

# Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center



## Situation Awareness Brief



Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
As of 0900 CDT

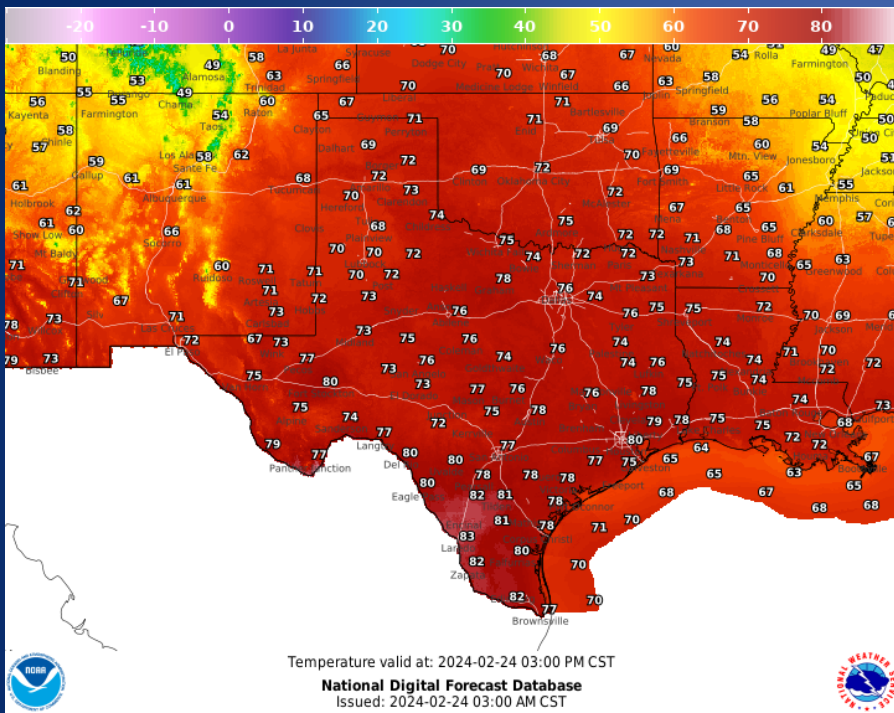
# Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION
02/23/24	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M3.2)	Karnes County
02/23/24	Report of the Liberty 0218 Fire	Liberty County

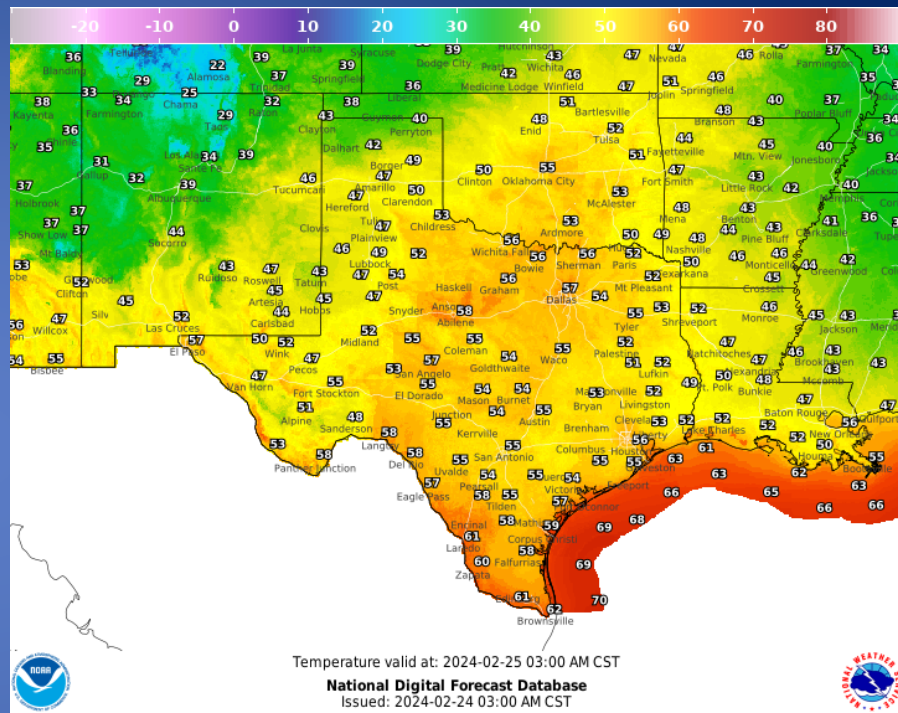
# Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
02/23/24	NWS El Paso, TX/Santa Teresa, NM: Weather briefing Friday afternoon for expected weather Tuesday
02/24/24	Daily NWS Threat Brief for FEMA Region 6

# Weather Forecast



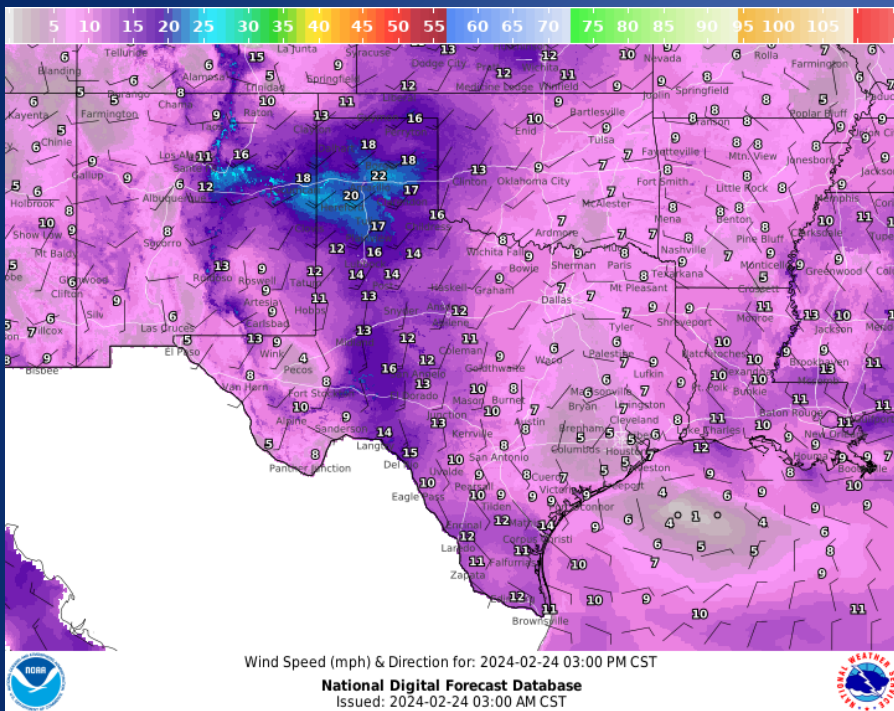
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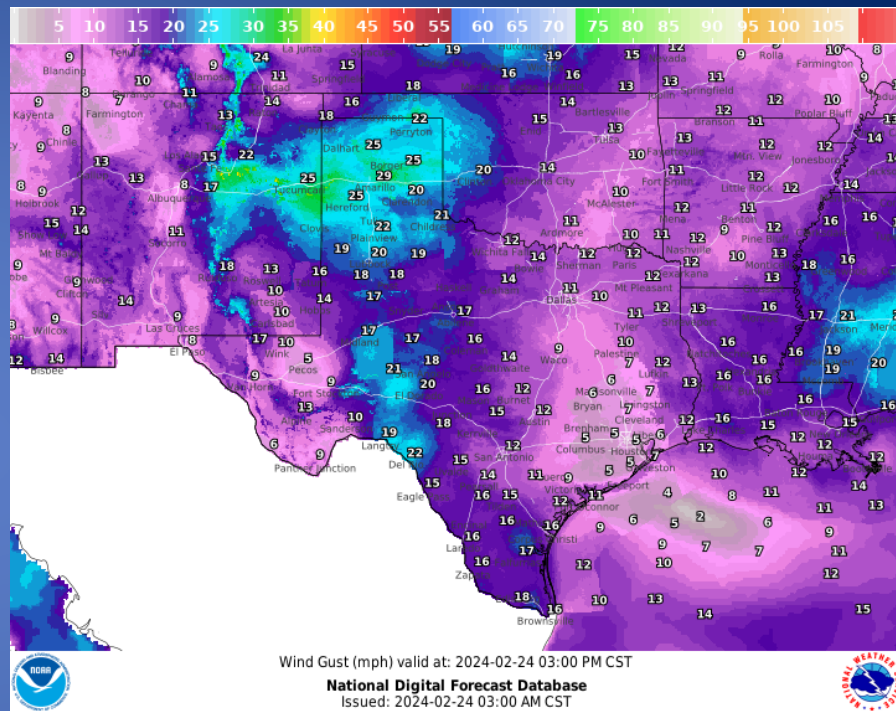
## Lows



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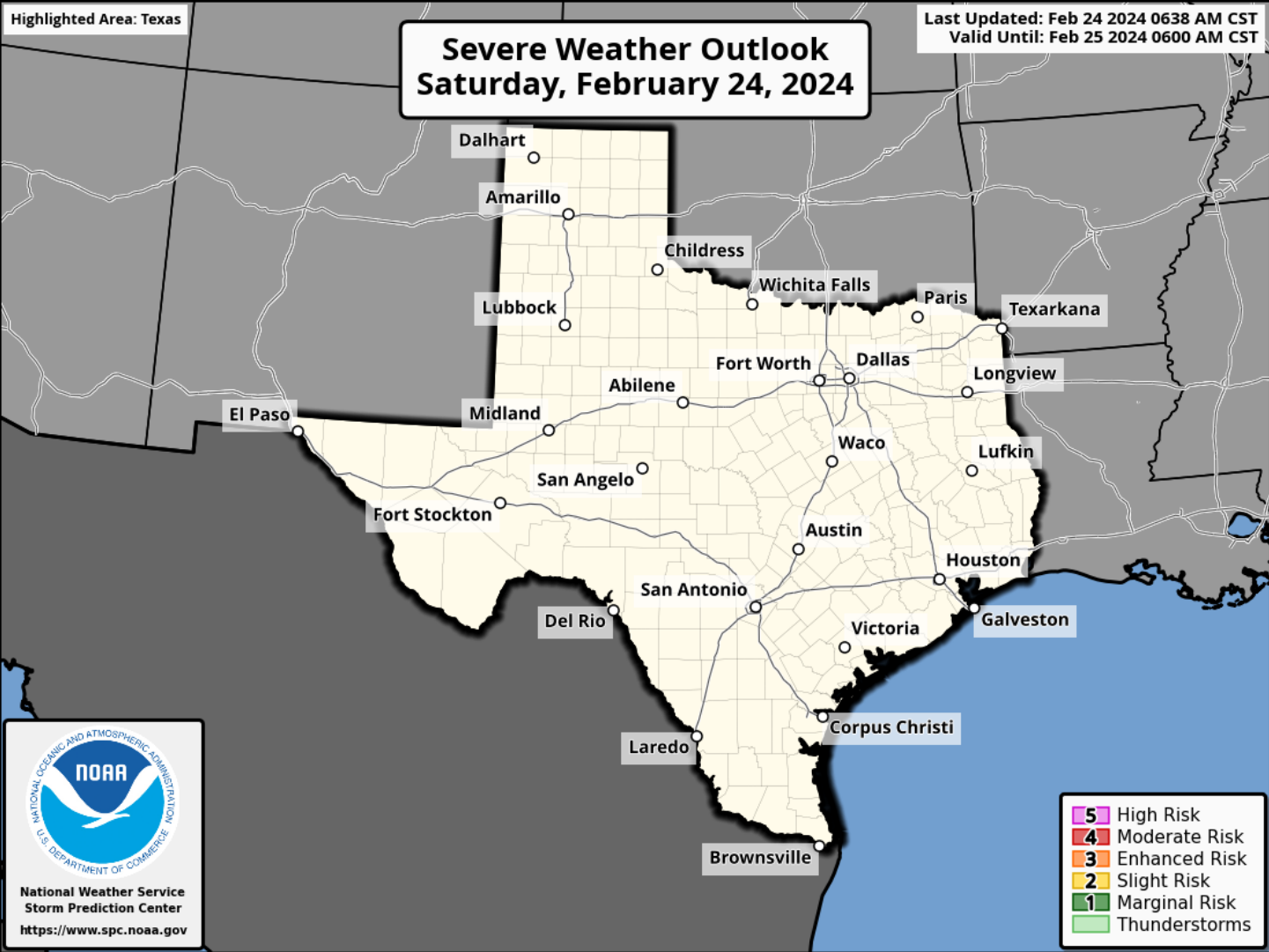


## Wind Speeds

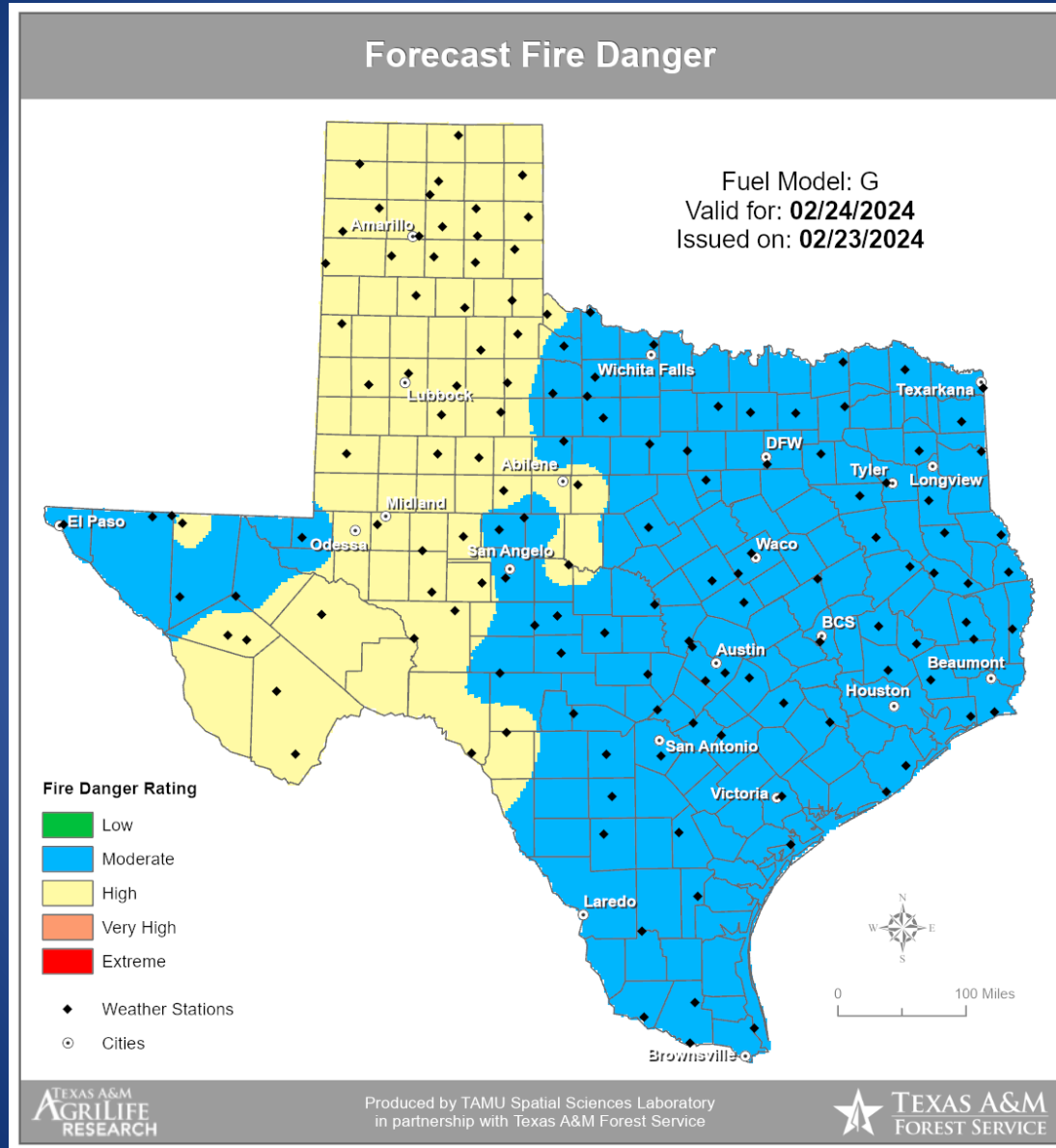


## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather



# Fire Danger Forecast



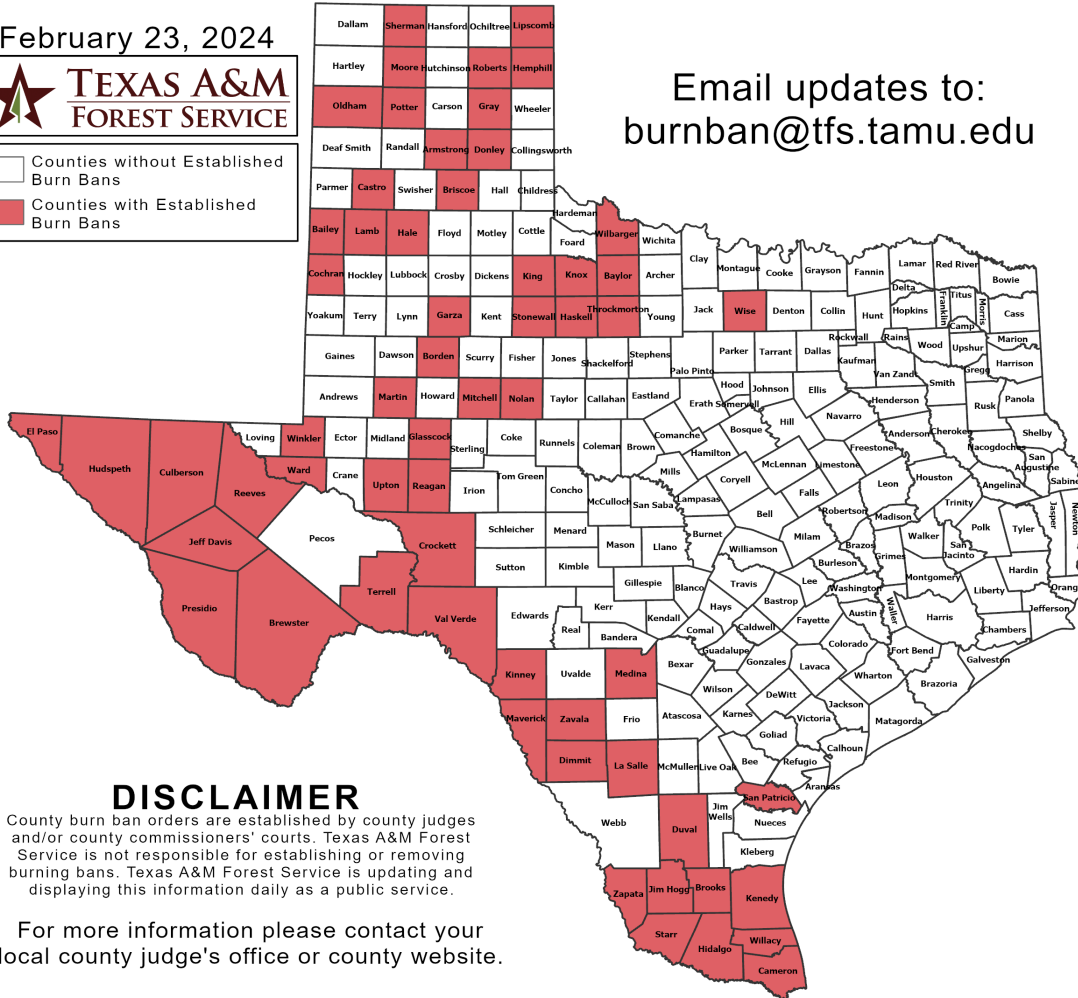
# Burn Ban

## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

February 23, 2024



Counties without Established Burn Bans  
 Counties with Established Burn Bans



Email updates to:  
[burnban@tfs.tamu.edu](mailto:burnban@tfs.tamu.edu)

### Counties with Burn Bans: 60

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|-----------|------------|--------------|
| Armstrong | Haskell    | Potter       |
| Bailey    | Hemphill   | Presidio     |
| Baylor    | Hidalgo    | Reagan       |
| Borden    | Hudspeth   | Reeves       |
| Brewster  | Jeff Davis | Roberts      |
| Briscoe   | Jim Hogg   | San Patricio |
| Brooks    | Kenedy     | Sherman      |
| Cameron   | King       | Starr        |
| Castro    | Kinney     | Stonewall    |
| Cochran   | Knox       | Terrell      |
| Crockett  | Lamb       | Throckmorton |
| Culberson | La Salle   | Upton        |
| Dimmit    | Lipscomb   | Val Verde    |
| Donley    | Martin     | Ward         |
| Duval     | Maverick   | Wilbarger    |
| El Paso   | Medina     | Willacy      |
| Garza     | Mitchell   | Winkler      |
| Glasscock | Moore      | Wise         |
| Gray      | Nolan      | Zapata       |
| Hale      | Oldham     | 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](http://www.weather.gov)**  
 Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

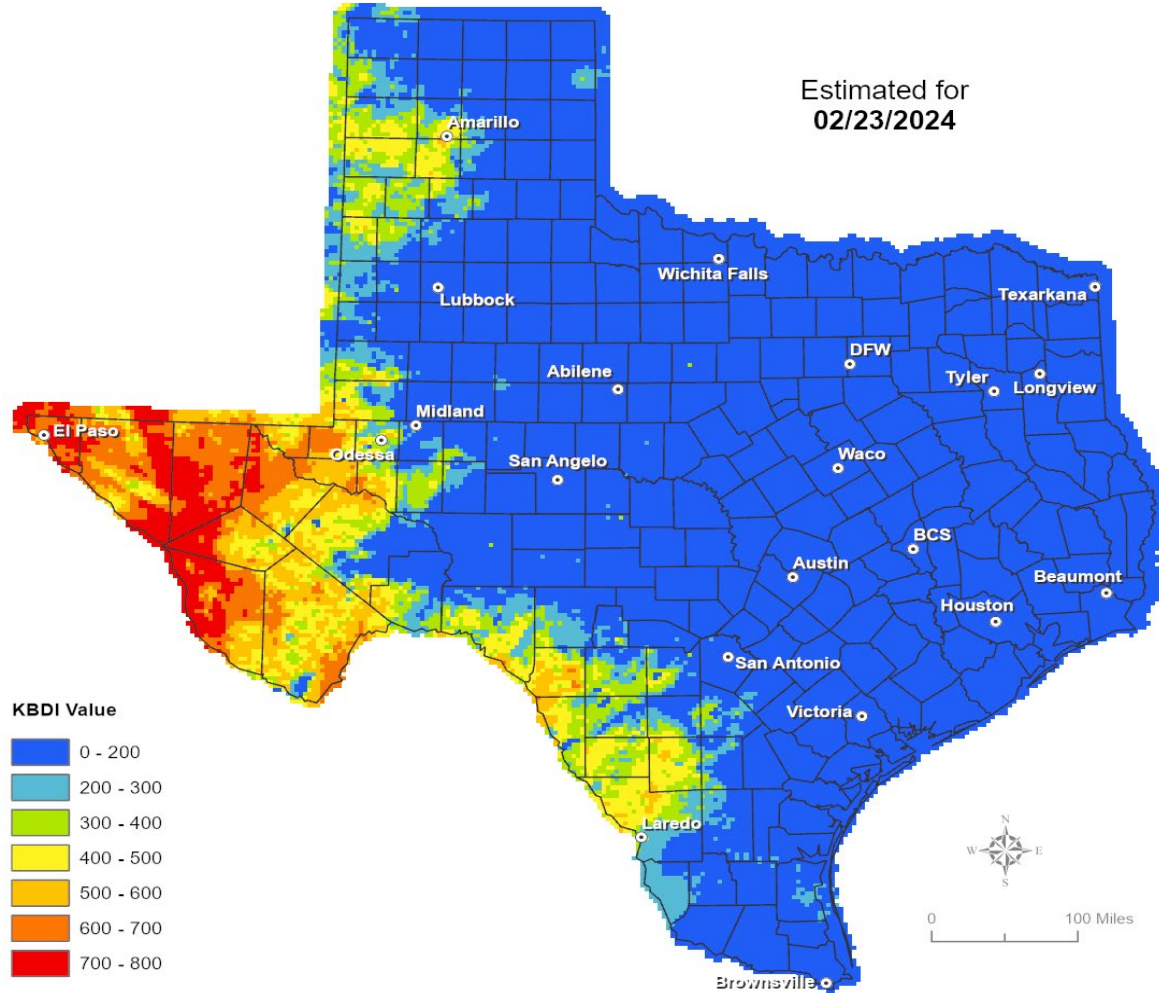


# Keetch-Byram Drought Index

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(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for  
02/23/2024



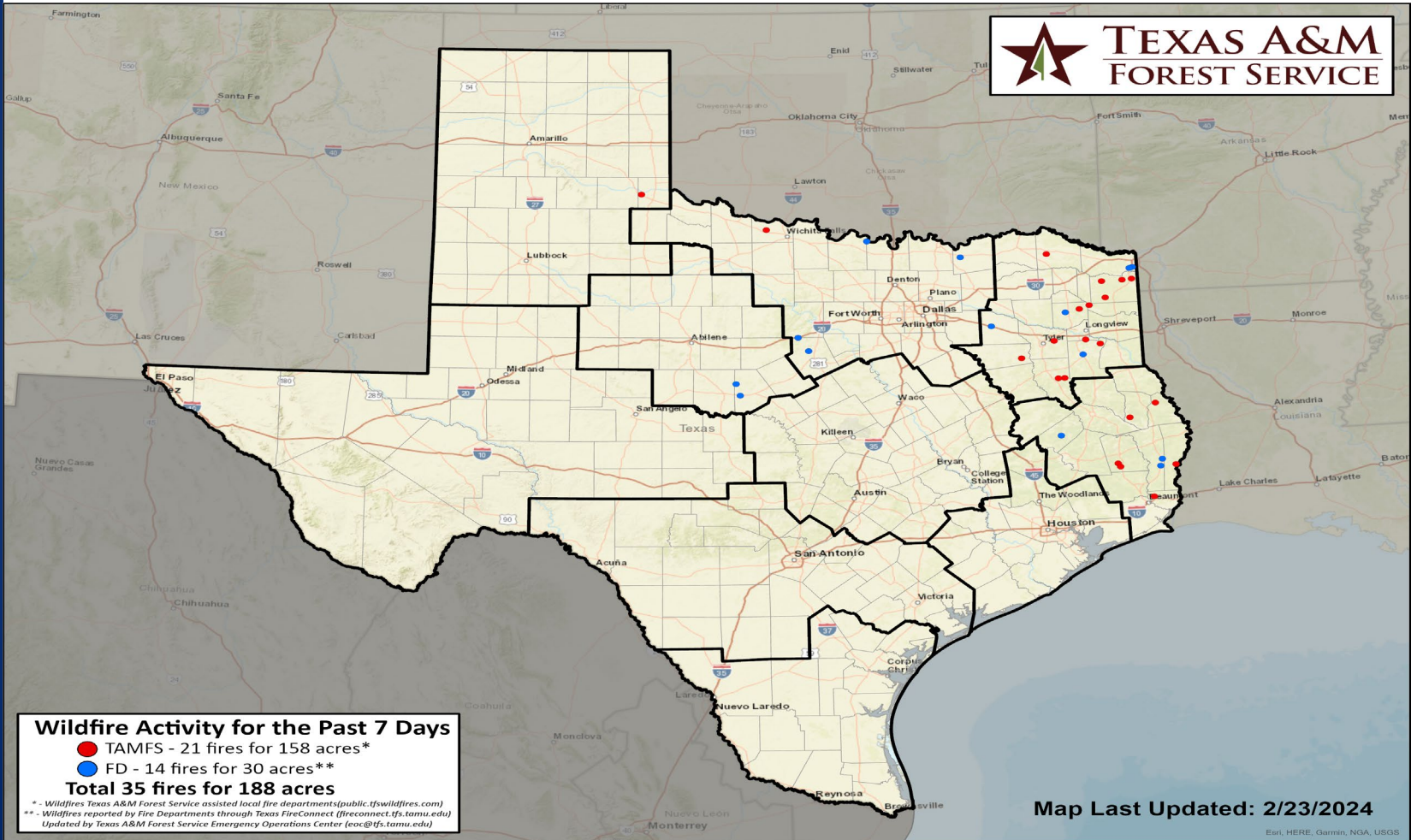


# Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

<b>DATE</b>	<b>WARNING TYPE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
02/24/24	Fire Danger Statement	Edwards, Kinney, and Val Verde Counties

# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 44 (+2) fires and 1,525 (+14) acres have been burned this year. There are 60 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list contains 14 (+1) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
02/23/24	03/08/24	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents, ICS 300	G/ICS-300	Austin
02/23/24	02/25/24	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Burleson
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02/24/24	02/25/24	NIMS ICS All Hazards Liaison (LOFR) Course	E/L-956	Austin
02/24/24	02/25/24	HazMat First Responder Operations, (Certification Course)	H-512	Wills Point
02/24/24	02/25/24	HazMat Awareness	H-100	Brenham

# Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
02/07/24	02/24/24	San Antonio	San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo
02/22/24	02/25/24	Dallas	North Texas Auto Show
02/22/24	02/24/24	Houston	Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo - BBQ Cook-Off
02/24/24	02/24/24	Arlington	Monster AMA Supercross
02/24/24	02/24/24	Houston	Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo - Run and Parade
02/24/24	02/24/24	Houston	XFL Houston Roughnecks Vs. Arlington Renegades