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Daily Operations Briefing Wednesday, September 23, 2020 8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations and Monitoring **FEMA**

Significant Incidents or Threats:

- Post-Tropical Cyclone Beta Recovery (Final)
- Heavy Rain and Flooding Lower Mississippi Valley
- Wildfires Western U.S.
- COVID-19

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic:
 - Post-Tropical Cyclone Teddy
 - Post-Tropical Cyclone Beta Final
- Eastern Pacific:
 - Tropical Storm Lowell
- Central Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Declaration Activity: None

Post-Tropical Cyclone Beta



Post-Tropical Cyclone Beta – FINAL (Advisory #23 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- 30 miles ESE of Houston, Texas
- Moving ENE at 9 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 30 mph
- Slow weakening is forecast to continue

Hazards Affecting Land:

 Rainfall accumulations: 3-5 inches, isolated storm totals of 15 inches for the upper Texas coast; 2-5 inches into the Lower Mississippi Valley, portions of the Tennessee Valley and southern Appalachians

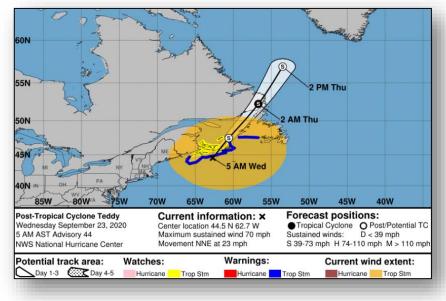


Post-Tropical Cyclone Teddy



Post-Tropical Cyclone Teddy (Advisory #44 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- 45 miles E of Halifax, Nova Scotia
- Moving NNE at 23 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 70 mph
- · Some weakening is forecast for the next day or so
- Tropical storm force winds extend 520 miles

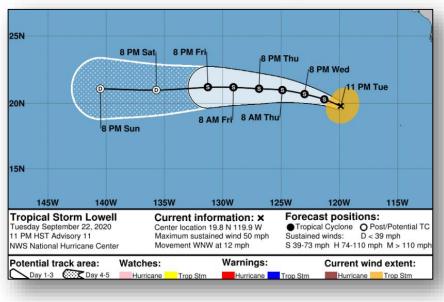


Tropical Storm Lowell

Tropical Storm Lowell (Advisory #11 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- 680 miles WSW of the southern tip of Baja California
- Moving WNW at 12 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 50 mph
- Little change in strength is forecast for the next few days
- Tropical storm force winds extend outward up to 115 miles





Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific





Post-Tropical Cyclone Beta – Response (Final) **FEMA**

<u>Situation:</u> Significant flash and urban flooding is occurring for the upper Texas coast. An additional 3-5 inches of precipitation is forecast with isolated storm totals of up to 15 inches as it moves into the Lower Mississippi Valley. Up to 14 inches of rainfall have been measured across portions of the Houston Metro area. Persistent onshore flow will continue to result in above-normal high tides and coastal flooding over the next few days and will be slow to recede.

Impacts:

Safety & Security:

- TX: Voluntary evacuations in effect for 7 counties
- LA: Cameron Parish remains evacuated (TC Laura)

Food, Water and Shelter:

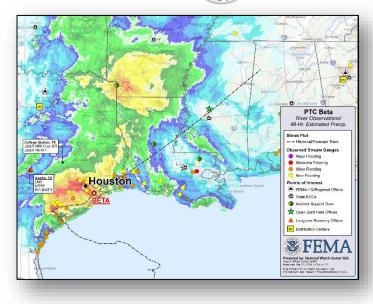
- More than 100,000 gallons of wastewater spilled in five locations throughout Houston
 - o Boil water notice in effect for private drinking water supply
- Energy: (RVI SPOTREP, as of 7:30 a.m. ET)
- TX: 6,586 (+3k) customers without power
- <u>Transportation</u> (FEMA Region VI DSAR as of 11:54 a.m., Sep 22)
- TX: Road closures due to high water, including Highway 288 at Interstate 610 interchange
- TX: Houston ship channel closed (precautionary) (CISA Sitrep [update 05] as of 5:30 p.m. Sep 22)

State/Local Preparations and Response:

TX & LA EOCs at Partial Activation (COVID-19 & TC Beta); State of Emergency declared

FEMA/Federal Preparations and Response:

- NRCC at Level III (COVID-19)
- FEMA RVI RRCC at Level II; RWC Enhanced Watch (24/7)
 - \circ $\,$ IMAT-1 deployed to Austin, TX; IMAT-2 deployed to Baton Rouge, LA
 - LNO deployed to TX SOC
- US&R:
 - Mission Ready Package Command IST (10 personnel)
 - NIMS Type 3 US&R task force (TN-TF1 45 personnel)



Wildfires – Western US



Situation: Of the over 6 million acres burned, the National Watch Center continues to track 13 active fires that have burned over 1.9 million acres from the West Coast to the Rocky Mountains. Mandatory evacuations continue throughout the impacted regions. Current U.S. Air Quality Index ranges from "Moderate" to Very Unhealthy" for Central California to northern Washington state. No unmet needs at this time.

FEMA Region VIII: 1 FMAG (CO)

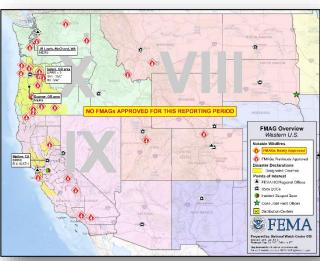
- Acreage burned (FMAGs only):104,652 (+495)
- Homes / structures threatened: 3,581 / 0
- Homes / structures damaged: 0 / 0
- Homes / structures destroyed: 27 / 29
- Fatalities / Injuries: 0 / 14
- Evacuations: 7,135

FEMA Region IX: 6 FMAGs (CA)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 1,013,203 (+19,635)
- Homes / structures threatened: 28,589 (-1,307) / 186
- Homes / structures damaged: 128 (+8) / 95
- Homes / structures destroyed: 2,229 (+86) / 1,302 (+40)
- Fatalities / Injuries: 18 / 65 (+1)
- Evacuations: 21,828 (-3,367)

FEMA Region X: 6 FMAGs (OR)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 871,615 (+4,479)
- Homes / structures threatened: 23,346 (-518) / 1,535 (-140)
- Home / structures damaged: 155 (+14) / 166 (+12)
- Homes / structures destroyed: 1,382 (+16)/ 1,434 (+19)
- Fatalities / Injuries: 6 / 28 (+2)
- Evacuations: 74,742 (-289)



State Response

 CA & OR EOCs at Full Activation (COVID-19 & Wildfires)

Federal Response

- Declarations approved 2 DRs, 1 EM
- Declarations requested 1 DR
- Region IX RWC monitoring
 - IMAT deployed to CA EOC (Wildfires)
- Region X RRCC at Level II (Wildfires & COVID-19)
 - IMAT deployed to OR EOC
 - ESF-13 activated; 1 IMT (Eugene) and 2 QRTs deployed to OR (Medford & Eugene)
- Public Health Emergency declared in OR
- EPA conducting Rapid Needs Assessments for 2 counties in CA
- MERS: Mather, CA; Salem, OR (× 2); McKenzie River Outreach Site, OR; Joint Base Lewis–McChord, WA
- US&R:
 - All resources demobilized as of Sep 20

Wildfire Summary – CA



Fire Name	FMAG #	Acres	Percent	Evacuations	Structur	Structures (Homes / Other)			
(County, ST)	FMAG #	Burned	Contained	Evacuations	Threatened	Damage	d Destroyed	Injuries	
			Cal	fornia (6)					
Creek	5348-FM-CA	286,519	200/ (+2)	M: 6,570 (-1,767)	H: 6,723 (-1,036)	H: 44	H: 566	0/21	
(Fresno and Madera, CA)	5540-FIM-CA	(+6,094)	32% (+2)	V: 0	O: 0	O: 27	O: 289	0/21	
El Dorado	5348-FM-CA	22,597	68% (+8)	M: 3,467	H: 225	H: 4 (+2)	H: 5 (+1)	4 / 40	
(San Bernardino, CA)	5540-FIM-CA	(+9)	00% (+0)	V: 0	O: 27	O: 0 (-4)	O: 15 (+9)	1 / 13	
Slater		150,230	0.40((+0)	M: 500 (-1,600)	H: 2,377 (-271)	H: 10	H: 202	2/2	
(Siskiyou, CA)	5361-FM-CA	(+1,553)	24% (+2)	V: 0	O: 0	O: 1	O: 236	2/3	
North Complex (Includes Bear Fire)	5363-FM-CA (Bear Fire)	300,204 (+2,013)	75% (+1)	M: 3,800	H: 10,000	H: 49 (+1)	H: 1,279 (+67)	15 / 9	
(Butte, Plumas, and Yuba, CA)		(12,010)		V: 0	O: 0 O: 5		O: 700 (+12)		
SQF Complex		141,600	220/	M: 3,491	H: 3,188	H: 10 (+1)	H: 150	0 / 45 (, 4)	
(Tulare, CA)	5373-FM-CA	(+4,092)	33%	V: 0	O: 0	O: 2	O: 37 (+3)	0 / 15 (+1)	
Bobcat		112,053	170/ (+ 4)	M: 4,000	H: 6,076	H: 11 (+4)	H: 27 (+18)	0/4	
(Los Angeles, CA)	5374-FM-CA	(+5,874)	17% (+4)	V: 0	O: 159	O: 7 (+3)	O: 25 (+16)	0 / 4	

(Evacuations: M = Mandatory / V = Voluntary; Structures: H = Homes and Mixed Commercial/Residential / O = Non-residential Commercial/Other Minor Structures)

Wildfire Summary – OR



Fire Name	FMAG #	Acres	Percent	Evenuetions	Evacuations Structures (Homes / Other)				
(County, ST)	FMAG #	Burned	Contained	Evacuations	Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	Injuries	
				Oregon (6)					
*Beachie Creek/Lionshead Complex		396,225	46% / 15%	M: 2,942	H: 9,437	H: 120 (+14)	H: 750 (+16)	4 / 13	
(Marion, Clackamas, Linn, and Jefferson, OR)	5356-FM-OR	(+4,534)	(+8) / (+2)	V: 0	O: 109	O: 110 (+12)	O: 853 (+19)		
Holiday Farm	5357-FM-OR	173,094	070((.40)	M: 0	H: 3,667	H: 25	H: 431	1 (6 (1 1)	
(Lane, OR)	5357-FIVI-OK	(-69)	27% (+10)	V: 0	O: 916	O: 40	O: 337	1 / 6 (+1)	
Archie Creek		404 500	F00((+0)	M: 1,077	H: 471	H: 0	H: 111	1/2(11)	
(Douglas, OR)	5365-FM-OR	131,598	52% (+8)	V: 0	O: 0	O: 7	O: 2	1 / 3 (+1)	
South Obenchain	5367-FM-OR	22.674	80% (+10)	M: 31 (-289)	H: 285 (-518)	H: 0	H: 33	0/2	
(Jackson, OR)	5367-FINI-OR	32,671		V: 0	O: 510 (-140)	O: 0	O: 56	0/3	
Riverside		138,027	240((.5)	M: 70,692	H: 9,486	H: 10	H: 57		
(Clackamas, OR)	5366-FM-OR	(+7)	31% (+5)	V: 0	V: 0 O: 0 O: 9		O: 186	0/3	
*Slater (Josephine, OR)	5369-FM-OR	Unknown	0%	*Note: Burning along	the border of OR & CA -	- See under CA for	fire details		

* All numbers combined for this complex fire except for the containment percentage

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Wildfire Summary – CO



Fire Name	FMAG #	Acres	Percent	Evacuations	Struct	ures (Homes /	Other)	Fatalities /				
(County, ST)	FINIAG #	Burned	Contained	Evacuations	Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	Injuries				
	Colorado (1)											
Cameron Peak	on Peak		170/ (+2)	M: 7,135	H: 3,581	H: 0	H: 27	0/14				
(Larimer, CO)	5349-FM-CO	(+495)	17% (+2)	V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 29	0/14				

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COVID-19 Update



<u>Situation:</u> Upward trajectory in COVID-19 case count continues across 22 (-1) states/territories, with 15 (+1) states/territories in a plateau status, and 19 states/territories on a downward trajectory. 19,746 Federal employees deployed / activated; 1,468 (-6) FEMA employees deployed. (COVID-19 SLB, as of Sep 22)

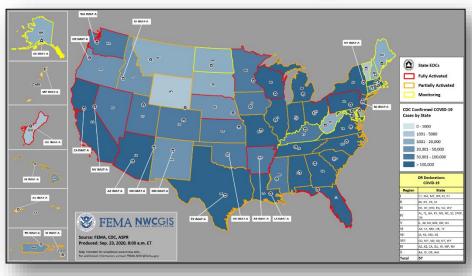
Nationwide Testing: 105,140,007 (+955,427) cumulative (as of Sep 22)

COVID-19 positive cases continue to increase globally (CDC COVID-19 update as of Sep 22)

- Confirmed Cases of COVID-19
 - United States: 6,825,697 (+39,345)
 - Worldwide: 31,174,627 (+224,823)
 - Deaths caused by COVID-19
 - United States:199,462 (+438)
 - o Worldwide: 962,613 (+3,497)

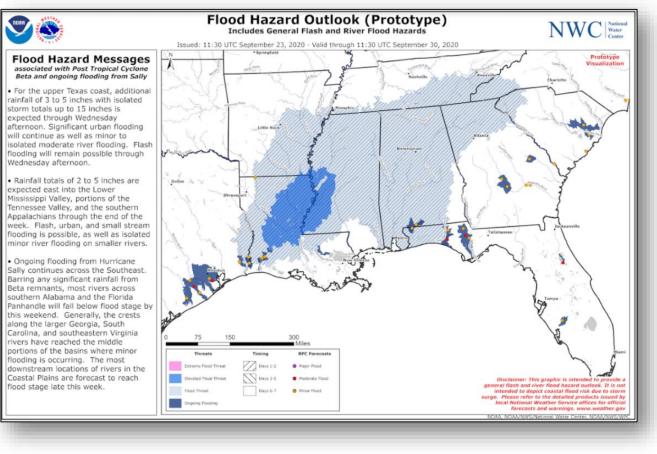
Response:

- NRCC conducting COVID response operations
- Regions I, II, III, V, & X RRCCs at Level III
- Region VI at Level II
- Regions IV, VII, VIII, & IX RRCCs are rostered
- Regions VII, VIII, & IX COVID-19 working from the Virtual JFO
- NWC, all RWCs, and MOCs are monitoring



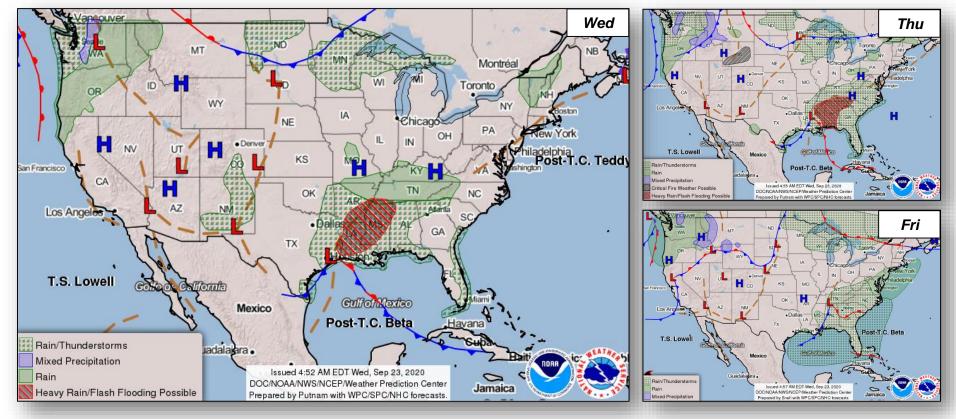
Flood Hazard Outlook





National Weather Forecast





Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State /	Event	IA	Number o	f Counties	Start – End
Region	Location	Lvent	PA	Requested	Complete	
1	СТ	Tropical Storm Isaias	IA	8	8	8/27 – 9/16
I	CI	Aug 4	PA	8	0	8/27 – TBD
	NY	Tropical Storm Isaias	IA	0	0	N/A
		Aug 4	PA	8	3	8/25 – TBD
II	NU	Tropical Storm Isaias	IA	0	0	N/A
	NJ	Aug 4	PA	15	0	9/14 – TBD
	DE	Tornado	IA	0	0	N/A
	DE	Aug 7	PA	1	0	8/29 – TBD
111	MD	Tropical Storm Isaias	IA	0	0	N/A
	MD	Aug 4-5	PA	3	0	8/21 – TBD
	DA.	Tropical Storm Isaias	IA	9	1	8/26 – TBD
	PA	Aug 4-5	PA	11	0	8/26 – TBD
11.7		Hurricane Sally	IA	0	0	N/A
IV	AL	Sep 16	PA	12	0	9/26 – TBD
		Hurricane Hanna	IA	6	6	7/29 – 8/20
VI	тх	Jul 25 and continuing	PA	6	0	7/29 – TBD
VI		Hurricane Laura	IA	1	0	9/15 – TBD
		Aug 23 and continuing	PA	10	0	9/2 – TBD
VIII UT		High Winds	IA	0	0	N/A
VIII		Sep 8-9	PA	3	0	9/14 - 10/2
х	WA	Babb Fire	IA	1	1	9/11 – 9/15
^	VVA	Sep 7 and continuing	PA	1	0	9/11 – TBD

Declaration Requests in Process – 7



State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
Poarch Band of Creek Indians – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х		5/15
DE – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR	Х	Х	Х	8/31
ND – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	8/31
NY – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		Х	Х	9/3
MD – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		Х	Х	9/3
WA – Wildfires and Straight-Line Winds	DR	Х	Х	Х	9/16
FL – Hurricane Sally (Expedited)	DR	Х	Х	Х	9/18

FEMA Common Operating Picture



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Status	33-6		> 66%	≤1 Type I	= 2	WORKFORCE			Cao	lres with 25	5% or Les	ss Availab	ility		
Assigned:	2	-	36	46 (+1)	9 (-1)	13,964	CVR 16%	(13/81)· III	22% (15/6	7)· EA 16%	(74/465)	EHP 18% ((116/657); FL	12% (18	(156): EM
Unavailable	1	-	0	0	0	3,329							8% (26/325)		
Deployed:	1 (·	-1)	8 (-1)	40 (+1)	7 (-1)	6,980 🔺				7); SAF 13%		, or o	070 (20/020)	,, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Available:	17 (+1)	28 (+1)	6	2	3,655/ 26% 🔻	(30.70,120	-,, 20		,,					





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