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Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, July 31, 2018
8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – July 30-31



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Significant Events: Wildfires

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic – Tropical cyclone activity not expected during next 48 hours
- Eastern Pacific – Disturbance 1 – Medium (60%); Disturbance 2 – Low (near 0%)
- Central Pacific – Tropical cyclone activity not expected during next 48 hours
- Western Pacific – No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Elevated/Critical Fire Weather – WA & OR
- Isolated Dry Thunderstorms possible – ID, OR, & NV
- Flash Flooding possible – Southern Plains through the Mid-Atlantic
- Red Flag Warnings – WA, OR, & ID

Declaration Activity:

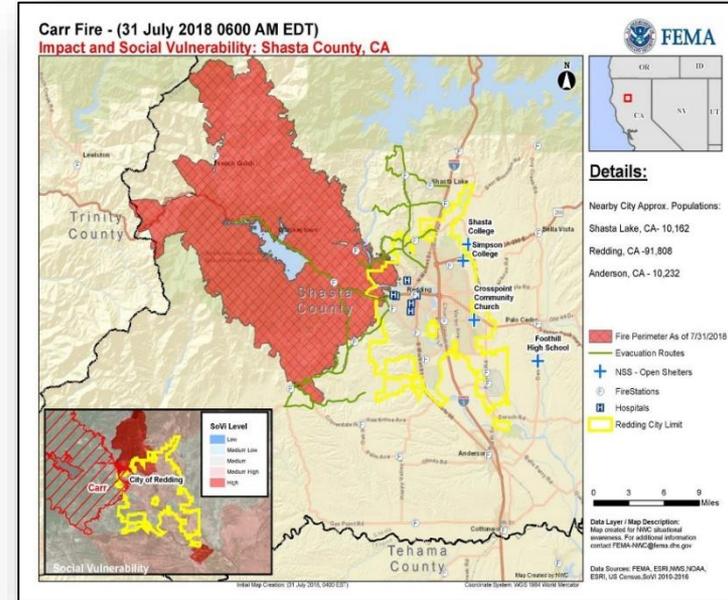
- Major Disaster Declaration approved – Vermont

Carr Fire – Shasta County, CA



Current Situation

- Fire continues to spread in the north and south; progression into the city of Redding has slowed. Shifting winds in timber fuels combine with steep drainages below control lines are contributing to spot fires crossing lines.
- Fatalities / Injuries: 6 confirmed / 0
- Acres burned: 104k (+8,632); Containment: 23% (+6)
- Structures / Homes:
 - Threatened: 4,012 homes (-966), 22 multiple residences, 12 commercial
 - Damaged: 209 structures (+44); 165 homes (+22)
 - Destroyed: 1,132 structures (+258); 818 homes (+161)
- Evacuations: Mandatory for approximately 35k (-4k) people
- Hospitals:
 - One hospital evacuated; neo-natal patients evacuated from another
 - Eight intermediate care facilities fully evacuated
- Shelters / Occupants: 5 open / 281 (-156) occupants (ARC Midnight Shelter Count)
- Infrastructure:
 - Power outages: 3k customers*; Gas outages: 250 customers
 - Power grid is stable with excess capacity
 - Trinity power plant continues operation; full grid restoration pending inspection



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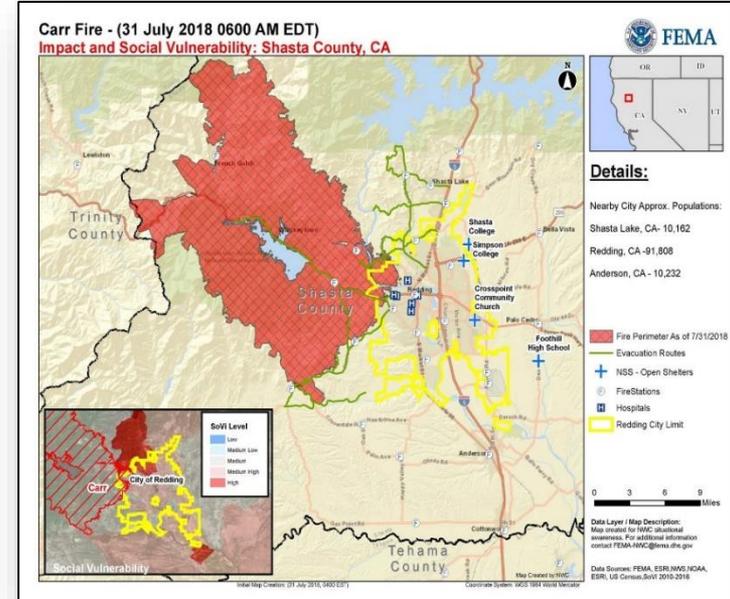


State / Local Response

- CA EOC at Full Activation; Southern REOC at Partial Activation (day shift only)
- Governor declared a State of Emergency for six counties

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- Emergency Declaration FEMA-3398-EM-CA approved July 28, 2018
- FMAG FEMA-5259-FM-CA approved July 23, 2018
- Region IX:
 - RWC at Steady State, continues to monitor
 - IMAT-2 deployed to CA EOC (supported by ESFs 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 12, & DCO)
 - LNOs deployed to CA EOC and Shasta County EOC
- Staging Area established at Redding Municipal Airport
 - ISB Team and Cache deployed
 - Commodities repositioned: Cots, blankets, meals, and water



Wildfire Summary



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Fire Name (County)	FMAG Number	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations (Residents)	Structures			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Oregon (1)								
Garner Complex FINAL (Josephine & Jackson)	5256-FM-OR	8 886*	65% (+5%)	Lifted	1,588 (785 homes)	0	0	0 / 26
Idaho (1)								
Grassy Ridge FINAL (Clark)	5263-FM-ID	103,935 (+32,335)	88% (+68%)	Lifted	0	0	0	0 / 1
California (1)								
Mendocino Complex (Mendocino & Lake)	5262-FM-CA	68,487 (+37,987)	10%	Mandatory	10,200 (200 homes)	0	6 Homes 4 Other	0 / 0
Texas (1)								
Park Road FINAL (Burnet)	5264-FM-TX	557 (+7)	60% (+50%)	Lifted	200 homes	0	0	0 / 0

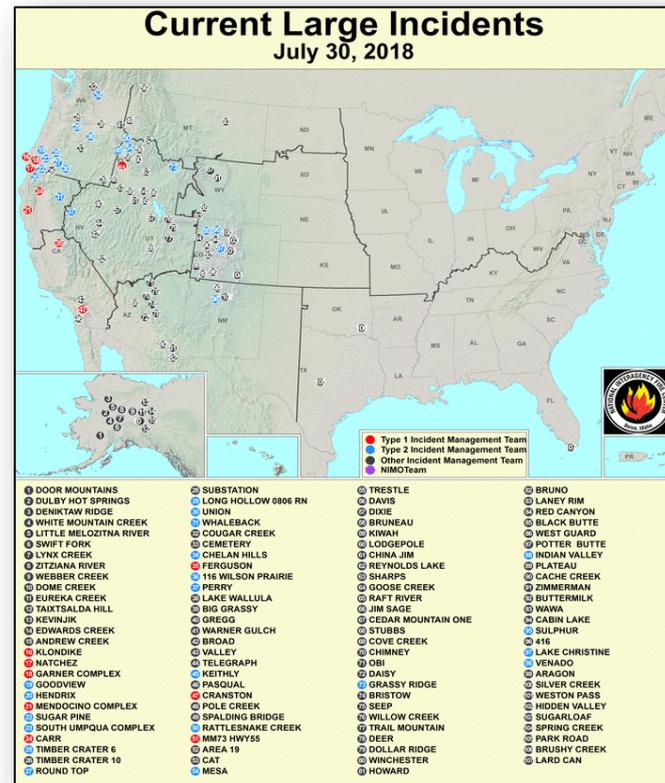
*The Garner Complex had burned 31k acres as of yesterday. A change in the makeup of the fire complex (the removal of the Taylor Fire) accounts for the change in acreage reported.

National Fire Activity



National Preparedness Level: 5

Initial attack activity	Light (177) new fires
New large fires	12
Large fires contained	3
Uncontained large fires	63
NIMOs committed	0
Type 1 IMTs committed	9
Type 2 IMTs committed	17



Preparedness Level 5: Description: Geographic Areas are experiencing major incidents which have the potential to exhaust all agency fire resources. Eighty percent (80%) of Type 1 and Type 2 Incident Management Teams and crews are committed, as well as the majority of other National Resources.

Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



48 Hour Outlook



5 Day Outlook

Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific

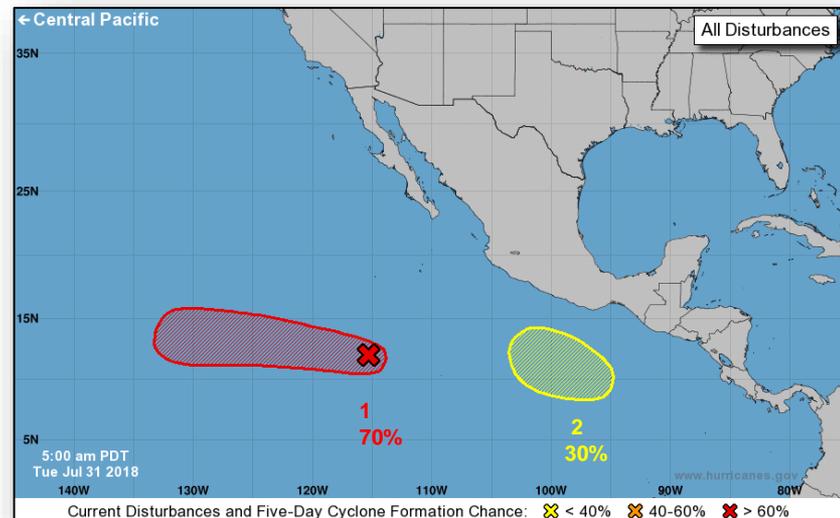


Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- Located 800 miles SSW of the southern tip of Baja California
- Moving W at 15 mph
- Conditions conducive for development
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Medium (60%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: High (70%)
- No threat to U.S. interests

Disturbance 2 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

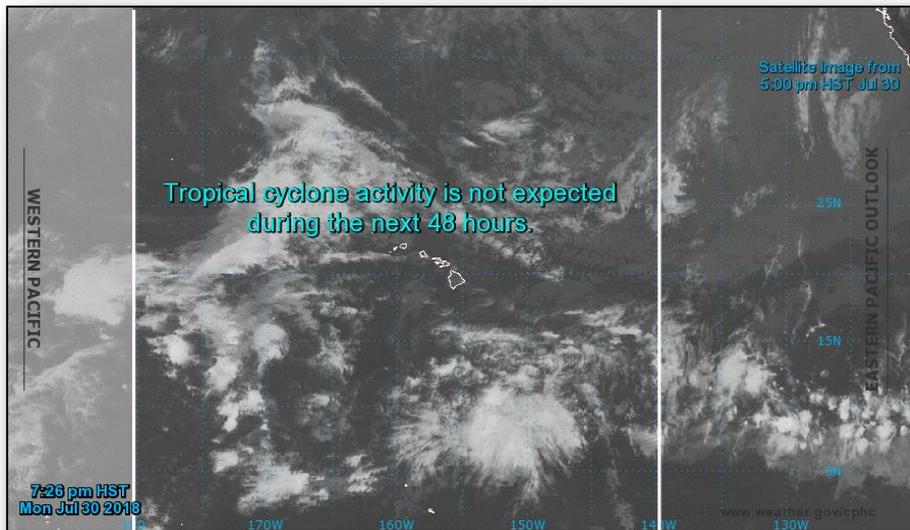
- Located several hundred miles S of Gulf of Tehuantepec
- Moving WNW off the coast of Mexico
- Gradual development possible
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (near 0%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (30%)
- No threat to U.S. interests



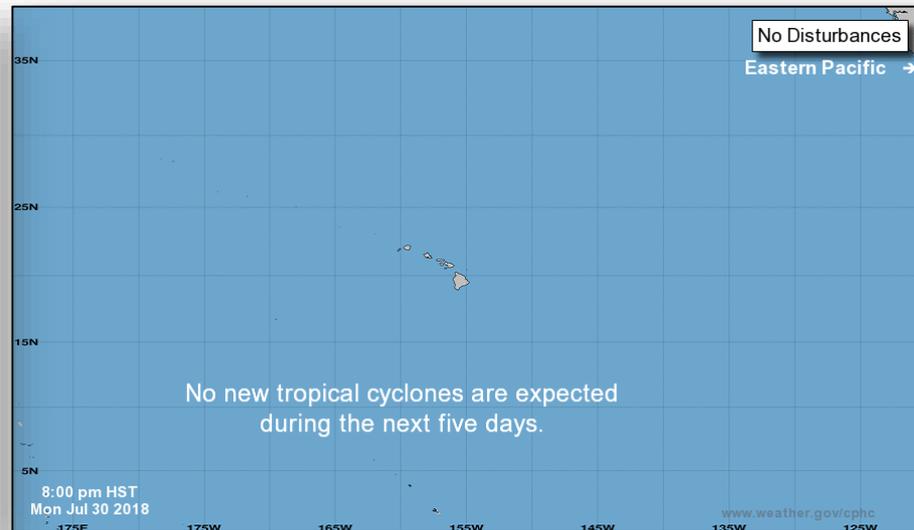
Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific



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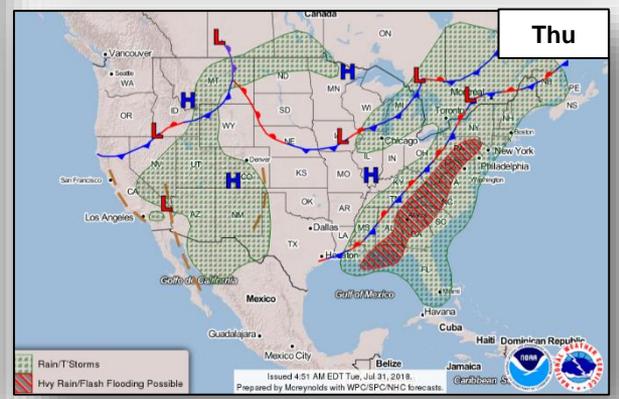
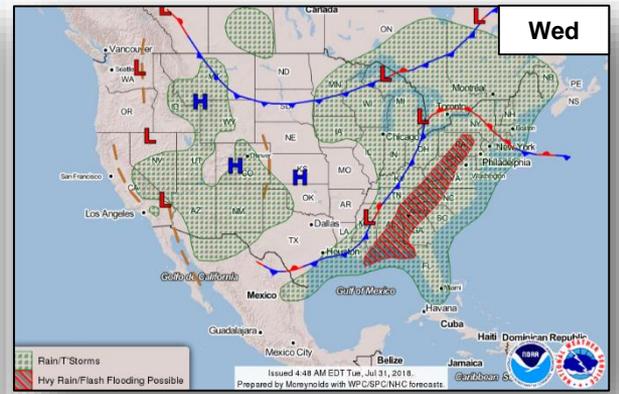
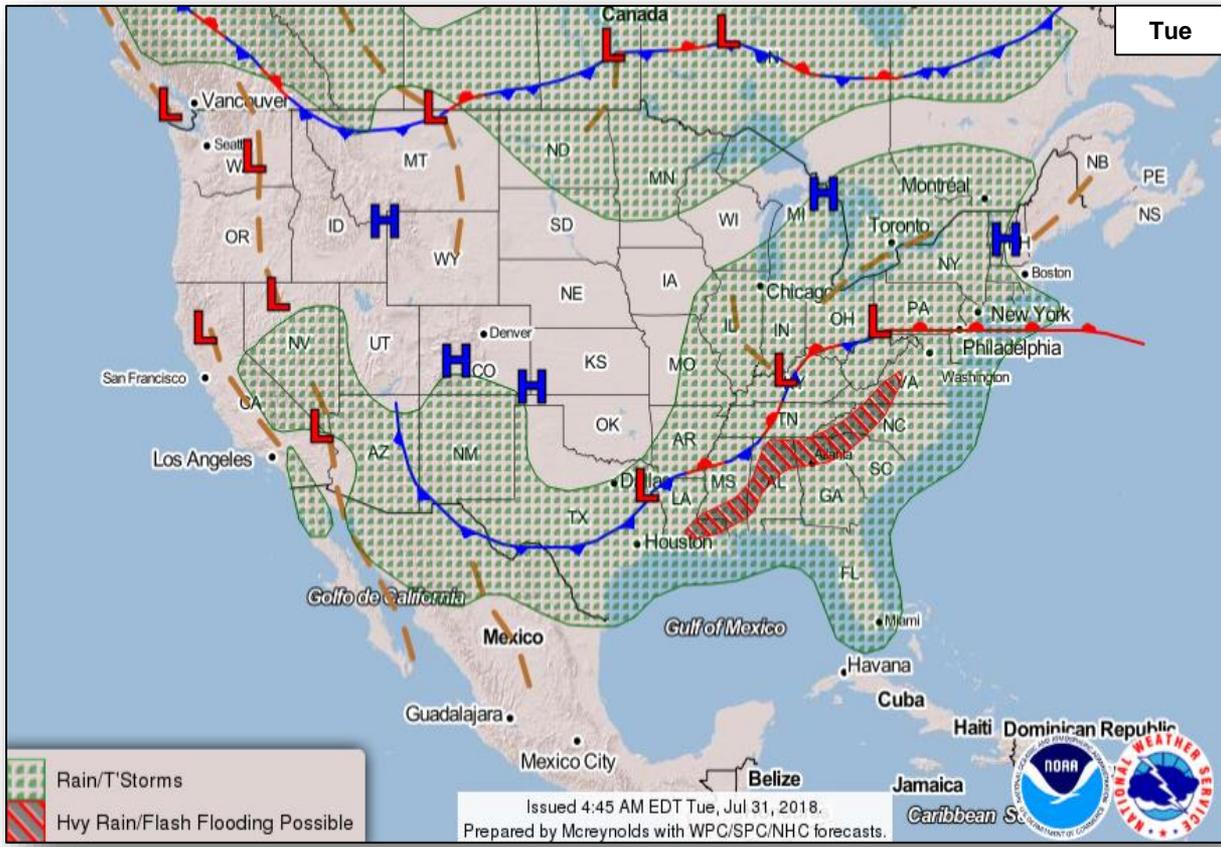


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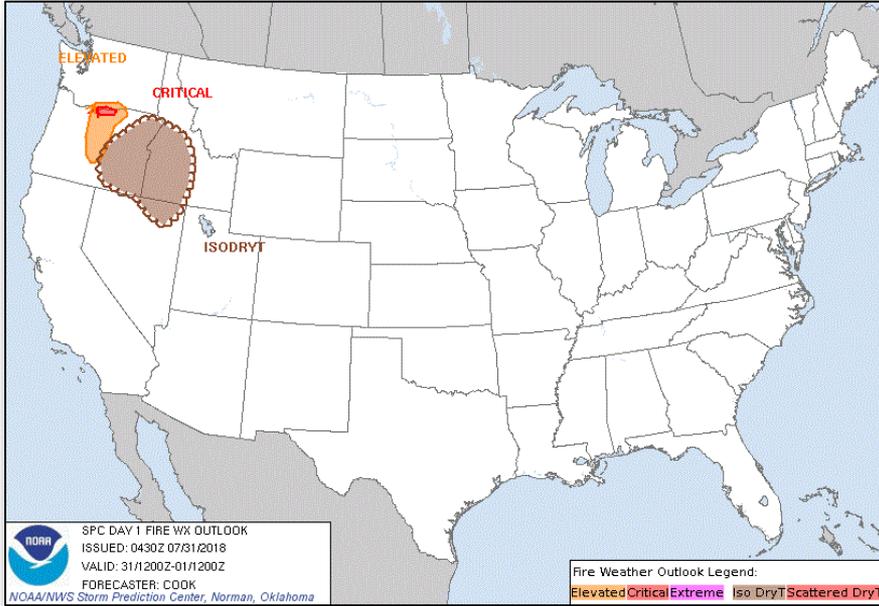
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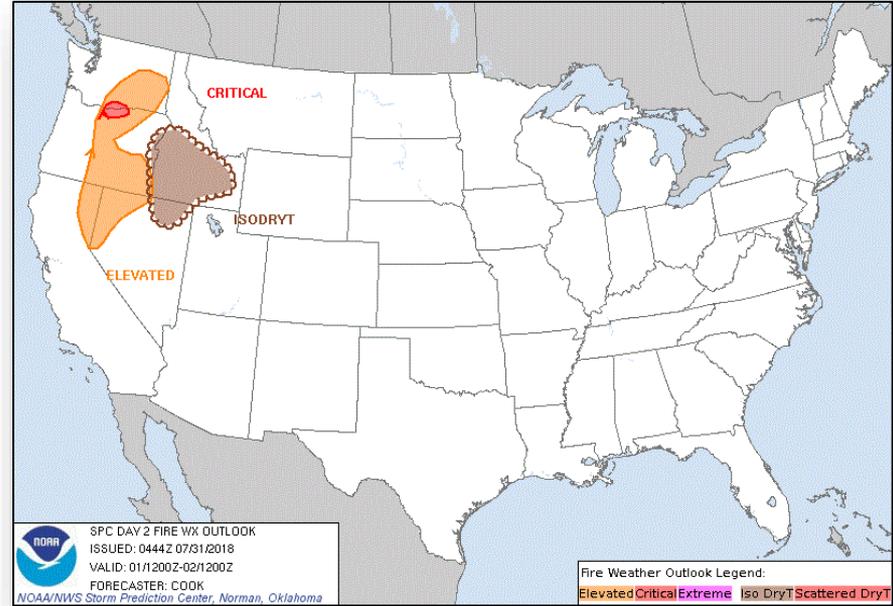
Fire Weather Outlook



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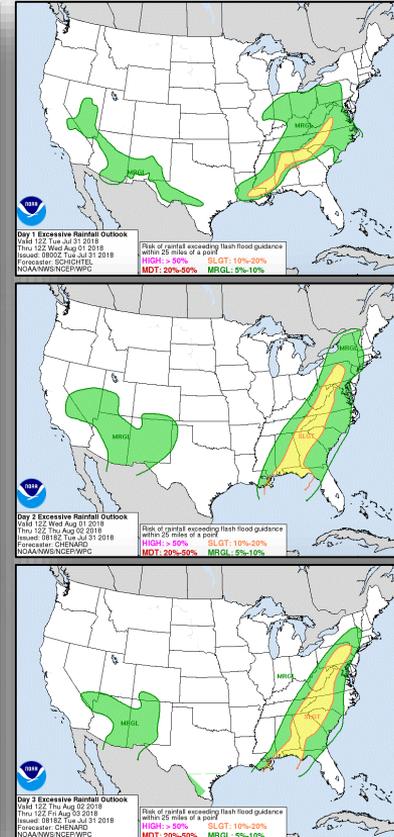
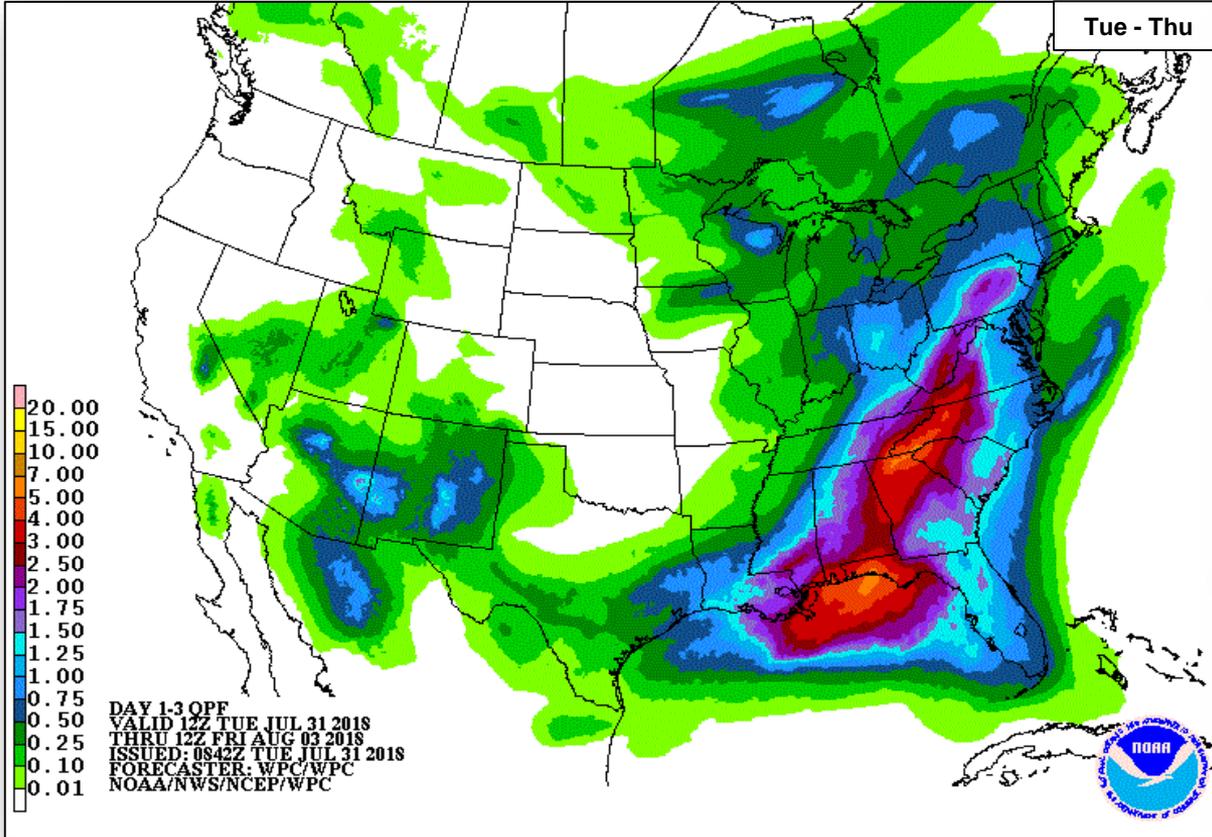


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Precipitation / Excessive Rainfall Forecast



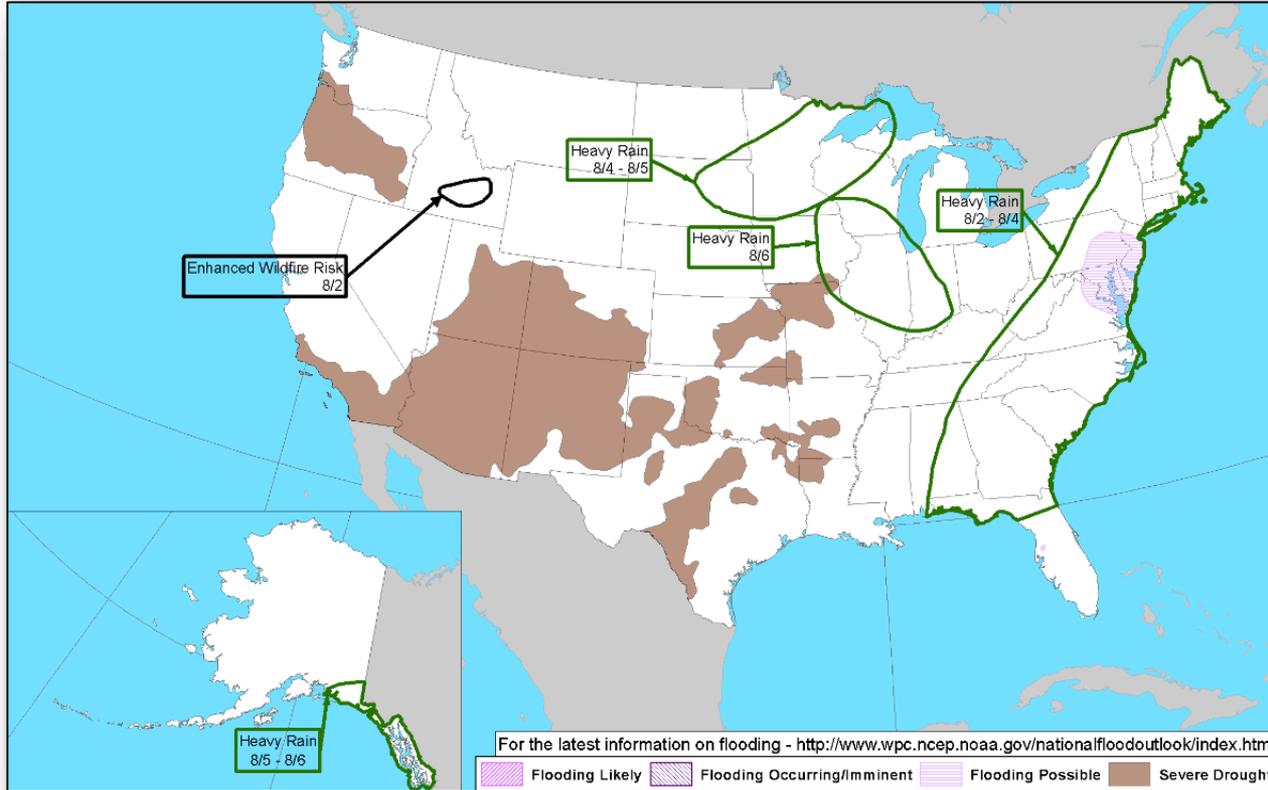
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Hazards Outlook – Aug 2-6



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Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA / PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
V	MN	Flooding June 15 – July 8, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	28 & 3 Tribes*	2	7/19 – TBD
VI	NM	Flooding July 5, 2018 and continuing	IA	4	0	7/31 – TBD
			PA	0	0	N/A
VII	NE	Severe Storms and Flooding June 1 – July 1, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	10	0	7/25 – TBD
VIII	CRIR** (SD)	Severe Storms, Wind, and Hail June 29 -July 4, 2018	IA	1	0	7/30 – TBD
			PA	1	0	7/30 – TBD

*Red Lake Nation, White Earth Nation, and Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe
 **Cheyenne River Indian Reservation (Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe)

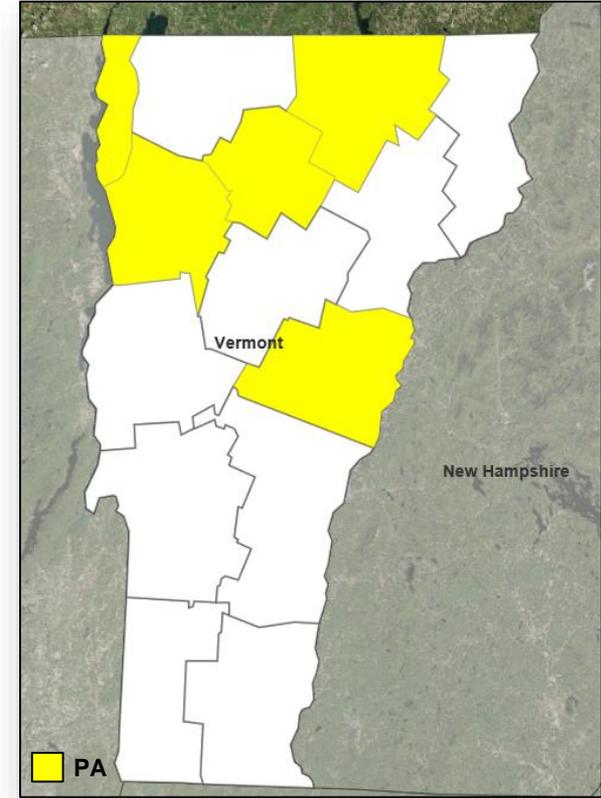
Declaration Approved



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FEMA-4380-DR-VT

- The President approved a Major Disaster Declaration on July 30, 2018, for the State of Vermont
- For a Severe Storm and Flooding that occurred May 4-5, 2018
- Provides:
 - Public Assistance for five counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is James N. Russo



Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
7	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	1	0
SD – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	June 14, 2018		
MT – DR Flooding		X	X	June 18, 2018		
VT – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	June 21, 2018	Declared July 30, 2018	
LA – DR Flooding		X	X	June 29, 2018		
AK – DR Flooding		X	X	June 28, 2018		
CT – DR Severe Storm, Tornado, and Straight-line Winds	X	X	X	July 9, 2018		
MI – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	X	X	X	July 9, 2018		
WI – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding		X	X	July 20, 2018		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



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Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability
IM Workforce	11,739 ▼	4,182 ▲ 36%	4,172 ▼	3,385	EHP 10% (38/393); HM 22% (214/964); OPS 21% (53/251); PA 13% (241/1,835); SAF 6% (3/53); SEC 8% (8/102)
National IMATs* (3 Teams)	East 1: B-48 East 2: Charlie West: B-2				<div data-bbox="608 245 879 453"> <p>4351-DR-AK 4369-DR-AK VJFO: Anchorage, AK FCO: Thomas J. Dargan</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1130 245 1265 322"> <p>4347-DR-KS 4375-DR-NE VJFO: C. Johnson-Cage VJFO: Kansas City, MO</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1284 245 1439 333"> <p>4360-DR-OH FCO: Steven W. Johnson 4363-DR-IN FCO: David G. Samaniego VJFO: Chicago, IL</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1458 245 1613 300"> <p>4368-DR-NJ JFO: Colts Neck, NJ FCO: Lai Sun Yee</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1767 245 1883 365"> <p>Field Offices ★ JFOs: 14 DRs: 35 EMs: 2 Deployed Teams (Location)</p> </div>
Regional IMATs (4 - 6 Teams)	Assigned: 13 Available: 5 PMC / NMC: 4 Deployed: 4				
US&R (≥ 66%)	Assigned: 28 Available: 28 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 0				<div data-bbox="608 464 801 584"> <p>3398-EM-CA JFO: TBD FCO: William Roche</p> <p>R-IX IMAT-2 (Sacramento) FSA: Redding Municipal Airport ISB Team Alpha (FSA) LNOs (SEOC & Shasta Co. EOC)</p> </div>
MERS (≥ 66%)	Assigned: 36 Available: 35 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 1				
FCO (≤ 1 Type I)	Assigned: 33 Available: 13 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 20				<div data-bbox="608 758 859 889"> <p>4373-DR-OK VJFO: Denton, TX FCO: Traci L. Brasher</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1072 802 1207 857"> <p>4377-DR-TX JFO: Austin, TX FCO: Jerry S. Thomas</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1323 802 1516 889"> <p>4337-DR-FL 4341-DR-STOF – Closing Jul 31 3395-EM-FL – Closing Jul 31 JFO: Orlando, FL FCO: Allan L. Jarvis</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1709 835 1864 889"> <p>4362-DR-AL JFO: Anniston, AL FCO: Thomas J. McCool</p> </div>
FDRC (≥ 3)	Assigned: 14 Available: 5 PMC / NMC: 1 Deployed: 8				<div data-bbox="608 846 859 955"> <p>4365-DR-HI FCO: Dolph A. Diemont 4366-DR-HI* FCO: Benigno Bern Ruiz JFO: Honolulu, HI</p> <p>R-IX IMAT-1 (JFO)</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1149 900 1304 977"> <p>4377-DR-TX JFO: Austin, TX FCO: Jerry S. Thomas R-VI IMAT-1 (Austin, TX) MERS: Denton (McAllen)</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1323 900 1516 999"> <p>4336-DR-PR 4339-DR-PR JFO: Guaynabo, PR FCO: Michael F. Byrne</p> <p>MERS: Bothell, Denton, Denver, Frederick, Maynard, Thomasville</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1535 900 1883 988"> <p>4335-DR-USVI 4340-DR-USVI JFO: St. Croix, USVI FCO: William L. Vogel</p> </div>

As of 3:00 a.m. EDT July 31, 2018

* **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				
HLT (1 Team)	Activated				
RWC / MOCs (10 Regions)	Steady State				
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available				

Backup Regions: VIII, IV, and X



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