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Daily Operations Briefing

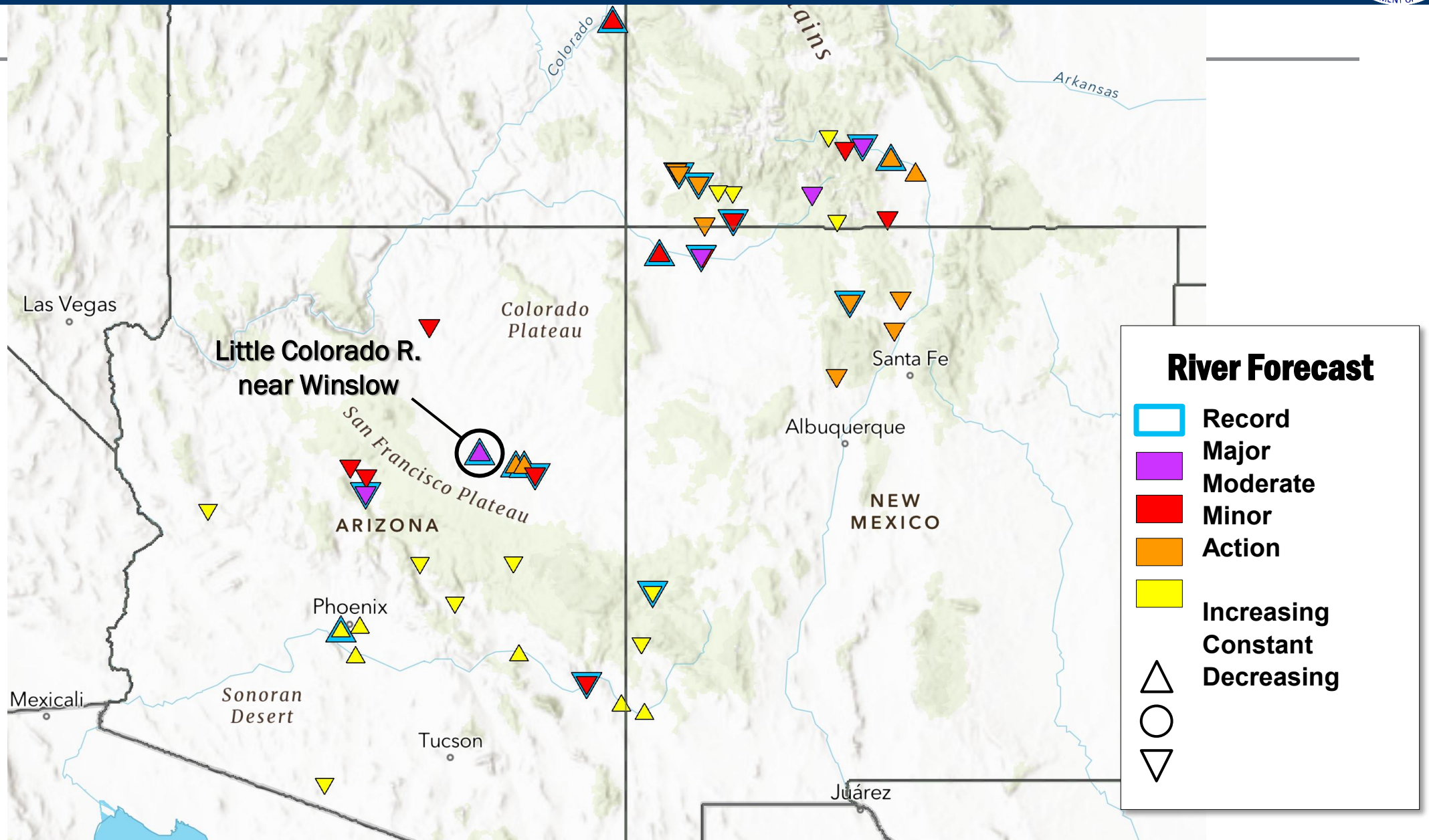
Monday, November 2, 2026

8:30 a.m. ET

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Latest River Forecast

NOAA National Water Center / River Forecast Centers
Updated 7 AM EST, November 02, 2026



Flooding – Southwest to Rockies

Situation: Heavy rainfall has caused considerable flash, urban, arroyo, and river flooding across the Southwest and Four Corners since yesterday, with primary impacts in Colorado and Arizona. The San Juan River peaked at approximately 22-21.9 ft near 11 p.m. Sunday, nearly 7 ft above last week's flooding. The crest exceeded the 20 ft threshold at which some homes become inaccessible. While most gauges in moderate or major flood stage are receding, widespread Flood Warnings, including Particularly Dangerous Situation warnings, remain in effect through this evening. Impacts include evacuation orders, local sheltering operations, communications disruptions, and highway closures; state and local response operations continue *(NWS, as of 6:00 a.m. ET, Nov 2)*.

Lifeline Impacts:

FEMA Region 8: *(FEMA R8 SPOTREP, as of 2:02 a.m. ET, Nov 2)*

Safety and Security:

- Mandatory evacuations are in effect for multiple Colorado Counties; Governor declared a disaster emergency in La Plata, Archuleta, Montezuma, Dolores, Hinsdale, San Miguel, Ouray, San Juan, Mineral, Alamosa, Rio Grande, and Conejo Counties
- Additional evacuations were ordered for low-lying areas of Archuleta, Conejos, Rio Grande, and Montezuma Counties, CO
- Pagosa Springs, CO (*pop. 2k*) is closed to incoming traffic *(Archuleta County Sheriff, as of 3:26 p.m. ET, Nov 1)*

Food, Hydration, Shelter: CO: 5 shelters open / 27 total occupants *(ARC Shelter Report, as of 6:51 a.m. ET, Nov 2)*

Communications:

- Cellular and internet services are disrupted in Pagosa Springs and Rio Grande Co.; restoration timeline is unconfirmed
- 911 calls are rerouted in Archuleta Co. with no disruption to service

Transportation: Closures reported on US-160, US-550, and CO-151

Hazardous Materials: Pagosa Springs and State of Utah officials confirmed sewage discharges and E. coli contamination in the San Juan River, and have advised residents to avoid all contact with floodwaters

FEMA Region 9: *(FEMA R9 SPOTREP, as of 11:33 p.m. ET, Nov 1)*

Safety and Security:

- Evacuations were ordered for residents in low-lying areas of Cottonwood (*pop. 13k*), Lake Montezuma (*pop. 5k*), Camp Verde (*pop. 13k*), Gisela (*pop. 800*), and the White Mountain Apache Reservation (*pop. 2k*)
- Local water rescues were reported in Sedona and Tucson, AZ *(FEMA R9 SPOTREP, as of 5:37 p.m. ET, Nov 1)*

Food, Hydration, Shelter: AZ: 7 shelters open / 65 occupants *(ARC Shelter Report, as of 6:51 a.m. ET, Nov 2)*

Water Systems: Water main break at Juniper Ridge Resort is impacting approx. 1k homes, with 1-week outage estimated

Transportation: Closures reported on 5 state highways (AZ-73, 77, 89A, 238, and 288) and various local roads

State / Local Response:

FEMA Region 8:

- CO SEOC at Partial Activation (Flooding); a swift-water rescue team from CO-TF1 is activated under state authorities
- UT SEOC is Monitoring (Flooding)

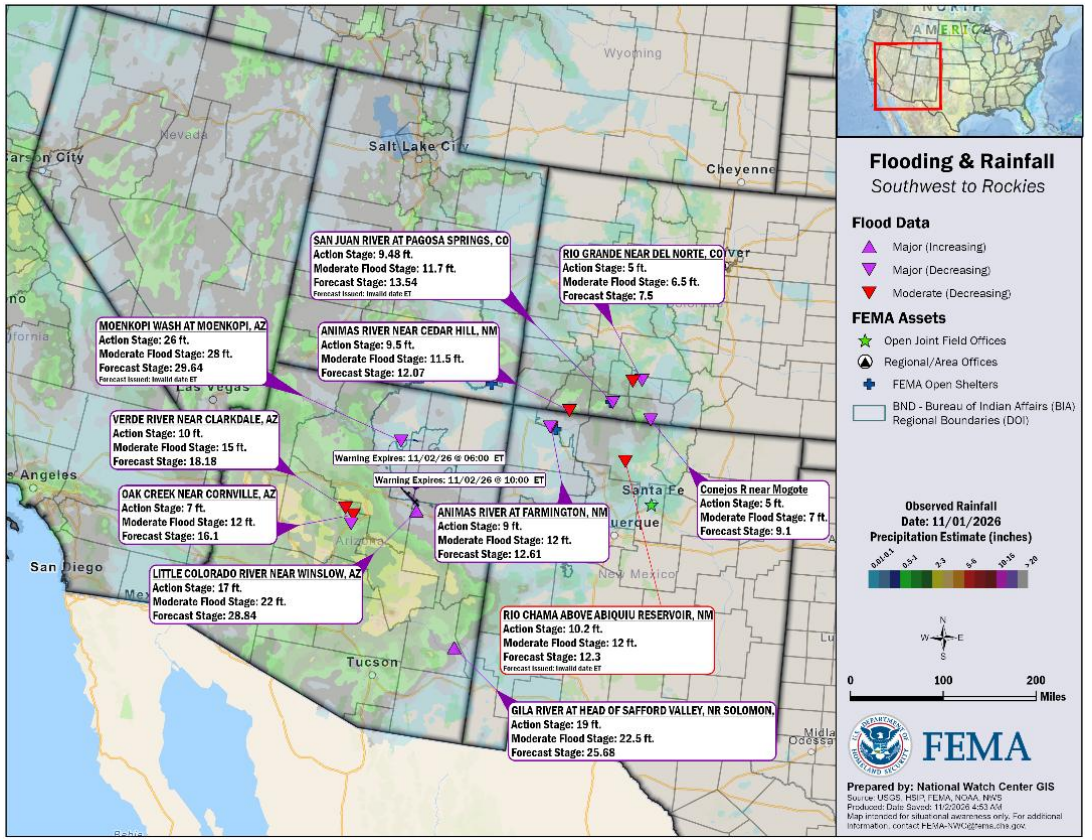
FEMA Region 9: AZ SEOC at Partial Activation (Severe Weather); State and county officials will assess damage when conditions become safe

FEMA Response:

FEMA Region 8: Watch is Monitoring; RRCC is Activated (10:00 a.m. ET – 7:00 p.m. ET daily)

FEMA Region 9: Watch is Monitoring; RRCC is Rostered

FEMA HQ: NWC is Monitoring



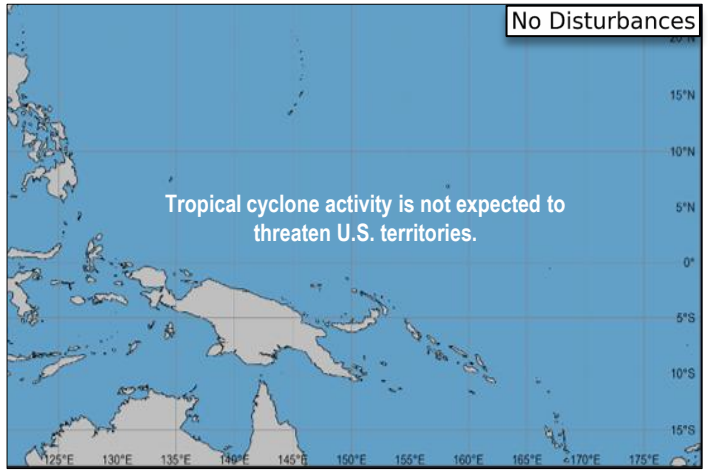
The NWC will continue to monitor in coordination with FEMA Regions 8 and 9. The next report will be on the 5:00 p.m. ET FEMA National Situation Report.

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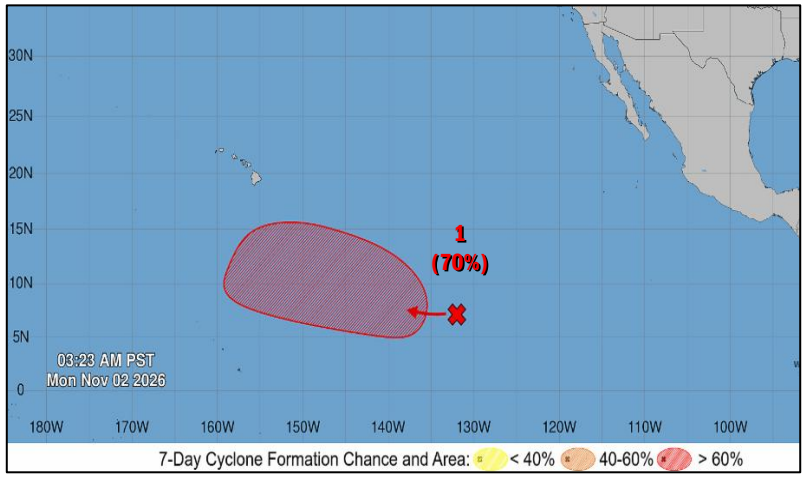
Tropical Outlook

Western Pacific



- Tropical cyclone activity is not expected to threaten U.S. territories

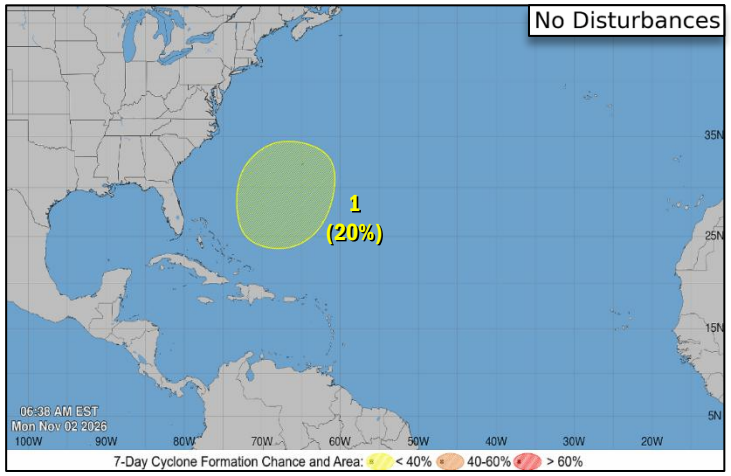
Central and Eastern Pacific



Disturbance 1: *(as of 7:00 a.m. ET)*

- Located well SE of the Hawaiian Islands
- Environmental conditions appear generally favorable for gradual development, and a tropical depression is likely form by the middle to latter portions of this week
- Formation chance – 48 hours: Low (20%); 7 days: High (70%)

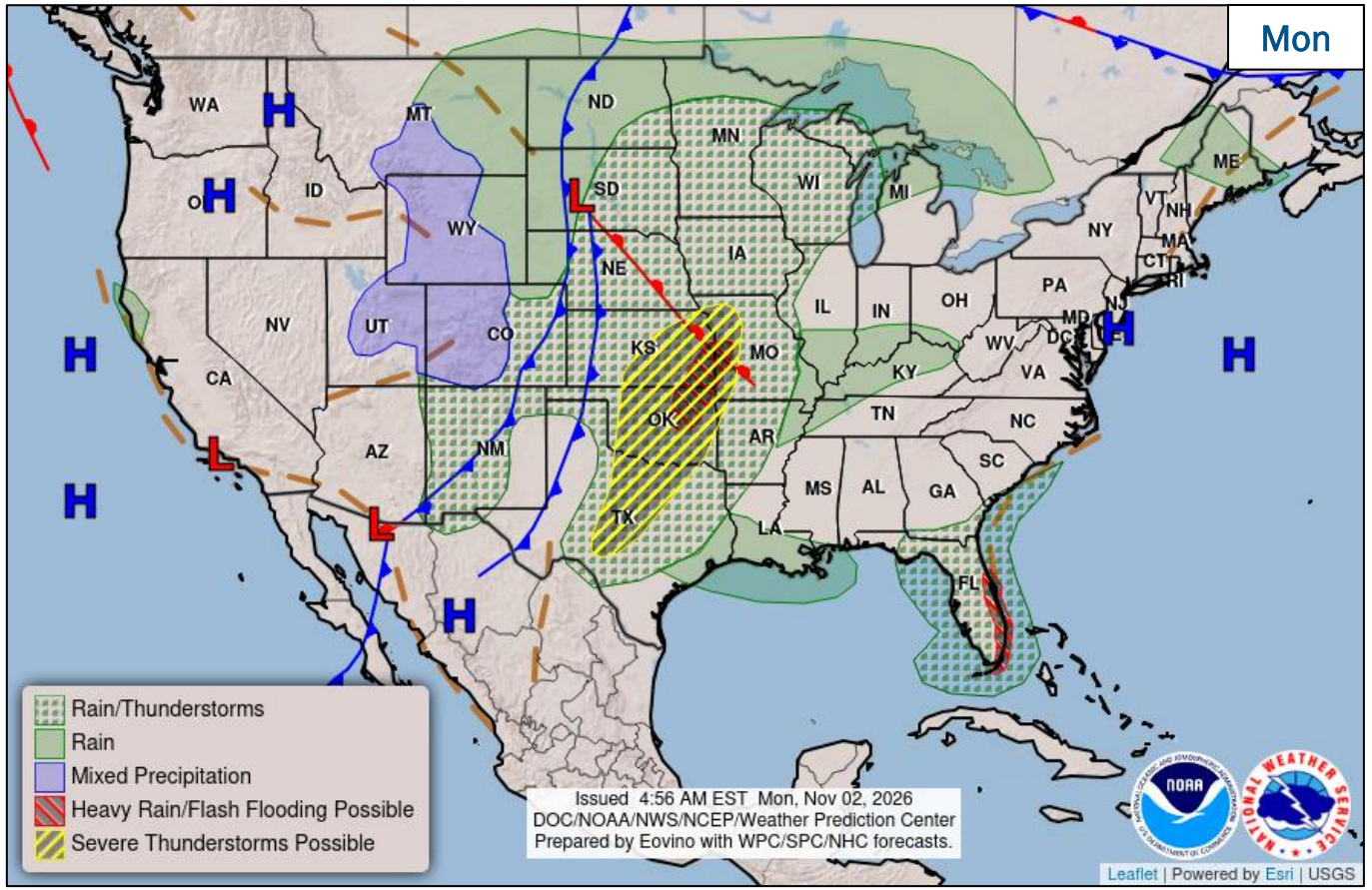
Atlantic

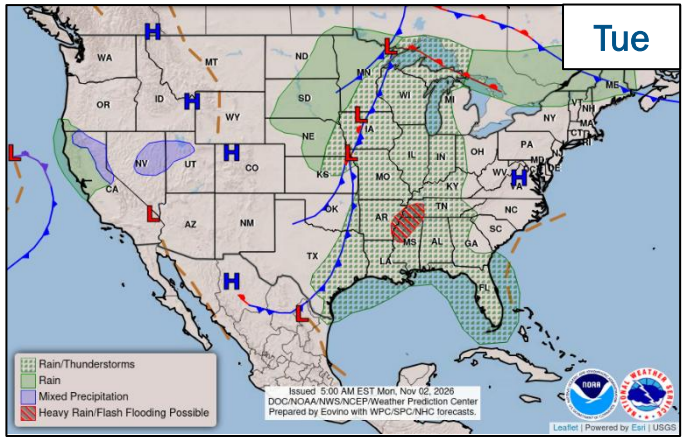


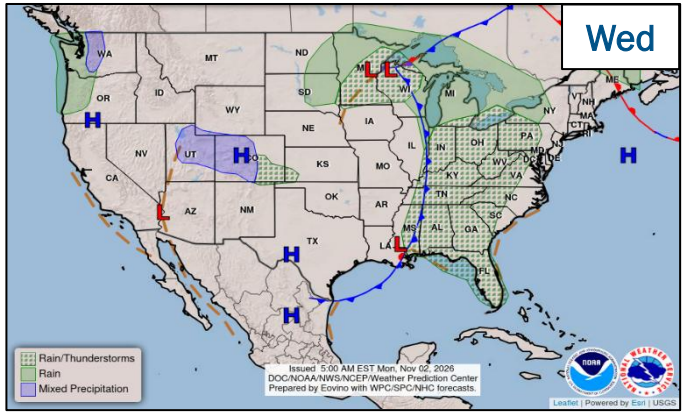
Disturbance 1: *(as of 7:00 a.m. ET)*

- Located in the Western Atlantic
- The system could acquire some subtropical characteristics late this week
- Formation chance – 48 hours: Low (near 0%); 7 days: Low (20%)

National Weather Forecast







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FEMA Common Operating Picture

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Incident Workforce

18,780	5,798 / 31%	6,179 / 33%	6,803 / 36%	Surge Capacity Force 7,859 / 0 / 785	Monday November 2, 2026 8:30 a.m. ET
Assigned a Disaster Title	Deployed	Available to Deploy for 30 Days	Remaining	Rostered / Deployed / Est. Available to Deploy for 30 Days	

National Readiness

National Watch Center	
NRCC	
N-IMAT Red	
N-IMAT White	
N-IMAT Blue	
N-IMAT Gold	
N-IMAT HS	

National Notes

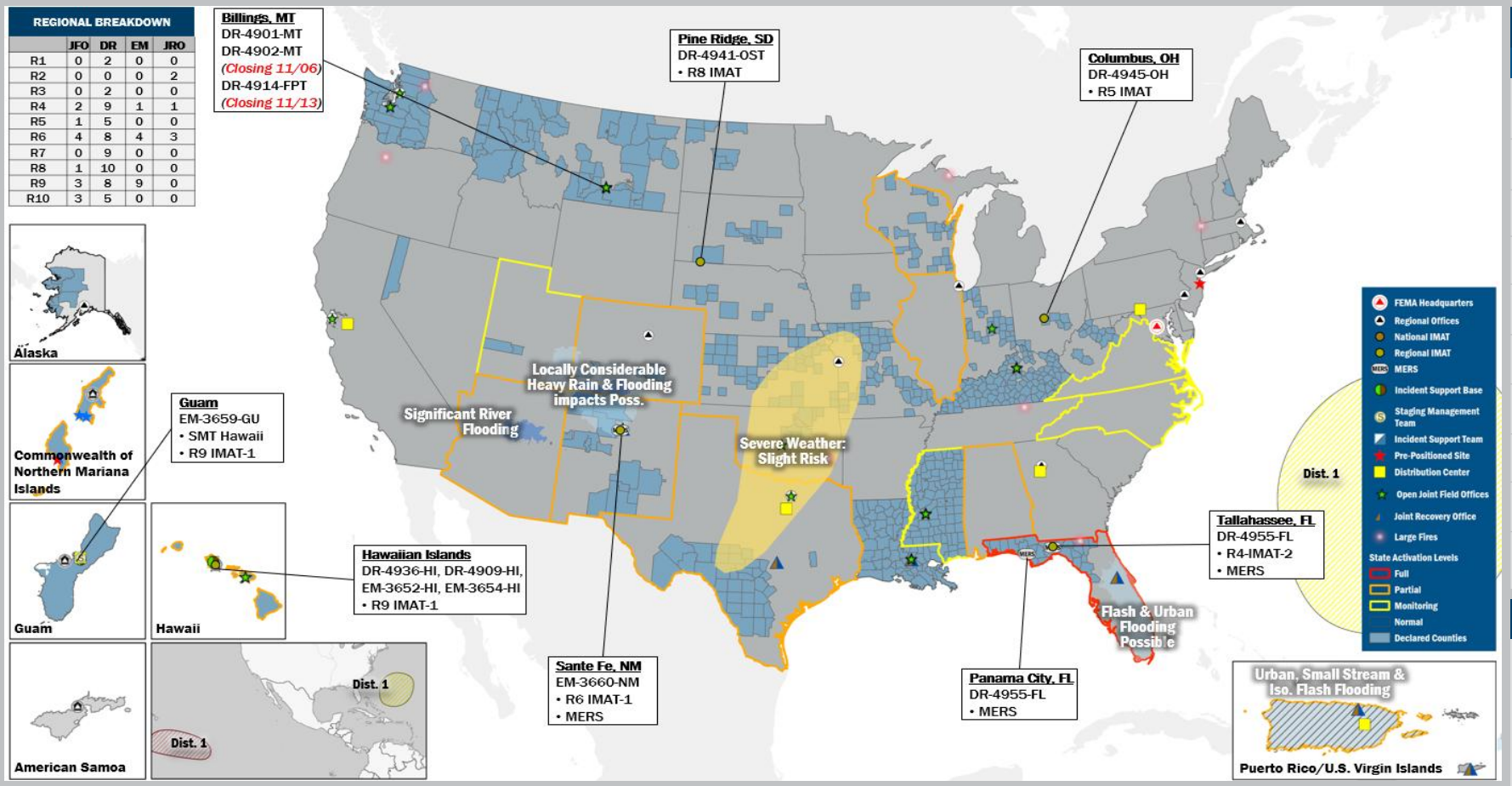
National Watch Center:
- Staffing

NRCC:
- Steady State

National IMATs:
- N-IMAT Red: Reconstituting / Staffing
- N-IMAT White: Staffing
- N-IMAT Blue: Staffing

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN

	JFO	DR	EM	JRO
R1	0	2	0	0
R2	0	0	0	2
R3	0	2	0	0
R4	2	9	1	1
R5	1	5	0	0
R6	4	8	4	3
R7	0	9	0	0
R8	1	10	0	0
R9	3	8	9	0
R10	3	5	0	0



Regional Readiness

	Watch	RRCC	IMAT
Region 1			
Region 2			
Region 3			1
Region 4			FL
Region 5			OH
Region 6			NM 3
Region 7			2
Region 8			OST
Region 9			HI
Region 10			

Regional Notes

Watches/RRCCs:
- R2 Watch: Equipment
- R5 Watch: Staffing
- R8 RRCC: Flooding
- R10 RRCC: Staffing

IMATs:
- R1: Staffing
- R4-1: Staffing
- R4-2: 4955-DR-FL
- R5: 4945-DR-OH
- R6-1: 3660-EM-NM
- R7: Staffing
- R8: 4941-DR-OST
- R9-1: 3652-EM-HI, 4909-DR-HI, 4936-DR-HI, 3654-EM-HI, EM-3659-GU
- R9-2: Reconstituting
- R10: Staffing

State EOCs:
- AZ/IL/TX: Severe Weather
- MP: TC Bavi/Saudel/Champi
- PR/VA: Drought
- HI: Tropical Activity
- AL/FL/MS: TC Isaias
- NC: Elections
- WI: DR-4949 Support
- CO/NM/UT: Flooding

Legend

- Fully Mission Capable
- Partially Mission Capable
- Requires Augmentation
- Deployed/Activated

Commodities & Equipment

	CONUS	Caribbean	Hawaii	Guam
Water				
Meals				
Generators				

SMT

Operational	11/11
Requires Augmentation	3/11
Deployed	1/11

MERS Det.

29/30 Operational

Maynard	5/5
Frederick	5/5
Thomasville	5/5
Denton	5/5
Denver	5/5
Bothell	4/5

US&R

Task Forces

Assigned	28
Non-FEMA Deployed	0
FEMA-Deployed	0
Not Mission Capable	0
Available	28
FEMA Support Staff	11/21

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Assigned	38
Not Mission Capable	2
Deployed	30 (30 FCOR)
Available	6

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