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FEMA Daily Operations Briefing Tuesday, May 19, 2015 8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity, May 18-19



Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity: No activity threatening the U.S. or U.S. territories

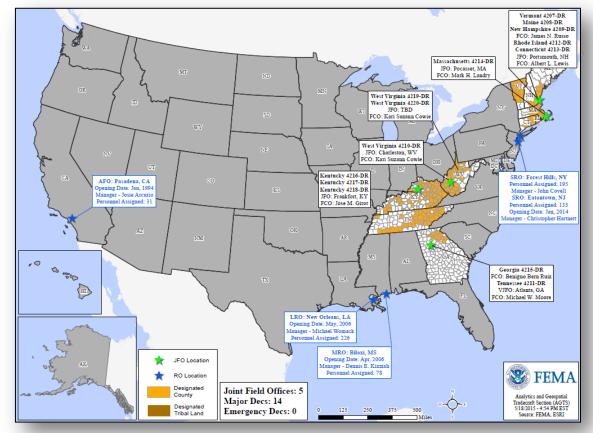
Significant Weather:

- Slight Risk of severe thunderstorms Southern Plains
- Marginal Risk of severe thunderstorms southwestern TX through southeastern OK, & portions of Northeast
- Heavy rain and flash flooding possible Central Plains and Southern Plains
- Red Flag Warnings: AK
- Elevated Fire Weather: portions of southern NM
- Space Weather: No space weather storms observed; Minor/G1 geomagnetic storms expected

Declaration Activity: Major Disaster Declaration – West Virginia

Open Field Offices as of May 19



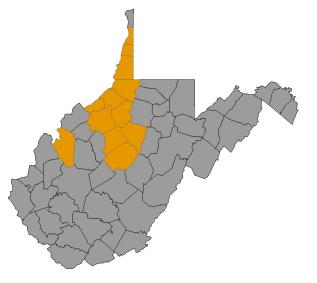


Major Disaster Declaration – WV



FEMA-4220-DR-WV

- Major Disaster Declaration approved May 18, 2015
- For Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides that occurred April 8-11, 2015
- Provides:
 - Public Assistance for 12 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- The FCO is Kari Suzann Cowie



Declared PA counties

Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
1	Date Requested	1	0
WV – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides & Mudslides (April 8-11)	May 7, 2015	May 18, 2015	
WV – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides & Mudslides (April 13-15)	May 11, 2015		

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Deview	State /	Event		Number of	Ctort End		
Region	Location	Event	IA/PA	Requested	Complete	Start – End	
VI	ОК	Severe Storms and Flooding	IA	4	4	5/14 – 5/15	
VI	ÖK	May 4-11, 2015	PA	31	0	5/19 – TBD	
VII	NE	Severe Storms May 3-11, 2015	PA	10	0	5/25 – TBD	
VIII	SD	Tornado May 10, 2015	IA	2	0	5/18 – TBD	
	Guam	Typhoon Dolphin	IA	1	0	5/17 – TBD	
IX	Guan	May 15-17, 2015	PA	1	0	5/17 – TBD	
	CNMI	Typhoon Dolphin May 15-17, 2015	PA	1	0	5/19 – TBD	

National Weather Forecast





Weather Forecast for Tue, May 19, 2015, issued 4:19 AM EDT DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center Prepared by Mcreynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts



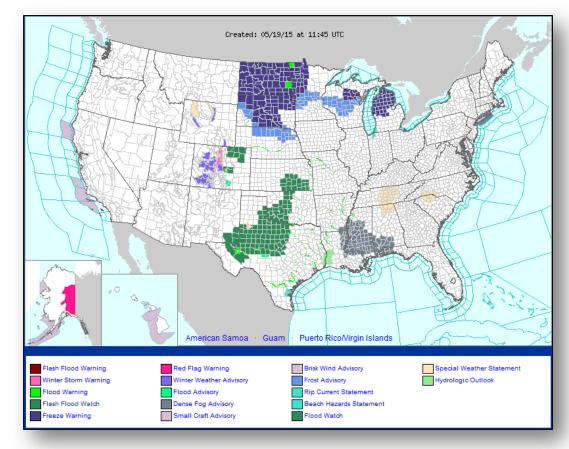
Weather Forecast for Wed, May 20, 2015, issued 4:27 AM EDT Tue, May 19, 2015 DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center Prepared by Mcreynolds based on WPC, SPC and HHC forecasts

Tomorrow

Today

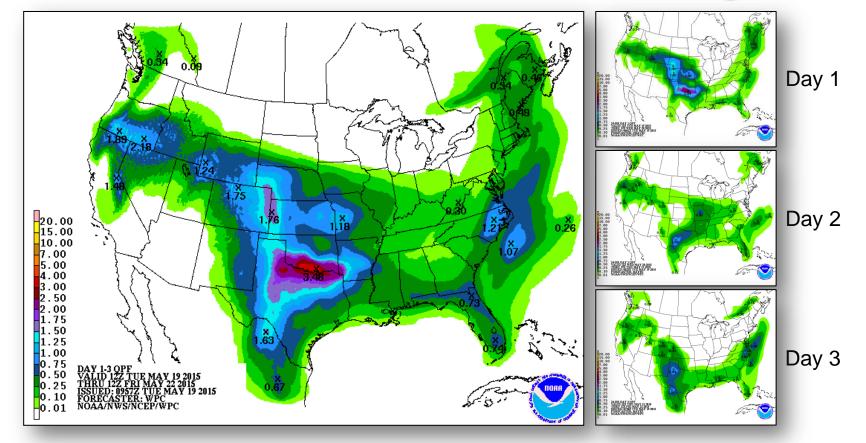
Active Watches/Warnings





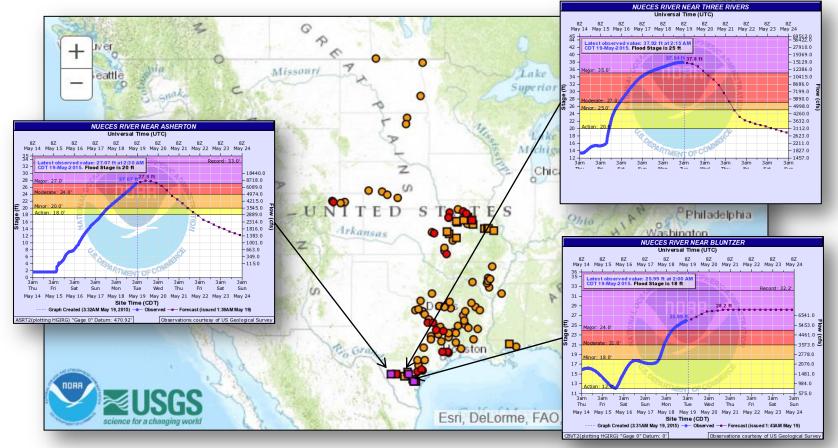
Precipitation Forecast, 1-3 Day





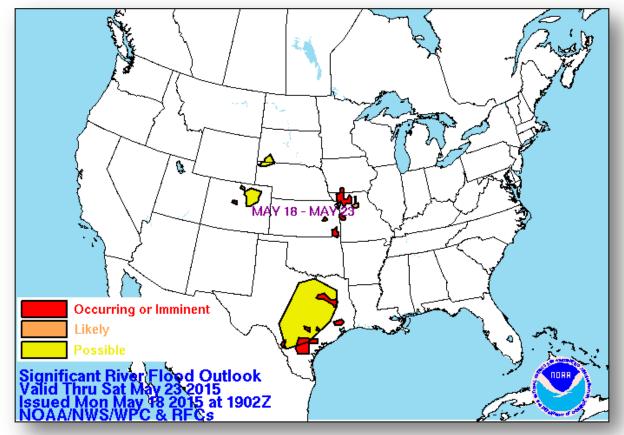
River Forecast





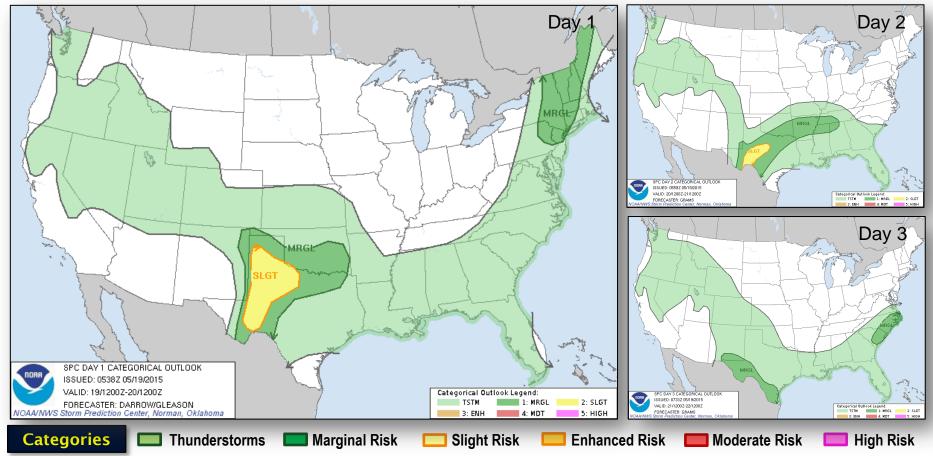
Significant River Flood Outlook





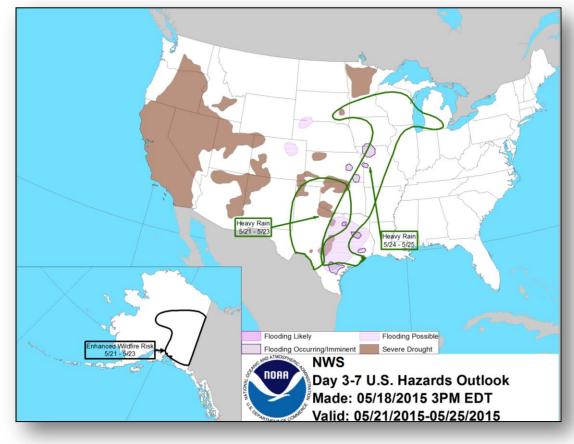
Severe Weather Outlook, Days 1-3





Hazard Outlook, May 21-25

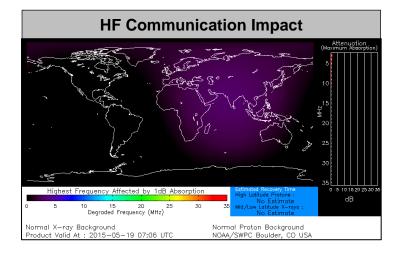


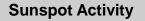


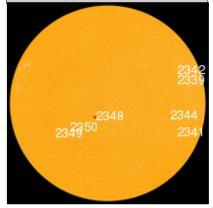
Space Weather



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







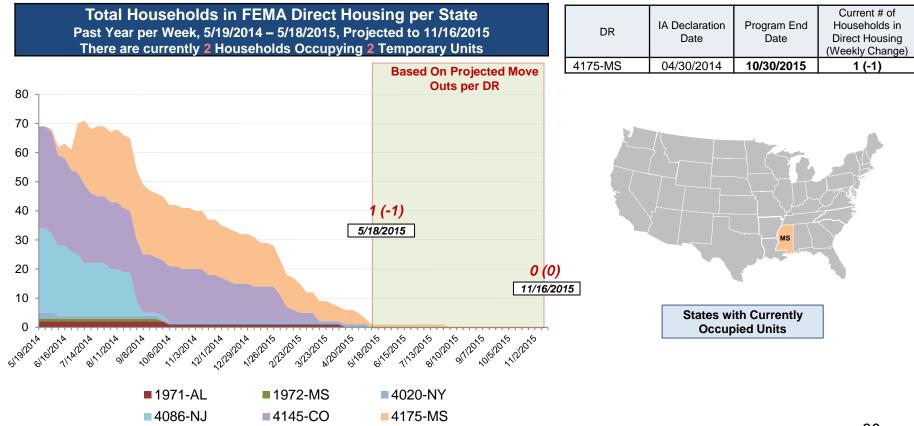
Public Assistance Grant Program



		PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of 5/18/2015 at 1400 EDT											
	Emerger	ncy Work		P		-		-					
PA Category	A - Debris Removal Measures		C - Roads & Bridges	D - Water Control Facilities	ntrol E - Public F - I		F - Public Utilities G - Recreational or Other		H - Fire Management	Z - State Management	Total		
Number Of PWs Obligated	14	25	33	6	114		8	7	0	1	208		
Federal Share Obligated	\$500,139	\$3,084,326	\$3,768,479	\$1,177,353	\$2,400,860	\$´	1,373,519	\$893,664	\$0	\$1,934,313	\$15,132,654		
		sistance Ok st 2 Weeks – 5/4			PA Highlights								
\$50,000,000 \$40,000,000					 On 5/13 a Category Z grant for over \$1.9 million was obligated to the Louisiana Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness for DR-1607, Hurricane Rita. 								
\$30,000,000				■ F - Public									
\$20,000,000					r Control Facilities	5							
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\$0	Last Wee		This Week	■A - Debri	s Removal								
	\$38,939,3 ⁻	14	\$15,132,654						29				

Direct Housing

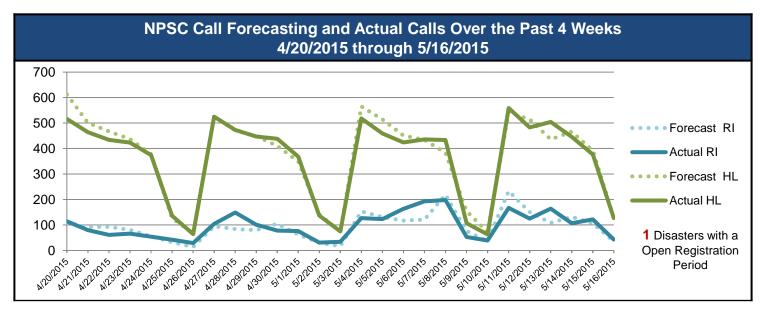




NPSC Activity



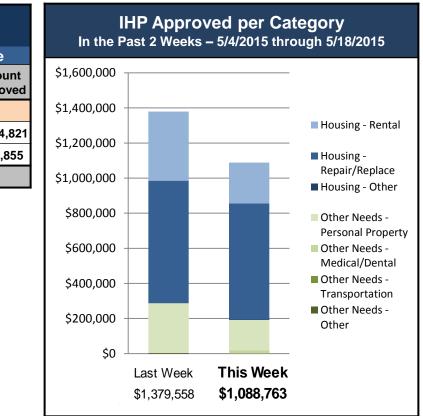
NPSC Call Activity in the Past Week 5/10/2015 through 5/16/2015										
Call Type	Projected Calls	Actual Calls	Average Answer Time	Maximum Answer Time	Minimum Answer Time					
Registration Intake	801	767	:09	:18	:06					
Helpline	2,552	2,559	:11	:20	:08					
All Calls	3,353	3,326	:10	:23	:08					



Individual Assistance Activity



	Individuals and Households Program Activity												
	as of May 1	as of May 18, 2015 at 0000 EI											
		In Past	7 Days	Cumu	Ilative								
		Applicants Approved		Applicants Approved									
on	4217-KY Declared 05-01	-2015 End	Of Reg Peri	od 06-30-201	5								
Open gistrati Period	Housing Assistance	227	\$743,143	538	\$1,704,821								
Open Registrati Period	Other Needs Assistance	121	\$182,105	261	\$480,855								
Re	Total IHP	\$925	i,248	\$2,185,676									
Р	8 Declarations IHP Programmatio Registration *		Closed										
er IH tive	Housing Assistance	43	\$152,475										
Other IHP Active	Other Needs Assistance	6	\$11,040										
0	Total IHP	\$163	8,515										
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	Total IHP Approved in Past Week	\$1,08	8,763										



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	15	41%	0	2	20		OFDC Readiness: <u>FCO</u> Green Yellow Red 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	24	86	1	3	0	 NM-TF1 (Red) – Personnel shortages CA-TF2 (Yellow) – Demobilizing from Nepal TN-TF1 & OH-TF-1 (Red) – Rehab from Exercise 	Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed				
National IMAT		3	2	67%	0	0	1	 IMAT East 1 – Deployed to Guam 	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	6	46%	0	3	4	Region VI (Blue) – Deployed to TX Region II (Blue) – Training in AL Region III (Blue) – Deployed to WV Region IX (Blue) – Deployed to Guam <u>Not Mission Capable (Red):</u> Regions IV-3, VI-2 & IX-1	Green: 7 or more avail Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available Red: > 8 teams deployed/unavailable <i>R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement</i>				
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	Activated	Region VI RRCC Deactivated					
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated	 Region VI Enhanced (Day only) Region IX Enhanced Watch (24/7) 					



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