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Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, July 28, 2017

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – July 27-28



Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic Disturbance 1 Low (near 0%)
- Eastern Pacific Tropical Storm Hilary; Tropical Storm Irwin
- Central Pacific No tropical cyclones expected next five days
- Western Pacific No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Flash Flooding possible Southwest to Central Plains; Southern Appalachians to Mid-Atlantic
- Elevated fire weather MT
- Isolated dry thunderstorms WA, OR, ID, MT, & WY
- Space weather:
 - o Past 24 hours: None observed
 - Next 24 hours: None predicted

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity:

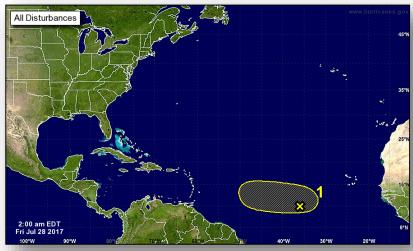
Major Disaster Declaration request - Vermont

Tropical Outlook – Atlantic

Disturbance 1 (as of 2:00 a.m. EDT)

- Located 800 miles WSW of Cabo Verde Islands; moving slowly W or WNW
- Slow development is possible over next several days
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (near 0%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (30%)





Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific

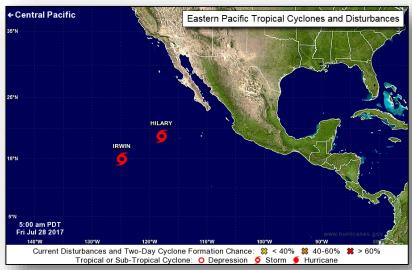


<u>Tropical Storm Irwin</u> (Advisory #24 as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- Located 1,120 miles WSW of southern tip of Baja California, Mexico
- Moving W at 2 mph; maximum sustained winds 50 mph
- Some fluctuations in intensity are possible next couple of days

<u>Tropical Storm Hilary</u> (Advisory #28 as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

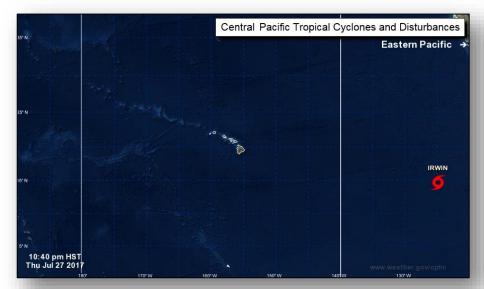
- Located 590 miles WSW of southern tip of Baja California, Mexico
- Moving WNW at 8 mph; maximum sustained winds 70 mph
- Weakening is forecast next 48 hours

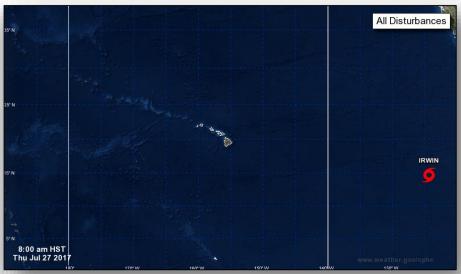


Based on current advisories and forecasts, none of the storms threaten the U.S.

Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific

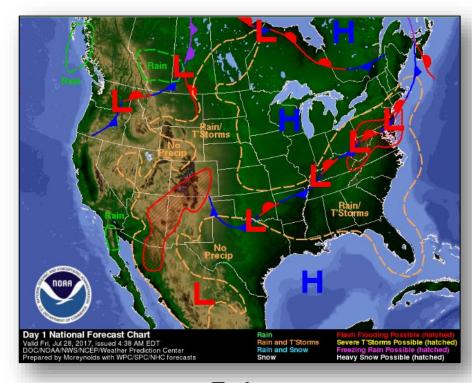


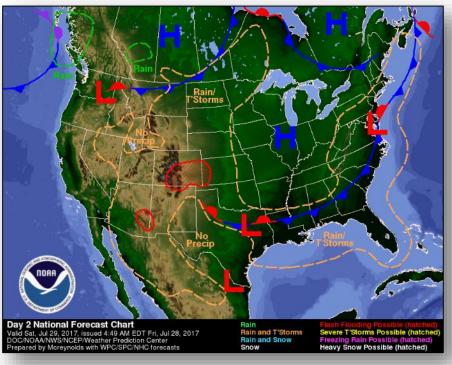




National Weather Forecast



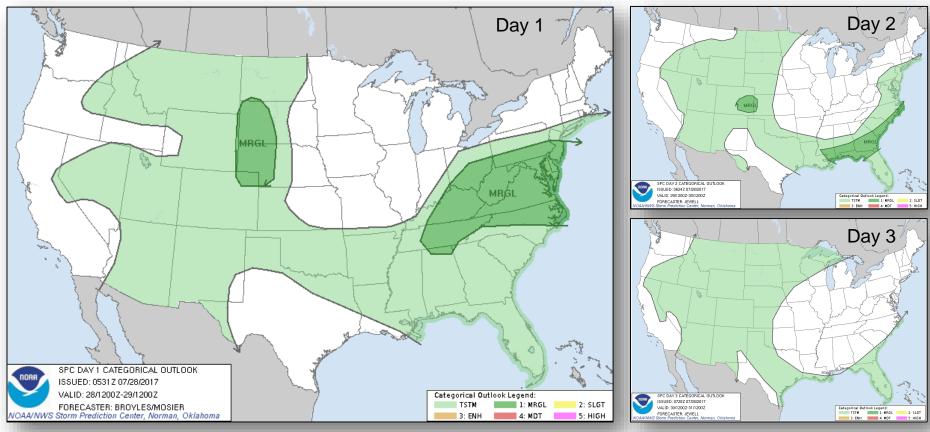




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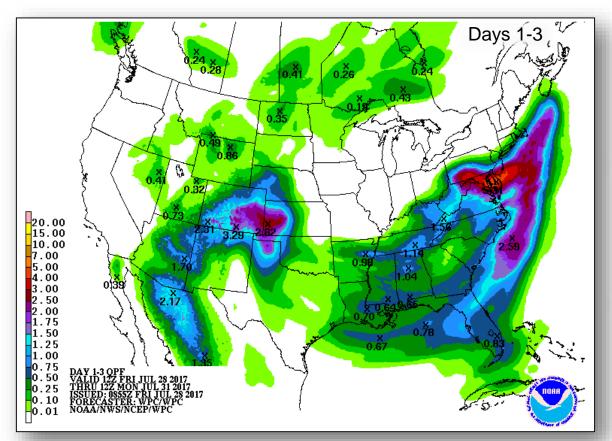
Severe Weather Outlook – Days 1-3

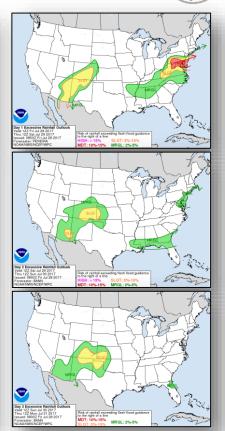




Precipitation Forecast / Flash Flood Risk







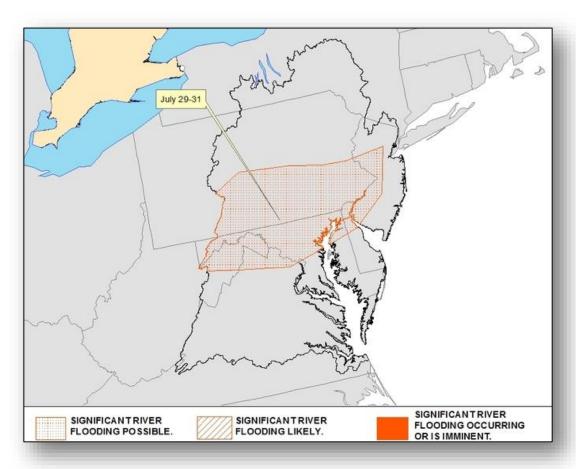
Day 1

Day 2

Day 3

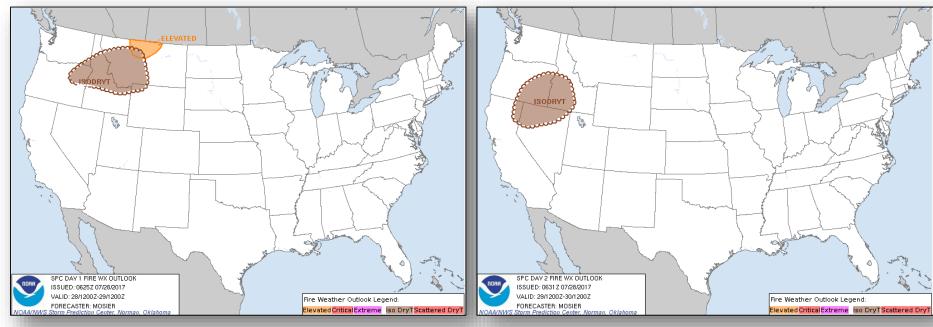
Mid-Atlantic River Flood Outlook





Fire Weather Outlook

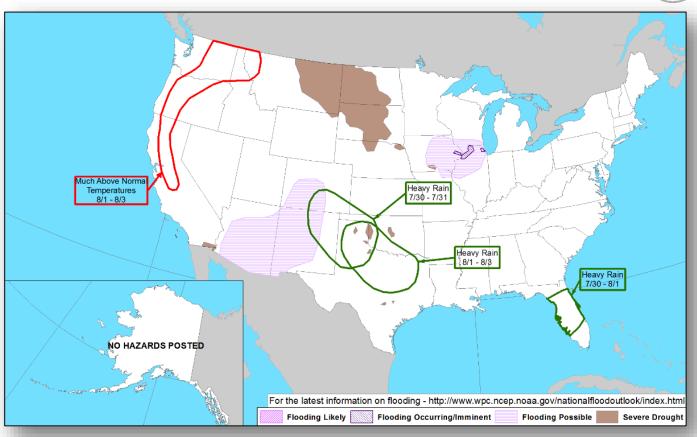




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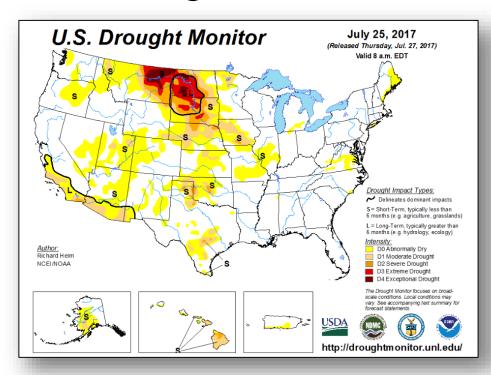
Hazards Outlook – July 30 – Aug 3

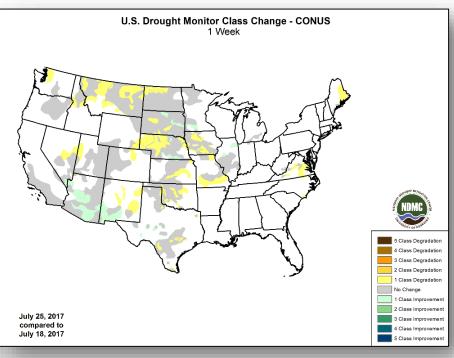




U.S. Drought Monitor







Wildfire Summary



Fire Name	FMAG#	Acres	Percent	Evacuations		Fatalities			
(County)	(Approved Date)	Burned	Contained	(Residents)	Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	/ Injuries	
Nevada (1)									
Preacher (Douglas County) FINAL	5193-FM-NV July 25, 2017	5,353 (-33)	72% (+52)	Lifted	0	0	0	0/1	

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



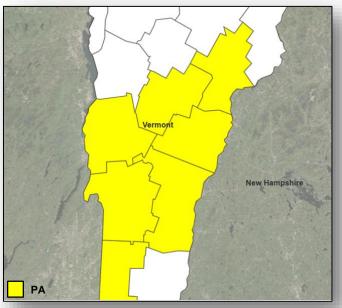
Region State / Location		Event		Number o	f Counties	Ctout Fuel
		Event	IA/PA	Requested	Completed	Start – End
-	NY	Lake Ontario Flooding		0	0	N/A
II INT	May 2, 2017- continuing	PA	8	0	Jul 31 – TBD	
V WI		Severe Storms & Flooding July 12, 2017		3	0	Aug 1 – TBD
V WI	3			0	Aug 1 – TBD	

Declaration Request

Vermont

- Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on July 24, 2017
- For severe storms and flooding during the period of June 29 – July 1, 2017
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for 7 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide





Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
8	Date Requested	0	0
OR – DR (Appeal) Severe Winter Storm	June 9, 2017		
NY – DR (Expedited) DR Flooding	July 6, 2017		
WY – DR Flooding	July 10, 2017		
NE – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds	July 13, 2017		
ID – DR Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	July 19, 2017		
ID – DR Flooding	July 20, 2017		
MI – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	July 21, 2017		
VT – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	July 27, 2017		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resour		orce ength	Ava	ilable	Deployed	Other	Cadres with less than 25% availability
Total Workf	orce 10	,383	5,824	56%	3,197	1,362	Security (5%)
	East 1:	_	B-2				11-DR-UT Bismarck, ND 4321-DR-NE 4319-DR-KS 4317-DR-MO JFO: 180 JFO: 180
National IMATs*	East 2:		Charlie			FC 43	O: Nancy M. Casper 23-DR-ND FCO: Dolph A. Diemont FCO: David G. Samaniego FCO: Michael L. Parker DRs: 25
IIIIAIS	West:		B-48				FO: Denver, CO O: Thomas J. McCool Deployed Teams
	Assigned		13	4309-DR-WA JFO: Lakewood, V	VA.		4322-DR-NY JFC: Albany, NY
Regional	Available		3	FCO: Thomas J. D		THE WAY	R-II IMAT
IMATs	PMC / NN		1	4310-DR-ID 4313-DR-ID JFO: Boise, ID		The state of the s	4316-DR-NH
	Deployed Assigned		9 28	FCO: Timothy B. I	Manner	OR OR	VJFO: Maynard, MA FCO: Albert Lewis
	Assigned		28	4303-DR-NV* 4307-DR-NV		1211	Flood Support Geneva, IL
US&R	PMC / NN		0	JFO: Carson City, FCO: David Haas *R-IX IMAT-1 (JF			RVLNO
	Deployed		0	4301-DR-CA	0)	Twi.	2017 BSA Jamboree Summit Bechtel Reserve, WV
	Assigned	:	36	4305-DR-CA 4302-DR-Hoopa	/alley Tribe	SA-	
MERS	Available		36	4308-DR-CA* 4312-DR-RRT		- V	
III.E.KO	NMC:		0	JFO: Sacramento, FCO: Timothy J. S	cranton	. 7	4285-DR-NC IFIC: Durham, NC
	Deployed		0	*R-IX IMAT-2 (JF	טו		FCO: Elizabeth Turner
	Assigned Available		35				VJFO: Nashville, TN FCO: Warren J. Riley
FCO	PMC / NN	-	8				R-IV IMAT-2 (TIN EOC)
	Deployed	-	20				4283-DR-FL JFO: Maitland, FL
	Assigned		11				4315-DR-OK 4324-DR-OK 4318-DR-AR 4277-DR-LA 4314-DR-MS
FDRC	Available		6				JFO: Oklahoma City, OK FCO: Charles Maskell JFO: North Little Rock, AR FCO: William J. Doran III JFO: Oklahoma City, OK FCO: Jerry S. Thomas FCO: William J. Doran III
	PMC / NN	/IC:	2				R-VI IMAT-2 (JFO) LA Recovery Office Baton Rouge, LA Manager: M. Womack
	Deployed	:	3	As of 3:00 a.m	. EDT July 28, 2017		widtlager, w. wornack

^{*}B-2 Status: Assemble \leq 2-hrs, On Site \leq 18-hrs; **B-48 Status:** Assemble and deploy \leq 48hrs; **Charlie Status:** No team assemble time requirement

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



Resource	Status	Total	Status	Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason/Comments
NWC		5	Not Activated				
NRCC		2	Not Activated				NRCS Gold Team – July primary
HLT		1	Activated				Hurricane Season
RWCs/MOCs		10	Not Activated				
RRCCs		10	Not Activated				

Back-up Regions (July 24-31): I, V, and VII



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