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Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, December 31, 2016

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Dec 30-31



Significant Events: None

Significant Weather:

- Heavy Snow Southern CA, Northern Intermountain and Central Appalachians
- Snow Cascades, Upper Mississippi Valley, & from the Southern Appalachians to the Northeast
- Rain/snow Pacific Northwest, Southern CA, Southwest and Ohio Valley
- Thunderstorms Southwest and Southern Plains to Lower Mississippi Valley
- Rain Pacific Northwest, Southeast to Tennessee Valley
- Space Weather Past 24 hours none; next 24 hours none

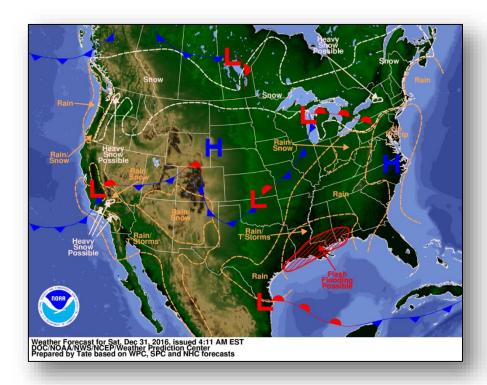
Tropical Activity Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

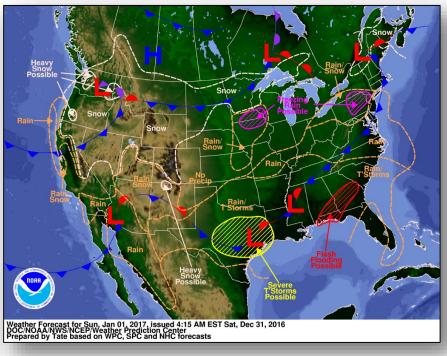
Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity: None

National Weather Forecast



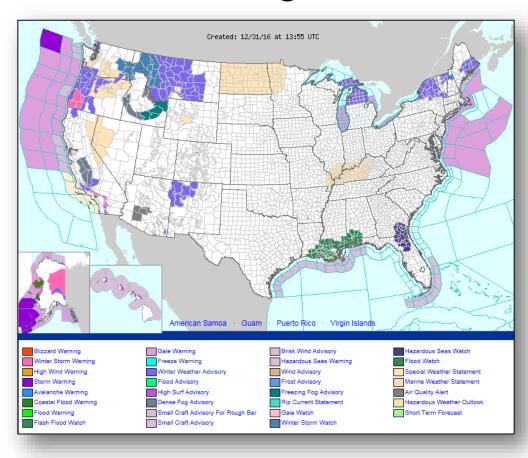




Today Tomorrow

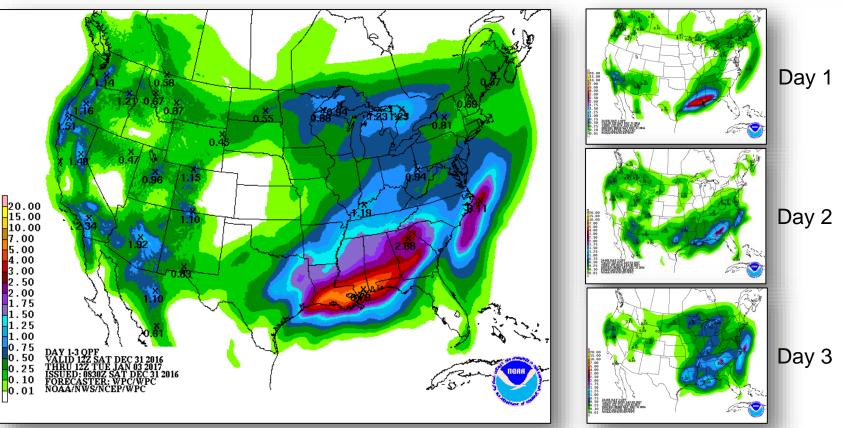
Active Watches and Warnings





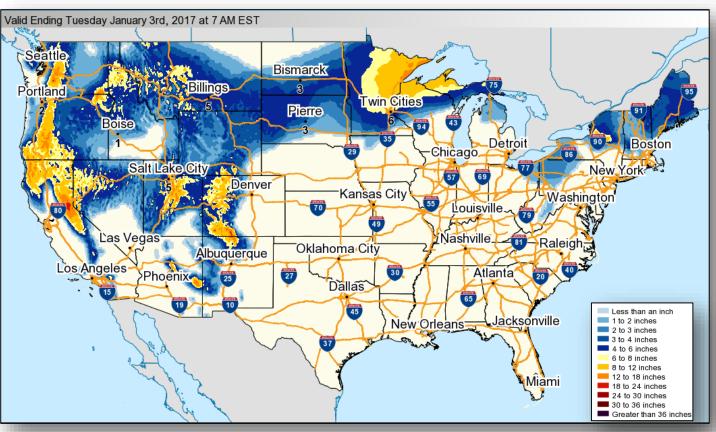
Precipitation Forecast – Days 1-3





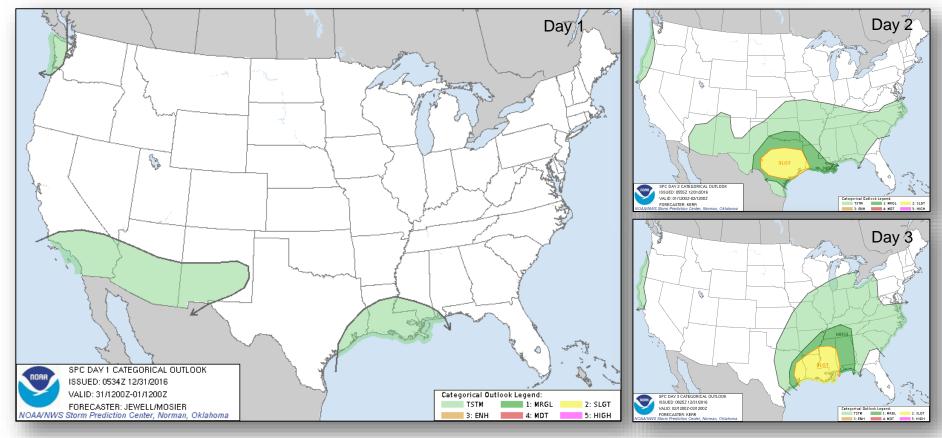
Forecast Snowfall – Days 1-3





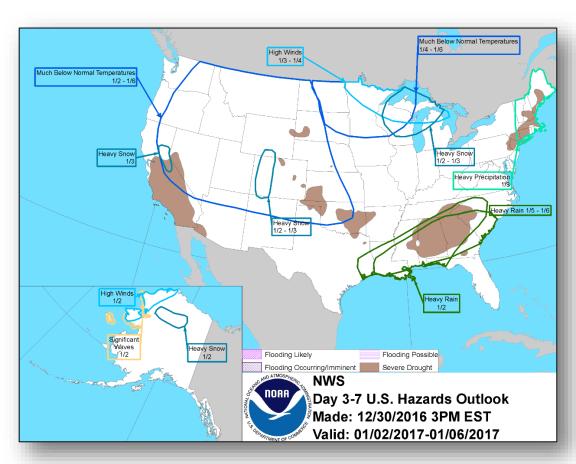
Severe Weather Outlook – Days 1-3





Hazards Outlook – Jan 2-6



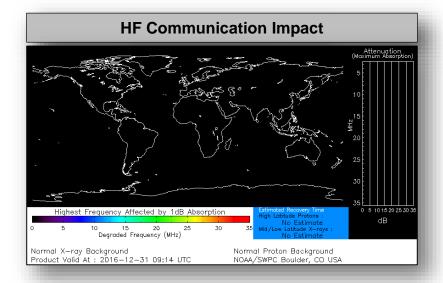


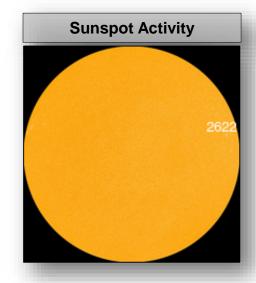
Space Weather



	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





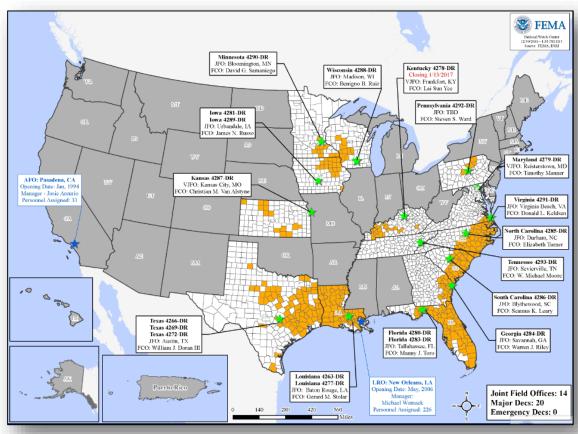
Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
2	Date Requested	0	0
KS – EM (Appeal) Fire and Explosion	December 20, 2016		
Newtok Village (Yupik Tribe, Bethel Borough, AK) – DR flooding, persistent erosion, and permafrost degradation	December 24, 2016		

Open Field Offices





Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Status	Total	FN Avai		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criteria	
National IMAT		3	2	66%	0	0	1	West: Primary (B2) through Feb 1 East 2 to LA (DR-4277)	Green: >3 Teams Available Yellow: 1 - 2 Teams Available Red: 0 Teams Available N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs or Team Leader unavailable for deployment	
Regional IMAT		13	7	54%	0	1	5	Region IV-2: Reconstituting – FMC Jan 6 <u>Deployed:</u> Region III to VA (DR-4291) Region IV-1 to NC (DR-4285) Region V to MN (DR-4290) Region VI-1 to TN (DR-4293) Region VII to IA (DR-4281)	Green > 6 Teams Available Yellow: 4 - 6 Teams Available Red: 0 - 4 Teams Available R-IMAT also red if TL or Ops / Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement	
FCO		35	4	12%	0	7	24		OCD Readiness FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1	
FDRC		11	4	36%	0	2	5		Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4+ 3 2 FDRC 3 2 1	
US&R		28	28	100%	0	0	0		Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available	
MERS		18	17	94%	0	0	1	Assets are Supporting: Bothell to NV (SEAR-2: 2017 NYE, Las Vegas) Bothell to CA (SEAR-2: Rose Parade/Bowl, Pasadena)	Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available	

Readiness – National and Regional Teams



Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available				Not Available	Status	Comments	Rating Criteria
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Watch / Steady State			
NRCC		2	2	100%	0	0	Not Activated	Gold Team through Feb 1		
HLT		1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated		• Green = FMC • Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC	
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated	Region II will activate to Enhanced Watch at 8:00 p.m. on December 31, 2016 (New Year activities)		
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated			



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