



# **FEMA**

## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Wednesday, February 8, 2017**

**8:30 a.m. EST**

# Significant Activity – Feb 7-8



**Significant Events:** Severe weather/tornadoes - Louisiana

**Significant Weather:**

- Freezing rain possible – Pacific Northwest and Northern Intermountain
- Flash flooding possible – northern CA
- Heavy snow possible – Northern Intermountain, Northern Rockies, Southern Appalachians to Mid-Atlantic
- Rain and snow – Pacific Northwest to Northern Plains, Central Great Basin and Central Rockies; Middle Mississippi Valley to Tennessee Valley and Northeast
- Rain and thunderstorms – Tennessee and Ohio valleys to Mid-Atlantic and Southeast
- Rain – Pacific Northwest to central CA
- Snow – Central Palins to Great Lakes
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather – Central/Southern Plains

**Space Weather:** Past 24 hours: none; next 24 hours: none

**Tropical Activity:** No activity affecting U.S. interests

**Earthquake Activity:** No significant activity

**Declaration Activity:**

- Amendment No. 3 to FEMA-4297-DR-GA

# Severe Weather/Tornadoes - Louisiana



## Situation

- Severe thunderstorms occurred late Tuesday morning through evening, particularly in southeastern LA
- Preliminary reports: 9 tornadoes, 62 wind, and 20 hail, with greatest impacts in Jefferson, Livingston, and Orleans parishes

## Impacts

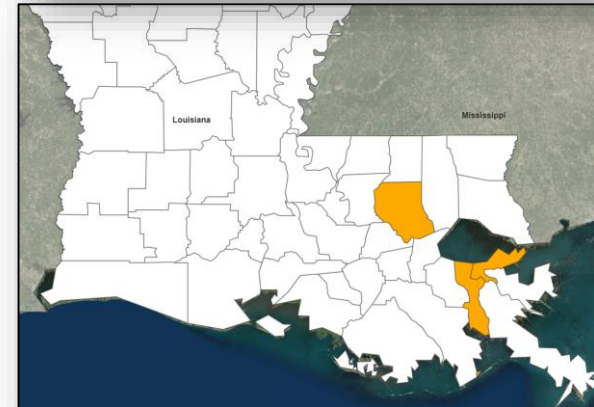
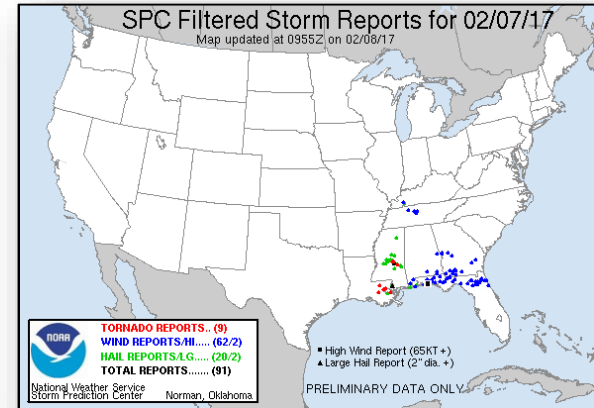
- Initial/unconfirmed reports of 25 injuries; no fatalities
- 60 homes/structures damaged or destroyed, primarily in southern LA
- 2 schools sustained heavy damage in Orleans Parish
- National Finance Center (NFC) damaged; operations relocated to alternate site
- NASA Michoud Facility damaged; operations shut down for remainder of the week
- 2 shelters open with 50 occupants (*ARC midnight shelter count as of 4:31 am EST*)
- Power outages: 7k customers (peak 22k) in LA; 1k in TX; 30k throughout FEMA Region IV (*DOE Eagle-I, as of 5:15 am EST. \*Note: Customer outage data is provided by the Department of Energy's EAGLE-I system. Comprehensive National coverage of all electrical service providers is not available.*)

## State Response

- LA Governor declared a State of Emergency
- LA EOC at Level III (Monitoring); City of New Orleans established EOC
- Search and rescue teams conducting secondary door-to-door searches and initial damage assessments
- GOHSEP obtaining water and MREs from National Guard facility in Slidell, LA; National Guard transporting these supplies to Orleans Parish (pop 344k)

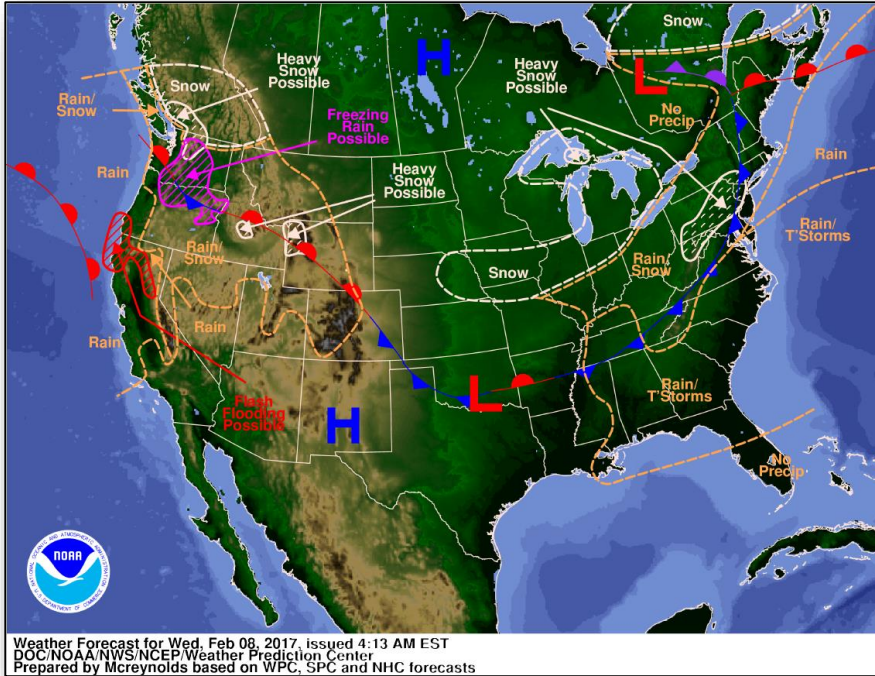
## Federal Response

- FEMA Region VI RWC at Enhanced Watch (24/7)
- FEMA Region VI LNO deployed to LA EOC

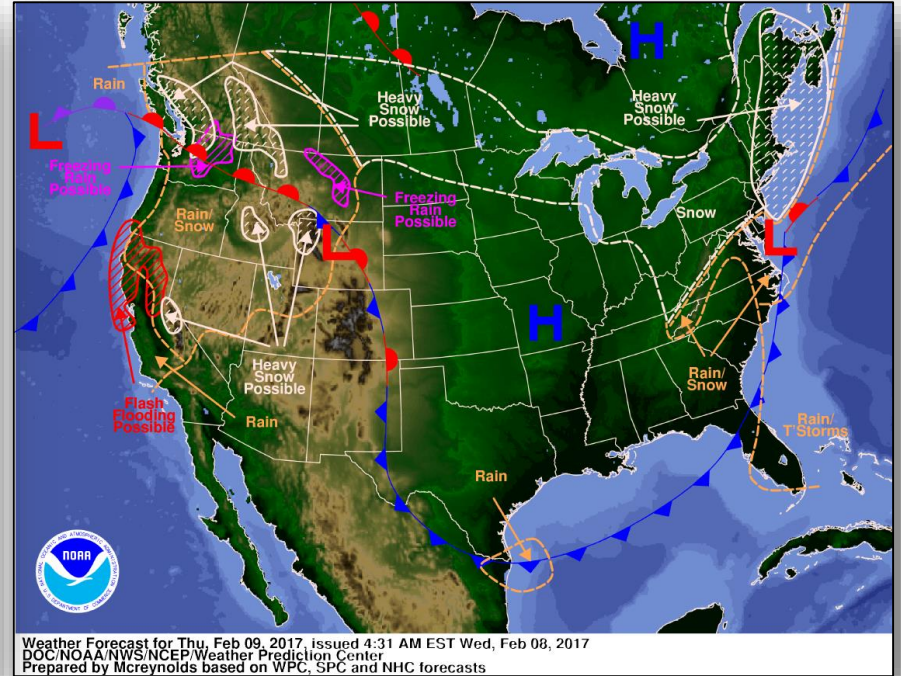


Most significantly Impacted parishes

# National Weather Forecast



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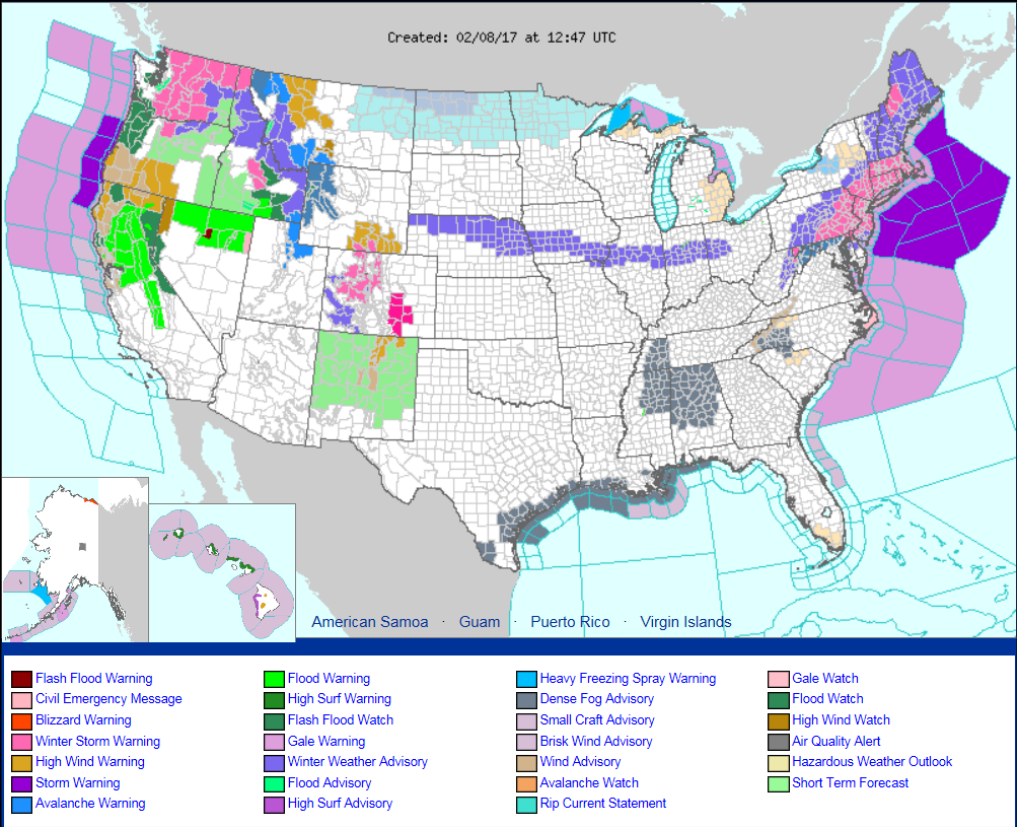


*Tomorrow*

# Active Watches and Warnings



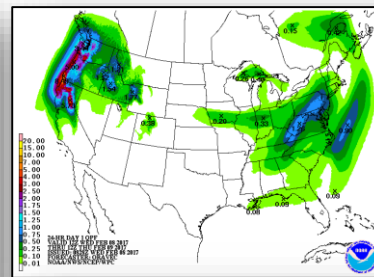
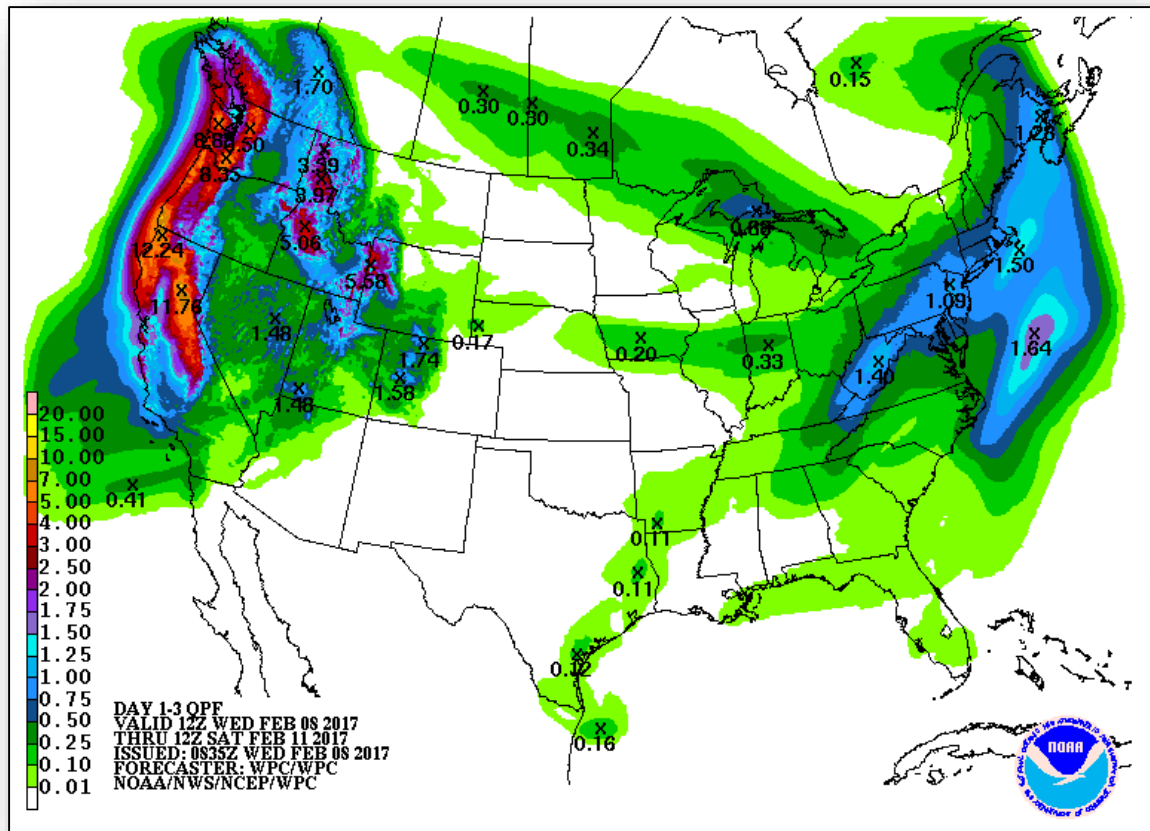
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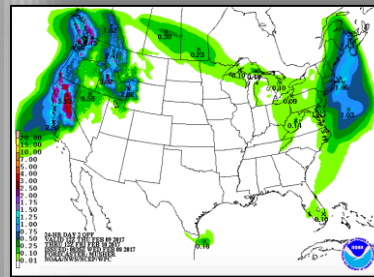
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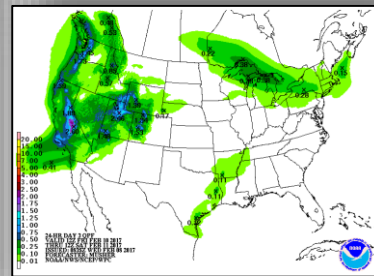
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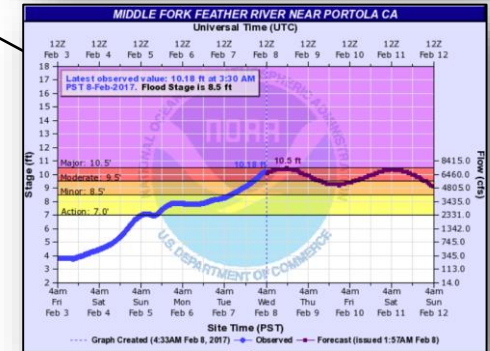
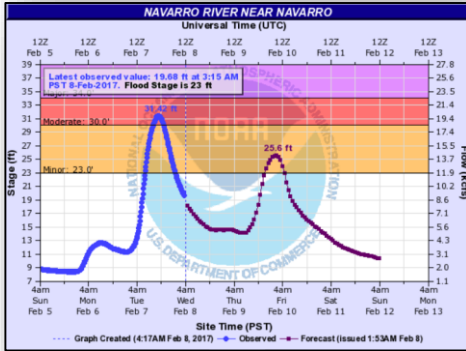
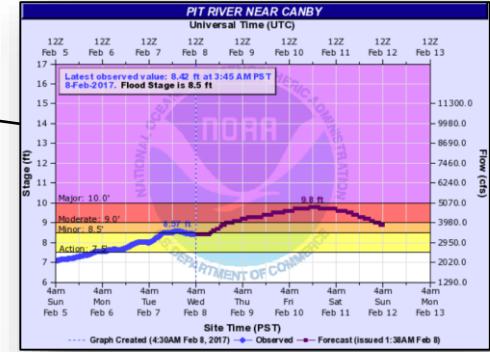
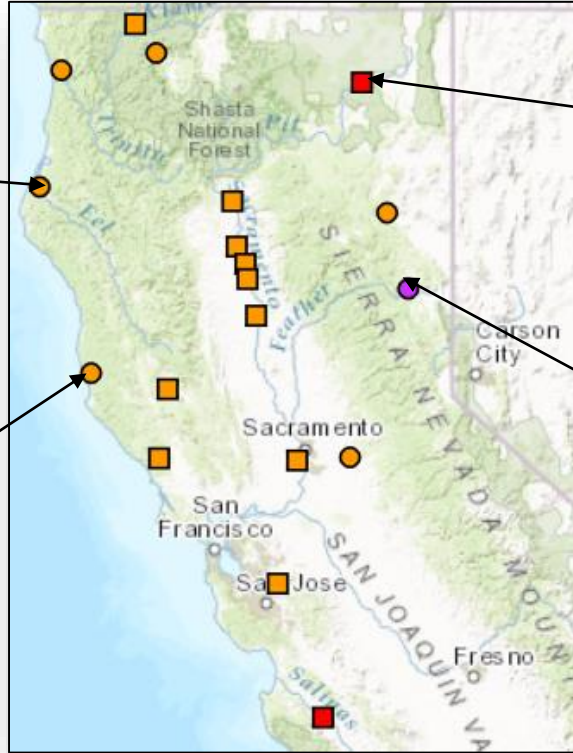
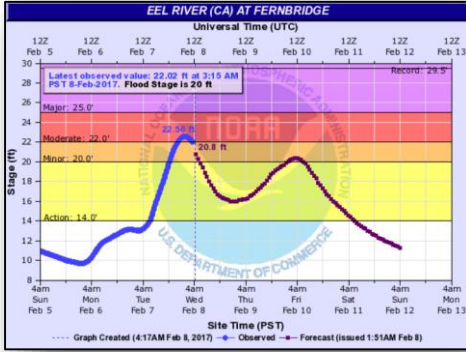


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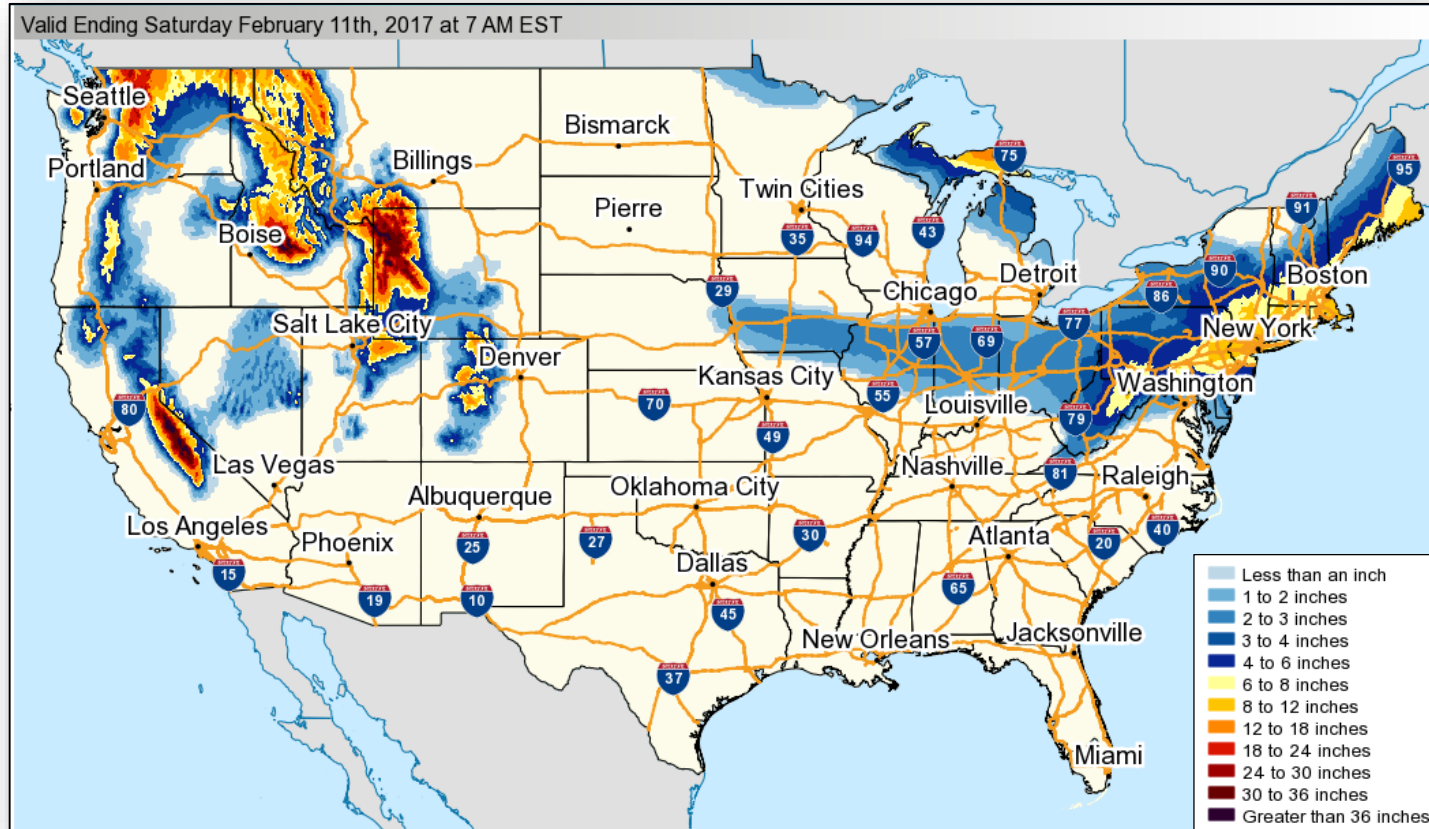
# California River Forecasts



# Forecast Snowfall – Days 1-3

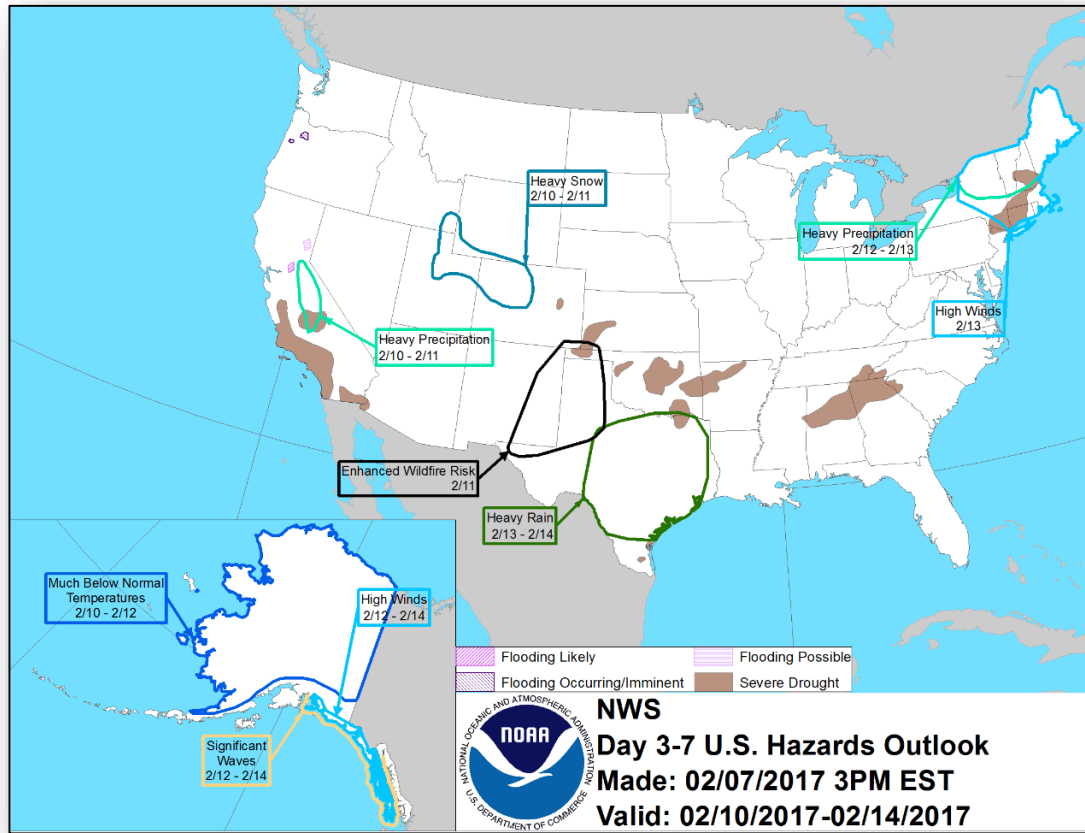


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# Hazards Outlook – Feb 10-14



# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
VII	KS	Winter Storm January 13-16, 2017	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	25	21	1/25-TBD
X	ID	Severe Winter Weather December 22, 2016 – January 19, 2017	IA	2	0	2/8-TBD
			PA	4	0	2/8-TBD

# Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
<b>3</b>	<b>Date Requested</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
SD Lake Traverse Reservation, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate Tribe – DR Severe Winter Storm	January 25, 2017		
OK – DR Severe Winter Storm	February 1, 2017		
CA Hoopa Valley Tribe – DR Severe Winter Storm	February 2, 2017		

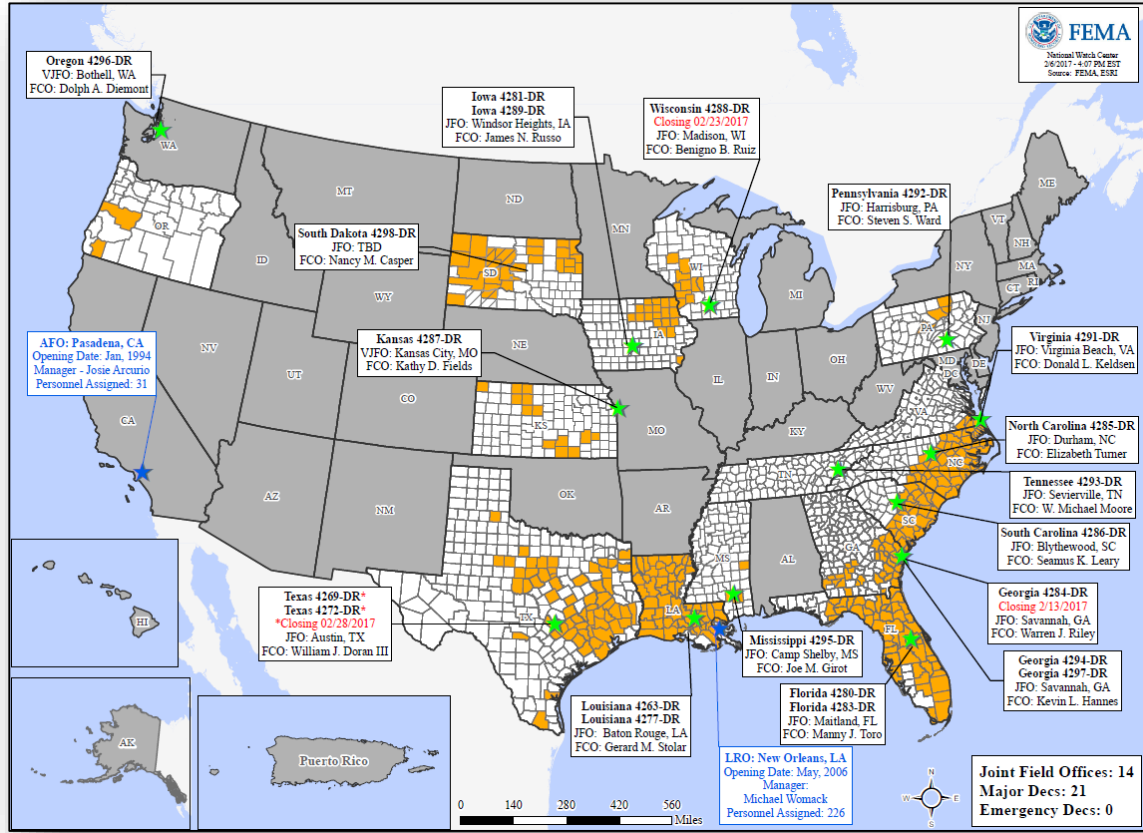
# Disaster Amendments



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Amendment	Effective Date	Action
Amendment No. 3 to FEMA-4297-DR-GA	February 7, 2017	Adds 5 counties for Public Assistance Adds 6 counties for Public Assistance (already designated for Individual Assistance)

# Open Field Offices



# Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



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Resource	Force Strength	Available		Deployed	Other	Cadres with less than 25% availability
Total Workforce	10,144	5,648	62%	3,149	2,499	None

Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criteria																				
National IMAT		3	1	33%	0	0	2	East-2 to LA (DR-4277) West to GA (DR-4294, DR-4297)	Green: >3 Teams Available Yellow: 1 - 2 Teams Available Red: 0 Teams Available <i>N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs or Team Leader unavailable for deployment</i>																				
Regional IMAT		13	9	69%	0	2	2	Region V reconstituting through Feb 9 Region VI-1 reconstituting <b>through Feb 15</b> <b>Deployed:</b> Region IV-2 to MS (DR-4295) Region X to WA (DR-4296-OR)	Green > 6 Teams Available Yellow: 4 - 6 Teams Available Red: 0 - 4 Teams Available  <i>R-IMAT also red if TL or Ops / Log Chief is unavailable &amp; has no qualified replacement</i>																				
FCO		36	7	19%	0	4	25		OCD Readiness <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>FCO</th> <th>Green</th> <th>Yellow</th> <th>Red</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Type 1</td> <td>3+</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Type 2</td> <td>4+</td> <td>3</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Type 3</td> <td>4+</td> <td>3</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>FDRC</td> <td>3</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	FCO	Green	Yellow	Red	Type 1	3+	2	1	Type 2	4+	3	2	Type 3	4+	3	2	FDRC	3	2	1
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US&R		28	28	100%	0	0	0		Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available																				
MERS		36	28	78%	0	6	2	<b>Assets supporting:</b> GA (DR-4297)	Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available																				

# Readiness – National and Regional Teams



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Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Status	Comments	Rating Criteria
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Not Activated		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green = FMC</li> <li>• Yellow = PMC</li> <li>• Red = NMC</li> </ul>
NRCC		2	2	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
HLT		1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated	Region VI RWC at Enhanced Watch (24/7)	



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