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Daily Operations Briefing

Sunday, January 24, 2016

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity: Jan 23-24



Significant Events: Winter Storm – Eastern U.S.

Significant Weather:

- Snow – Pacific Northwest, northern California, Northern Intermountain Central Great Basin, Southwest, Rockies, Northern/Central Plains, Upper Mississippi Valley, Great Lakes & Northeast
- Rain – Pacific Northwest, northern California, Southwest, Southern Rockies, Central/Southern Plains & Lower Mississippi Valley
- Red Flag Warnings / Critical & Elevated Fire Weather conditions – Southern/Eastern New Mexico & Western Texas (Critical)
- Space weather: Past 24 hours – None; next 24 hours – None

Declaration Activity: None

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Winter Storm/Coastal Flooding – Eastern U.S.



Situation:

- Major winter storm conditions ending for East Coast this morning. Initial snow measurements range from 1 to 3 feet from the Central Appalachians to Northeast with coastal wind gusts up to 75 mph reported
- Coastal Flood Warnings remain in effect until noon today for NJ & DE; beach erosion and flooded roadways expected in impacted areas.

State/Local Preparations/Response:

- State of Emergencies declared: [NY](#), SC, VA, PA, MD, WV, NC, KY, TN, NJ, & DC
- EOC Status: DC, VA, [GA](#) & NC Fully Activated; NJ, NY, DE, MD, PA, WV, TN, KY, GA, & MS Partially Activated
- Shelters: 33 open with 41 occupants in 10 States
- [Approx. 2,300 National Guardsman activated across affected area](#)

Federal Response:

- No shortfalls or unmet needs; no requests for FEMA assistance
- FEMA NWC Enhanced Watch
- LNOs deployed to MD, VA, GA, PA, [KY](#), & NC EOCs; Team deployed to DCHSEMA
 - FEMA HQ Logistics: LMD personnel deployed to MCC in DC; ISB personnel deployed to FSA at JB Anacostia-Bolling
 - MERS personnel and 2 MCOVs deploying to support ISB team and FSA operations
- USACE postured to support temporary power requirements as required



Photo Credit: FEMA-NWC



Coastal flooding, 22nd & NY Ave, North Wildwood, NJ

Photo Credit: North Wildwood, NJ Police Department

Winter Storm/Coastal Flooding – Eastern U.S.



Impacts:

- 4K+ flight cancellations & 4k+ delays at airports from DC to NY. 86K customer without power across FEMA Regions I-IV. Numerous local, state & Interstate road closures

Region II

- Storm related fatalities/injuries: 3 (NY, unconfirmed)
- Power Outages: 23K (-38K); NJ – 22K
- Evacuations: NJ – Mandatory for Barnegat Township; voluntary for Towns of Berkley, Tuckerton, Manasquan, Brick and Toms River; media reports of 100+ water rescues in Atlantic City
- Travel ban lifted at 7 a.m.; all bridges into & out of NYC now open & mass transit resuming service

Region III

- Storm related fatalities/injuries: 3 (VA, confirmed)
- Power Outages: 2K (-35K)
- MD: I-70 to I-81 & I-270 from I-495 to I-270 re-opened at 6 a.m.; VA: I-77 reopened after 120 tractor trailers stuck in snow, I-81 passable
- PA Turnpike has one remaining major closure from MM 134 to MM 138 west of Napier Township; Six buses and unknown number of tractor trailers remain; Local, county & state resources working to clear backlog by this afternoon

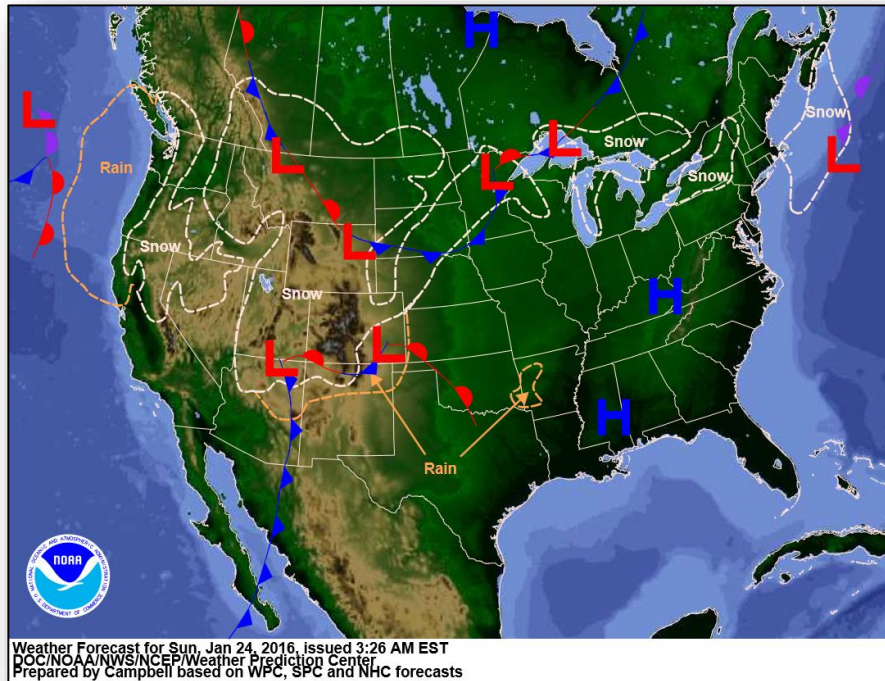
Region IV

- Storm related fatalities/injuries: 10 (+1) (NC: 6 confirmed; KY: 2 unconfirmed; TN: 2 (+1) unconfirmed)
- Power Outages: 61K (-67K); NC – 53K

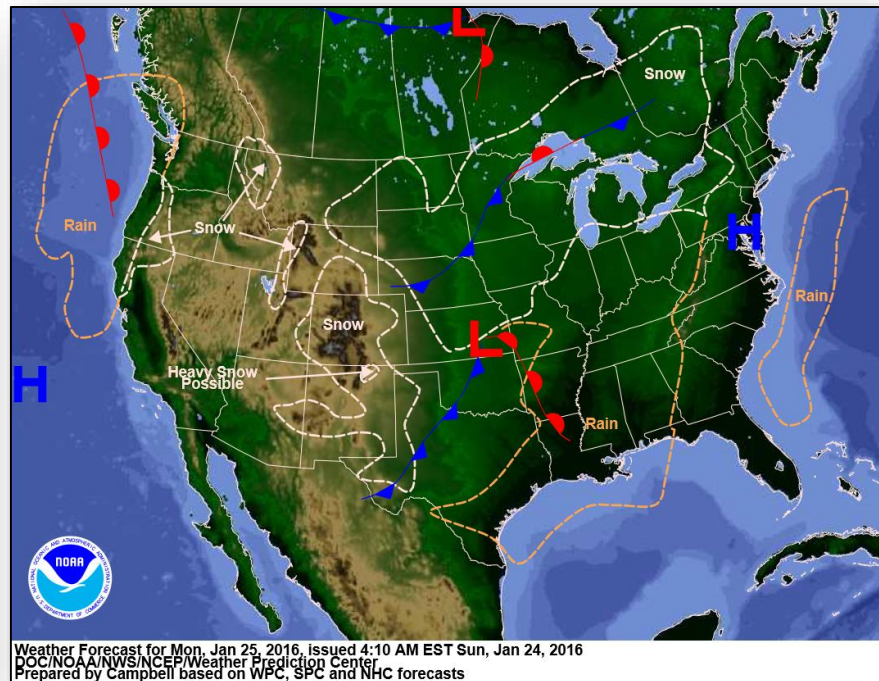


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National Weather Forecast

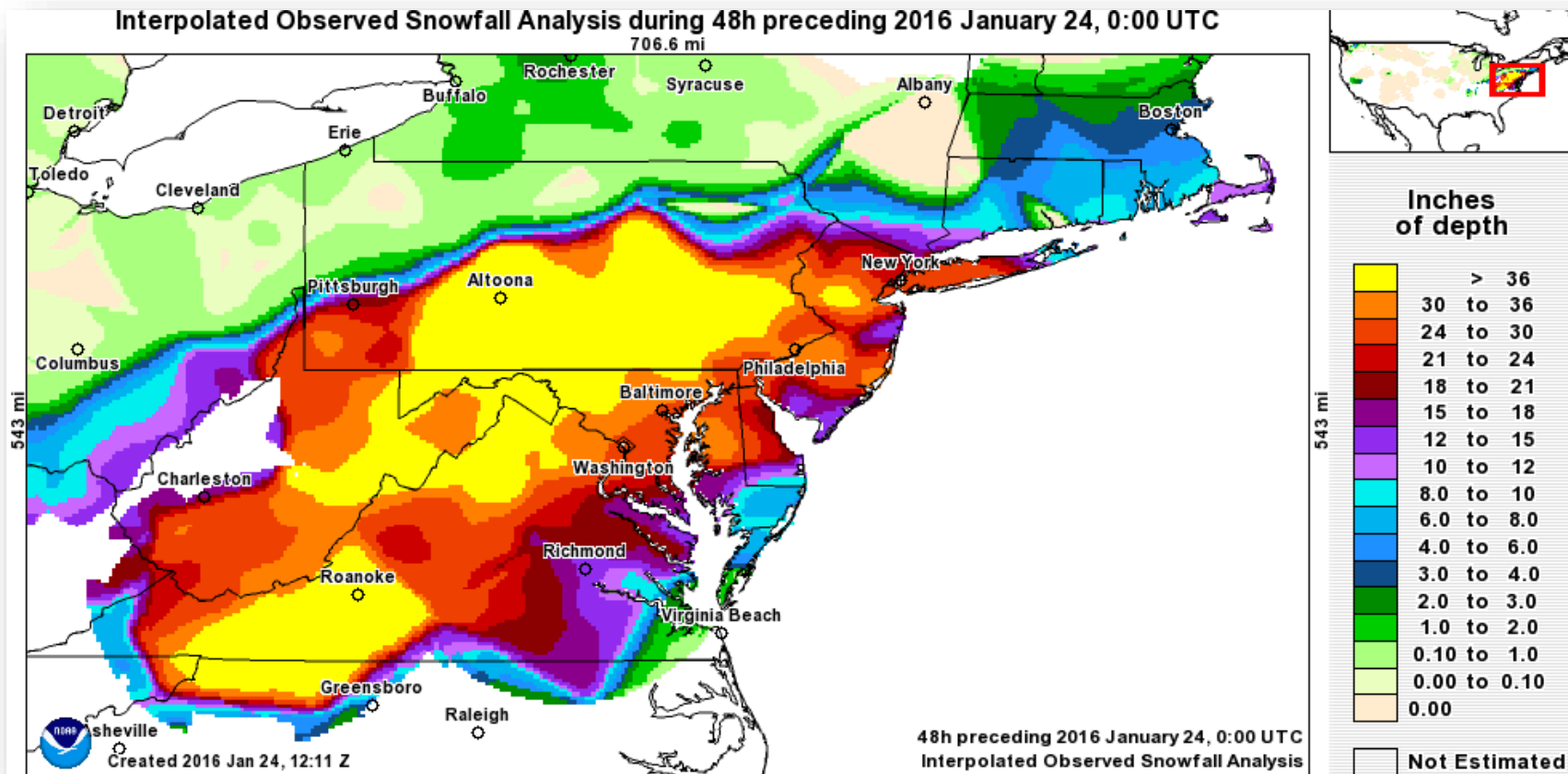


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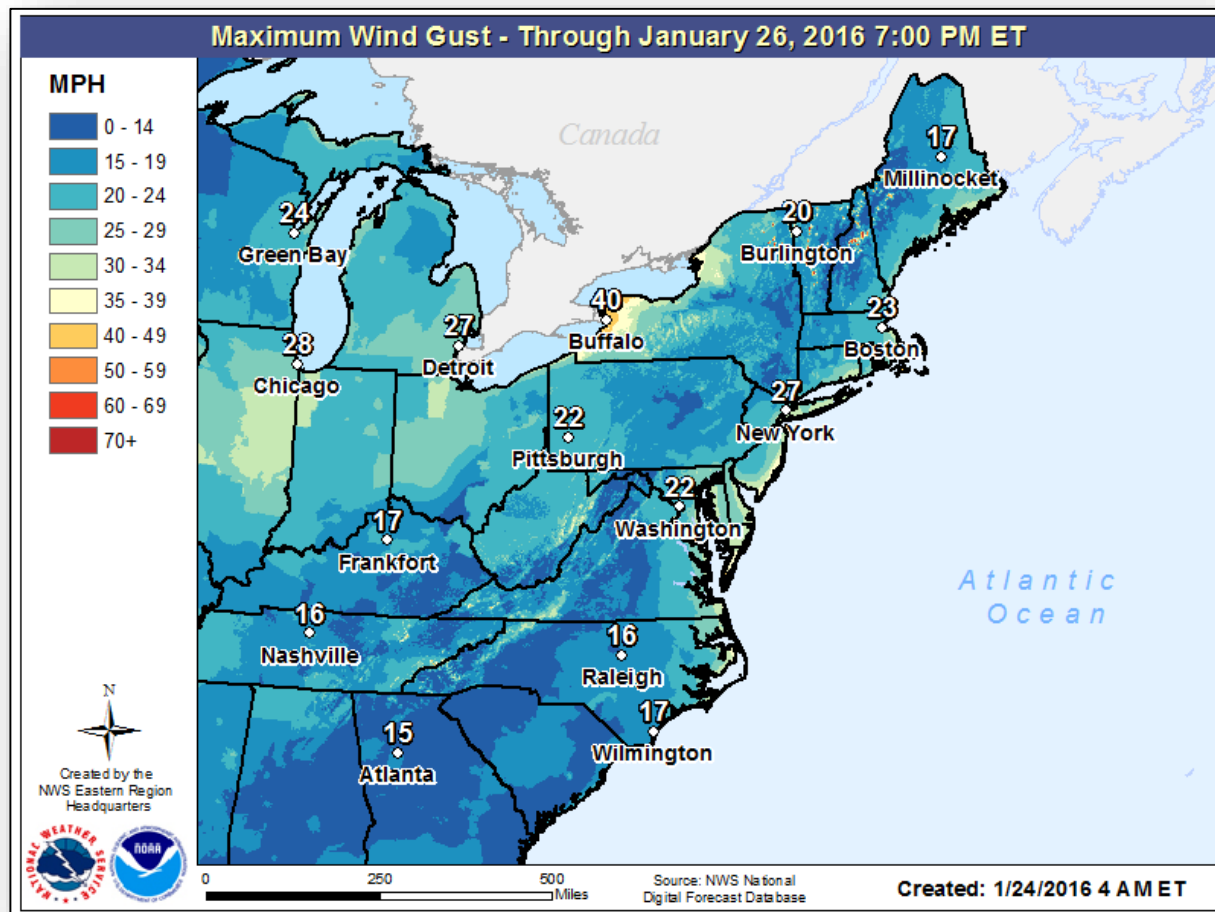
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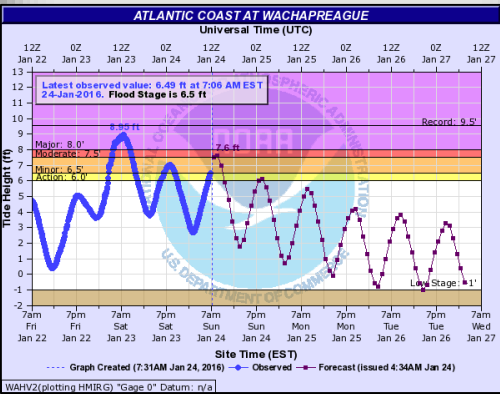
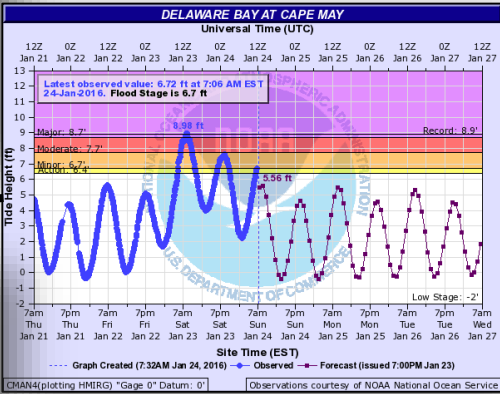
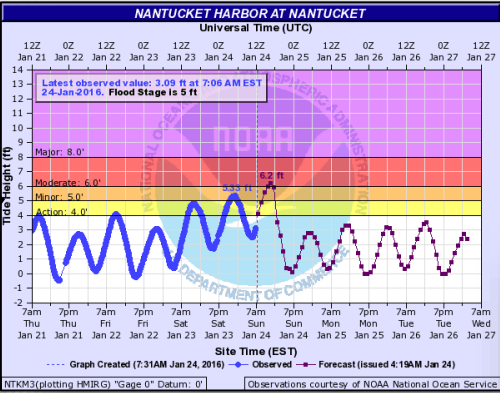
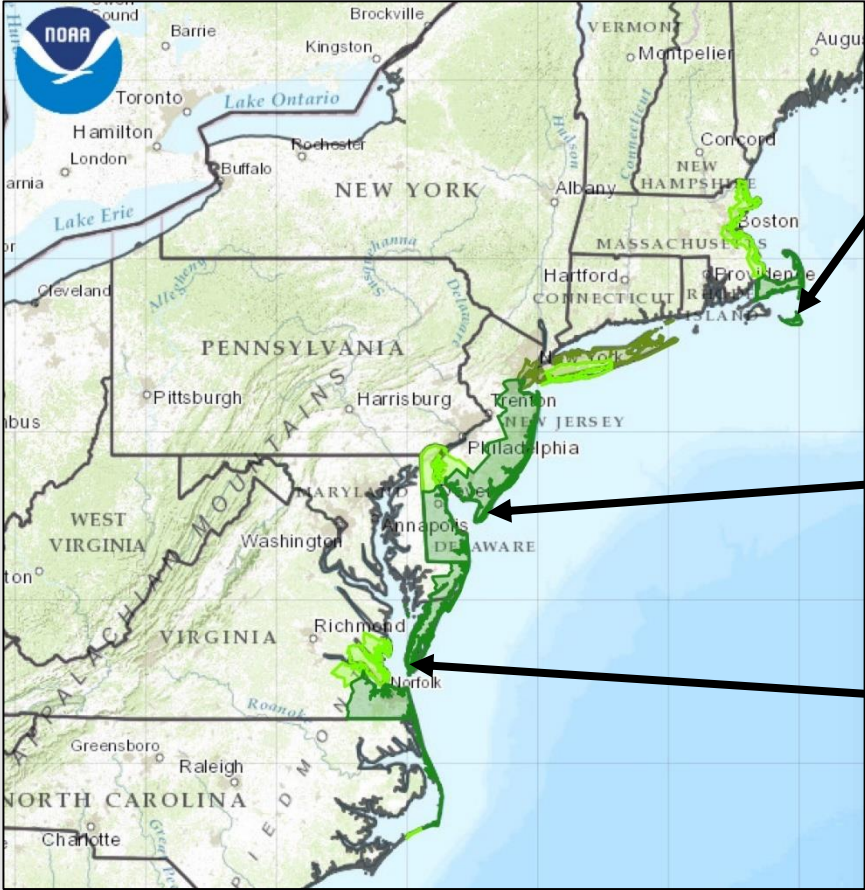
Maximum Forecast Wind Gusts



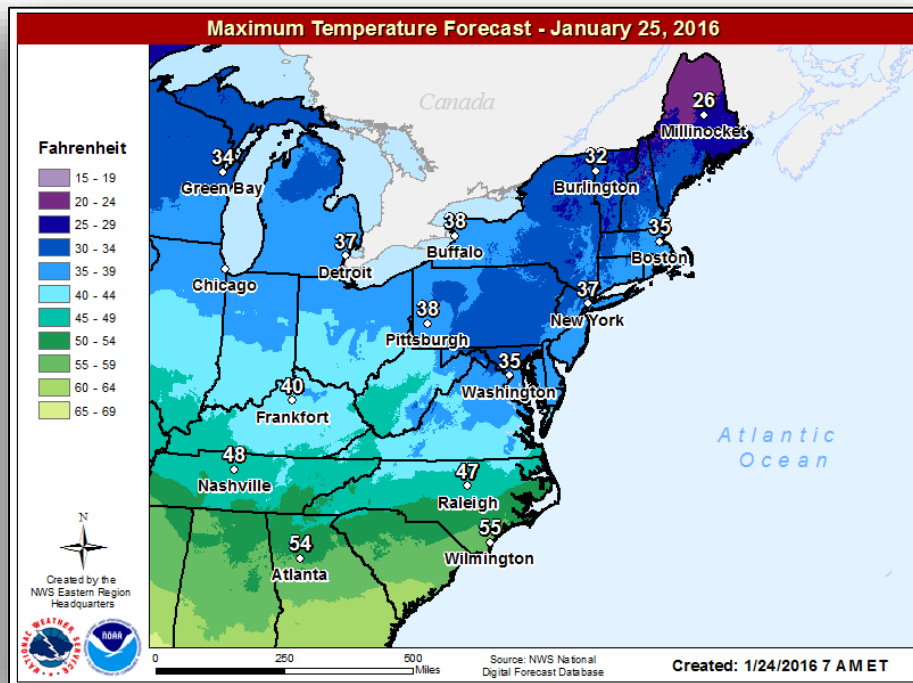
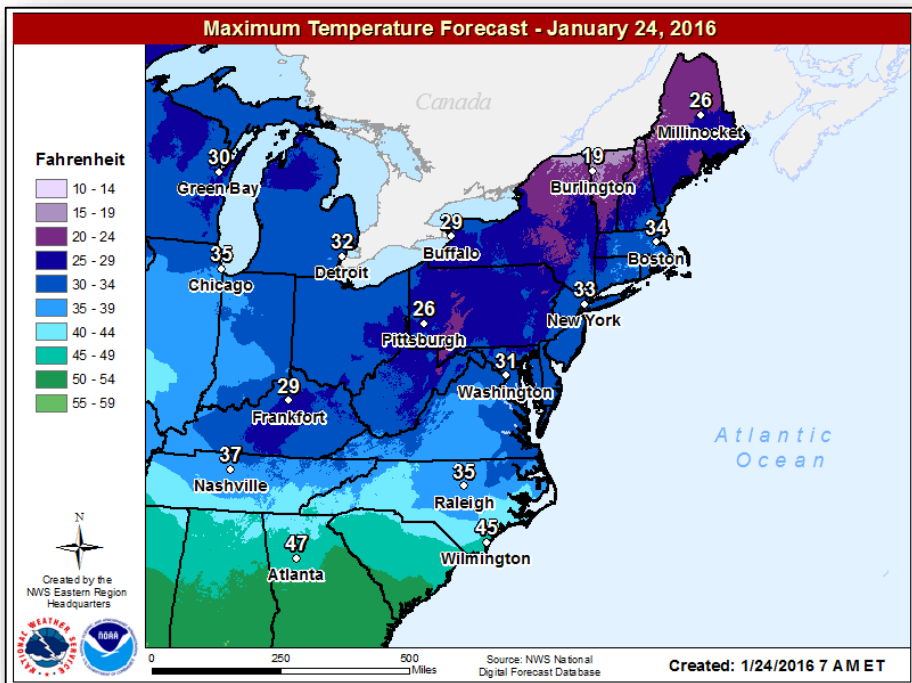
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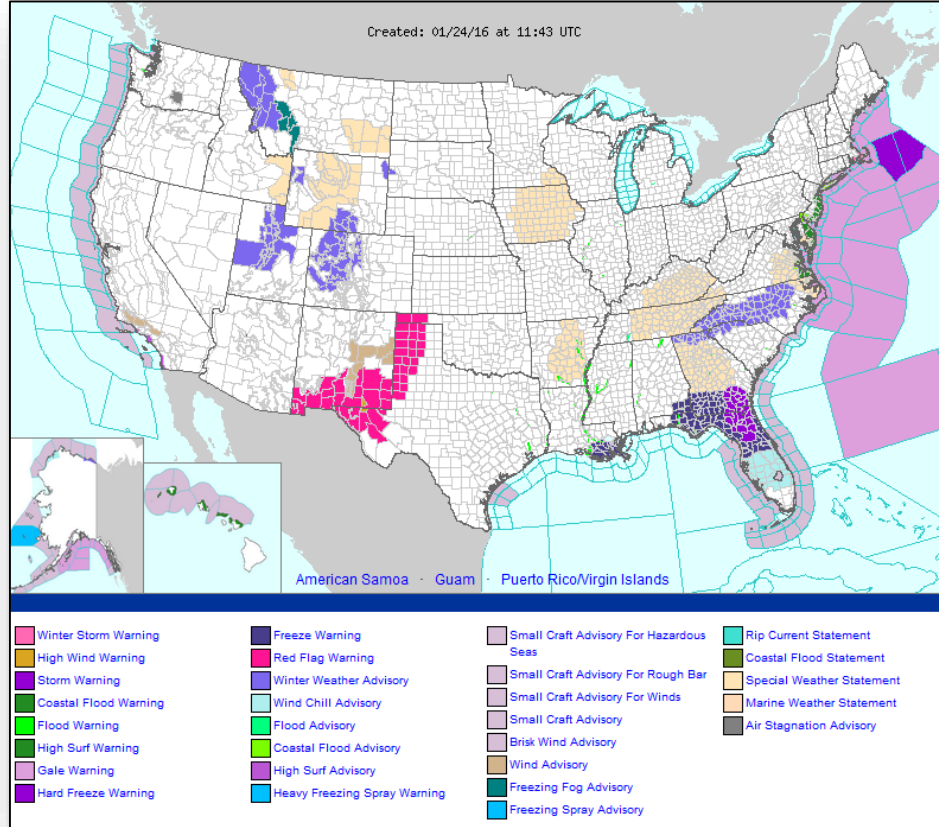
Coastal Flood Warnings and Advisories



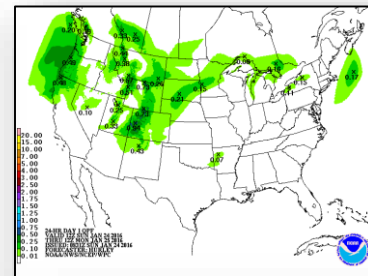
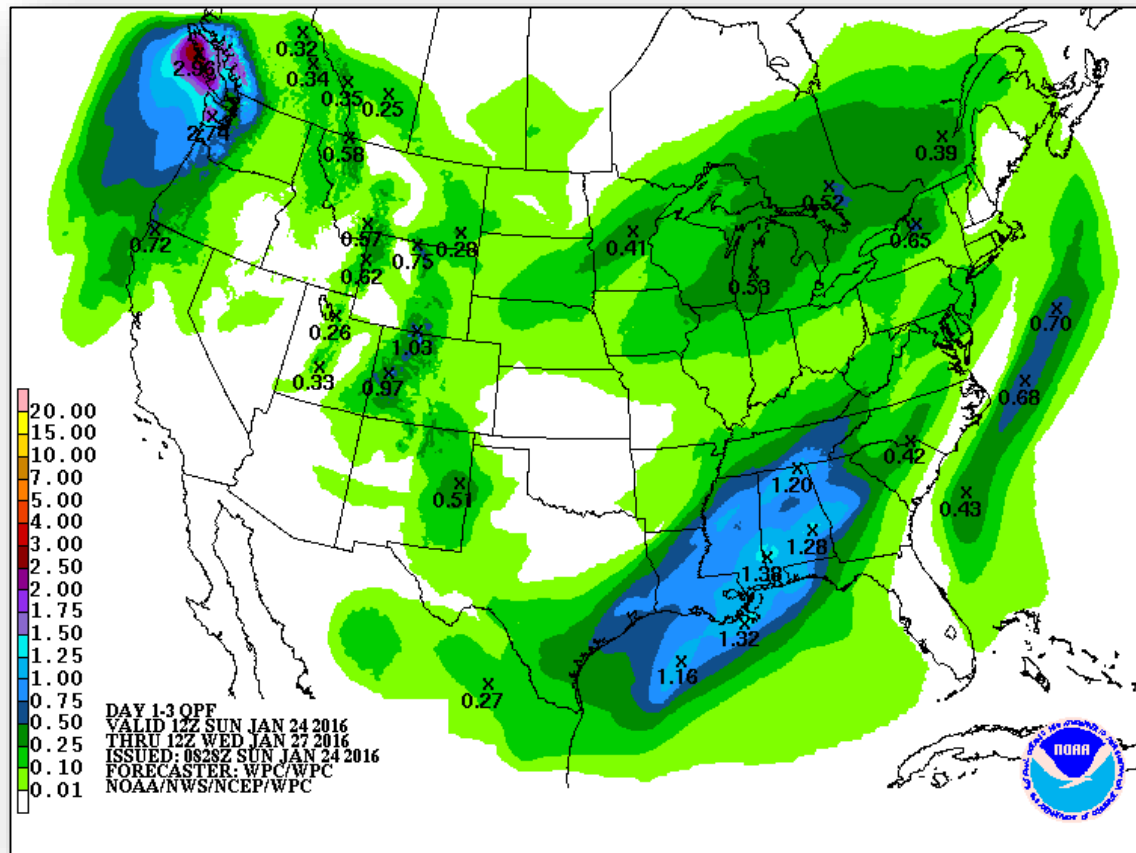
Maximum Temperatures Sunday/Monday



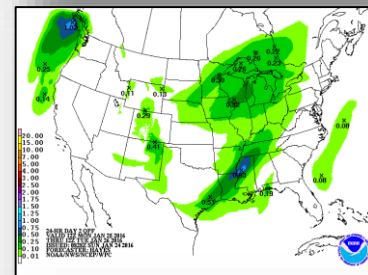
Active Watches/Warnings



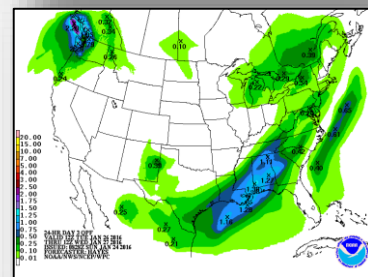
Precipitation Forecast, 1-3 Day



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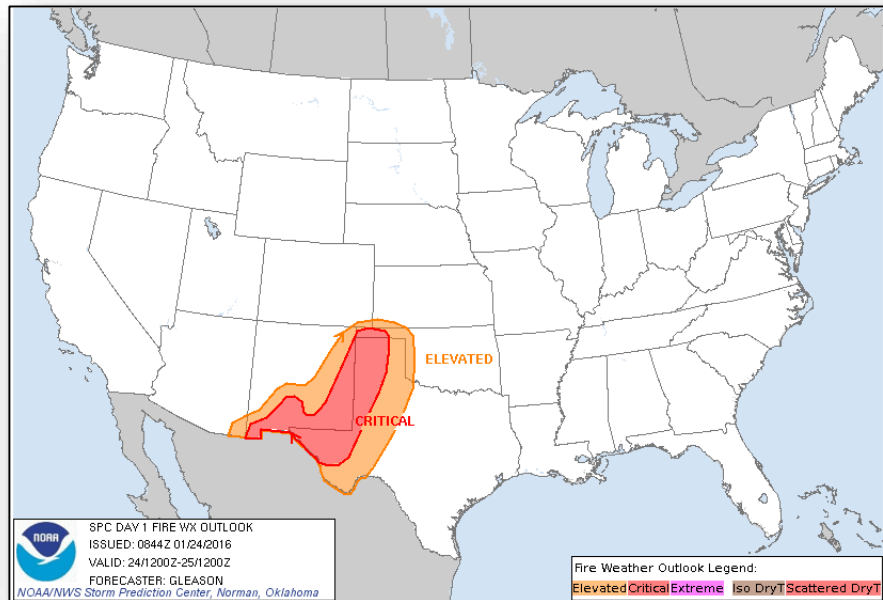


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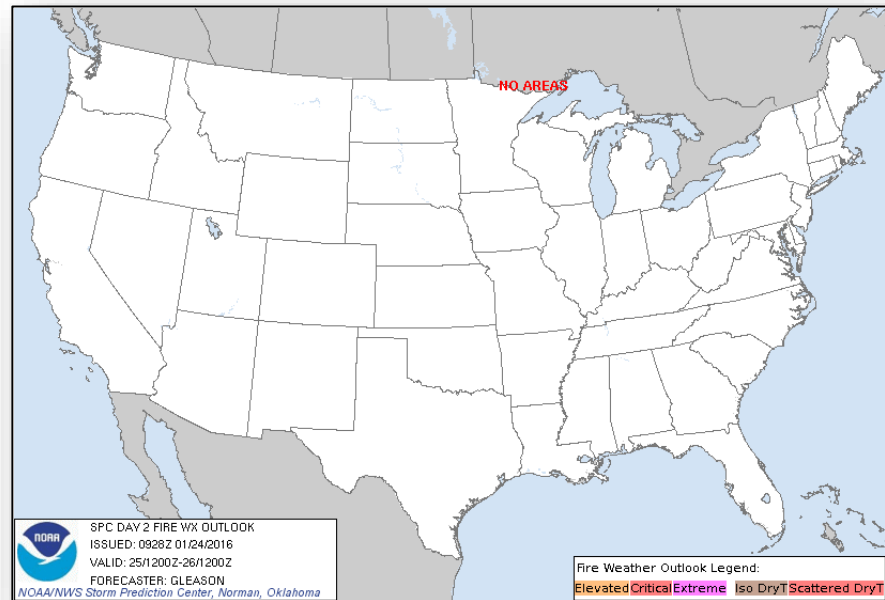


Day 3

Fire Weather Outlook

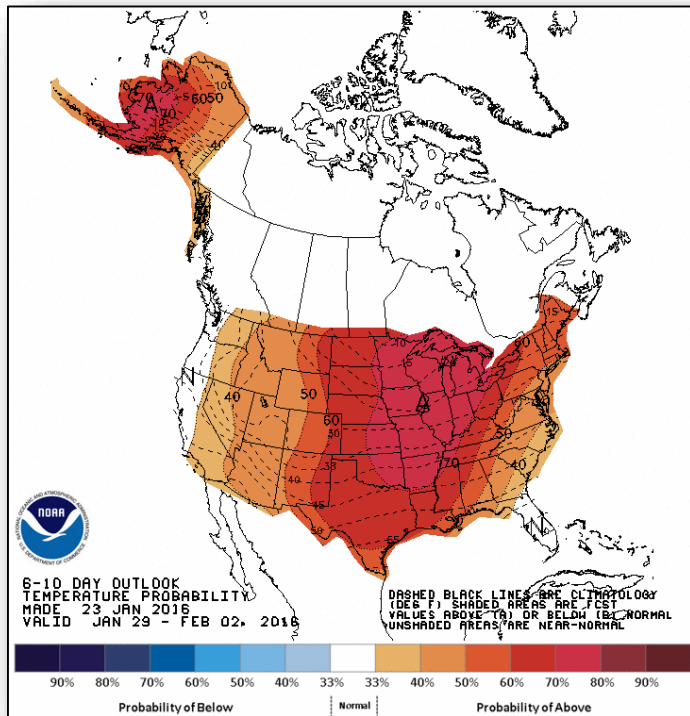


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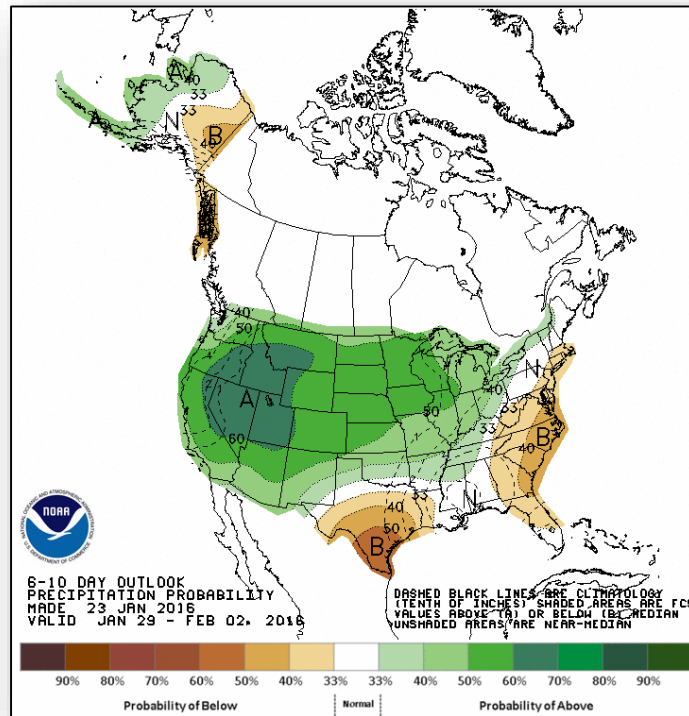


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6-10 Day Outlooks



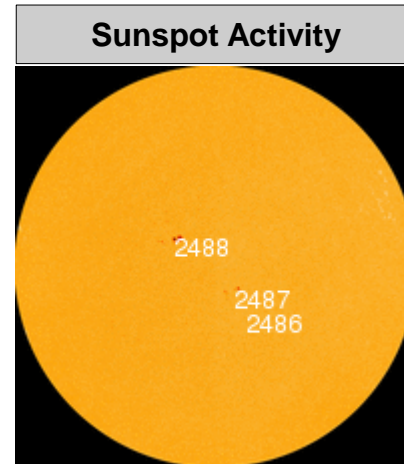
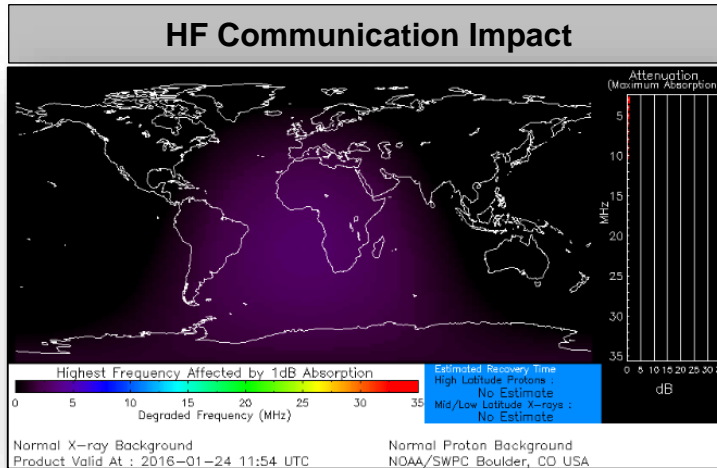
Temperature Probability



Precipitation Probability

Space Weather

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



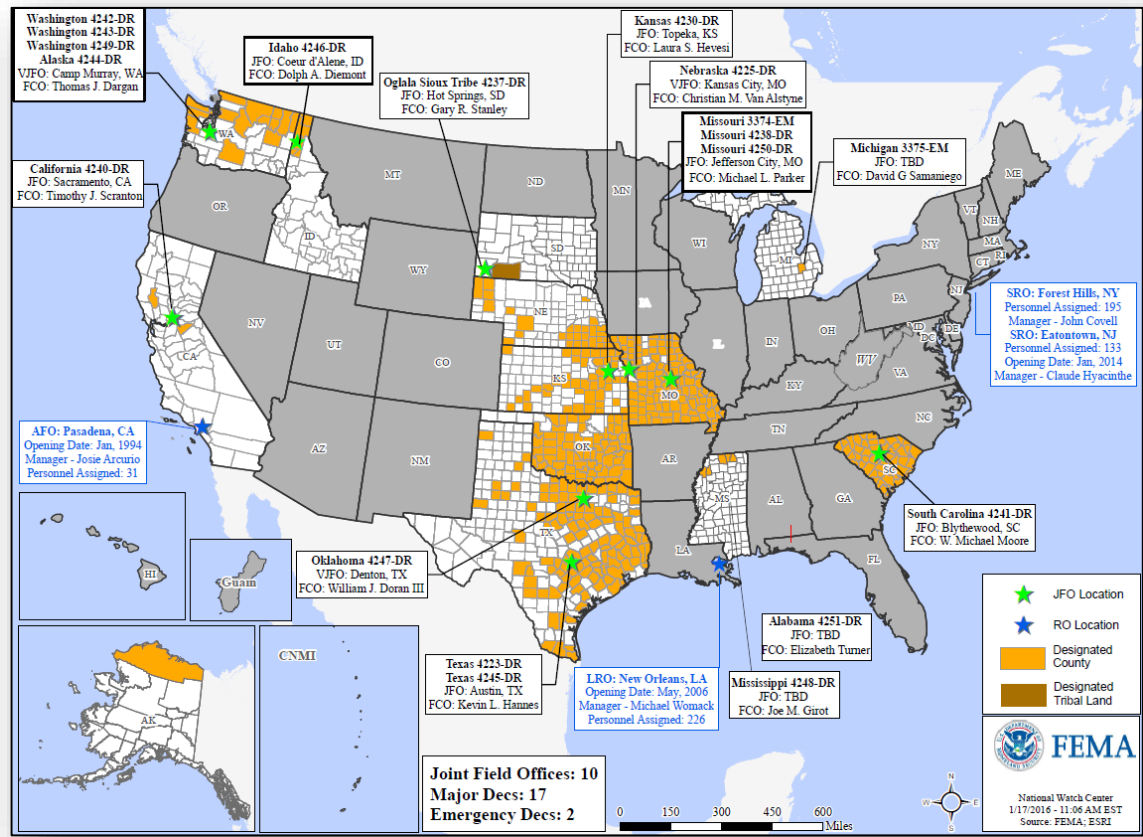
Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
2	Date Requested	0	0
LA – EM Severe Storms & Flooding	January 8, 2016		
ID – DR Severe Winter Storm	January 20, 2016		

Open Field Offices as of January 24



Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
IV	GA	Severe Weather & Flooding December 23, 2015 – continuing	PA	29	16	1/20 – TBD
VI	TX	Severe Storms December 26, 2015 – continuing	IA	6	6	12/30 – 1/6
			PA	22	22	12/31 – 1/22
	AR	Severe Storms & Flooding December 26, 2015 – continuing	IA	19	19	1/11 – 1/21
			PA	41	39	1/6 – TBD
	OK	Severe Winter Storms December 26, 2015 – continuing	IA	9	9	1/19 – 1/22
			PA	41	38	1/5 – TBD
VII	MO	Flooding & Flash Flooding December 22, 2015 – continuing	IA	41	41	1/6 – 1/13
			PA	40	40	1/13 – 1/22

FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets									
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		39	21	54%	0	3	15	Only 2 Type1 FCOs are available	OFDC Readiness: FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4 3 2
FDRC		8	3	38%	0	0	5		FDRC 3 2 1
US&R		28	27	96%	0	1	0	NM-TF1 (Red) - Personnel shortages	• Green = Available/FMC • Yellow = Available/PMC • Red = Out-of-Service • Blue = Assigned/Deployed
National IMAT		3	3	100%	0	0	0	Elements of IMAT East-1 are deployed to the HHS SOC in DC	• Green: 3 avail • Yellow: 1-2 avail • Red: 0 avail (<i>Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.</i>)
Regional IMAT		13	7	54%	0	0	8	<u>Deployed:</u> RIV (Team 2) Deployed to MS RV (Team 1) Deployed to MI RVI (Team 2) Deployed to TX RVII Deployed to MO RIX (Team 2) Deployed to CA RX Deployed to WA <u>Available to re-deploy, as needed:</u> RVIII Deployed to OST, SD RIX (Team 1) Deployed to CA	• 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>
MERS Teams		18	16	89%	0	0	2	1 Team Deployed to MI 1 Team Deployed to DC	• Green = >66% available • Yellow = 33% to 66% available • Red = <33% available

FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



National/Regional Teams									
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Status	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Activated	Enhanced Watch W/Logistics Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green = FMC • Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		
HLT		1	N/A	N/A	0	0	Not Activated		
DEST							Not Activated		
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated	RIII Partial Activation	
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated	RIV Enhanced Watch	



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