

FEMA Operations Bri

Daily Operations Briefing Tuesday, October 20, 2020 8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations and Monitoring **FEMA**

Significant Incidents or Threats:

- Earthquake (M7.5) AK
- Wildfires Western U.S.
- Freezing Rain possible MN & WI
- COVID-19

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic:
 - Tropical Storm Epsilon
 - Disturbance 1: Low (10%)
- Eastern Pacific: No new tropical cyclones expected during the next five days
- Central Pacific: No new tropical cyclones expected during the next five days
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Declaration Activity:

Request: Major Disaster – Washington

Earthquake – Sand Point, AK (Final)



<u>Situation:</u> At 4:54 p.m. ET, Oct 19, a magnitude 7.5 earthquake with an MMI of VII occurred 55 miles SE of Sand Point, AK (pop. 1,064) at a depth of 25 miles. A Tsunami Warning was issued for South Alaska and the Alaska Peninsula; later downgraded to an Advisory, with additional advisories issued for the state of Hawaii

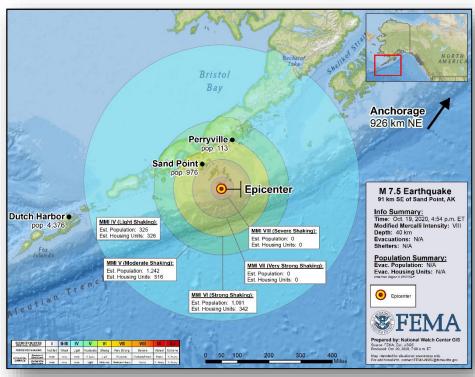
- Green PAGER Alert issued indicating a low likelihood of fatalities and damage
- 57 aftershocks ranging from M1.9 to M5.9
- Tsunami waves of 2.5ft were observed at Chignik Bay, Alaska. Additional tsunami waves reported near Hilo and Kahulu, HI
- Tsunami Advisories for Alaska and Hawaii were cancelled as of 1:04 a.m. ET, Oct 20
- There are no reported impacts for either state.

State/Local Preparations and Response:

- AK EOC is at Monitoring (COVID-19)
- HI EOC at Partial Activation (COVID-19)

FEMA/Federal Preparations and Response:

- Region X RRCC is activated to Level III (COVID-19)
- Bothell MOC, FEMA Region IX, and FEMA NWC continue to monitor
- No request for FEMA assistance



Tropical Outlook





Central Pacific



Eastern Pacific



Atlantic

Tropical Storm Epsilon (Advisory #5 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

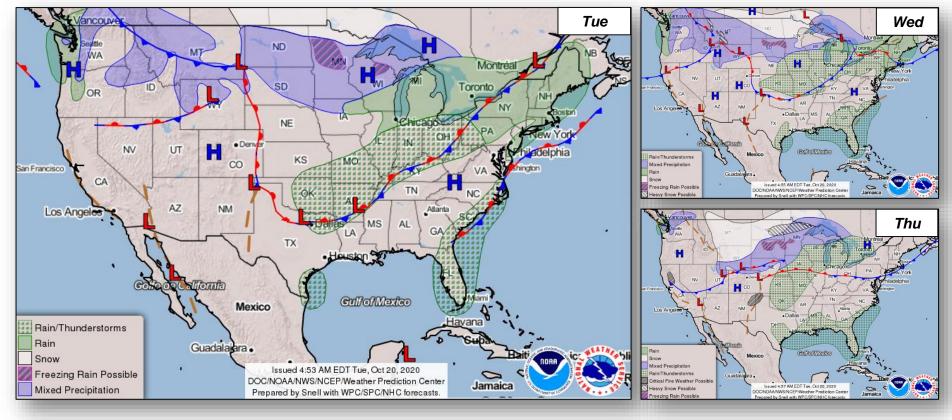
- 765 miles SE of Bermuda
- Moving N at 3 mph
- Maximum sustained winds at 45 mph
- Expected to be at or near hurricane strength by Wednesday night or Thursday morning

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

- Formed over the NW Caribbean Sea
- Conditions not conducive for development
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (10%)

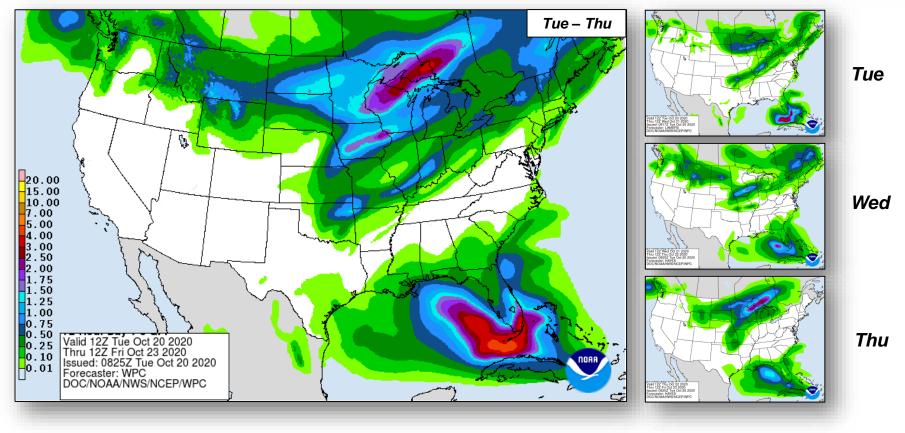
National Weather Forecast





Precipitation





Wildfire Summary



Fire Name	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Struct	Fatalities /			
(County, ST)	FWIAG #			Evacuations	Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	Injuries	
Colorado (3)									
Cameron Peak	5340 FM CO	204,404 (+1,151)	51% (-11)	M: 12,792	H: 51,220	H: 4	H: 49	0 / 22	
(Larimer, CO)	5349-FM-CO			V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 51	0/32	
Calwood	5379-FM-CO	9,106	17% (+17)	M: 1,000	H: 500	H: 0	H: 26 (+26)	0/1	
(Boulder, CO)	5579-FIVI-CO	(+6,106)	1770 (+17)	V: 0	O: 750	O: 0	O: 0	071	
East Troublesome	5279 EM CO 13,3	13,364	10% (+10)	M: 101	H: 135	H: 0	H: 0	0/0	
(Grand County, CO)	5378-FM-CO (+5,493)		493)	V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 0	070	

Wyoming (1)								
Mullen	5375-FM-WY	176,854	72% (+3)	M: 1,440	H: 300	H: 0	H: 32	0/2
(Carbon and Albany, WY)	3373-110-001	170,054	7278 (+3)	V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 34	072

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region State /	State /	Event		Number o	Start – End		
Region	Location	Even	PA	Requested	Complete		
MD		Tropical Storm Isaias	IA	0	0	N/A	
MD	Aug 4-5	PA	21	2	8/21 – TBD		
	Tropical Storm Isaias		9	9	8/26 – 10/5		
	PA	Aug 4-5	PA	11	0	9/16 – TBD	
νι τχ	Hurricane Laura		10 (+2)	10 (+10)	9/15 – <mark>10/19</mark>		
	١X	Aug 23 and continuing	PA	10	0	9/2 – TBD	

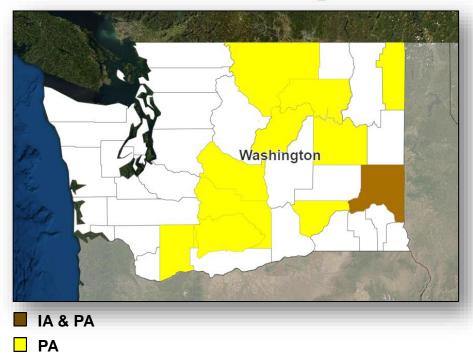
Declaration Request

Declaration: Major Disaster – Washington State **Requested:** Oct 9

Incident: Wildfires and Straight-line Winds Incident Period: Sep 1-19

Includes:

- IA & PA: 1 county
- **PA:** 8 counties and 2 tribes
- Hazard Mitigation: Statewide





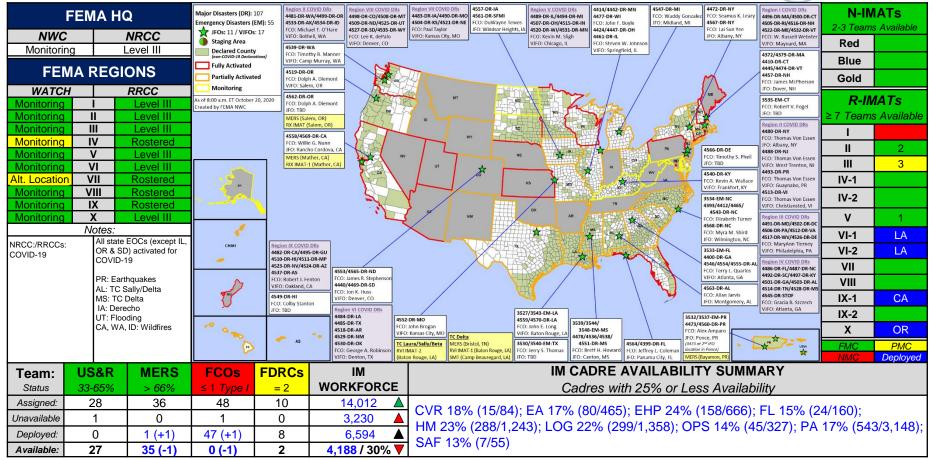
Declaration Requests in Process – 11



State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
Poarch Band of Creek Indians – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х		5/15
WA – Wildfires and Straight-Line Winds	DR	Х	Х	Х	9/16
NJ – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		Х	Х	9/28
CT – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		Х	Х	9/30
TX – Hurricane Hanna	DR		Х	Х	9/30
TX – Hurricane Laura	DR	Х	Х	Х	9/30
PA – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR	Х	Х	Х	10/5
MS – Tropical Storm Cristobal (Appeal)	DR		Х		10/1
UT – Severe Storm and Straight-line Winds	DR		Х	Х	10/7
PR – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	Х	Х		10/13
WA – Wildfires and Straight-Line Winds	DR	Х	X	X	10/9

FEMA Common Operating Picture





Public Assistance Grant Program

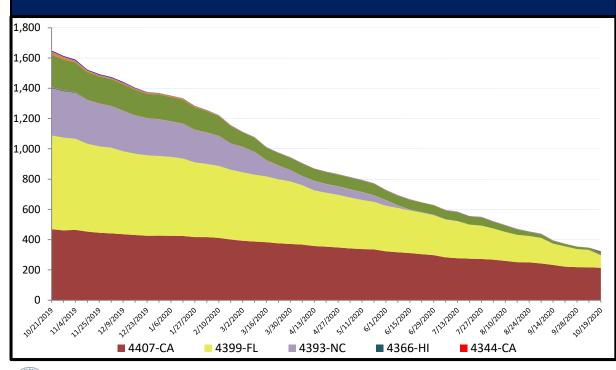
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	PA Project Worksheets Obligated in past week, as of 10/19/2020 at 1500 EDT										
	Emerger	ncy Work			Permanent V						
PA Category	A - Debris Removal	B - Protective Measures	C - Roads & Bridges	D - Water Control Facilities	E - Public Buildings	F - Public Utilities	G - Recreational or Other	r H - Fire Management	Z - State Management	Total	
Number Of PWs Obligated	11	108	112	7	64	12	33	0	54	401	
Federal Share Obligated	\$1,456,431	\$84,397,500	\$67,100,013	\$1,620,239	\$9,959,164	\$1,360,772	\$22,089,441	\$0	\$4,102,008.30	\$192,085,567.82	
	Public As	ssistance O 10/05/2020 thi	Obligated period		у		This w	veeks PA Hi	ighlights		
\$700,000,000 \$600,000,000 \$500,000,000 \$400,000,000 \$300,000,000 \$200,000,000				■ H - Fir ■ G - Re ■ F - Pul ■ E - Pul	tate Management Fire Management Recreational or Other Public Utilities Public Buildings Water Control Facilities		 In 4484-LA \$34 Million obligated for Category B – Protective Measures In 4263-LA \$24 Million obligated for Category C – and Bridges 				
\$100,000,000 \$0			This Week \$192,085,568	B - Pro	Roads & Bridges Protective Measures Debris Removal	• In 2	 In 4339-PR \$19 Million obligated for Category G – Recreational or Other 				

Direct Housing

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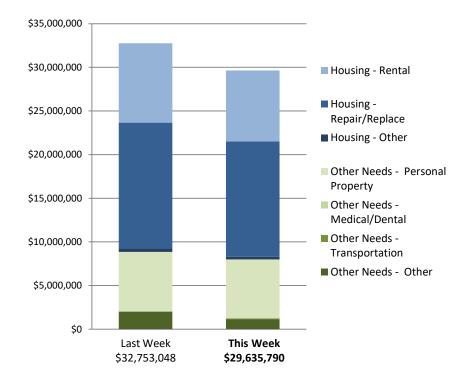
DR	IA Declaration Date	Program End Date	Current # of Households in Direct Housing (Weekly Change)	
4559-LA	8/28/2020	2/28/2022	12	
4407-CA	11/12/2018	5/12/2020	214 (-3)	
4399-FL	10/11/2018	4/11/2020	82 (-33)	
4339-PR	9/20/2017	9/20/2019	1 (0)	
4332-TX	8/25/2017	8/25/2019	14 (0)	



States with Currently Occupied Units

Individual Assistance Activity

IHP Approved per Category in the Past 2 Weeks – 10/05/2020 through 10/19/2020









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