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Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, August 15, 2019

8:30 a.m. EDT

National Current Operations & Monitoring



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Significant Incidents or Threats:

- Severe thunderstorms – Central and Northern Plains
- Heavy rain and flash flooding possible for portions Central Plains

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic: No new tropical cyclones expected in the next five days
- Eastern Pacific:
 - Disturbance 1: [Low \(10%\)](#)
 - Disturbance 2: [Low \(30%\)](#)
- Central Pacific: Disturbance 1: [Low \(20%\)](#)
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Declaration Activity:

- [One amendment](#)



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Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



Current Disturbances & 5 Day Cyclone Formation: X < 40% | X 40-60% | X > 60%

Tropical / Sub-Tropical Cyclone: ○ Depression | ○ Storm | ● Hurricane | ✖ Post-Tropical Cyclone / Remnants

Potential track area: | Watches:

○ Day 1-3 | ● Day 4-5 | ■ Hurricane | ■ Trop Stm

Warnings:

■ Hurricane | ■ Trop Stm | ■ Hurricane | ■ Trop Stm

Current wind extent:

Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



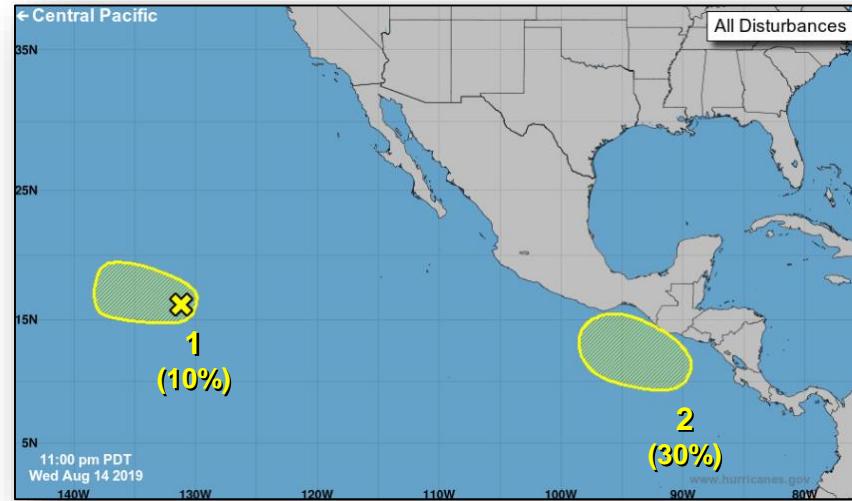
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Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- 1,500 miles WSW of the southern tip of the Baja California Peninsula, Mexico
- Moving W at 10-15 mph
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (10%)

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

- Forecast to form S or SE of the Mexico coast this week
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (near 0%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (30%)



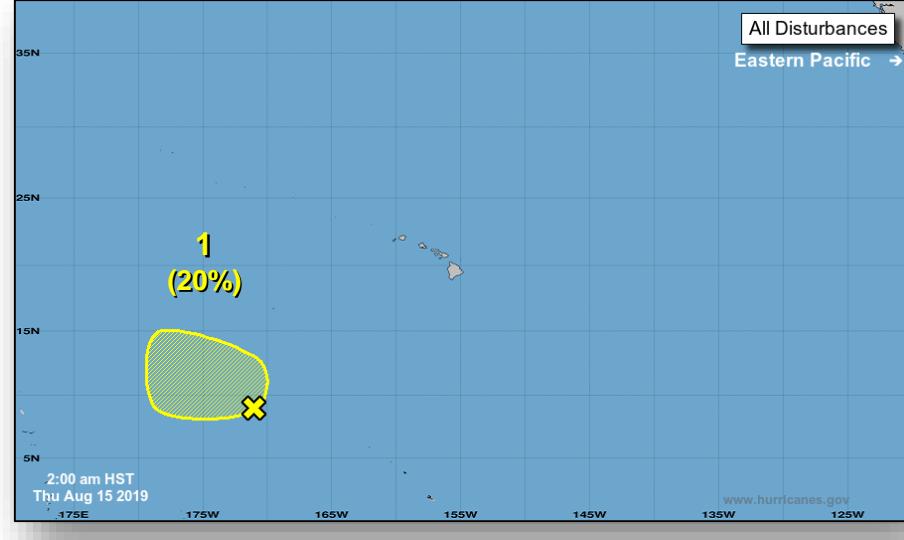
Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific



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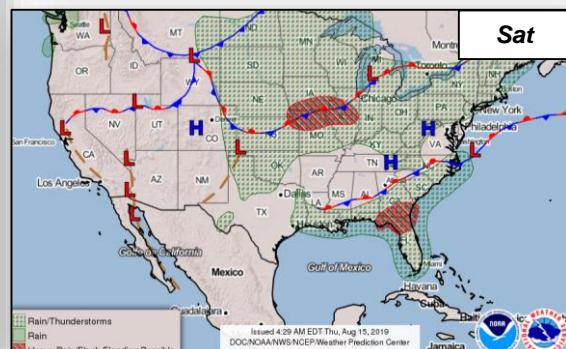
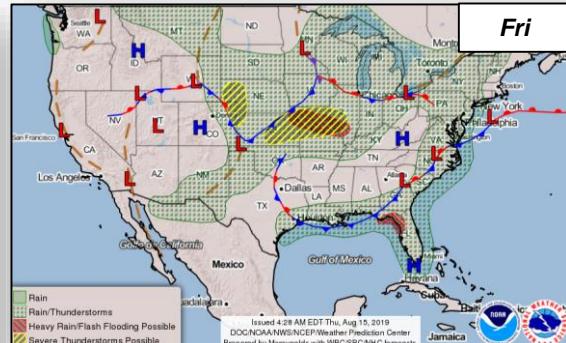
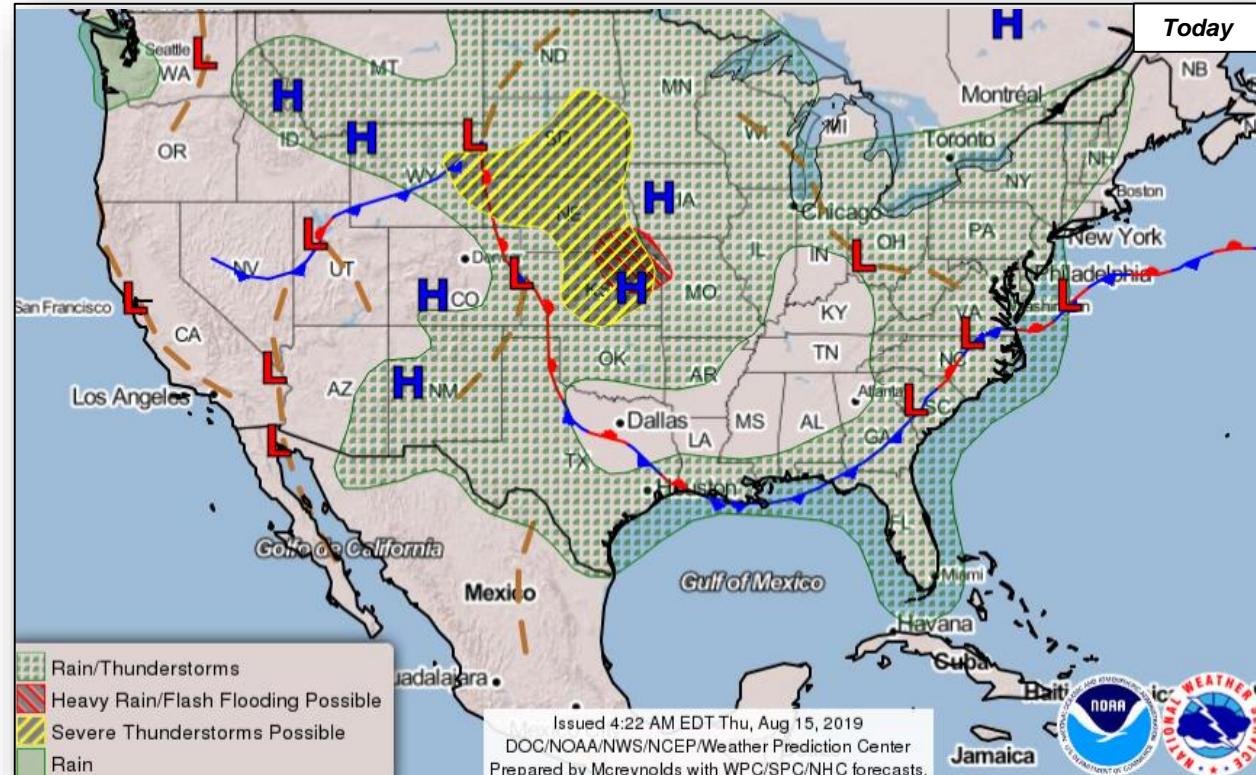
- 1,200 miles SW of Oahu
- Moving WNW at 10 mph
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (20%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (20%)



National Weather Forecast



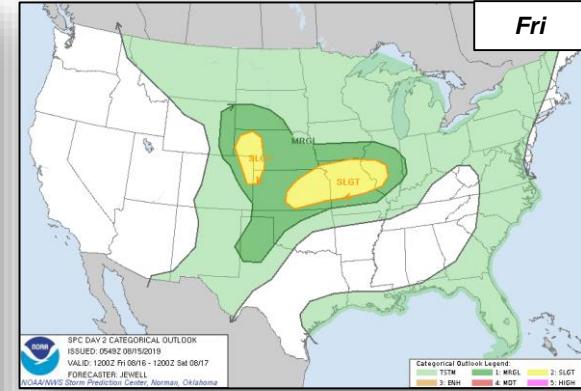
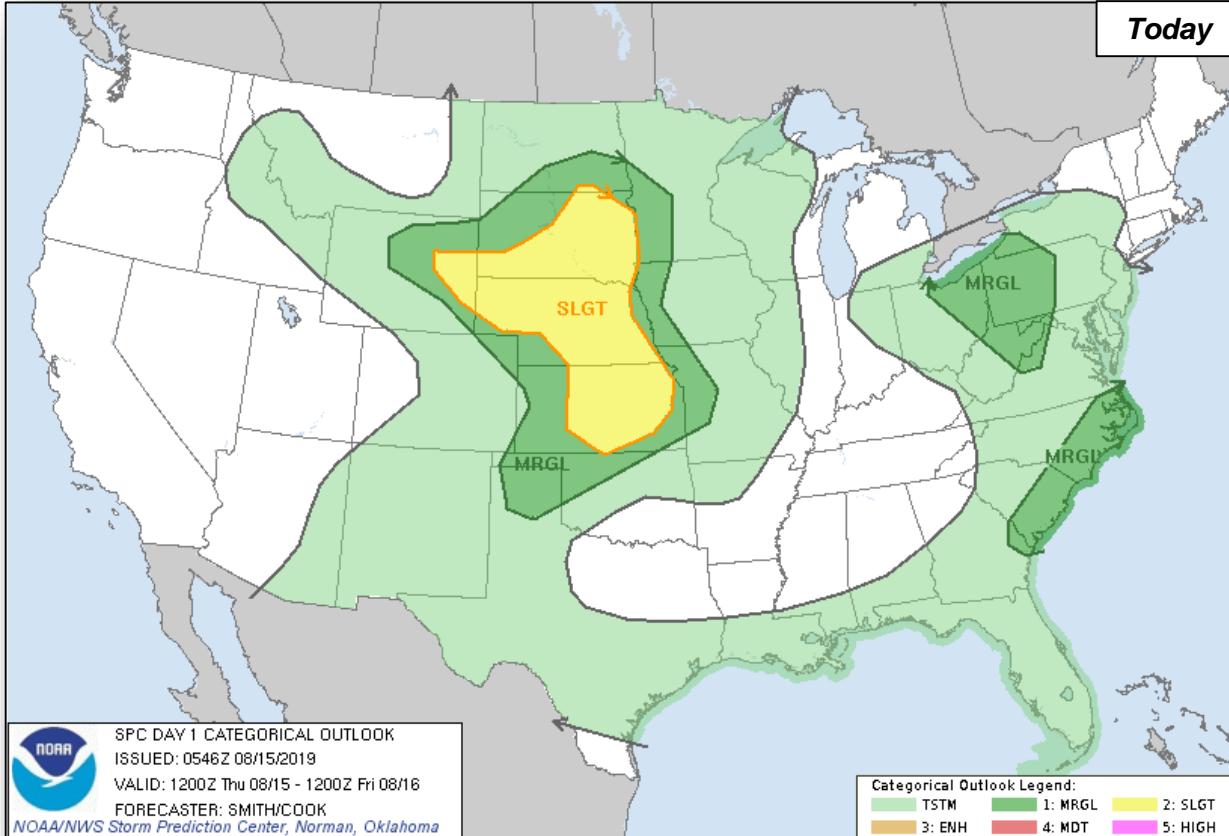
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Severe Weather Outlook



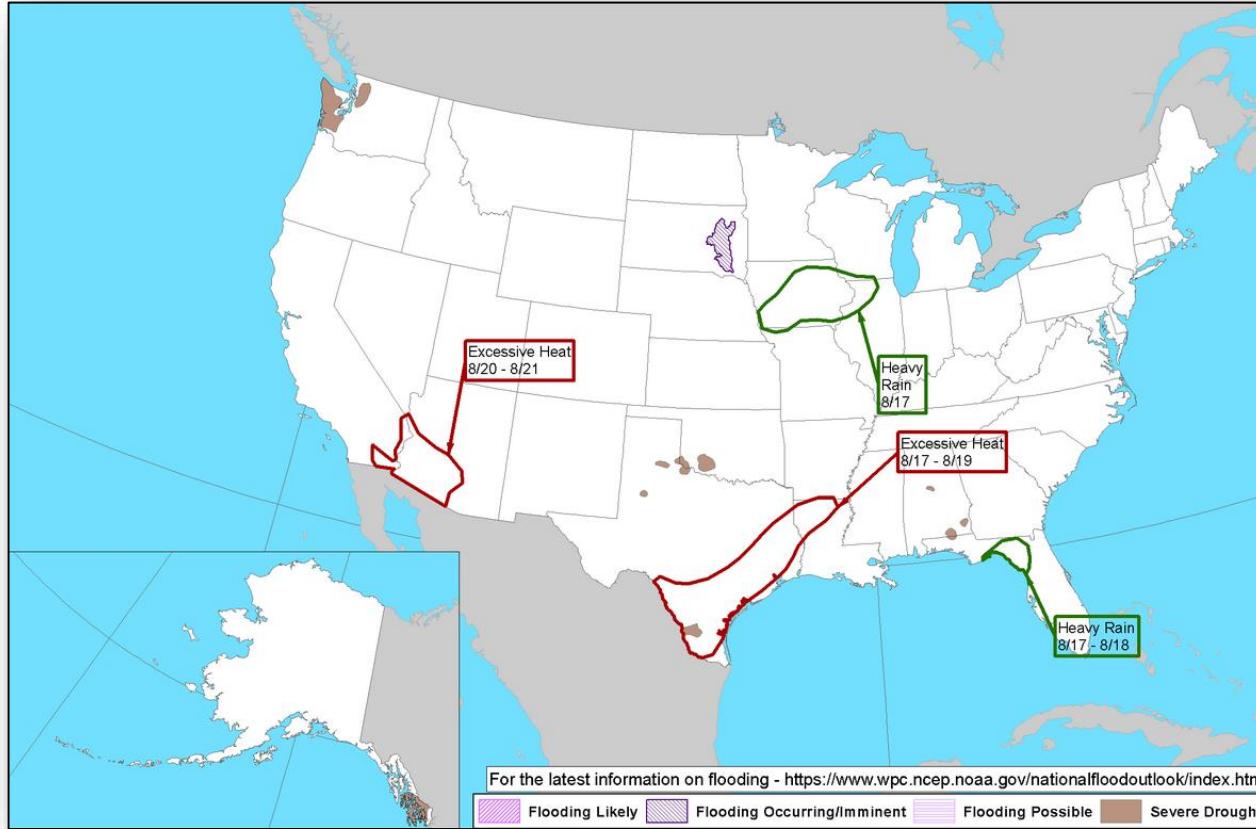
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Hazards Outlook – Aug 17-21



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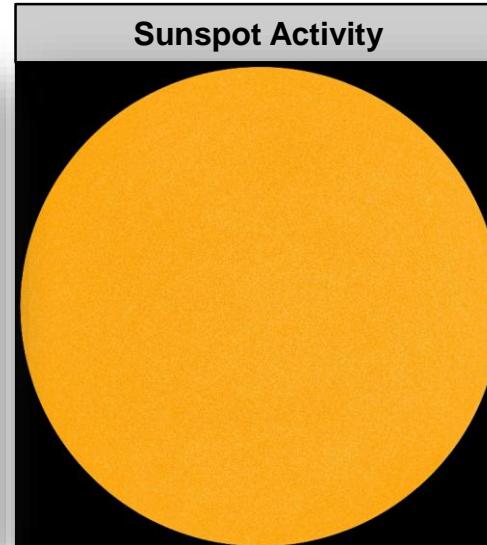
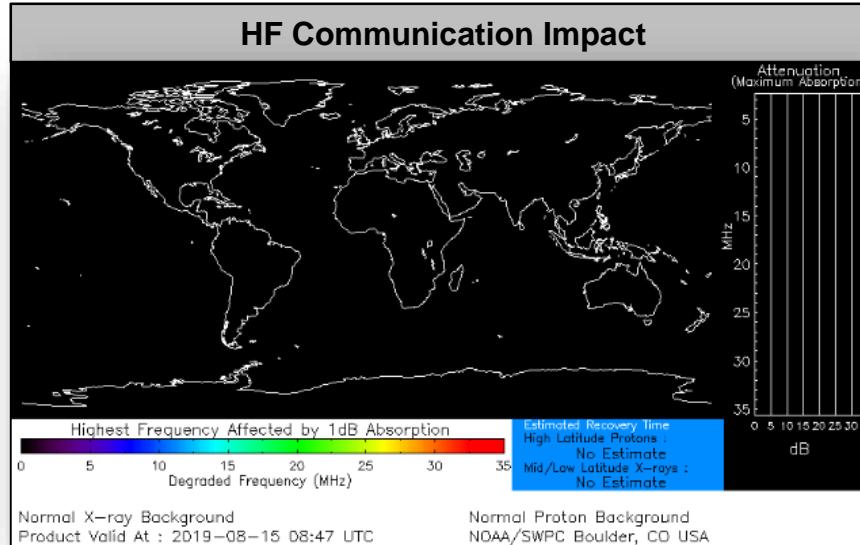




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Space Weather

	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				





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Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
II	NY	Severe Rain Storm Jun 30	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	2	0	8/13 – TBD
V	IL	Severe Storms and Flooding Feb 24 – Jul 3	IA	22	5 (+4)	8/12 – TBD
			PA	31	26 (+2)	7/29 – TBD
	WI	Severe Storms, Flooding, Straight-line Winds, & Tornadoes Jul 18-20	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	18 / 2*	3 (+3)	8/13 – TBD
VI	TX	Severe Storms and Flooding Jun 24-25	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	3	0	8/12 – TBD
VIII	SD	Spring Flooding Jun 30 – Jul 21	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	9	0	8/14 – TBD

*Tribal areas within the state of Wisconsin

Declaration Requests in Process – 1



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State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
NH – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Aug 8



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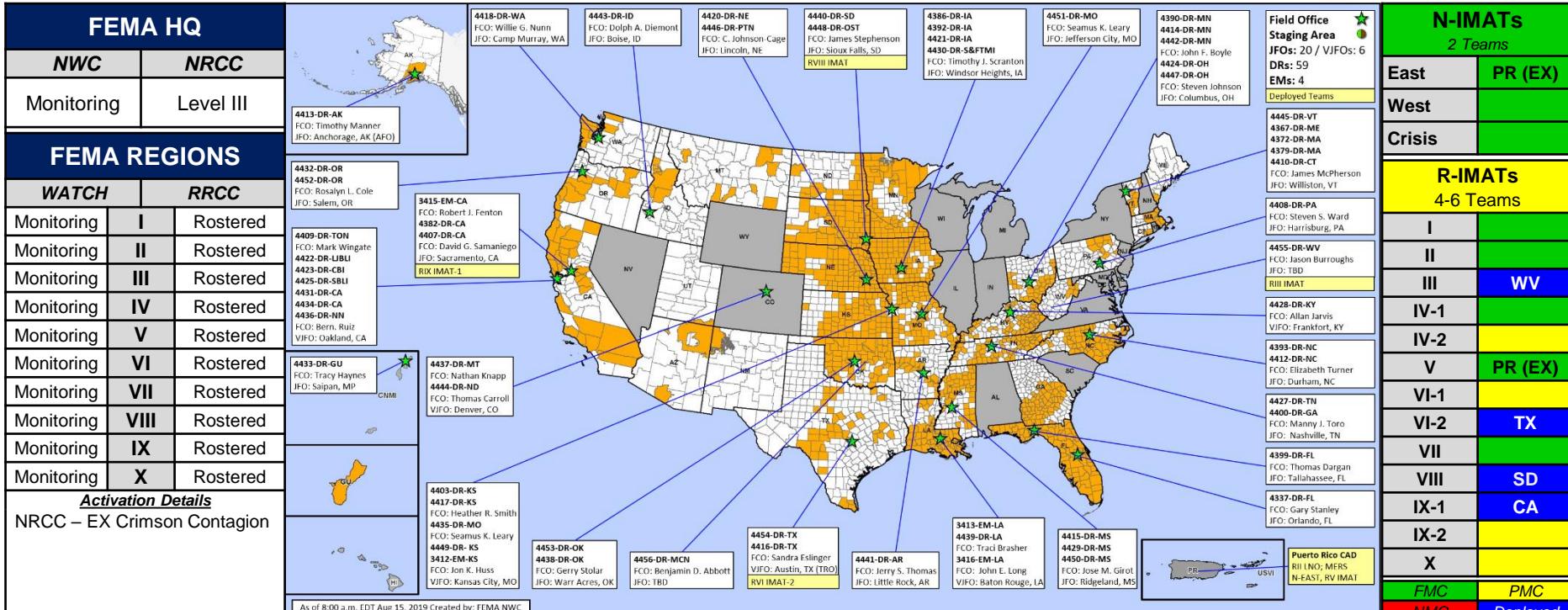
Declaration Amendments

Declaration	Number	Issued	Action
4449-DR-KS	4	Aug 14	Adds one county for Public Assistance



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FEMA Common Operating Picture



Team: Status	US&R (>66%)	MERS (>66%)	FCOs (≤ 1 Type)	FDRCs (≤1)	IM WORKFORCE
Assigned:	28	36	38	12	13,624
Unavailable	0	0	1	0 (-1)	3,912
Deployed:	0	0	31	8	6,135
Available:	28	36	6	4 (+1)	3,472 / 25%

IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY

Cadres with 25% or Less Availability

DI 17% (13/78); EA 23% (115/497); EHP 5% (28/540); ER 10% (7/67); FL 11% (16/152); FM 18% (52/283); HM 14% (173/1196); HR 14% (32/226); IT 16% (102/653); LOG 22% (288/1332); OPS 21% (60/282); PA 8% (199/2609); PLAN 10% (42/402); SAF 3% (2/58); SEC 12% (14/118)



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