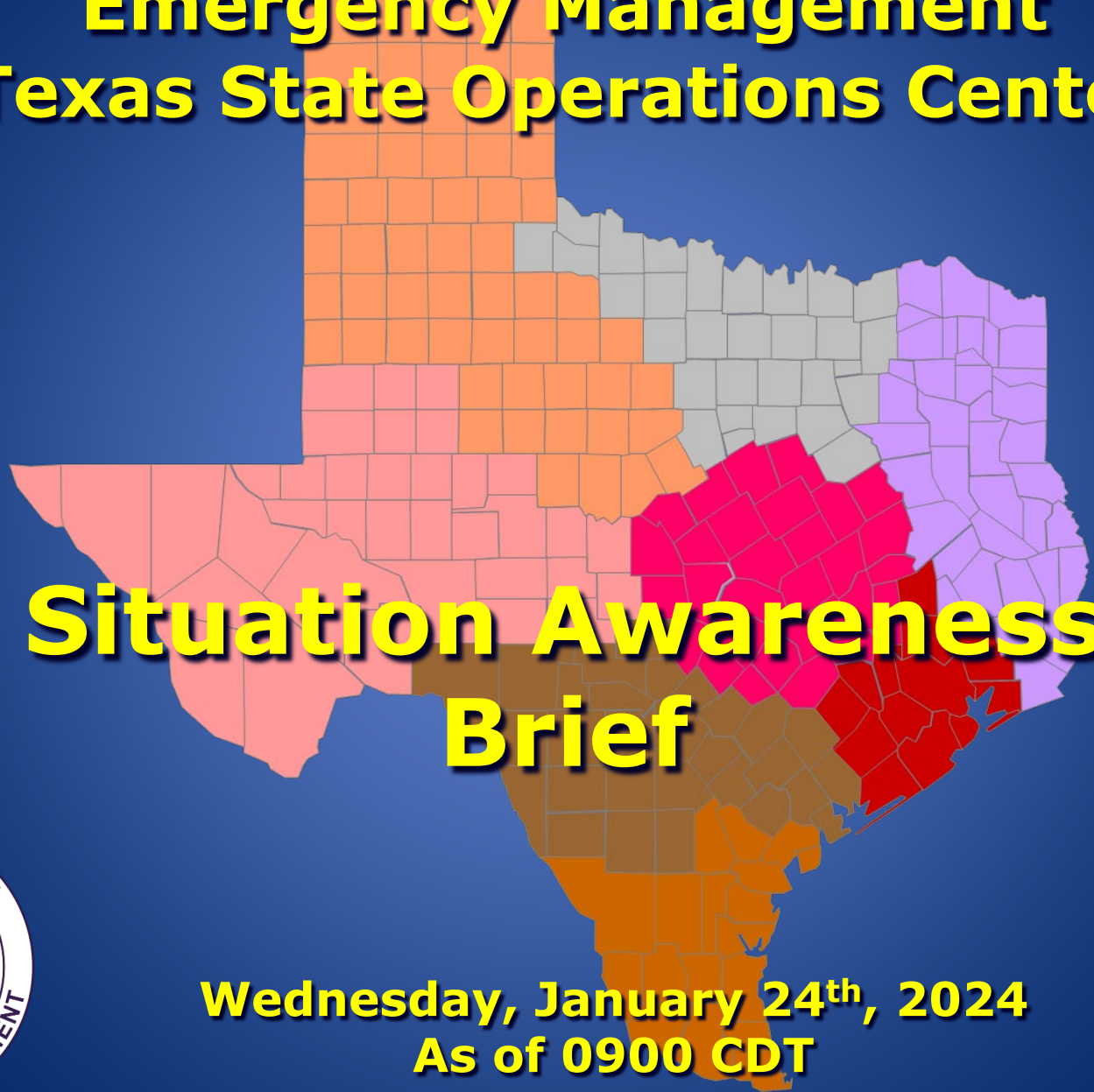


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Situation Awareness Brief



Wednesday, January 24th, 2024
As of 0900 CDT

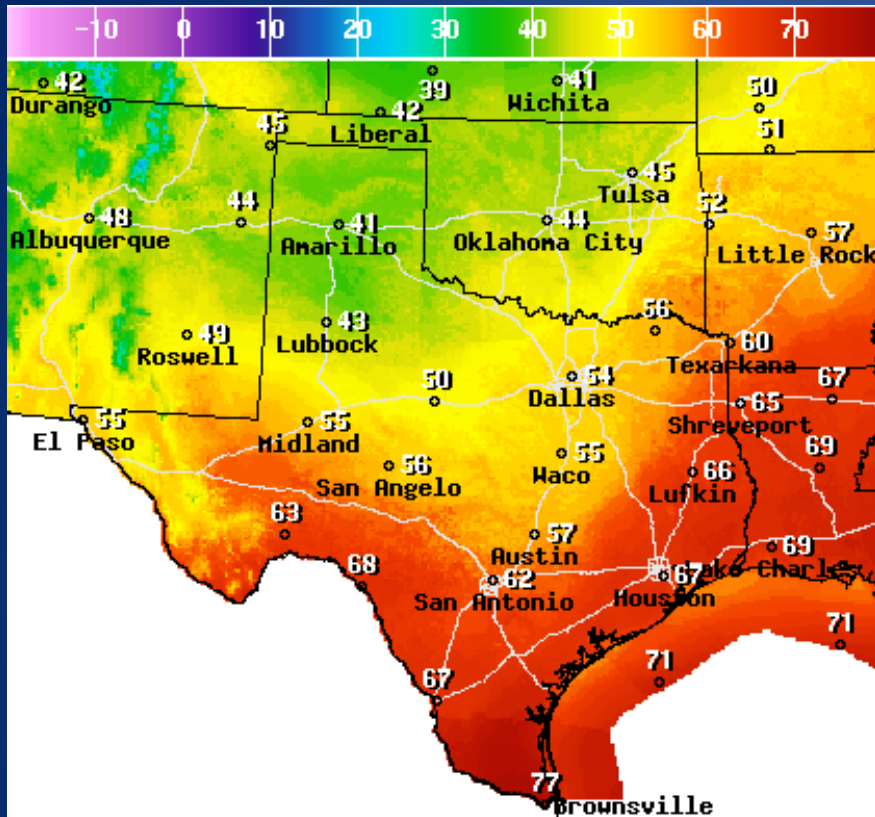
Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION
01/23/24	Initial Report of a Natural Gas Leak	Hopkins County
01/23/24	Final Report of a Boil Water Notice	San Augustine County
01/23/24	Final Report of a Water Outage	Gonzales County
01/23/24	Final Report of a Natural Gas Leak	Hopkins County
01/24/24	Initial Report of Road Closures FM 75/FM 1017/US 281	Brooks and Starr Counties

Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
01/23/24	NWS Fort Worth: Update: Heavy Rain and Flooding Possible Today
01/23/24	NWS Lake Charles, LA: Decision Support Packet
01/23/24	NWS West Gulf RFC : Heavy Rainfall Event Continues...
01/23/24	NWS Houston/Galveston: Weather Update
01/24/24	NWS Shreveport, LA: Update to Flood Watch and Dense Fog Advisory
01/24/24	NWS Austin/San Antonio: Situation Report: More Rain and Flooding Possible Wednesday
01/24/24	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Wednesday, Jan. 24, 2024, for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast



Temperature(F) For Wed Jan 24 2024 4PM EST
(Wed Jan 24 2024 21Z)

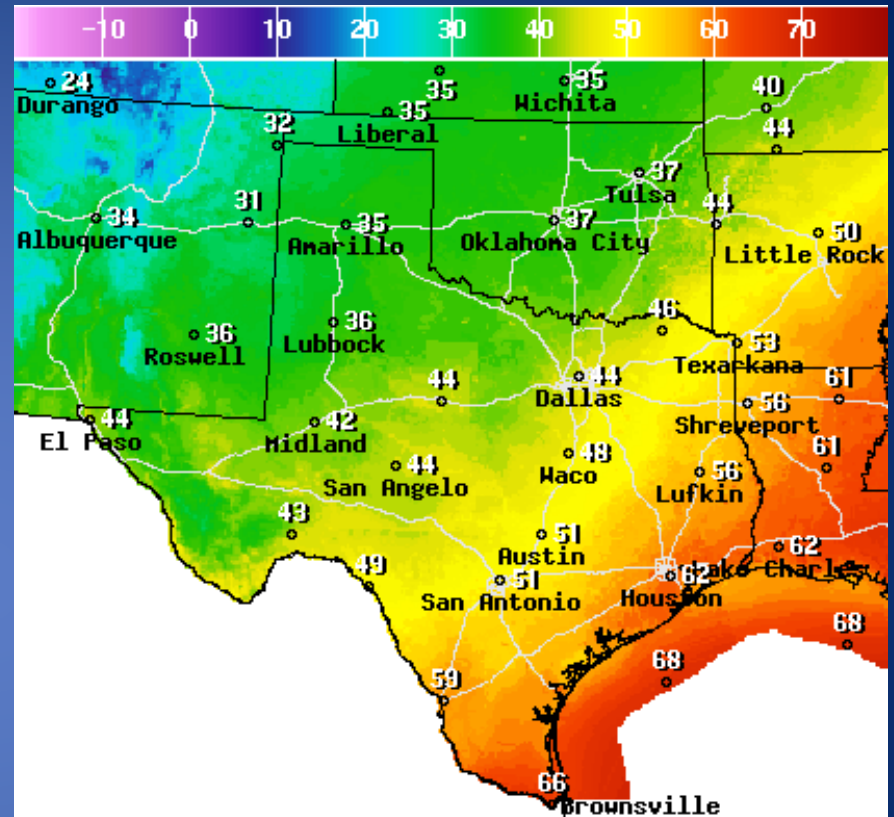


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Highs



Temperature(F) For Thu Jan 25 2024 4AM EST
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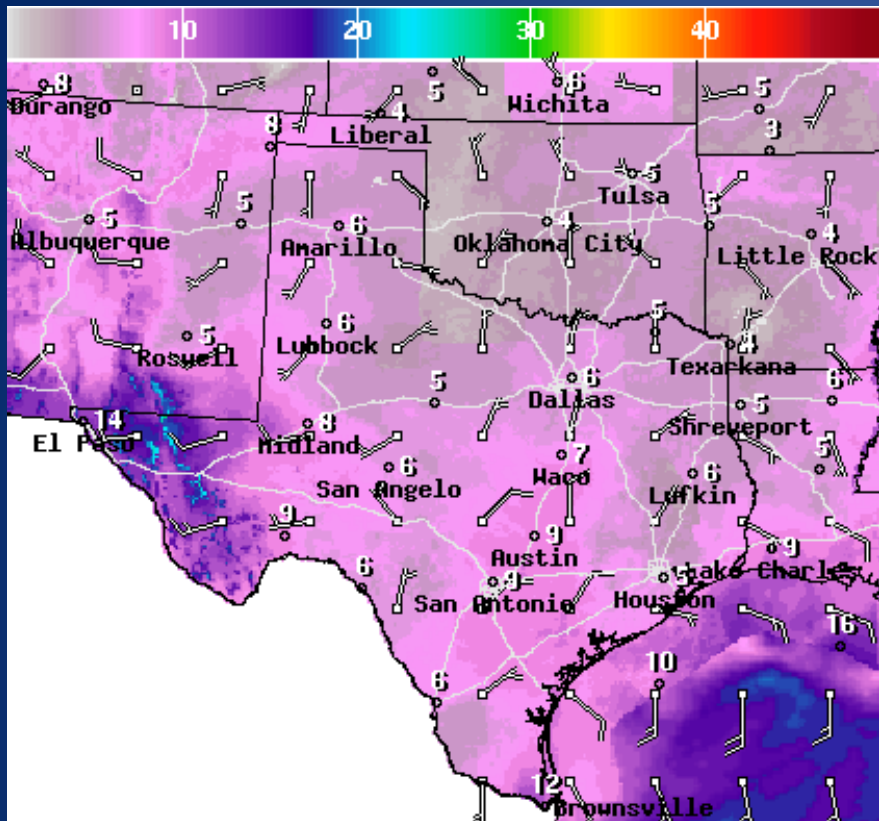
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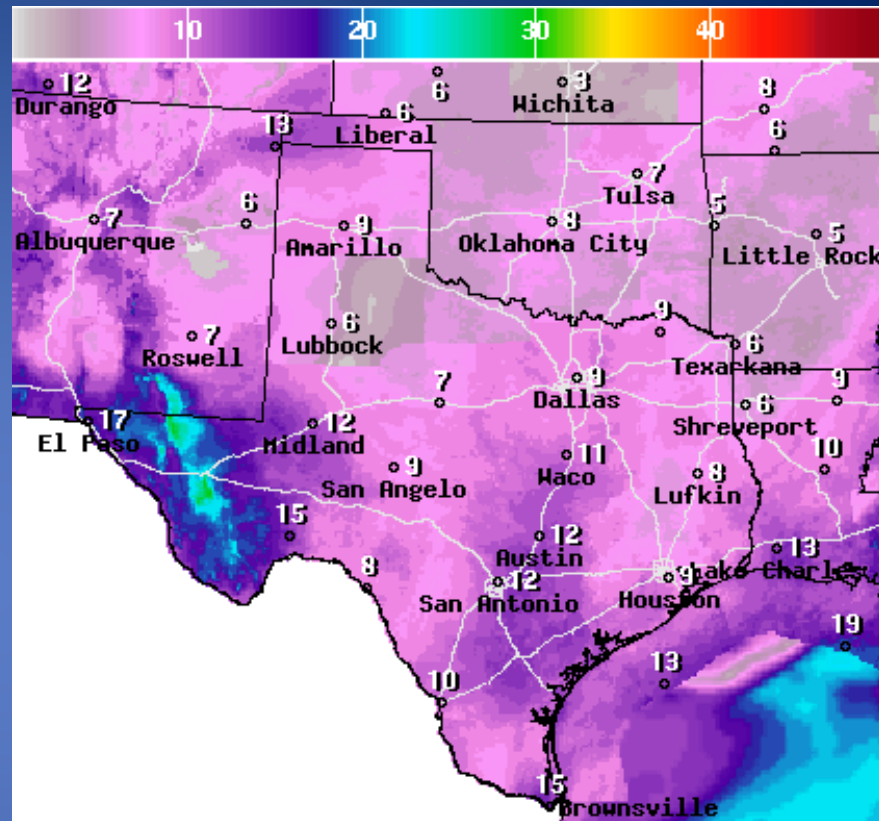
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Weather Forecast



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Wind Speeds



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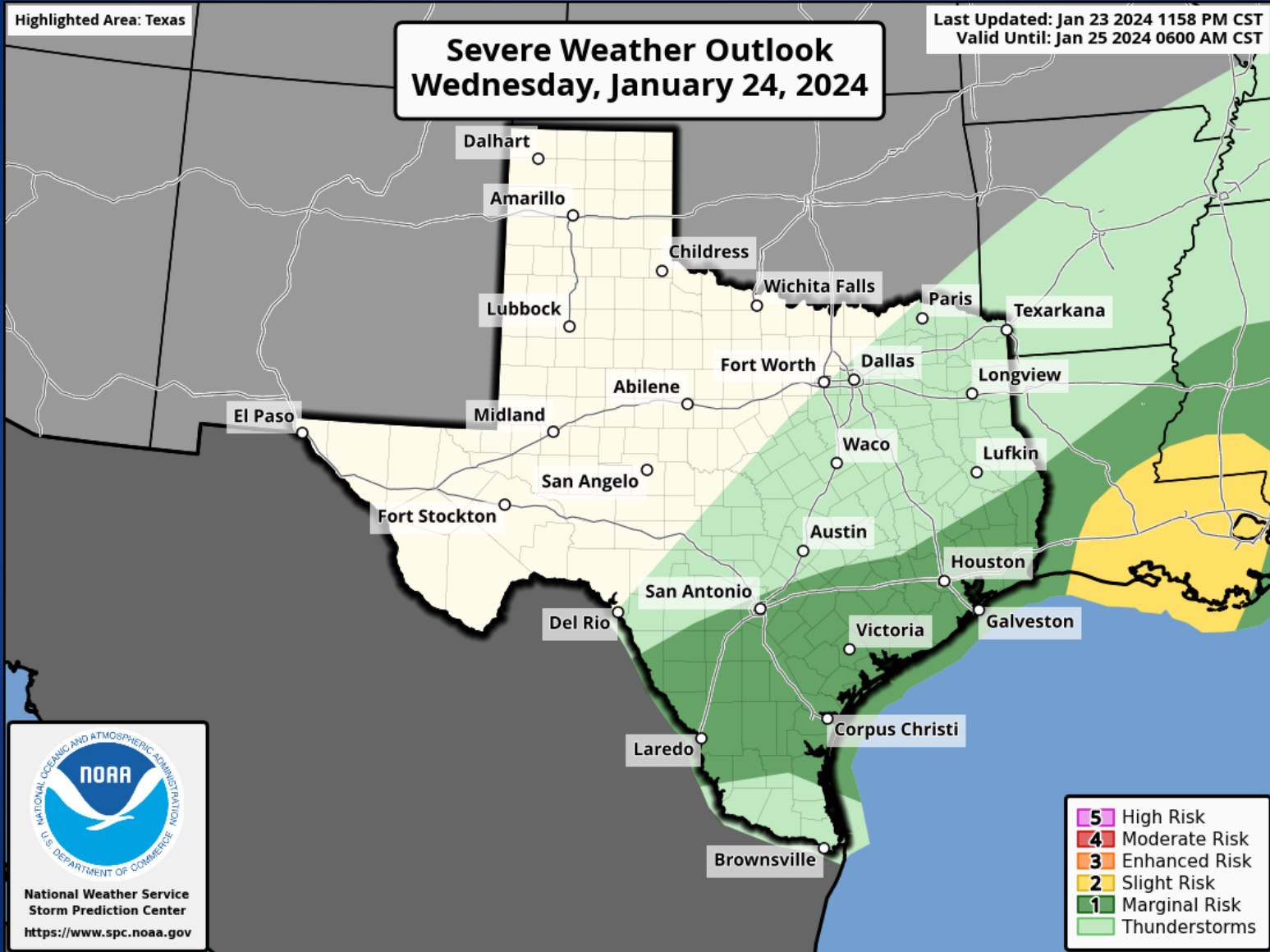
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Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: Texas

Last Updated: Jan 23 2024 1158 PM CST
Valid Until: Jan 25 2024 0600 AM CST

Severe Weather Outlook Wednesday, January 24, 2024



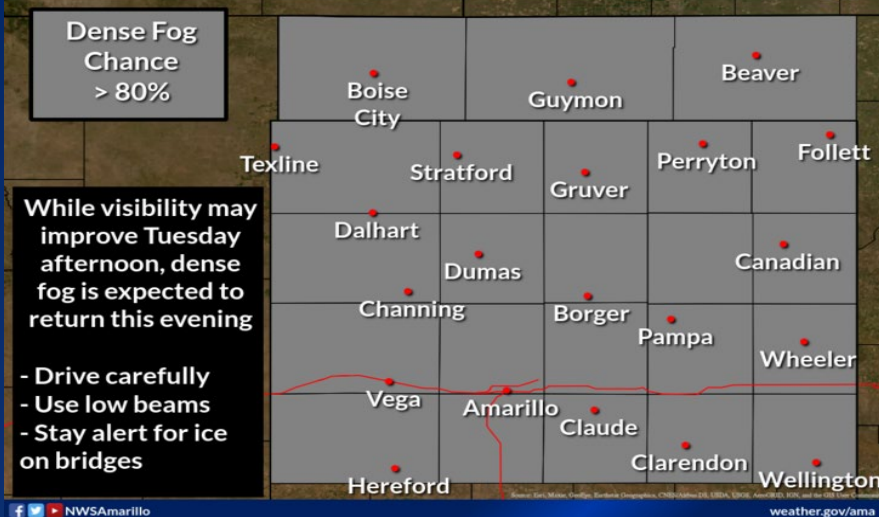
National Weather Service
Storm Prediction Center
<https://www.spc.noaa.gov>

- 5 High Risk
- 4 Moderate Risk
- 3 Enhanced Risk
- 2 Slight Risk
- 1 Marginal Risk
- Thunderstorms

Hazardous Weather

Dense Fog Persists thru Wednesday Morning

Weather Forecast Office
Amarillo, TX
Issued Jan 23, 2024 11:47 AM CST



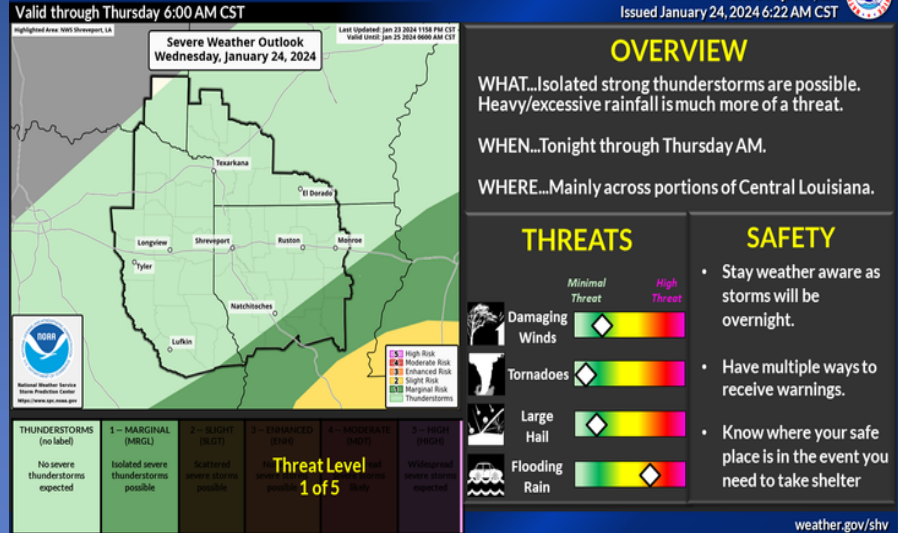
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While visibility could improve this afternoon, we expect the dense fog to return this evening and persist through Wednesday morning. Drive carefully, use your low beams, and be alert for ice on bridges as the temperature may be around freezing in some areas.

Severe Weather Risk - This Evening through Thu AM

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Shreveport, LA
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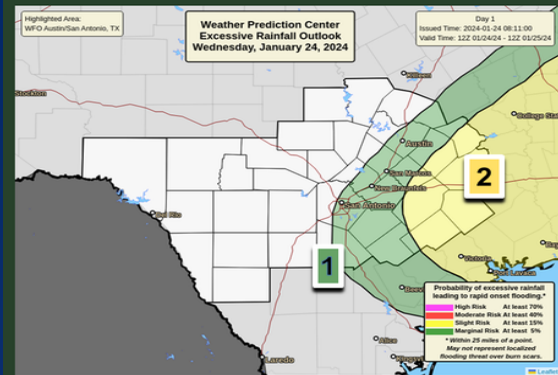
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A Marginal Risk of severe weather is highlighted for mainly Deep East Texas into West Central and East Central Louisiana. The bigger threat through today will be excessive heavy rainfall and that threat will exist across the entire Four State Region.

Hazardous Weather

Excessive Rainfall Outlook Wednesday

Isolated flooding may occur in portions of the region



Excessive Rainfall Risk



Weather Forecast Office
Austin/San Antonio
Issued January 24, 2024 4:32 AM CT

Threats



Timing

Wednesday Morning

What to Do?



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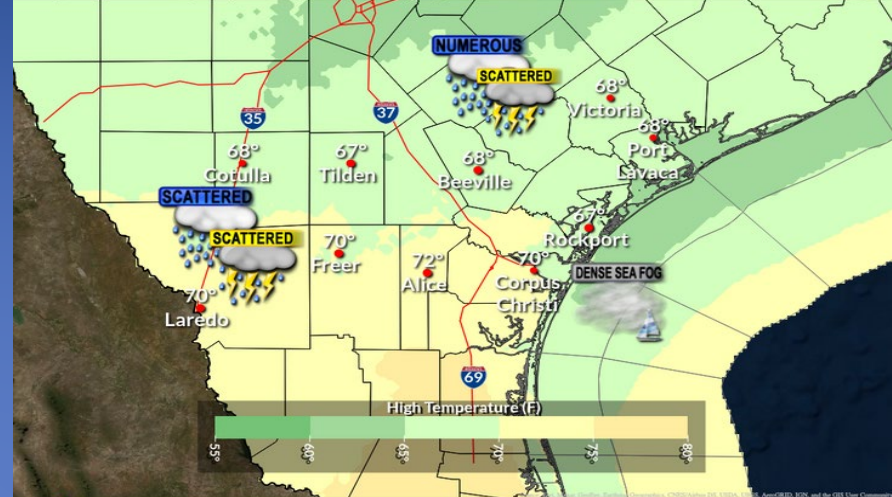
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The threat for locally heavy rainfall continues today where a Marginal Risk (level 1 of 4) for excessive rainfall is aligned along and east of the I-35 corridor and a Slight Risk (level 2 of 4) remains in effect across portions of the Coastal Plains.

Showers and Storms Today

Strong to Severe Storms | Heavy Rainfall | Morning Patchy Fog

Weather Forecast Office
Corpus Christi, TX
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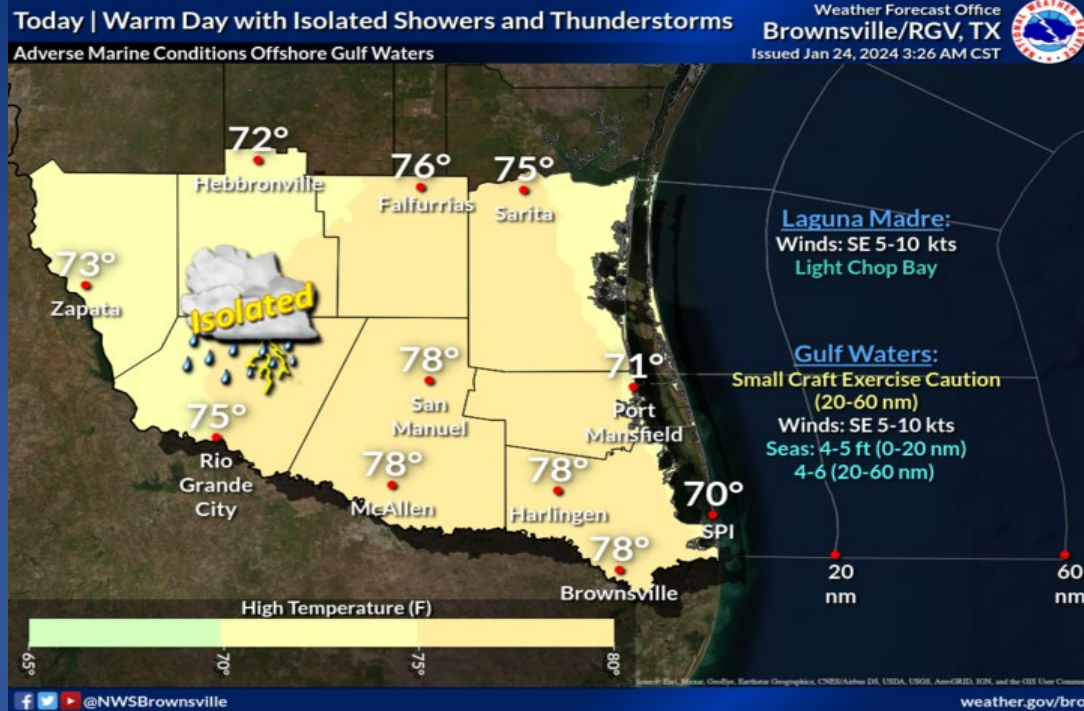


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Patchy fog will develop over much of South Texas this morning. Fog will dissipate around 9 AM over land, and by noon over the waters then numerous showers and scattered thunderstorms are expected today, with the strongest storms expected over the northern Coastal Plains and Victoria Crossroads. A few storms could be strong to severe

Hazardous Weather



Persistent cloud coverage will keep temperatures in the range of upper 70s to low 80s. Light and variable winds are expected for today. Isolated showers and thunderstorms are still possible with some being strong and producing heavy rainfall. Adverse marine conditions are present for the offshore Gulf waters.

Weather Warnings/Advisories Issued

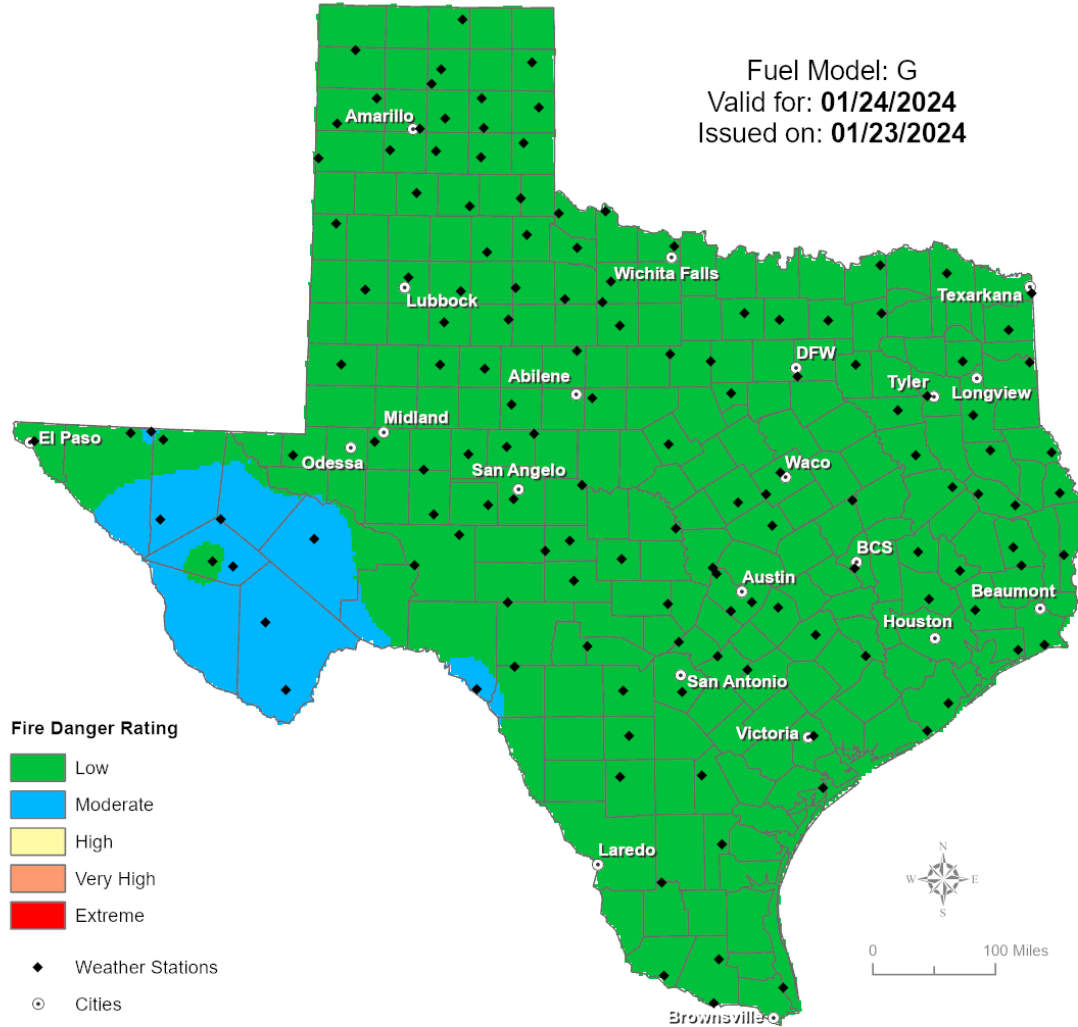
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01/23/24	Flood Warning	Anderson, Angelina, Bee, Calhoun, Cass, Cherokee, Franklin, Gregg, Harrison, Houston, Marion, Morris, Nacogdoches, Panola, Polk, Red River, Refugio, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Smith, Titus, Trinity, Tyler, Victoria and Walker Counties
01/23/24	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Crane, Pecos, Reeves and Ward Counties
01/23/24	Flash Flood Warning	Austin, Brazos, Fayette, Gonzales, Grimes, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Polk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Trinity, Walker, Waller and Washington Counties
01/23/24	Flood Advisory	Angelina, Austin, Bastrop, Brazos, Brazoria, Burleson, Caldwell, Cass, Cherokee, Colorado, Comal, DeWitt, Fayette, Gonzales, Gregg, Grimes, Guadalupe, Harrison, Karnes, Lavaca, Lee, Marion, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Panola, Polk, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Smith, Trinity, Upshur, Walker, Waller, Washington and Wilson Counties
01/23/24	Flood Watch	Anderson, Colorado, Falls, Freestone, Leon, Limestone, Milam and Robertson Counties

Weather Warnings/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
01/24/24	Flood Advisory	Angelina, Atascosa, Bexar, Brazoria, Chambers, Comal, DeWitt, Dimmit, Fort Bend, Frio, Galveston, Gonzalez, Guadalupe, Harris, Karnes, Lavaca, Matagorda, Medina, Nacogdoches, Sabine, San Augustine, Shelby and Zavala Counties
01/24/24	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Atascosa, Bexar, Frio, Grimes, Montgomery, Polk, San Jacinto, Trinity, Walker and Wilson Counties
01/24/24	Flood Warning	Austin, Colorado, Fayette, Grimes, Montgomery, Polk, San Jacinto, Walker, Waller and Washington Counties
01/24/24	Flood Watch	Bastrop, Caldwell, Colorado, DeWitt, Fayette, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Karnes, Lavaca, Lee and Wilson Counties
01/24/24	Flash Flood Warning	Atascosa, Bastrop, Bexar, Brazoria, Caldwell, Fayette, Gonzales, Grimes, Jasper, Jefferson, Lavaca, Lee, Matagorda, Medina, Montgomery, Newton, Orange, Polk, San Jacinto, Trinity and Walker Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger



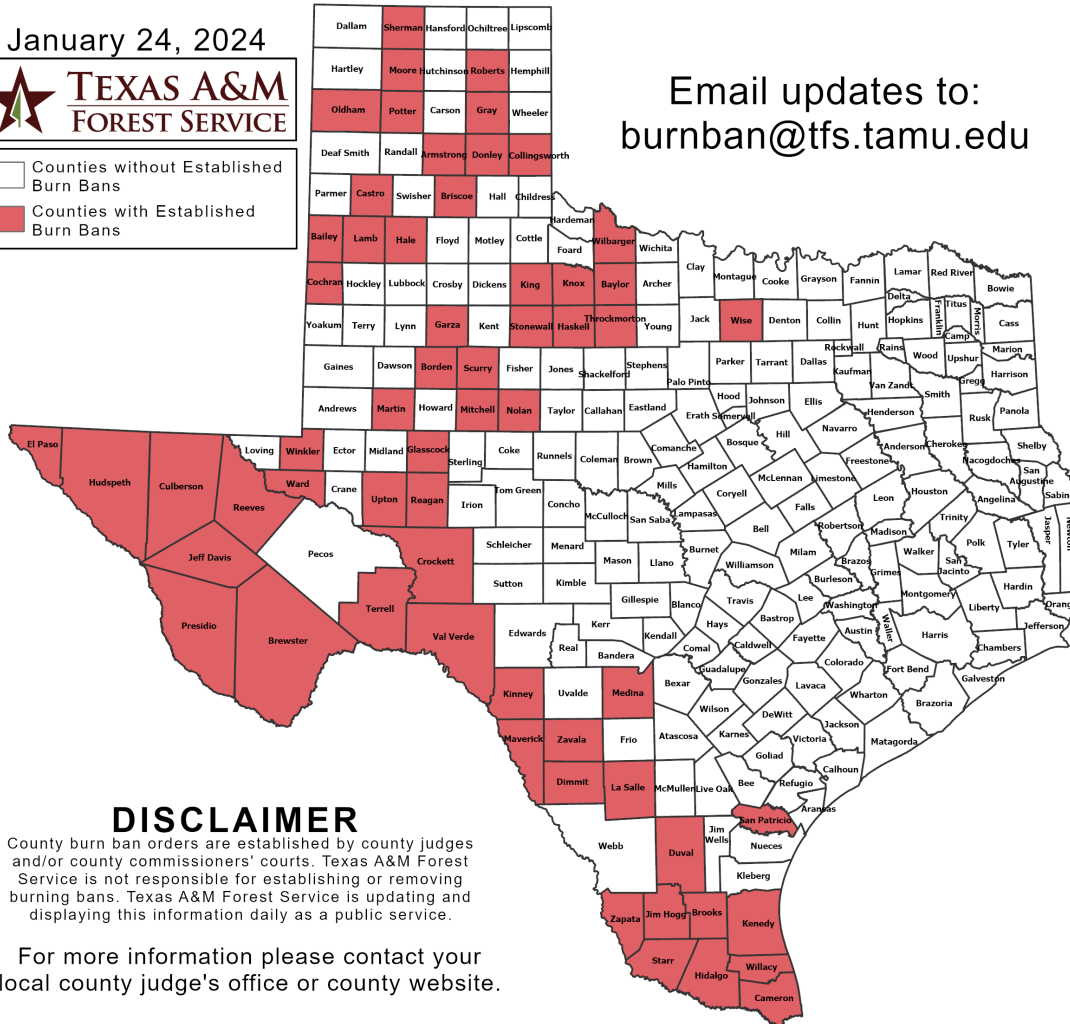
Burn Ban

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

January 24, 2024



Counties without Established Burn Bans
 Counties with Established Burn Bans



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties with Burn Bans: 60

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| 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 | Wilkacy |
| 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.

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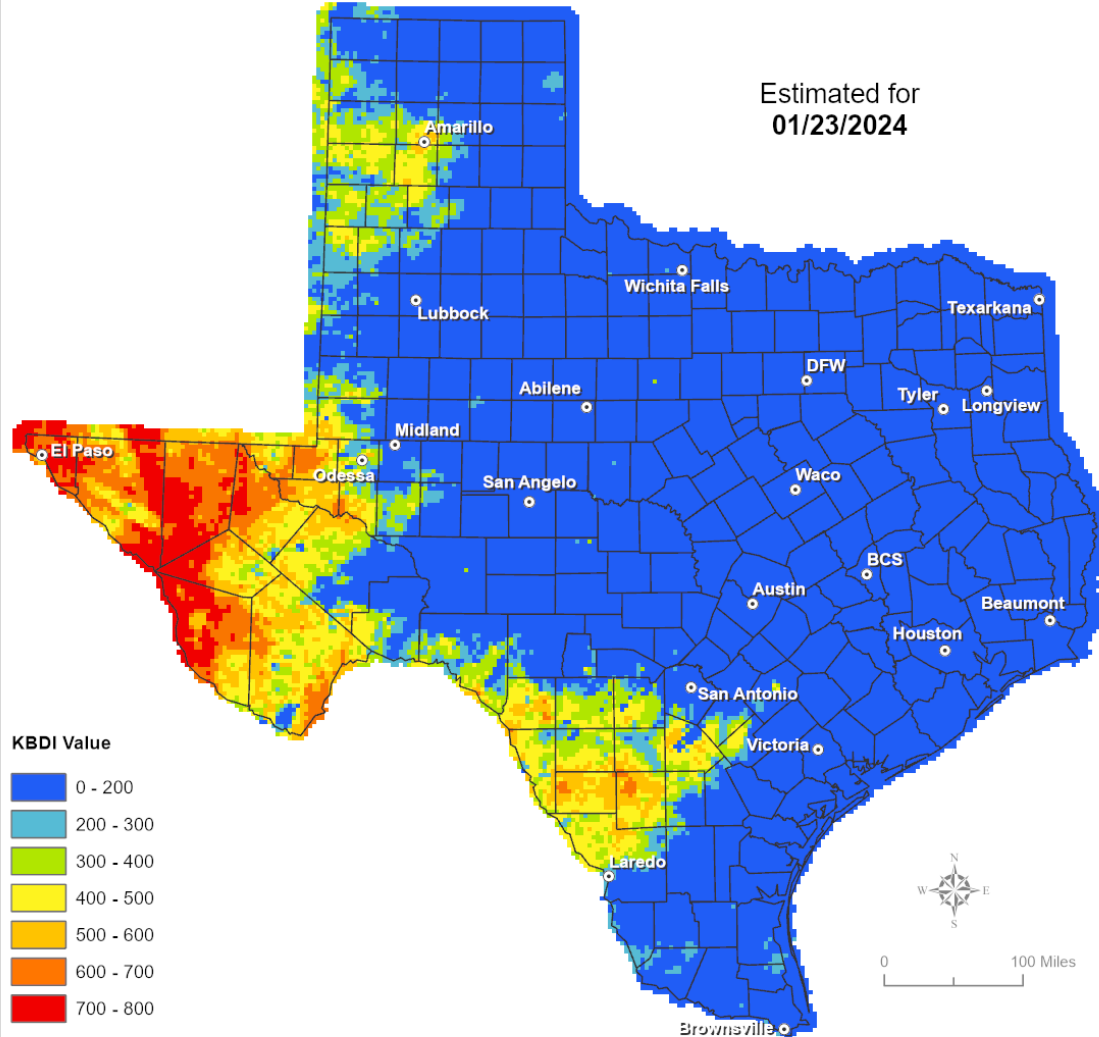
RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
 Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

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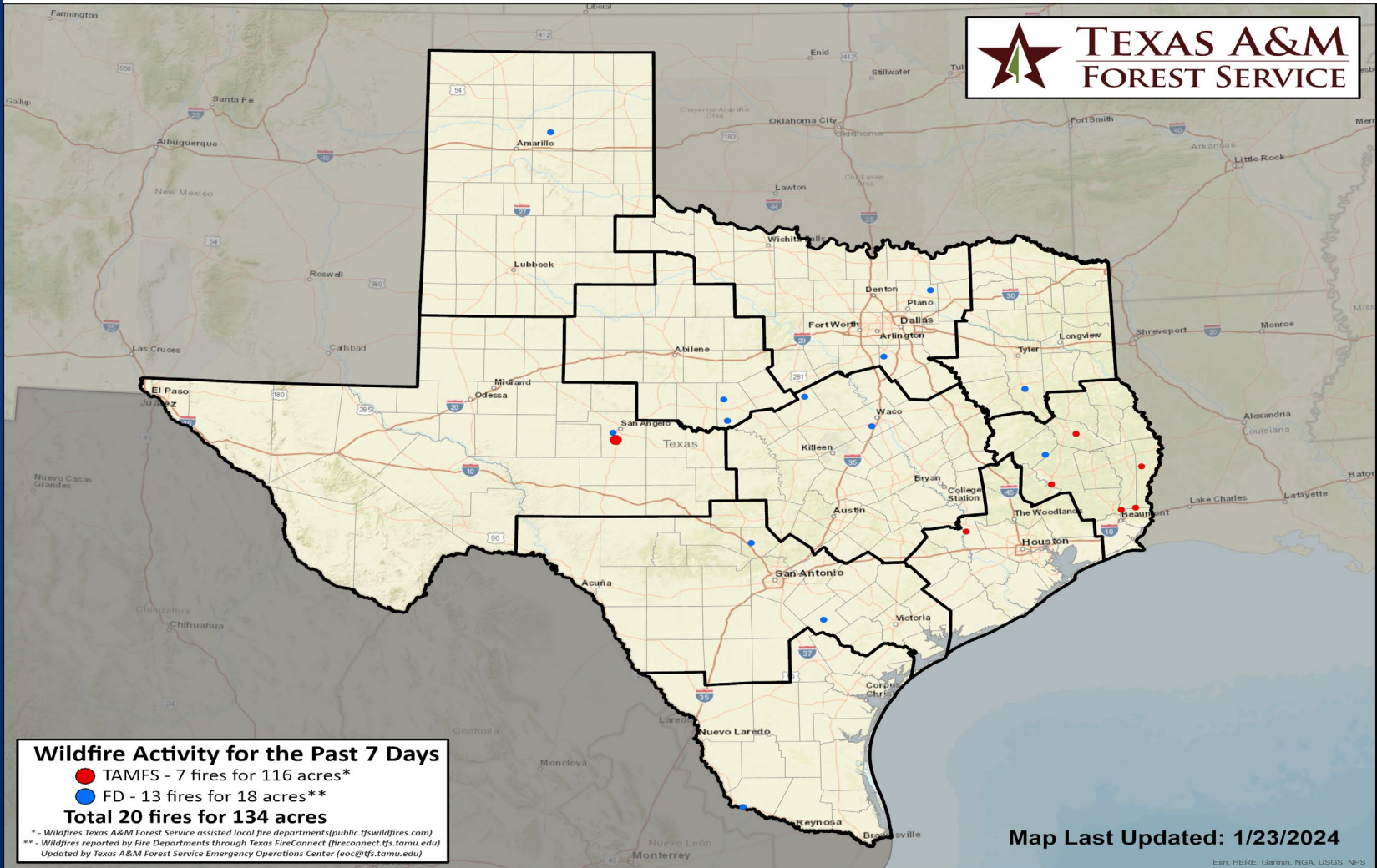
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Estimated for
01/23/2024



Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 9 (no change) fires and 119 (no change) acres have been burned this year. There are 60 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list contains 16 (-1) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
01/20/24	02/03/24	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	San Marcos
01/22/24	01/24/24	Texas Disaster Accounting 101	T-600	Amarillo
01/22/24	01/25/24	sUAS for Public Safety Personnel	H-600	Flint
01/22/24	01/25/24	NIMS ICS All-Hazards Position Specific Plans Section Chief Course	E/L-962	Bryan
01/22/24	01/26/24	HazMat Technician (Certification Course)	H-501	La Porte
01/23/24	01/24/24	Disaster Management for Electric Power Systems	MGT-345	Austin
01/23/24	01/25/24	Public Information Basics	E/L-105	Houston
01/23/24	01/25/24	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents, ICS 300	G/ICS-300	Galveston
01/23/24	01/25/24	Instructional Presentation and Evaluation Skills	G-141	Georgetown
01/24/24	01/24/24	Crisis Leadership: Accelerating Economic Recovery	MGT-483	Houston

Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
01/24/24	01/24/24	Texas Public Officials Workshop	T-200	Sherman
01/24/24	01/25/24	Mitigation Assistance: Project Implementation and Programmatic Closeout	E/L-214	San Antonio
01/24/24	01/26/24	Public Information Basics	E/L-105	Georgetown
01/24/24	01/26/24	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents, ICS 300	G/ICS-300	Edinburg

Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
01/12/24	02/03/24	Fort Worth	Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo

Exercises

DATES		AGENCY/LOCATION	TYPE: EXERCISE NAME
01/23/24	01/25/24	FEMA/Virtual	Large-Scale Power Outage: VTTX