

FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, May 25, 2019

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – May 24-25



Significant Events:

Flooding – Central U.S.

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic: No significant activity affecting U.S. interests
- Eastern Pacific: Disturbance 1: Medium (40%)
- Central Pacific: No significant activity affecting U.S. interests
- Western Pacific: No significant activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Flooding Central U.S.
- Critical and Elevated Fire Weather AZ, TX, and NM

Declaration Activity:

- Major Disaster Declaration Approved Montana
- Request for Major Disaster Declaration Idaho
- Request for Major Disaster Declaration North Dakota
- Amendment No. 2 to FEMA-4428-DR-KY
- Amendment No. 10 to FEMA-4399-DR-FL

Hurricane Season begins in 6 days

Flooding – Central U.S.

Current Situation:

Heavy rainfall will continue through at least Wednesday of next week across the Missouri and Illinois River basins, as well as the upper and middle portions of the Mississippi River basin with focus on the Verdigris, Neosho, Arkansas, and Trinity River Basins. Rare "High Risk" of Flash Flooding is in place for portions of OK. Gauges along the Arkansas River in Arkansas have reached or are forecast to reach Major Flood Stage and potentially record flood levels in the coming days. Many area lakes and reservoirs are at high to record levels.

Lifeline Impacts:

Safety and Security: Significant flooding continues to prompt evacuations and water rescues across central and eastern OK.

Food, Water, Sheltering

- 15 shelters are open with 154 occupants (ARC Midnight Shelter Count as of 6:13 am EDT May 25) OK: 9 / 98; KS: 3 / 6; MO: 2 / 50
- OK: 8 communities under voluntary evacuations, 1 community under mandatory evacuation
- AR: 2 communities under evacuation

Health & Medical: OK: Two (+1) confirmed fatalities and 83 (+39) injuries reported (Region VI SLB)

Energy: Minimal power outages across the affected area

Transportation: Numerous state and local road closures across impacted area in multiple state limit travel in flooded areas. Major transportation arteries remain open. The Coast Guard has closed portions of the Mississippi and Illinois Rivers due to extremely high water levels and fast moving currents near St. Louis



Response:

- State/Local
- KS EOC is at Full Activation
 OK, MO, and IL SEOCs are at Partial Activation
- LA EOC is at Monitoring
- AR EOC: will go to Partial Activation at 9:00 am EDT; AR Governor declared a state of emergency
- OK Governor declared a State of Emergency; requested an Emergency Declaration for all 77 counties

FEMA Regions

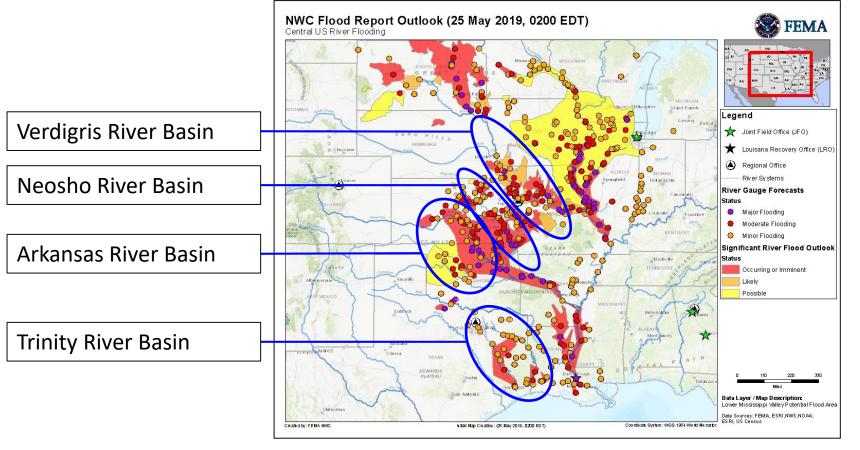
- FEMA Region V
 - o RWC: Monitoring 24/7
 - IMAT: Fully Mission Capable, prepared to respond (participating in an exercise in CO)
- FEMA Region VI
 - o RRCC: Level III, with select ESFs (day shift only)
 - IMAT-1: Fully Mission Capable (on standby for AR)
 - IMAT-2: Deployed to OK EOC
 - LNO deployed to OK EOC; 2 LNOs deploying to AR EOC today
- FEMA Region VII
 - RWC: Enhanced Watch
 - RRCC: de-activated
 - LNO deployed to KS EOC
 - LNO demobilizing from MO EOC

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NWC: Monitoring 24/7

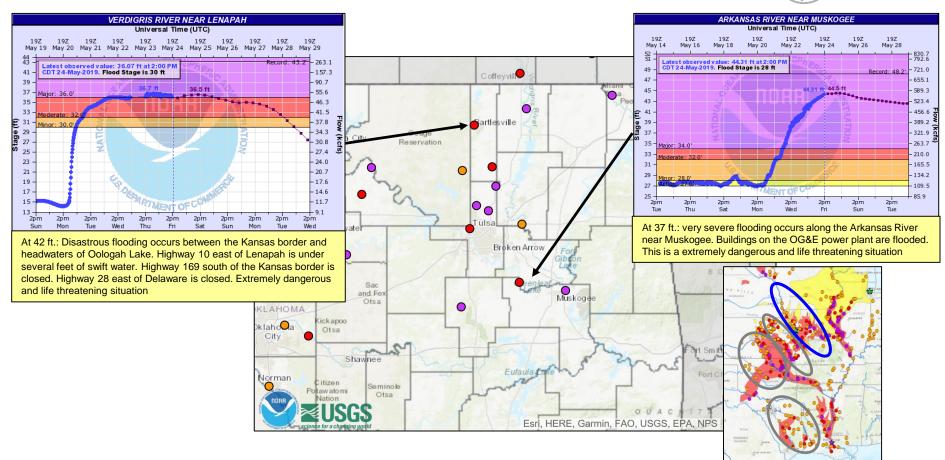
Flooding – Central U.S.





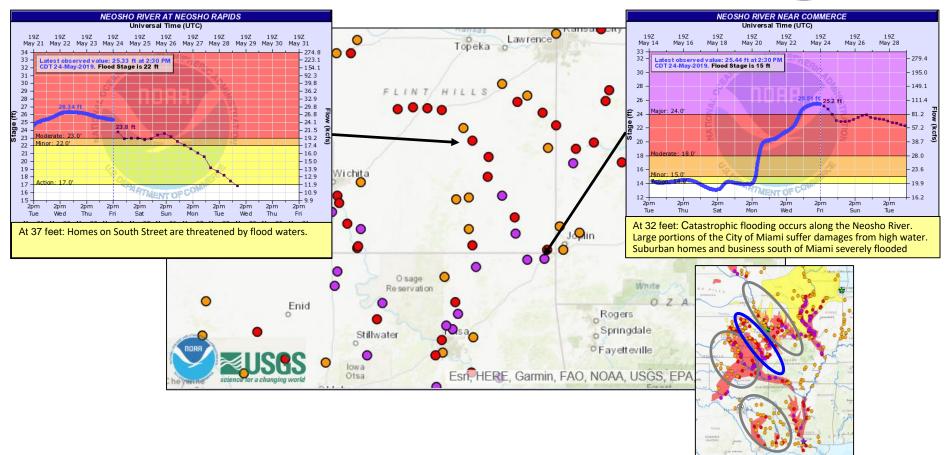
Verdigris River Basin





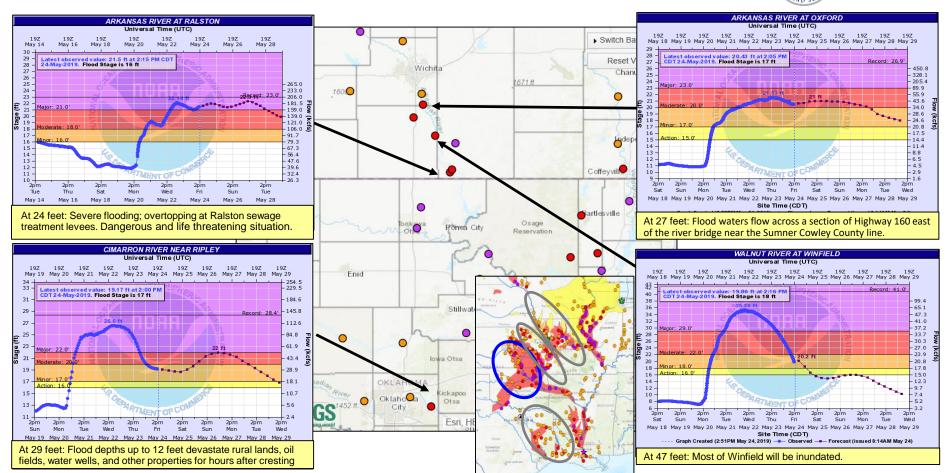
Neosho River Basin





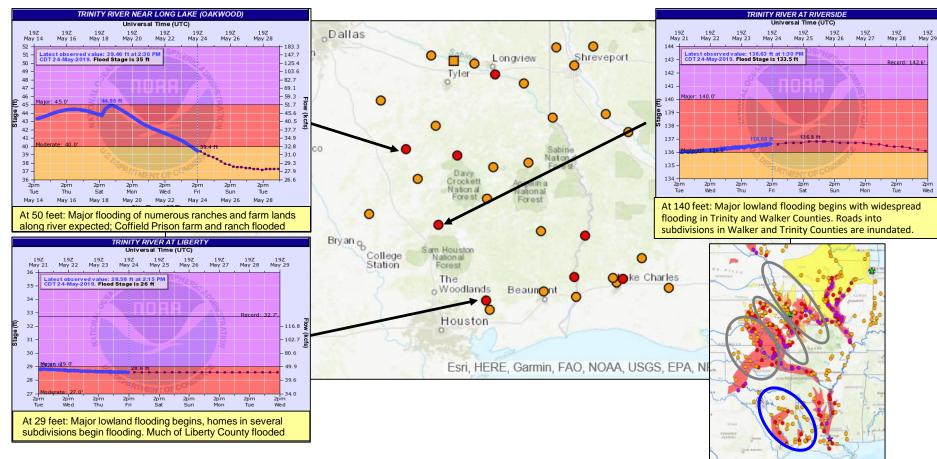
Arkansas River Basin





Trinity River Basin



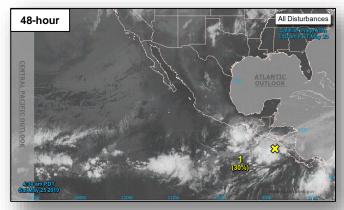


Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



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

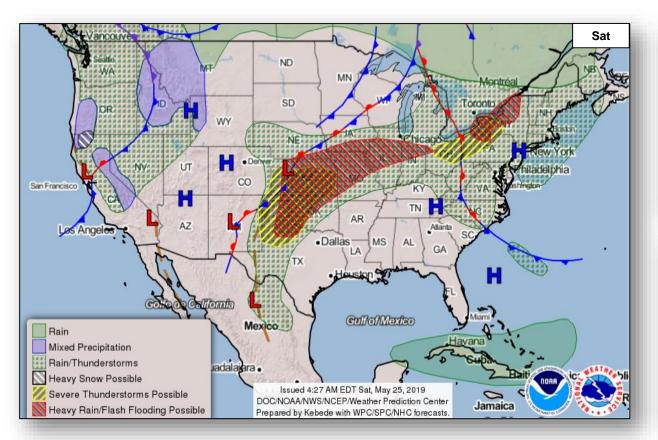
- · Centered near the west coast of Nicaragua
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (30%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Medium (40%)

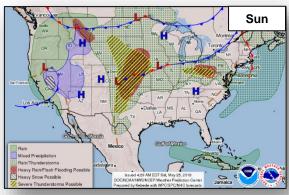


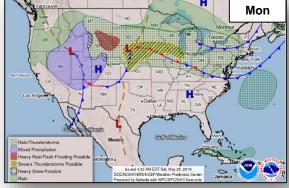


National Weather Forecast



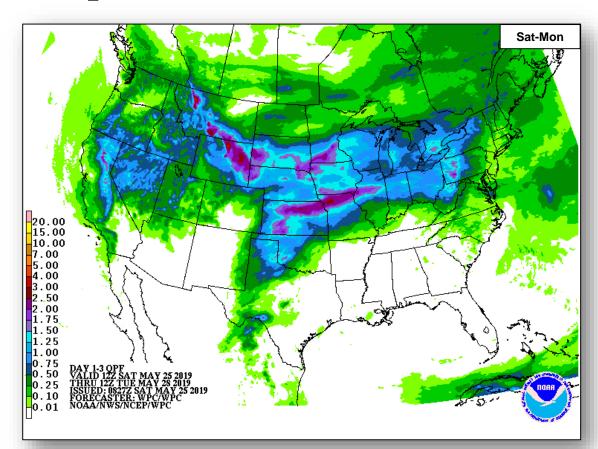


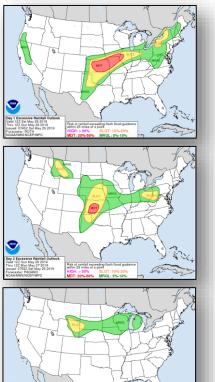




Precipitation Forecast







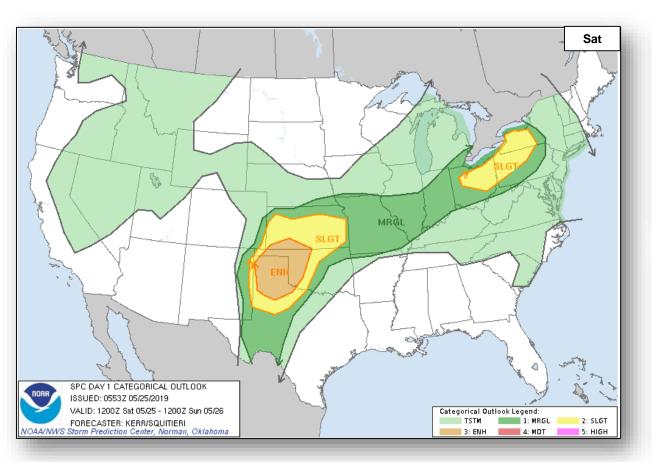
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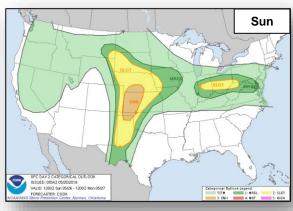
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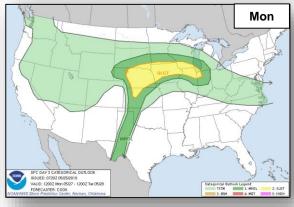
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Severe Weather Outlook



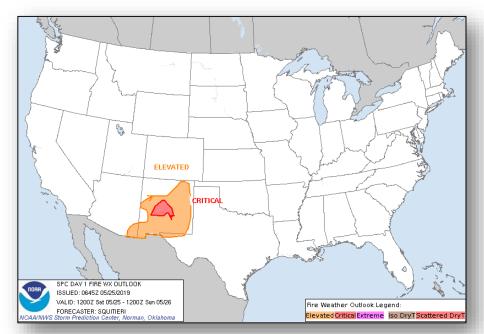


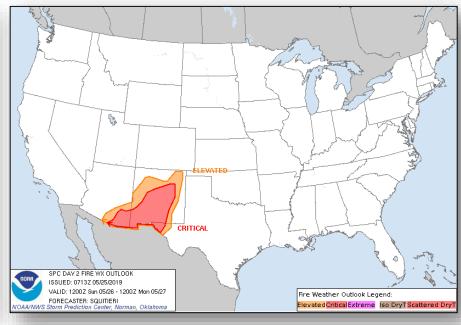




Fire Weather Outlook





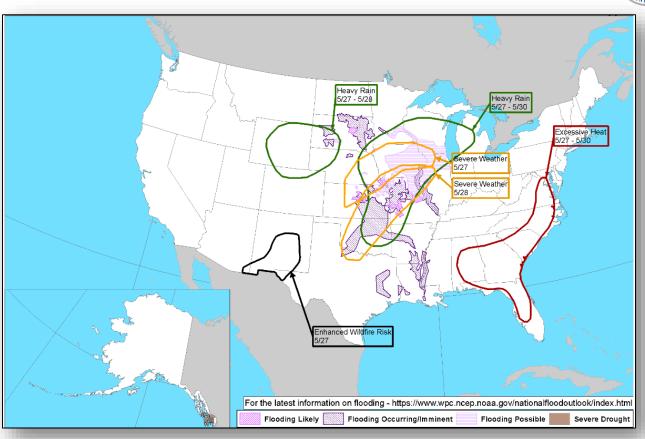


Saturday

Sunday

Hazards Outlook – May 27-31



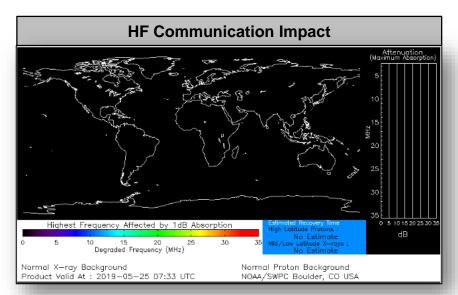


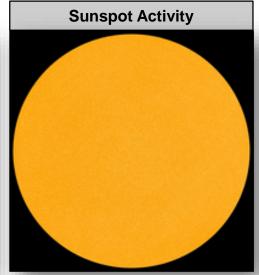
Space Weather



	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





Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State /	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
Region	Location	Event		Requested	Complete	
IV MC		Severe weather, tornadoes and flooding April 13-14, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
IV MS	PA		8	0	5/21 – TBD	
V MI	Severe weather and flooding May 1-3, 2019	IA	1	0	5/28-TBD	
		PA	0	0	N/A	
VI OK*	OK*	Severe weather April 30, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
	ŮK.		PA	25	9	5/16 – TBD

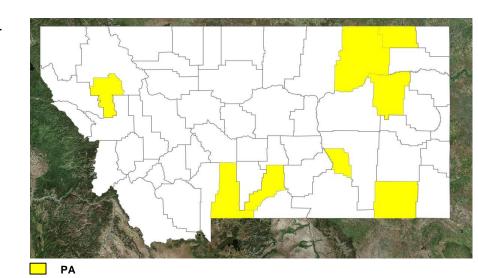
*PDAs temporarily suspended

Declaration Approved



FEMA-4437-DR-Montana

- Major Disaster Declaration was approved on May 24, 2019 for the State of Montana
- For flooding that occurred March 20 to April 10, 2019
- · Provides:
 - Public Assistance for eight counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is Nathan Knapp

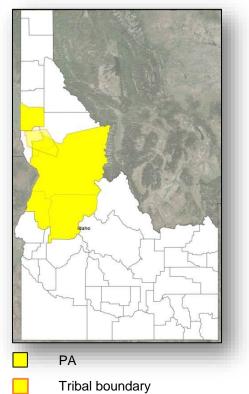


Declaration Request

<u>Idaho</u>

- The Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on May 22, 2019
- For severe storms, flooding, landslides and mudslides during the period of April 7 - 13, 2019
- Requesting:
 - o Public Assistance for 5 counties and the Nez Perce Reservation
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide



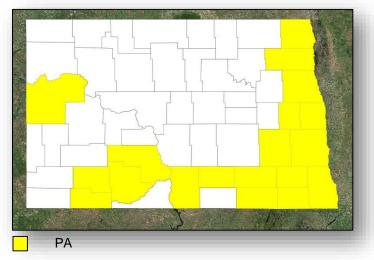


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North Dakota

- The Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on May 24, 2019
- For flooding during the period of March 21 to April 28, 2019
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for 19 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide

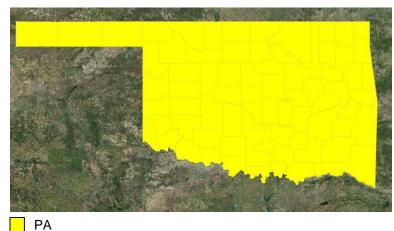


Declaration Request



Oklahoma

- The Governor requested an Emergency Declaration on May 24, 2019
- For severe storms, tornadoes, straight-line winds, and flooding beginning on April 30, 2019 and continuing
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for all 77 counties



Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
5	IA	PA	НМ	Date Requested	1	0
MT – DR Flooding		Х	Х	May 9, 2019	May 24, 2019	
LA – DR Severe Storms and Tornadoes		Χ	Х	May 21, 2019		
SD – DR Severe Winter Storm, Snowstorms, and Flooding		Х	Х	May 21, 2019		
ID – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides		X	Х	May 22, 2019		
ND – DR Flooding		X	Х	May 24, 2019		
OK – EM Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding		X		May 24, 2019		

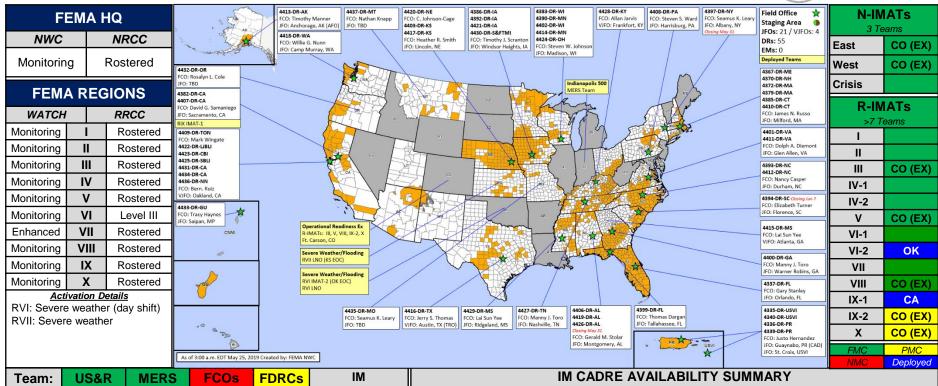
Disaster Amendments



Amendment	Date Issued	Action		
Amendment No. 2 to FEMA-4428-DR-KY	May 24, 2019	Adds 2 counties for Public Assistance		
Amendment No. 10 to FEMA-4399-DR-FL	May 24, 2019	Amends the cost-sharing arrangements		

FEMA Common Operating Picture





Team:	US&R	MERS	FCOs	FDRCs	IM
Status	(>66%)	(>66%)	(≤1 <i>Type 1</i>)	<i>(</i> =2 <i>)</i>	WORKFORCE
Assigned:	28	36	29	12	13,377
Unavailable	0	0	0	0	3,851
Deployed:	0	0	25	10	5,779 ▲
Available:	28	35	4	2	3,747/ 28%

Cadres with 25% or Less Availability

EA 25% (128/512); EHP 6% (30/495); ER 7% (4/60); FL 15% (23/152); HM 19% (211/1131); IT 24% (156/659); LOG 20% (267/1327); OPS 20% (53/264); PA 7% (183/2472); PLAN 16% (63/390); SAF 9% (5/53); SEC 15% (19/125)



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