

FEMA National Watch Center

# Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, January 16, 2021

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# National Current Ops / Monitoring

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## New Significant Incidents/Ongoing Ops:

- COVID-19

## Hazard Monitoring:

- Freezing rain possible - Northeast
- Heavy snow possible - Northeast
- Critical fire weather – southern California

## Disaster Declaration Activity:

- Major Disaster Declaration Approved – Colorado
- Emergency Declaration Requests – Virginia and Maryland
- 8 Amendments

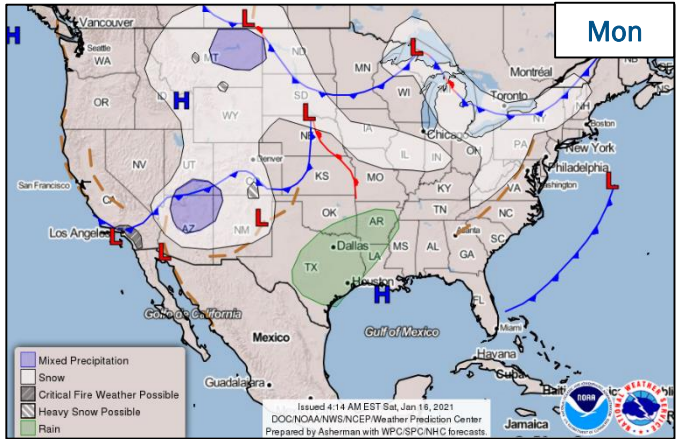
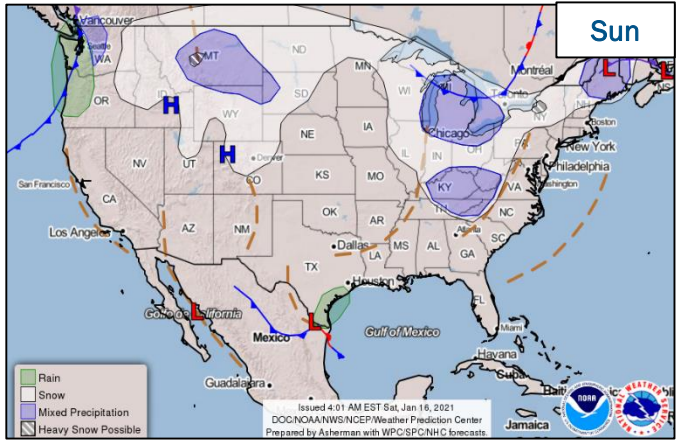
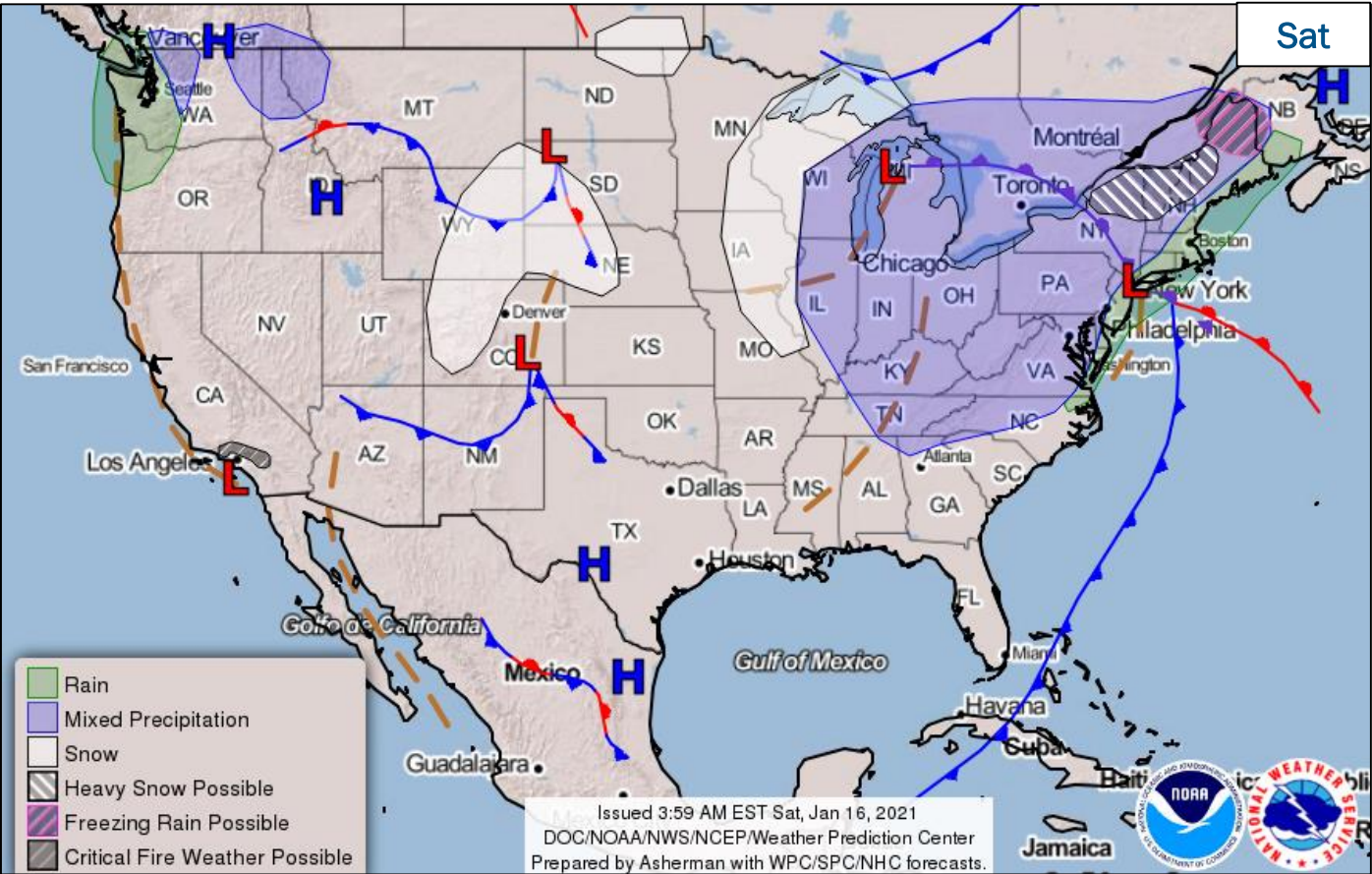
## Event Monitoring:

- 59<sup>th</sup> Presidential Inauguration



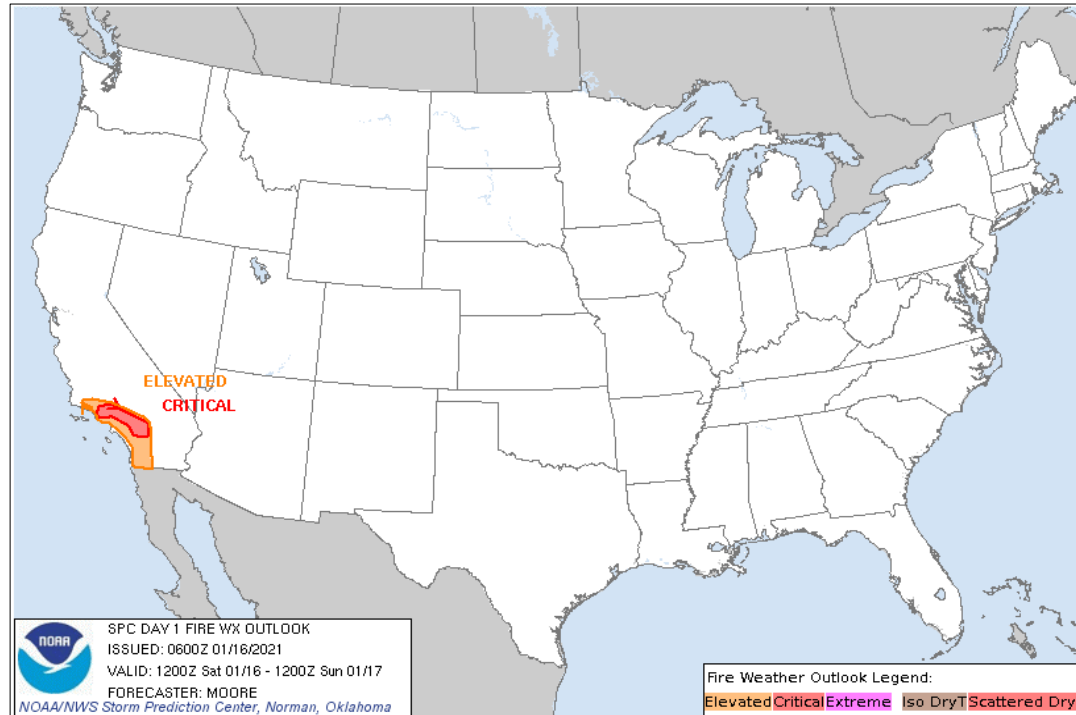
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# National Weather Forecast

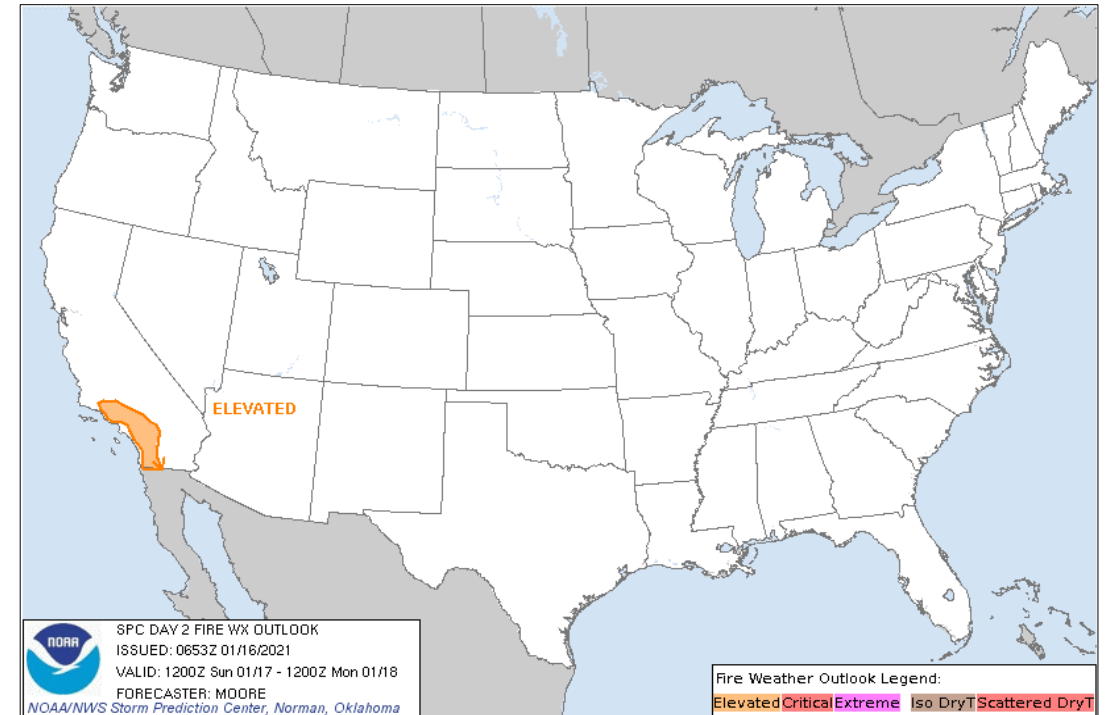


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# Fire Weather Outlook



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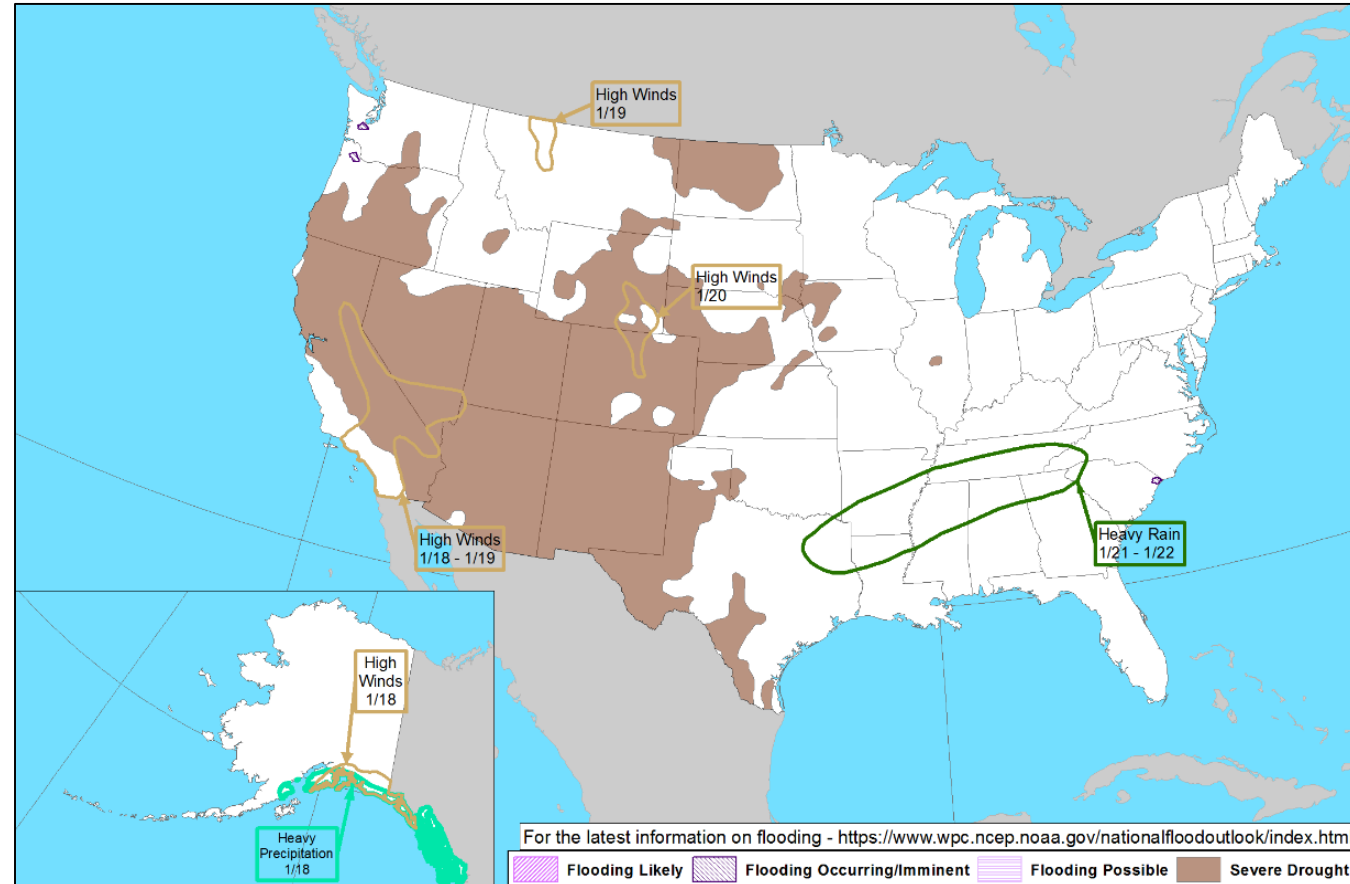
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# Hazards Outlook – Jan 18 - 22

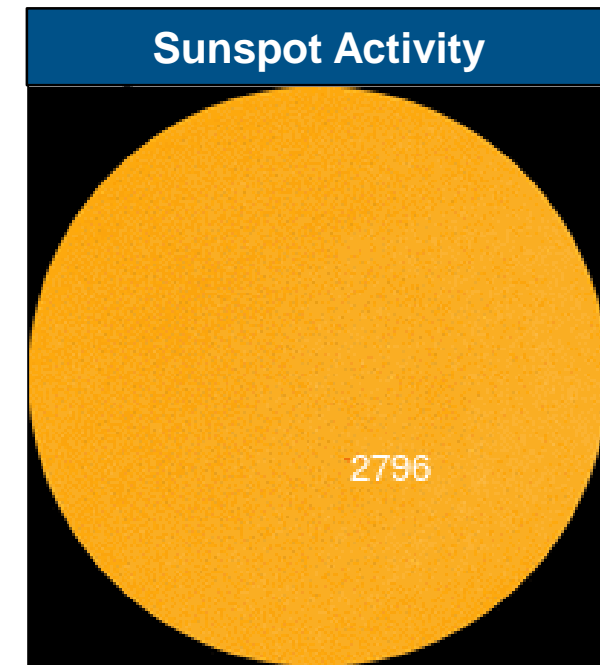
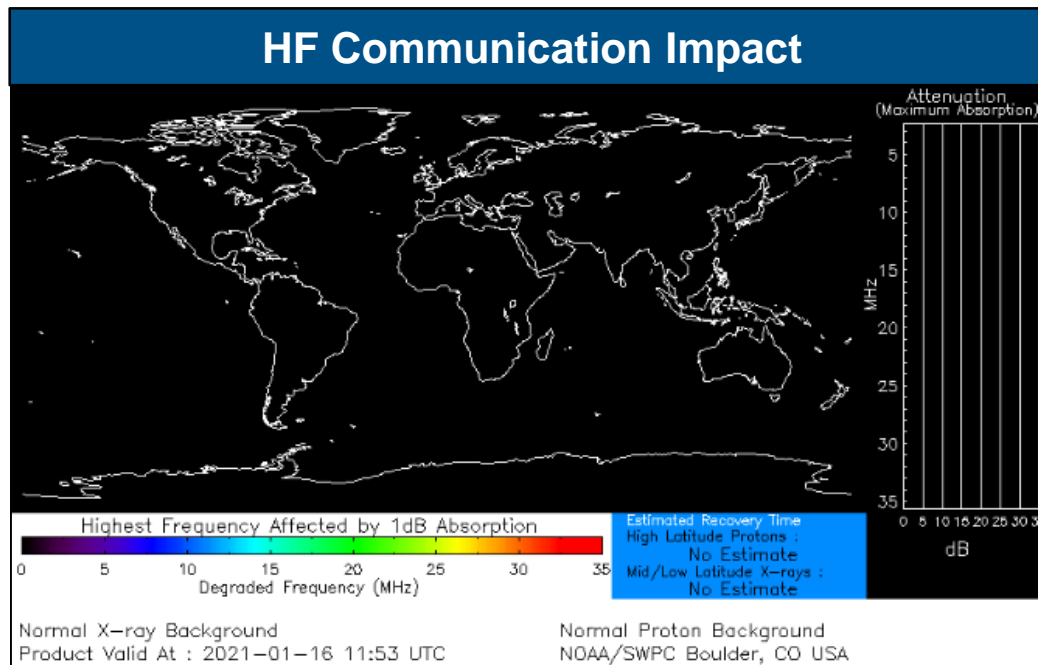


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# Space Weather Outlook

	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: <a href="http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation">http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation</a> For further information on Sunspot Activity refer to: <a href="https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle">https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle</a>				



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# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Event	IA	Number of Counties		Start – End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
IV	NC	Tropical Cyclone Eta Nov 12-19	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	18	4	12/9 – TBD



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# Declaration Approved – Colorado

**Declaration Type:** Major Disaster Declaration FEMA-4581-DR-CO

**Requested:** Dec 21

**Date Approved:** Jan 15

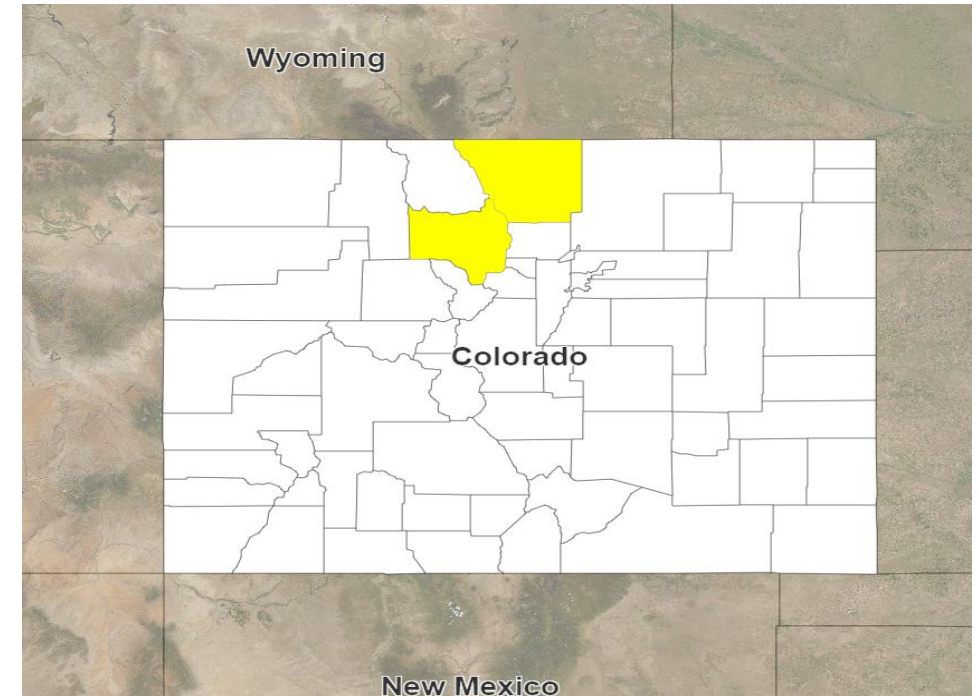
**Incident:** Wildfires

**Incident Period:** Sep 6 – Nov 5

**Provides:**

- **PA:** 2 counties
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide

**FCO:** Jon K. Huss



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# Declaration Request – Virginia

**Declaration Type:** Emergency Declaration – Virginia

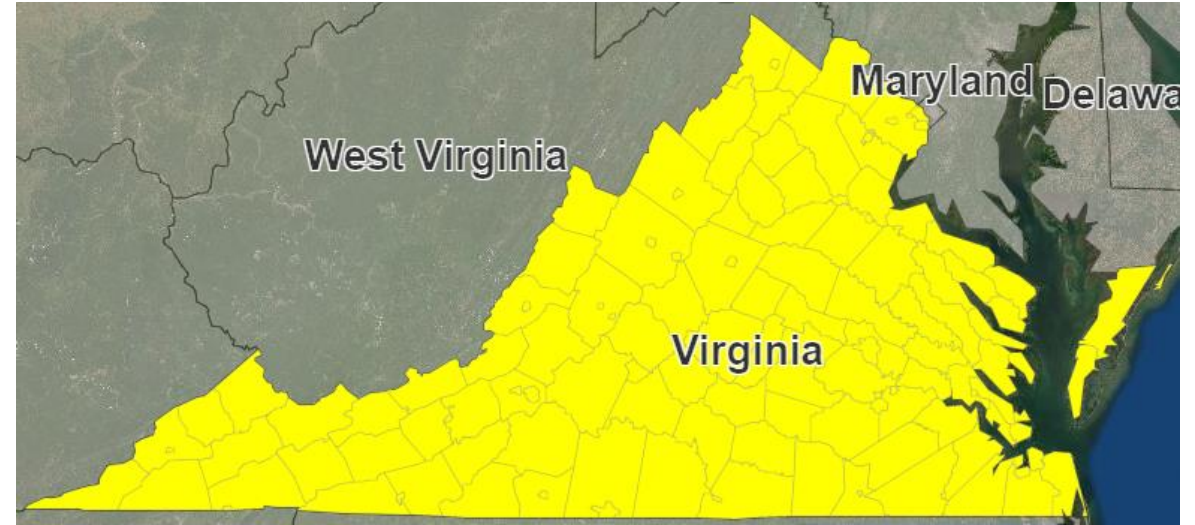
**Requested:** January 15

**Incident:** 59<sup>th</sup> Presidential Inauguration and Civil Unrest

**Incident Period:** January 6 to February 4

**Requesting:**

- **PA:** Emergency protective measures (Category B), limited to direct federal assistance at 100 percent federal funding for the entire commonwealth
- **Hazard Mitigation:** entire commonwealth



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# Declaration Request – Maryland

**Declaration Type:** Emergency Declaration – Maryland  
**Requested:** January 15

**Incident:** 59<sup>th</sup> Presidential Inauguration  
**Incident Period:** January 6 to January 24

**Requesting:**

- **PA:** Emergency protective measures (Category B), limited to direct federal assistance at 100 percent federal funding for 23 counties and one city



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# Declaration Requests in Process – 5

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
WA – Wildfires and Straight-Line Winds	DR	X	X	X	9/16
MD – Tropical Storm Isaias (Appeal)	DR		X	X	11/12
Navajo Nation – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	X	X	12/3
CO – Wildfires – <b>APPROVED</b>	DR	X	X	X	12/21
VA - 59 <sup>th</sup> Presidential Inauguration & Civil Unrest	EM		X	X	1/15
MD - 59 <sup>th</sup> Presidential Inauguration	EM		X		1/15



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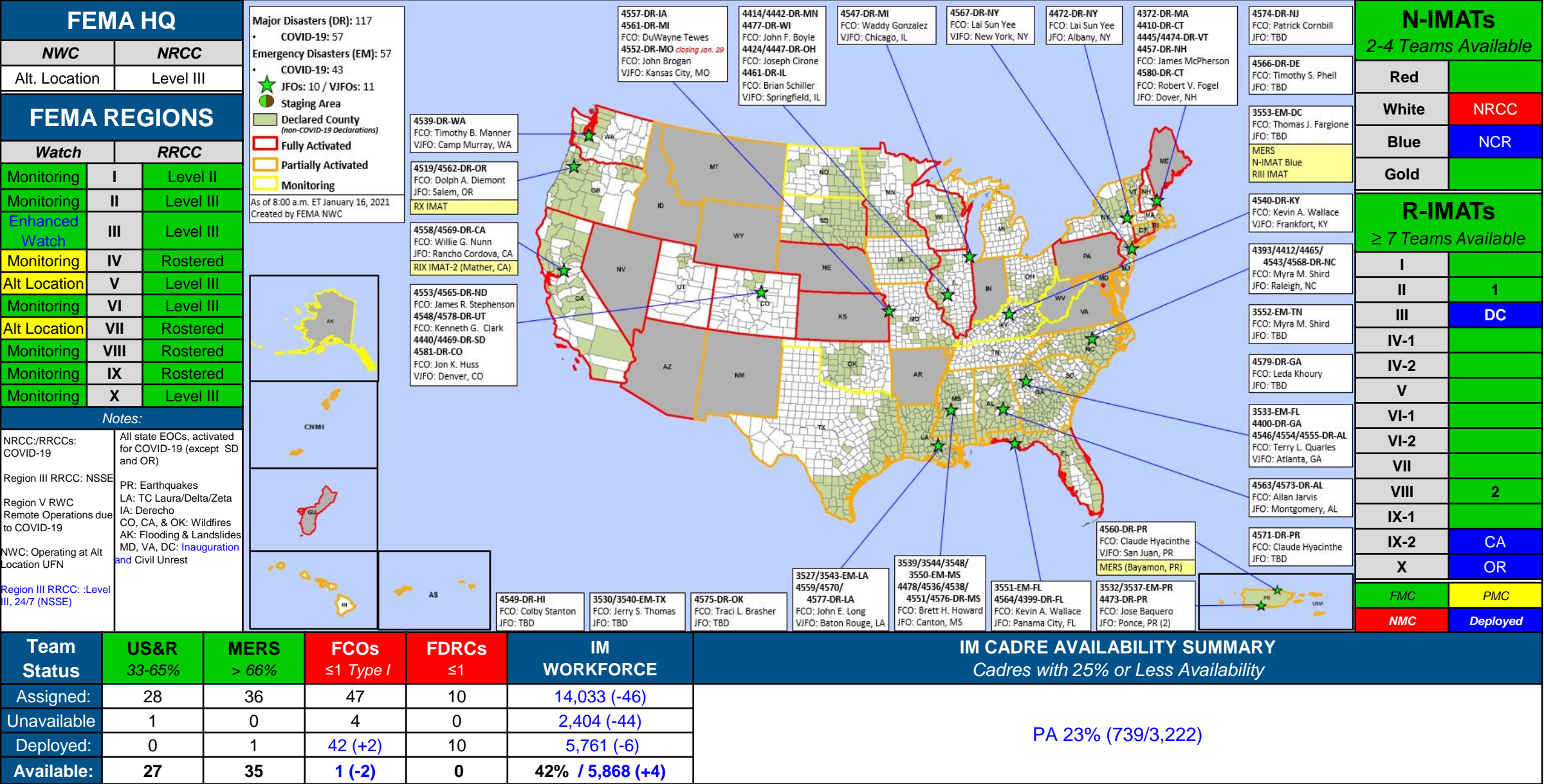
# Declaration Amendments

Declaration	Number	Issued	Action
FEMA-4399-DR-FL FEMA-4564-DR-FL	14 5	Jan 15	Appoints Kevin A. Wallace as FCO
FEMA-4496-DR-MA FEMA-4500-DR-CT FEMA-4505-DR-RI FEMA-4516-DR-NH FEMA-4522-DR-ME FEMA-4532-DR-VT	1 2 2 2 2 2	Jan 14	Appoints Paul F. Ford as FCO



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# FEMA Common Operating Picture







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