

Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center

Situation Awareness Brief



**Saturday, January 13th, 2024
As of 0900 CDT**

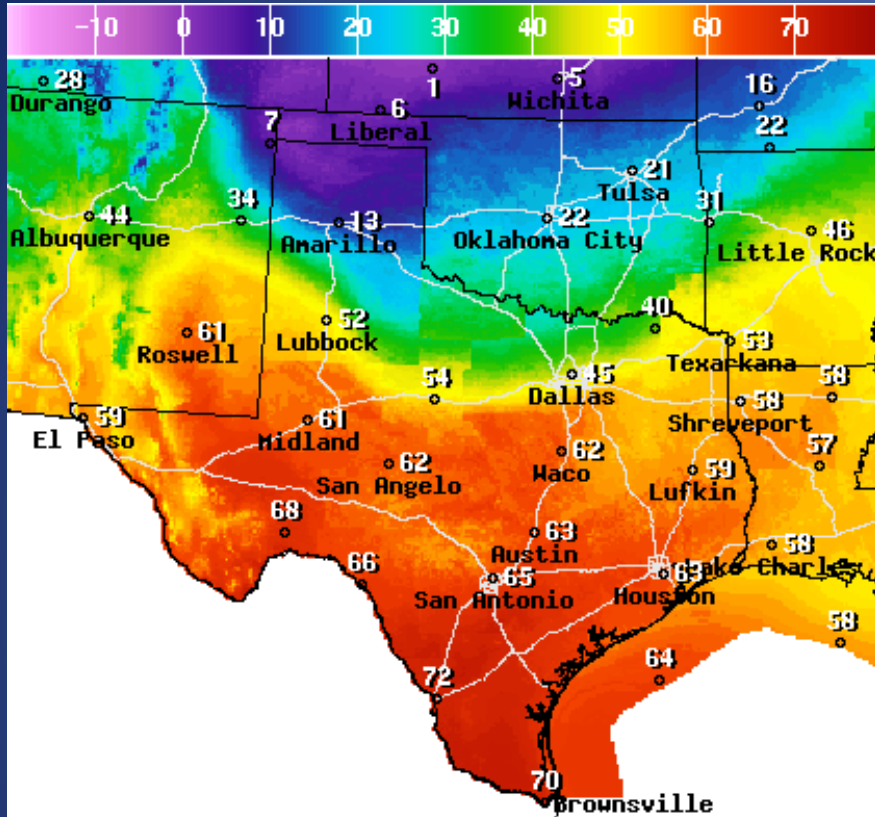
Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION
01/12/24	Final Report of a Railroad Incident with Fuel Spill	San Patricio County
01/12/24	Initial Report of a Fire	McMullen County
01/12/24	Update Report of a Fire	McMullen County
01/13/24	Initial Report of a Road Closure (US-57)	Zavala County
01/13/24	Final Report of the Road Closure (US-57)	Zavala County

Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
01/12/24	NWS Fort Worth: UPDATE: Dangerously Cold This Weekend and Next Week, Wintry Precipitation Possible
01/12/24	NWS Amarillo: Prolonged Cold Temps/Wind Chills 12Jan-16Jan 2024
01/12/24	NWS Brownsville: Breezy Winds Today, Arctic Cold Front Arrives Late This Weekend
01/12/24	NWS Lake Charles, LA: Decision Support Packet Arctic Blast
01/12/24	NWS Midland/Odessa: Extreme Cold Arrives This Weekend
01/12/24	NWS Austin/San Antonio: Red Flag Warning and Arctic Front Arrives Saturday Night
01/12/24	NWS Lake Charles, LA: Marine Hazards Tonight & Low Water Update
01/13/24	NWS Austin/San Antonio: Situation Report - Arctic Air Arrives Tonight
01/13/24	NWS Shreveport, LA: Extreme Cold and Winter Weather this Weekend and Next Week
01/13/24	NWS Lake Charles, LA: Temps Early Next Week
01/13/24	NWS Norman, OK: Winter Weather Update for January 13-16
1/13/24	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Saturday, January 13, 2024 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast



Temperature(F) For Sat Jan 13 2024 4PM EST
(Sat Jan 13 2024 21Z)

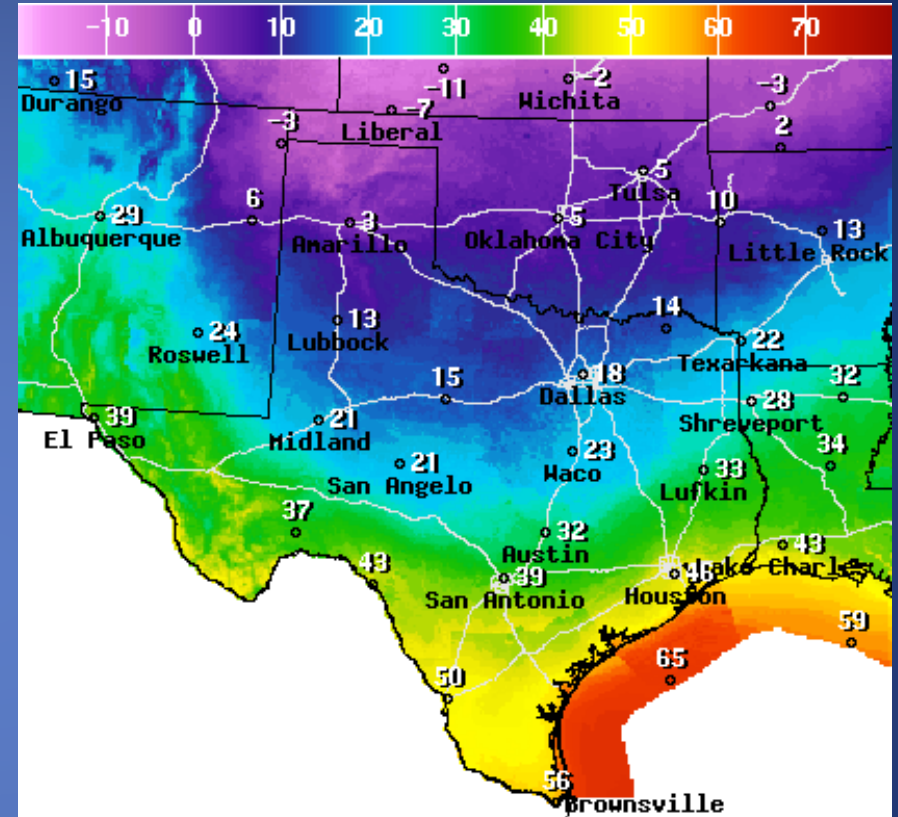


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Highs



Temperature(F) For Sun Jan 14 2024 4AM EST
(Sun Jan 14 2024 09Z)



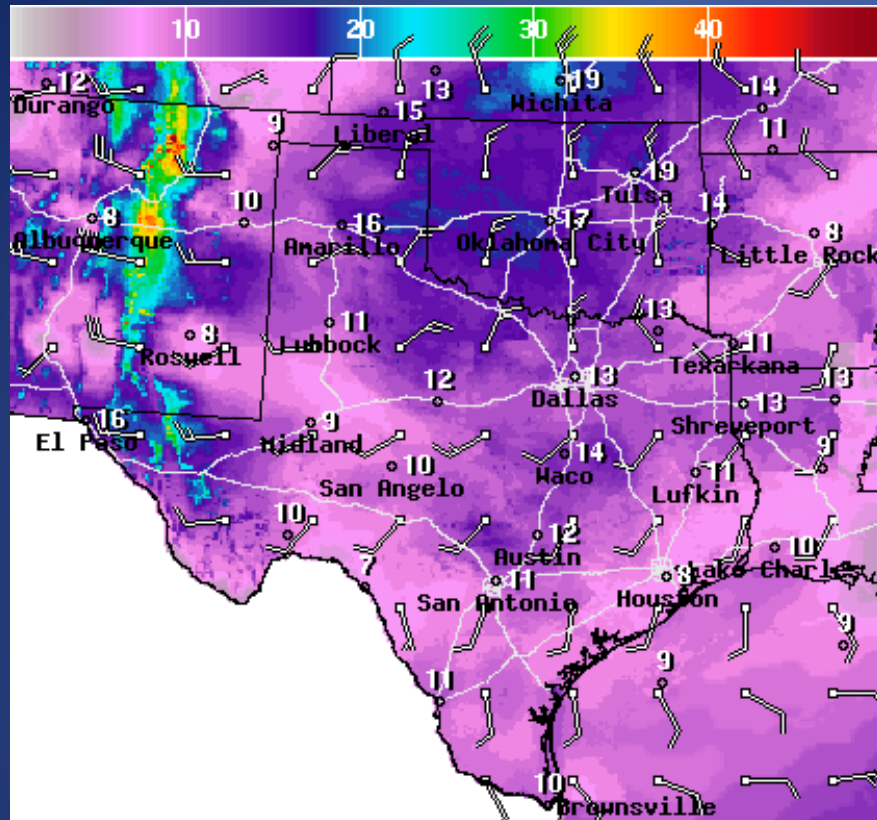
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Lows

Weather Forecast



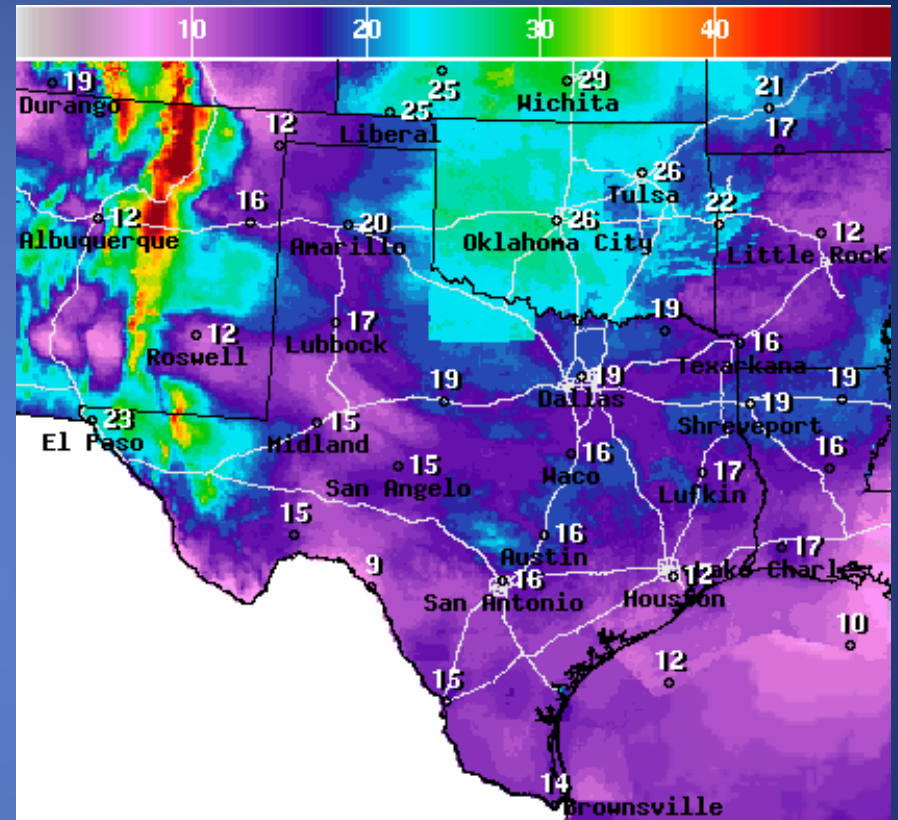
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Wind Speeds



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Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: Texas

Severe Weather Outlook Saturday, January 13, 2024

Last Updated: Jan 13 2024 0643 AM CST
Valid Until: Jan 14 2024 0600 AM CST

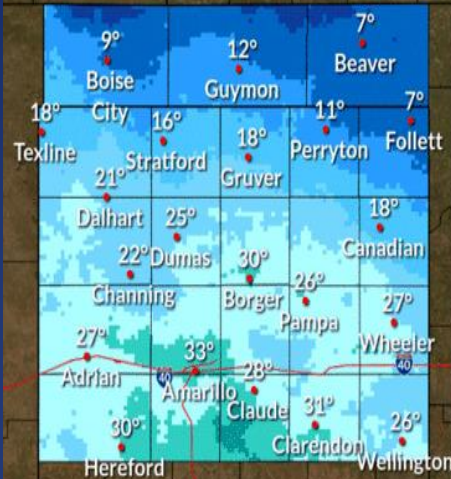


National Weather Service
Storm Prediction Center
<https://www.spc.noaa.gov>

Hazardous Weather

Saturday 6 AM Temps

Weather Forecast Office
Amarillo, TX
Issued Jan 13, 2024 3:27 AM CST

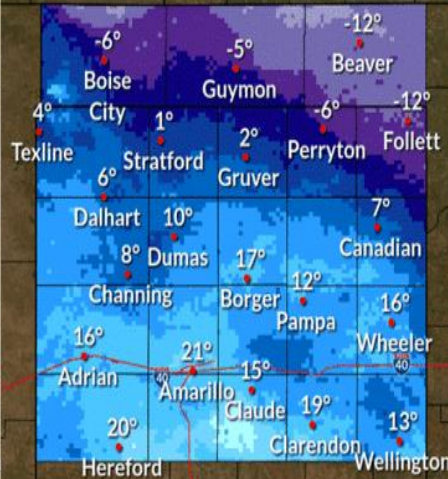


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6 AM Wind Chill

Weather Forecast Office
Amarillo, TX
Issued Jan 13, 2024 3:33 AM CST



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Saturday will feature a non-traditional temperature pattern as a strong cold front pushes southward, causing temperatures to remain steady or fall across most of the area, with single digits expected in the northern Panhandle. Additionally, winds out of the north at 15 to 25 mph will occur, leading to many areas seeing subzero wind chills through the daytime hours. Avoid prolonged exposure to these wind chills and bundle up if you must go outside.

Potentially Impactful Snow Sunday Into Monday

Weather Forecast Office
Norman, OK
Issued January 13, 2024 2:15 AM CST

Area most likely to see impactful snowfall **Sunday afternoon and evening**

Area most likely to see impactful snowfall **Sunday evening through early Monday morning**

Potential Snowfall Amounts

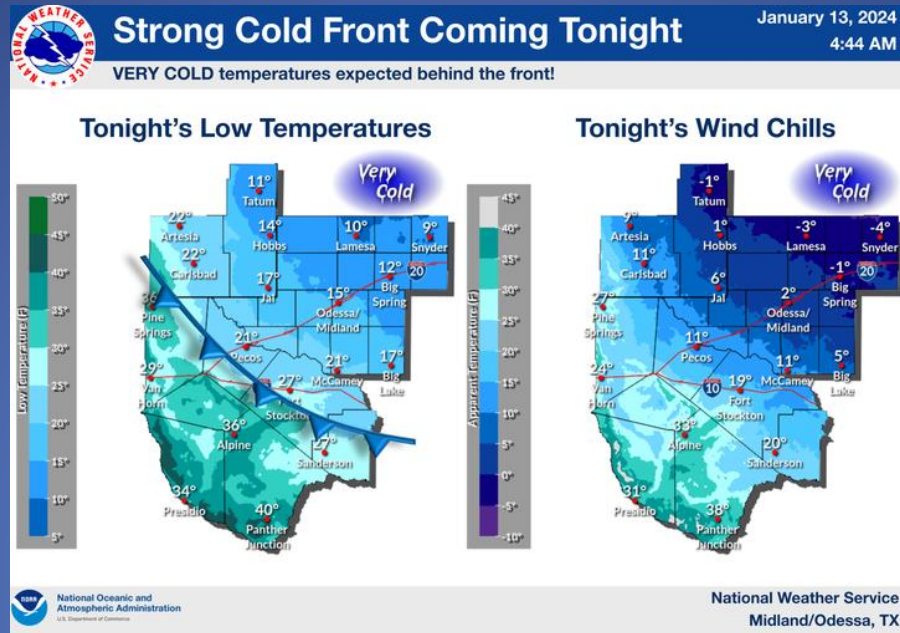


NWSNorman

weather.gov/norman

Accumulating snowfall is expected **Sunday afternoon through early Monday morning.**

Hazardous Weather



A strong Arctic front pushes through the region tonight, plummeting temperatures into the teens across the Permian Basin. Wind chills will be VERY COLD behind this front in the single digits and even below zero in the northern Basin. Locations south/west of the front will be much warmer in the 30s and 40s.

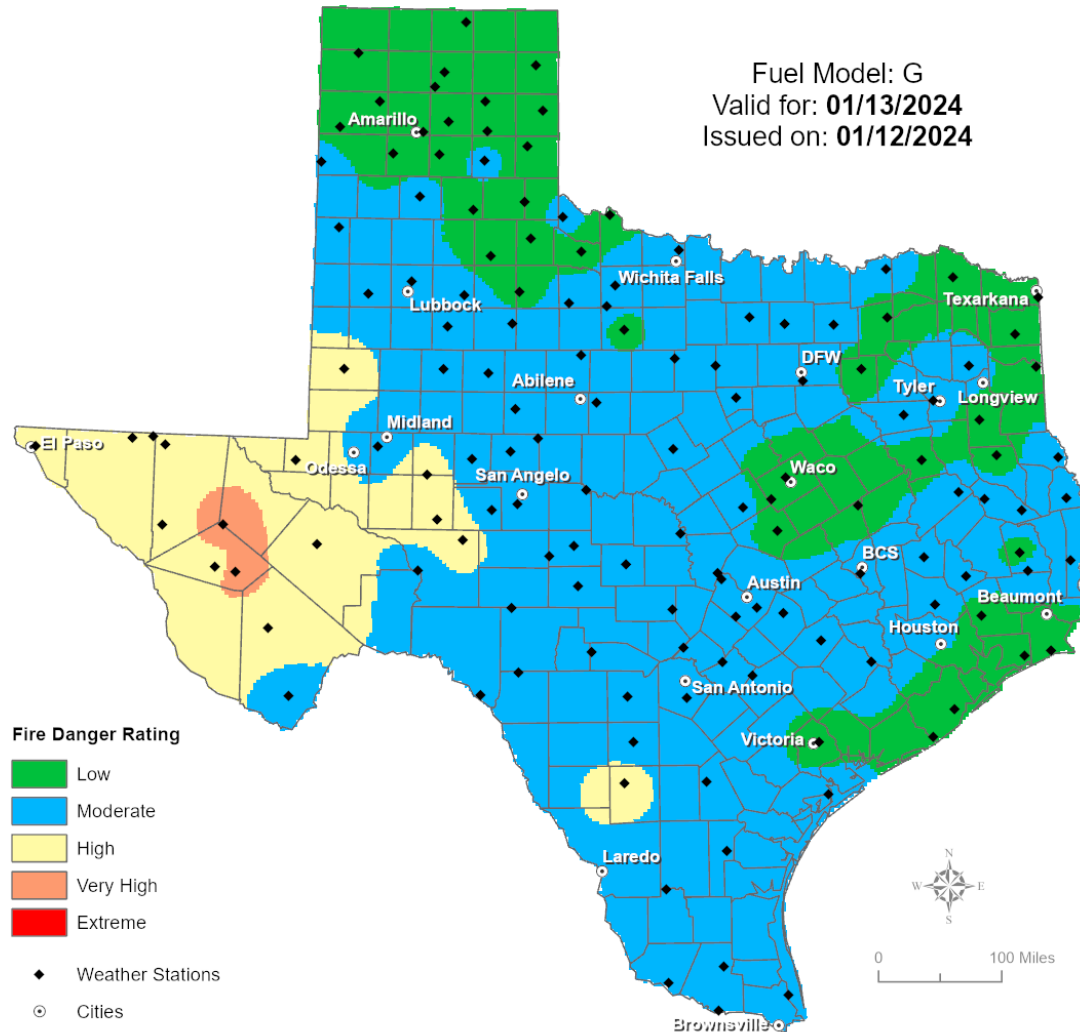
Weather Warnings/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
01/12/24	High Wind Warning	Kleberg, Nueces, and San Patricio Counties
01/13/24	Hard Freeze Warning	Cooke, Grayson, Jack, Montague, Wise, and Young Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

Fuel Model: G
Valid for: **01/13/2024**
Issued on: **01/12/2024**



Burn Ban

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

January 12, 2024

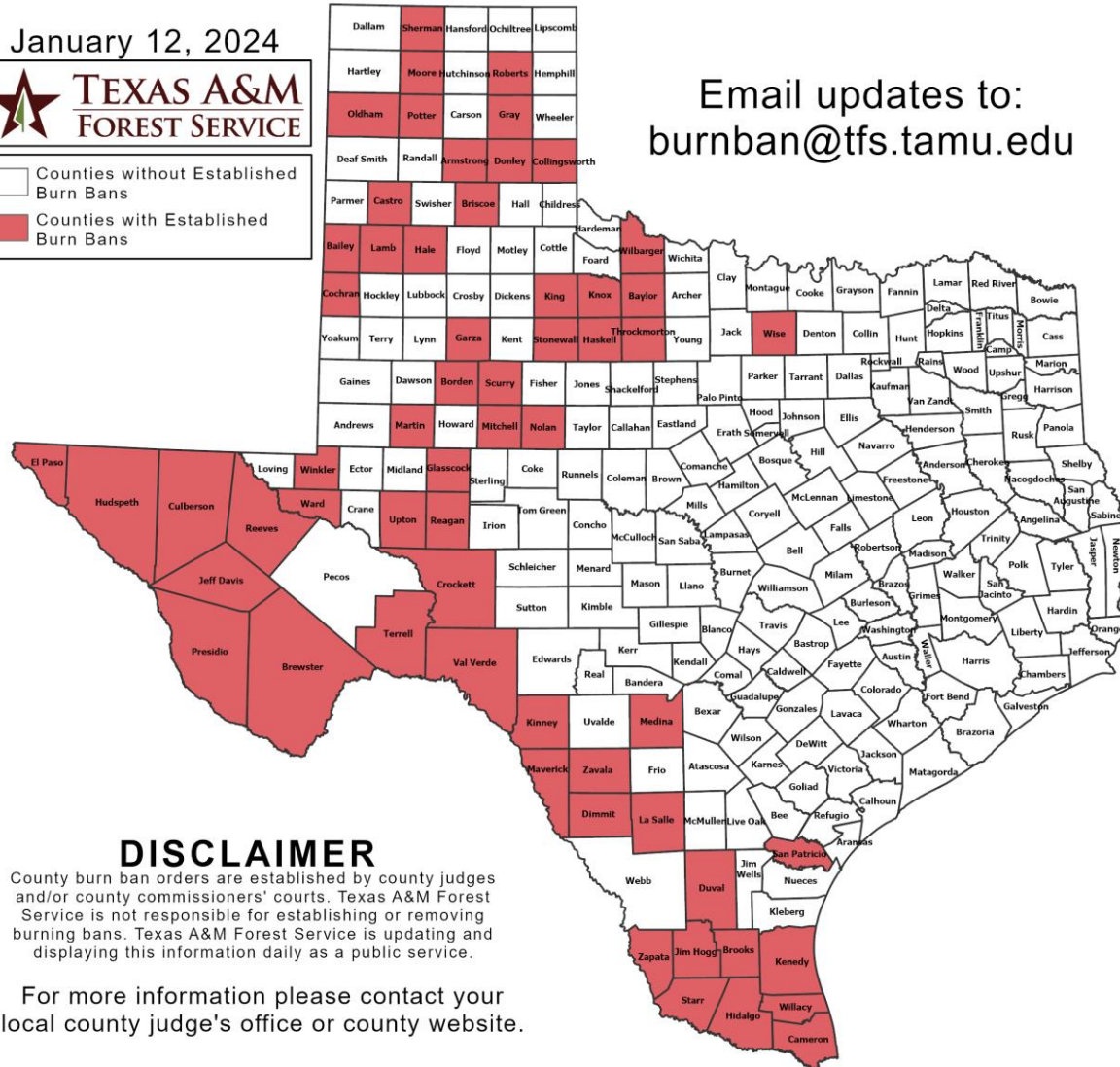


Counties without Established Burn Bans
 Counties with Established Burn Bans

Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties with Burn Bans: 60

Armstrong	Hale	Presidio
Bailey	Haskell	Reagan
Baylor	Hidalgo	Reeves
Borden	Hudspeth	Roberts
Brewster	Jeff Davis	San Patricio
Briscoe	Jim Hogg	Scurry
Brooks	Kenedy	Sherman
Cameron	King	Starr
Castro	Kinney	Stonewall
Cochran	Knox	Terrell
Collingsworth	Lamb	Throckmorton
Crockett	La Salle	Upton
Culberson	Martin	Val Verde
Dimmit	Maverick	Ward
Donley	Medina	Wilbarger
Duval	Mitchell	Willacy
El Paso	Moore	Winkler
Garza	Nolan	Wise
Glasscock	Oldham	Zapata
Gray	Potter	Zavala



DISCLAIMER

County burn ban orders are established by county judges and/or county commissioners' courts. Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. Texas A&M Forest Service is updating and displaying this information daily as a public service.

For more information please contact your local county judge's office or county website.

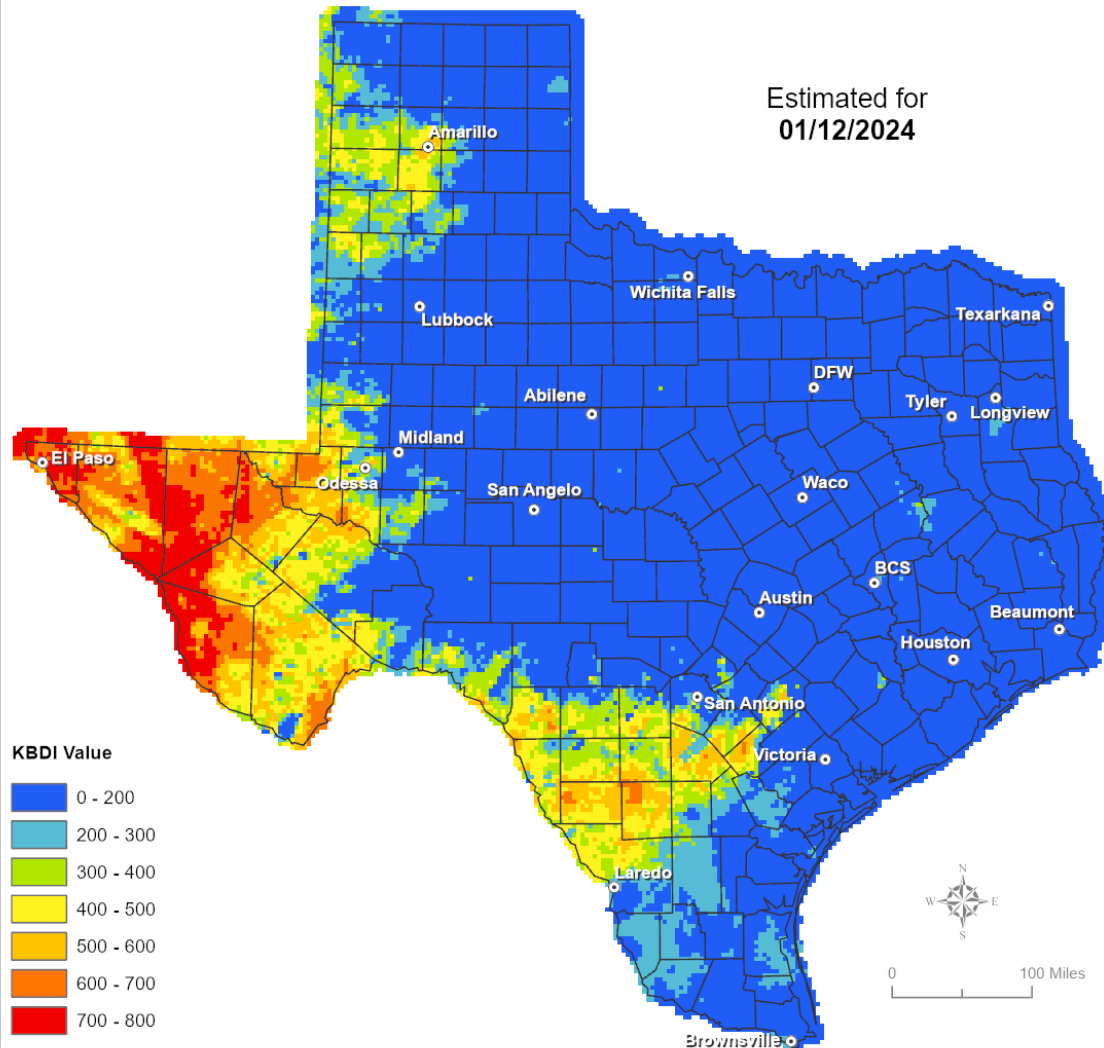
RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
 Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

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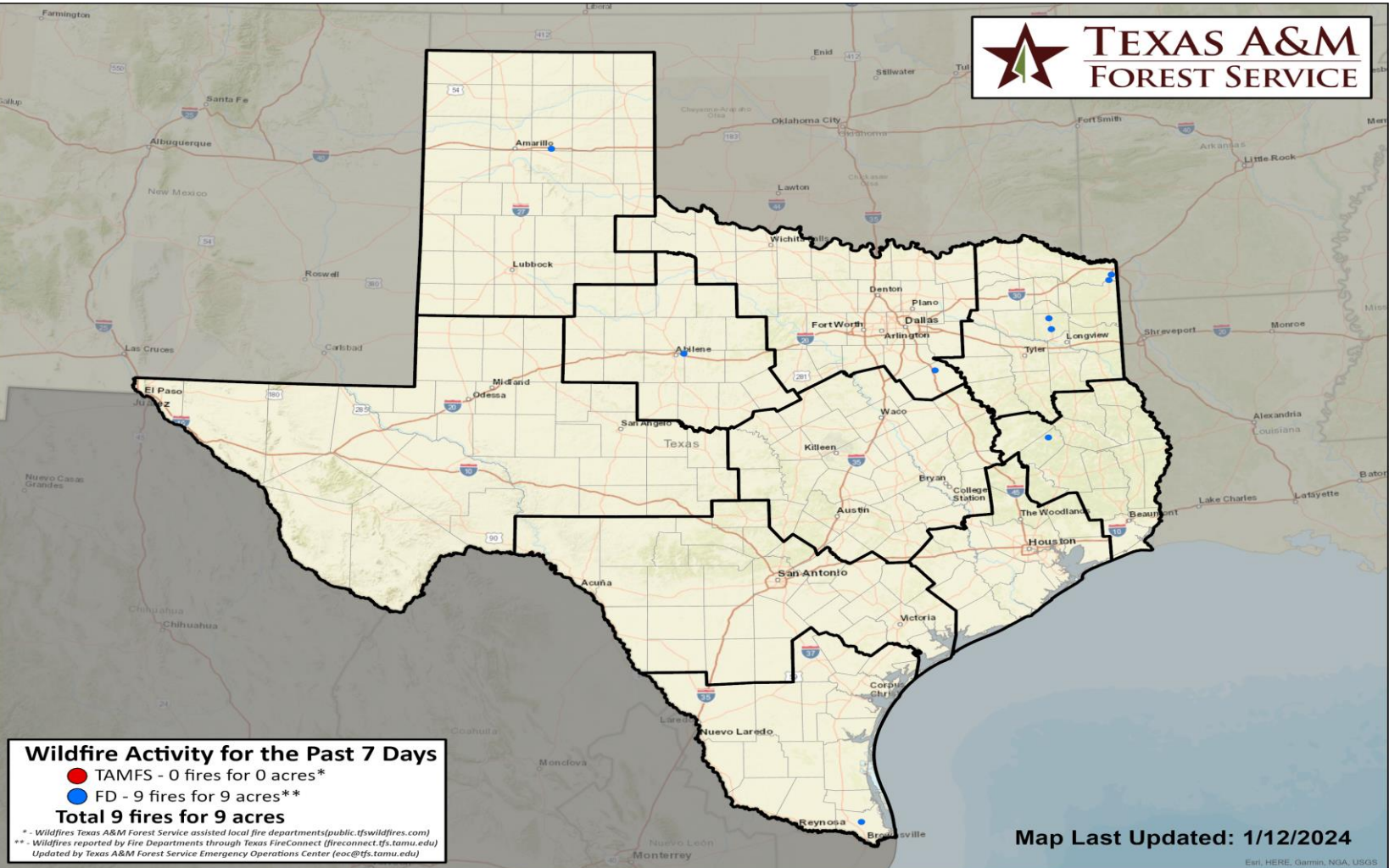
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Estimated for
01/12/2024



Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 0 (no change) fires and 0 (no change) acres have been burned this year. There are 60 (-1) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list contains 18 (no change) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
01/12/24	01/14/24	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Jollyville
01/13/24	01/13/24	HazMat Awareness (Certification Course)	H-511	Kaufman

Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
01/11/24	02/02/24	Fort Worth	Stock Show Parade
01/12/24	02/03/24	Fort Worth	Fort Worth Stocks how and Rodeo
01/13/24	01/13/24	Houston	NFL Wild Card Game: Cleveland Browns vs. Houston Texans