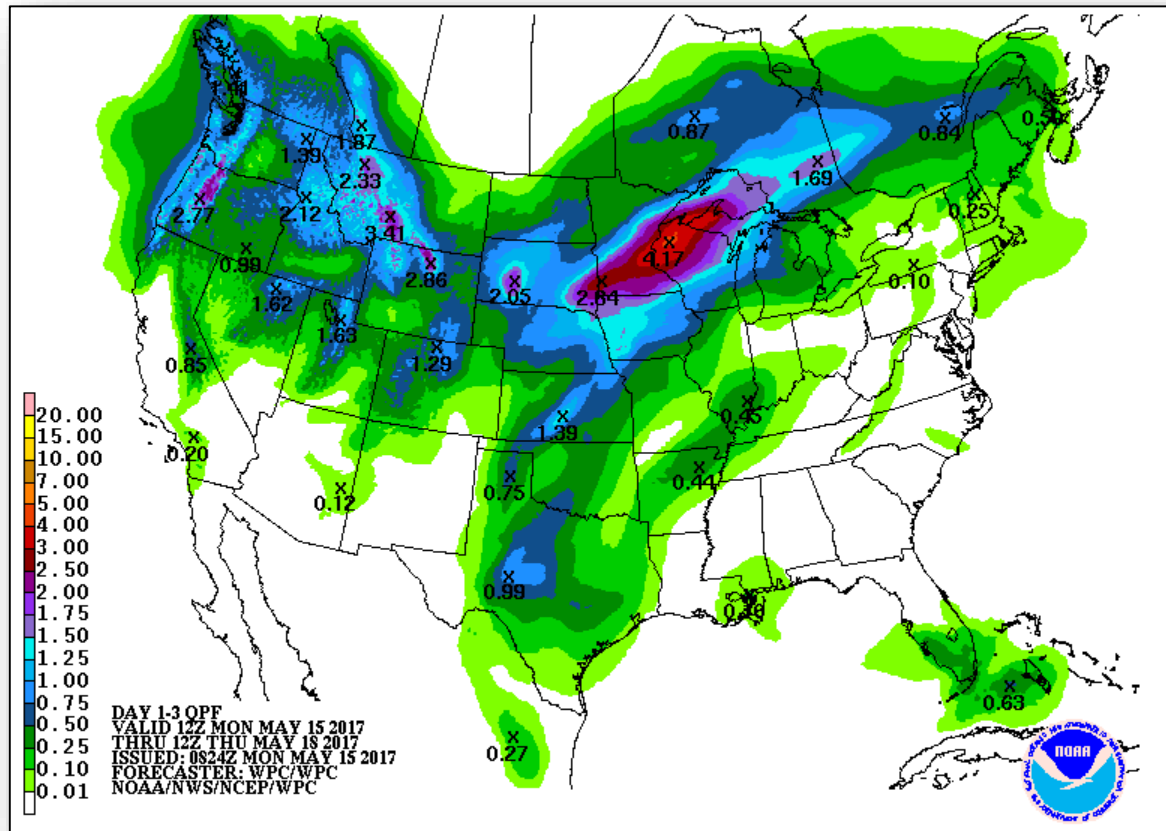
Severe Weather Outlook



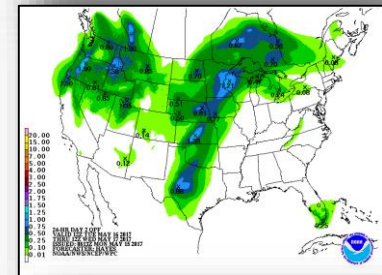
Precipitation Forecast – Days 1-3



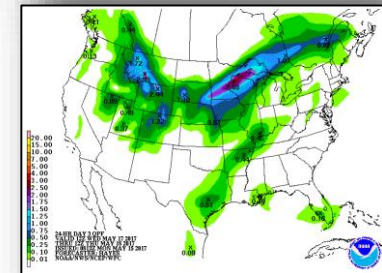
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Day 1



Day 2

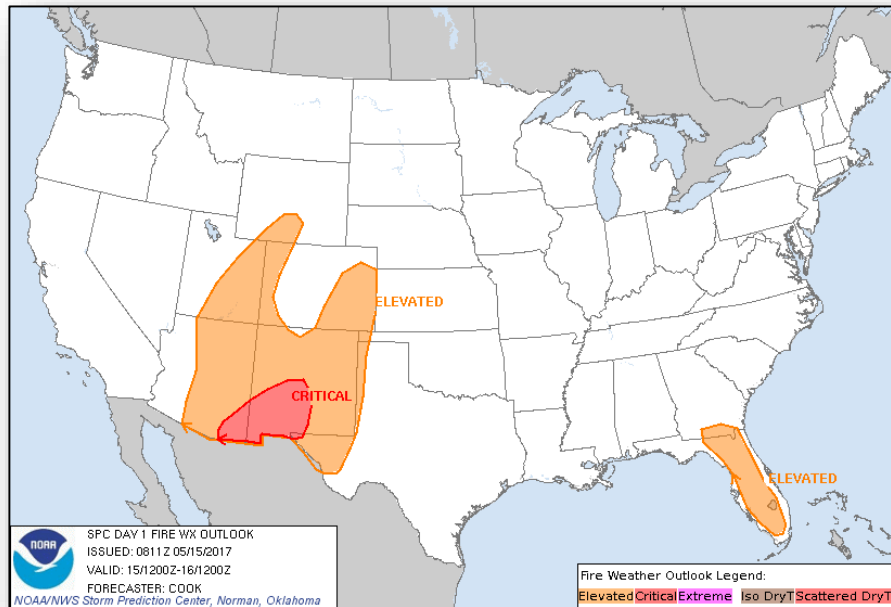


Day 3

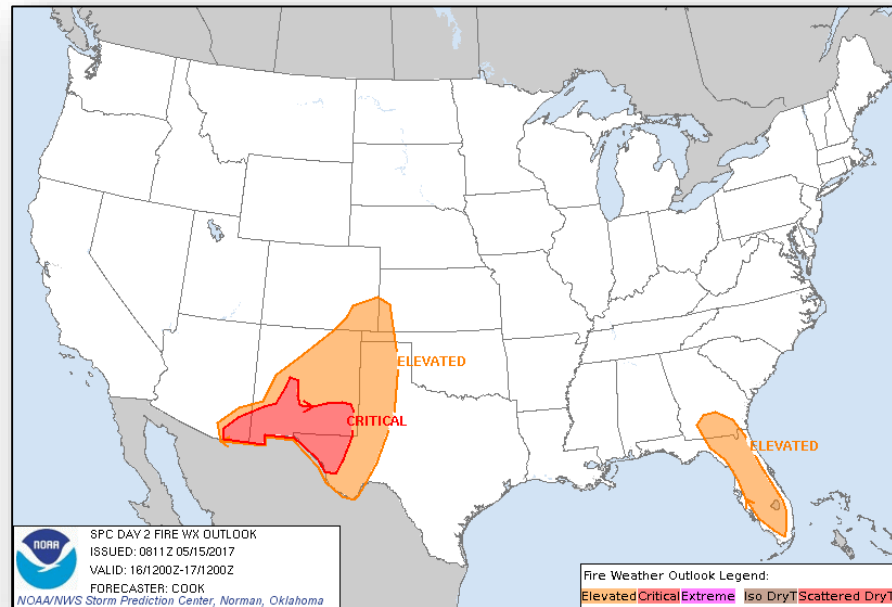
Fire Weather Outlook



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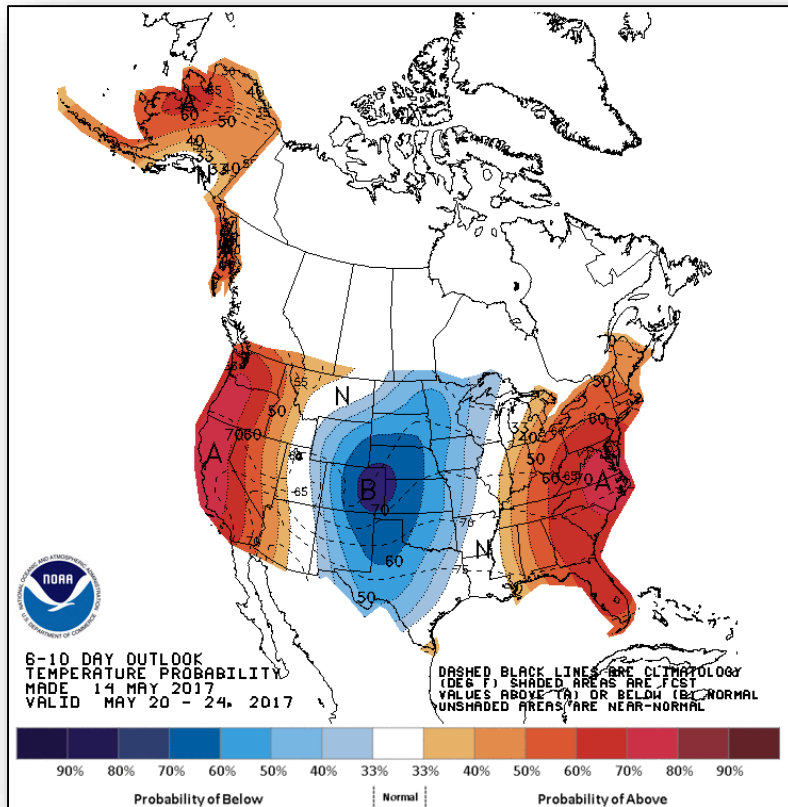


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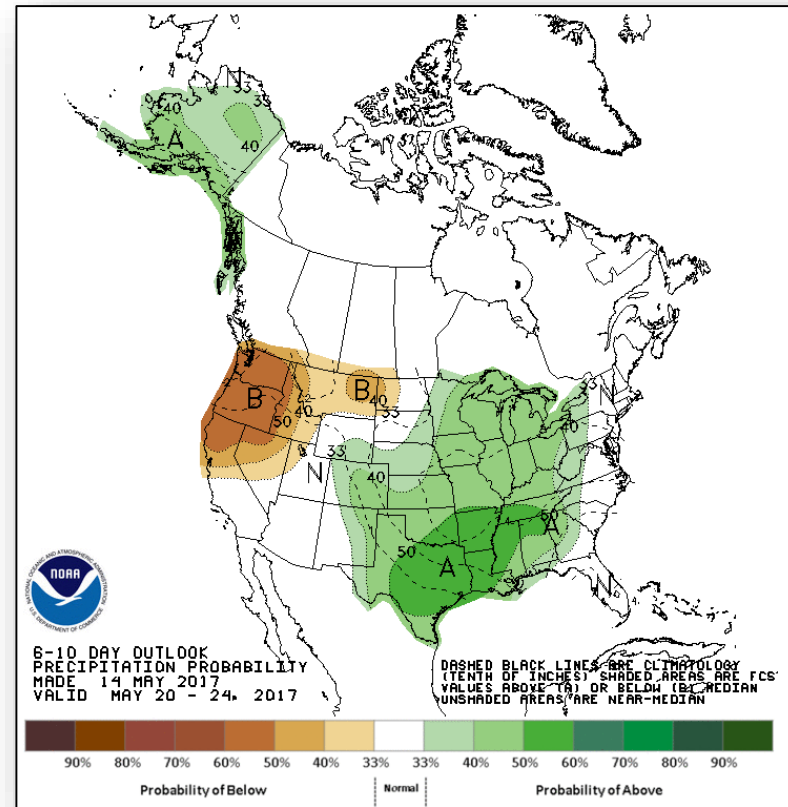
6-10 Day Outlooks



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6-10 Day Temperature Probability



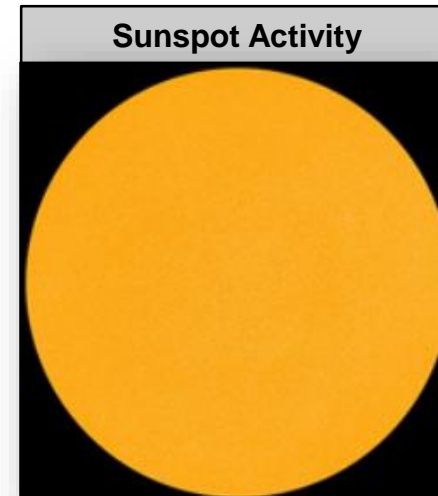
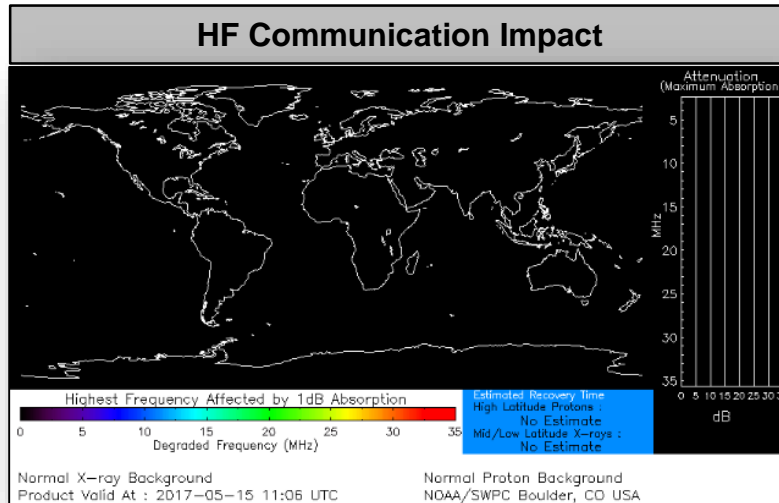
6-10 Day Precipitation Probability

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	Minor	G1	None	None
For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation				



Wildfire Summary



Fire Name (County)	FMAG # (Approved Date)	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations (Residents)	Structures			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Georgia (1)								
West Mims Fire (Charlton)	5181-FM-GA (May 8)	152,147 (+1,841)*	18% (+1%)*	Mandatory (2,000)	800 homes and 9 other structures	0	4 minor structures	0 / 5 (+1)*

* 24 hour change

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
II	New York	Winter Storm Event March 13-15, 2017	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	30	26	Mar 30 – TBD
VI	Arkansas	Severe Storms, Tornadoes and Flooding April 28, 2017 and continuing	IA	21	6	May 10 – TBD
			PA	31	0	May 15 – TBD
	Oklahoma	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding April 28-May 2, 2017	IA	5	5	May 8 – May 11
			PA	31	17	May 8 – TBD
VII	Kansas	Winter Weather and Flooding April 28, 2017 and continuing	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	32	3	May 10 – TBD
	Missouri	Severe Weather and Flooding April 28, 2017 and continuing	IA	32	7	May 10 – TBD
			PA	42	9	May 10 – TBD

Disaster Requests & Declarations



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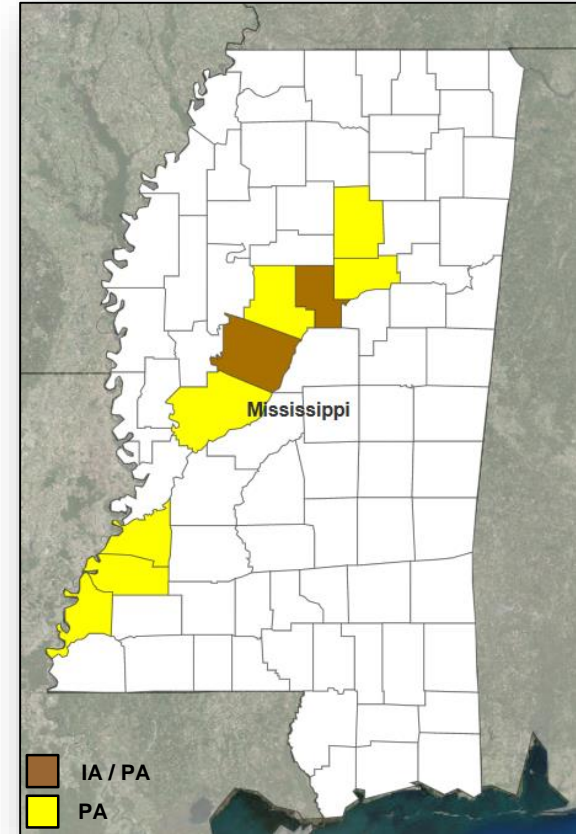
Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
4	Date Requested	0	1
OR – DR Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	March 9, 2017		Denied May 12, 2017
ND – DR Civil Unrest	April 29, 2017		
ID – DR Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	May 2, 2017		
MS – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	May 11, 2017		
NH – DR Severe Winter Storm	May 11, 2017		

Declaration Request



Mississippi

- Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on May 11, 2017
- For severe storms, tornadoes, straight-line winds, and flooding that occurred April 30, 2017
- Requesting:
 - Individual Assistance for 2 counties
 - Public Assistance for 9 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide

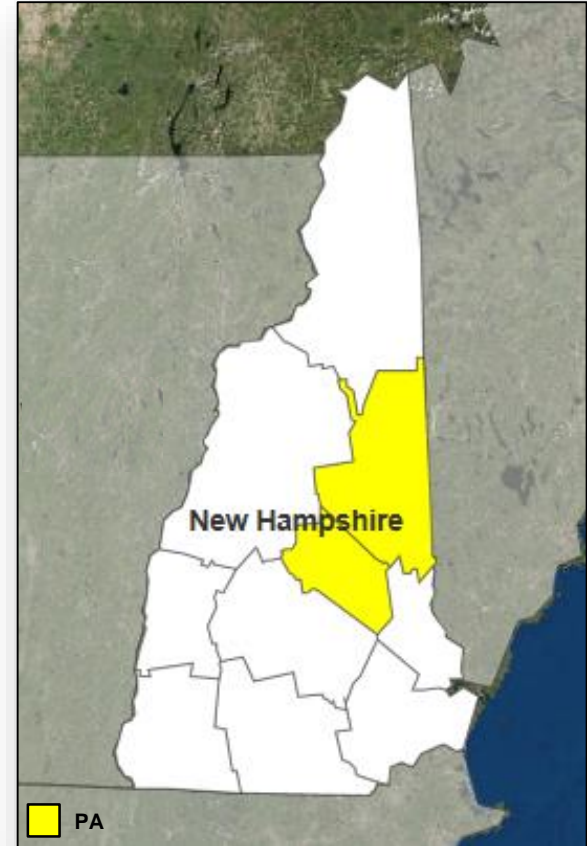


Declaration Request



New Hampshire

- Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on May 11, 2017
- For a severe winter storm that occurred March 14 – 15, 2017
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for 2 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide



Disaster Amendments



Amendment	Effective Date	Action
Amendment No. 2 to FEMA-4307-DR-NV	May 12, 2017	Adds 2 counties for Public Assistance



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

Readiness – Activation Teams



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Resource	Status	Total	Status	Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason/Comments
NWC		5	Not Activated				
NRCC		2	Not Activated				NRCS Gold Team – May primary
HLT		1	Not Activated				Deactivated for the season
RWCs/MOCs		10	Not Activated				
RRCCs		10	Not Activated				

Back-up Regions (May 15-21): **III, II, and VI**



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FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.