

Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief

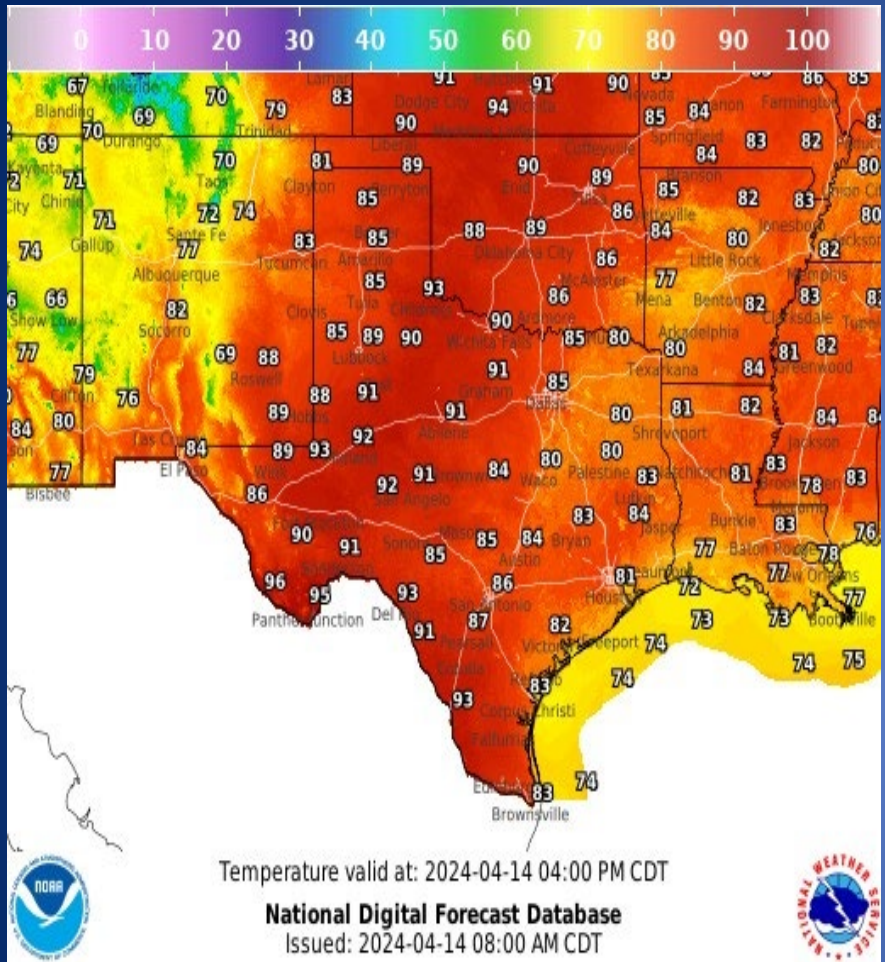


**Sunday, April 14th, 2024
As of 0900 CDT**

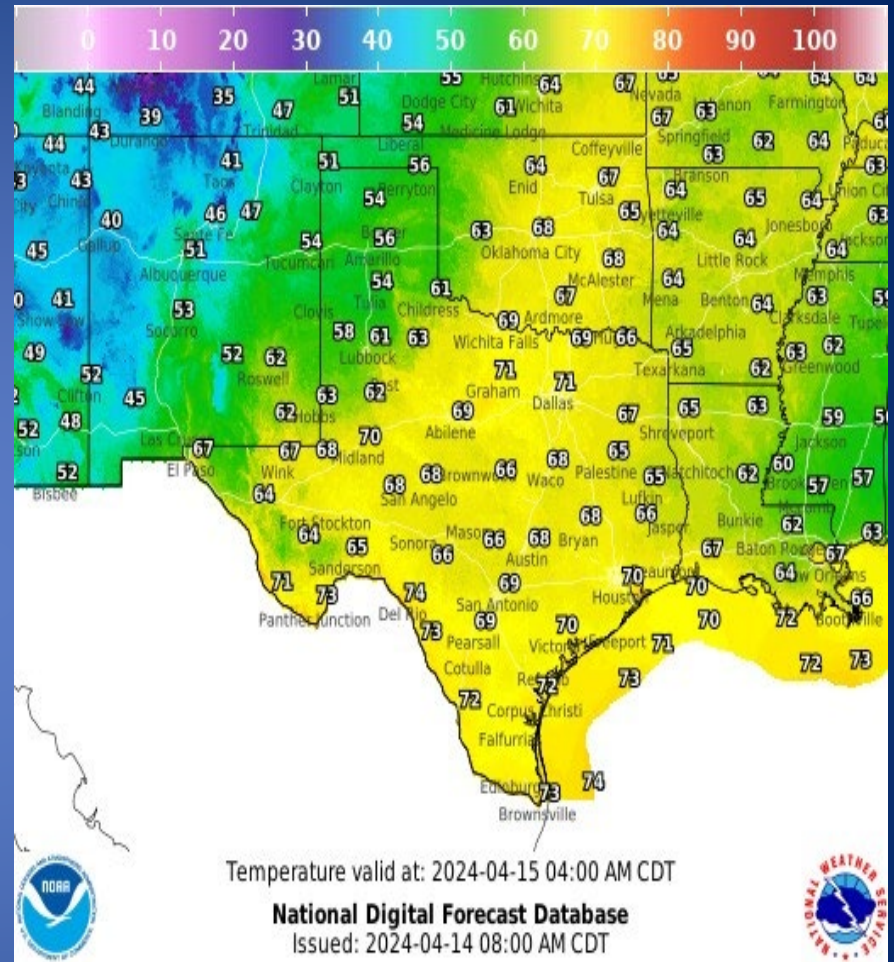
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DATE	SUBJECT
04/13/24	NWS Amarillo: Severe Thunderstorms & Critical Fire Weather Briefing for Monday, April 15th
04/14/24	NWS Fort Worth: Severe Weather Potential Monday And Tuesday
04/14/24	Daily NWS Threat Brief for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

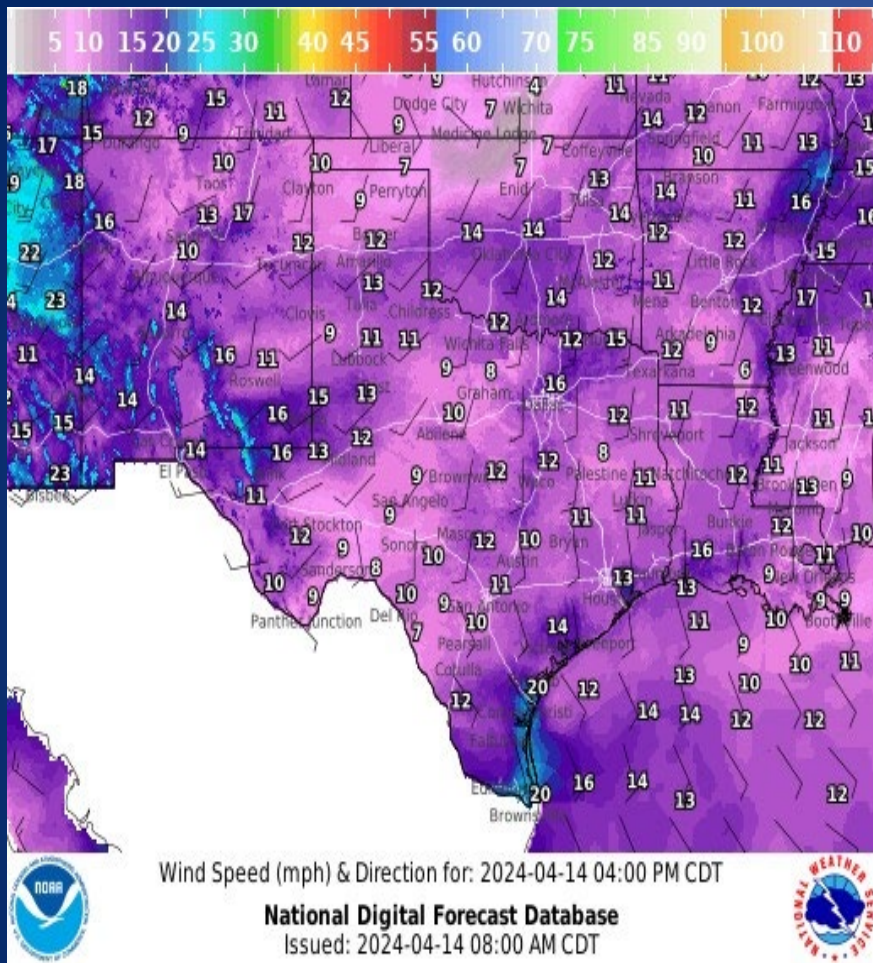


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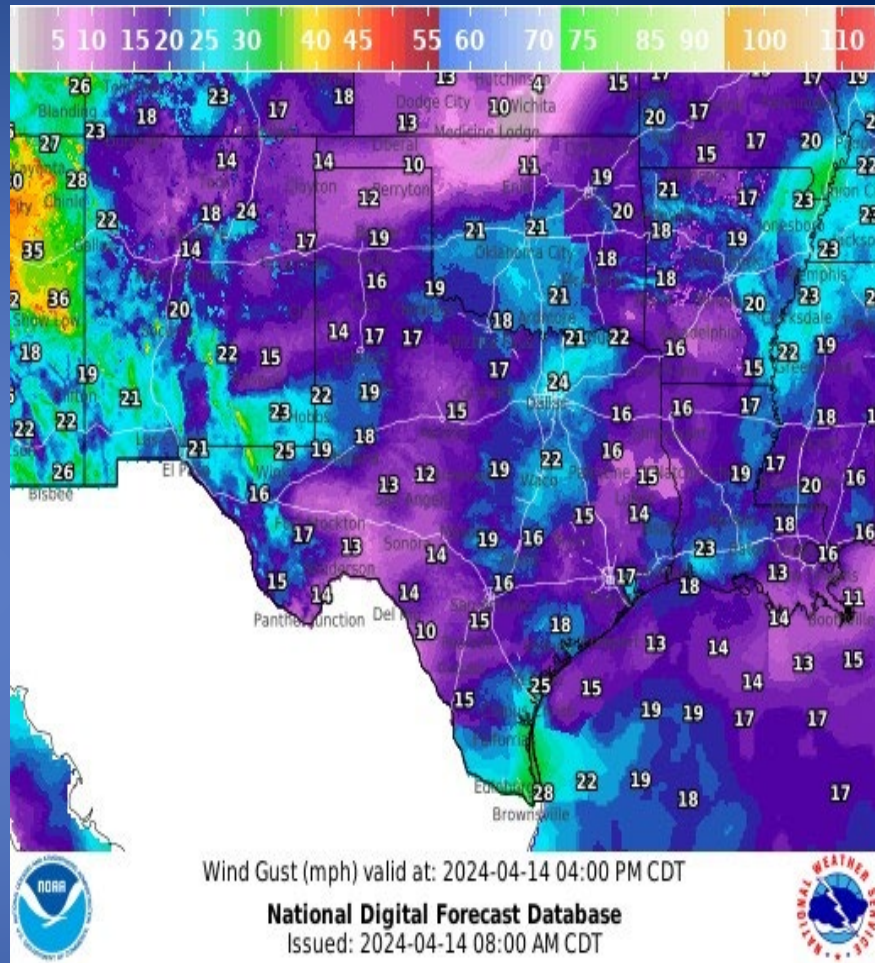


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



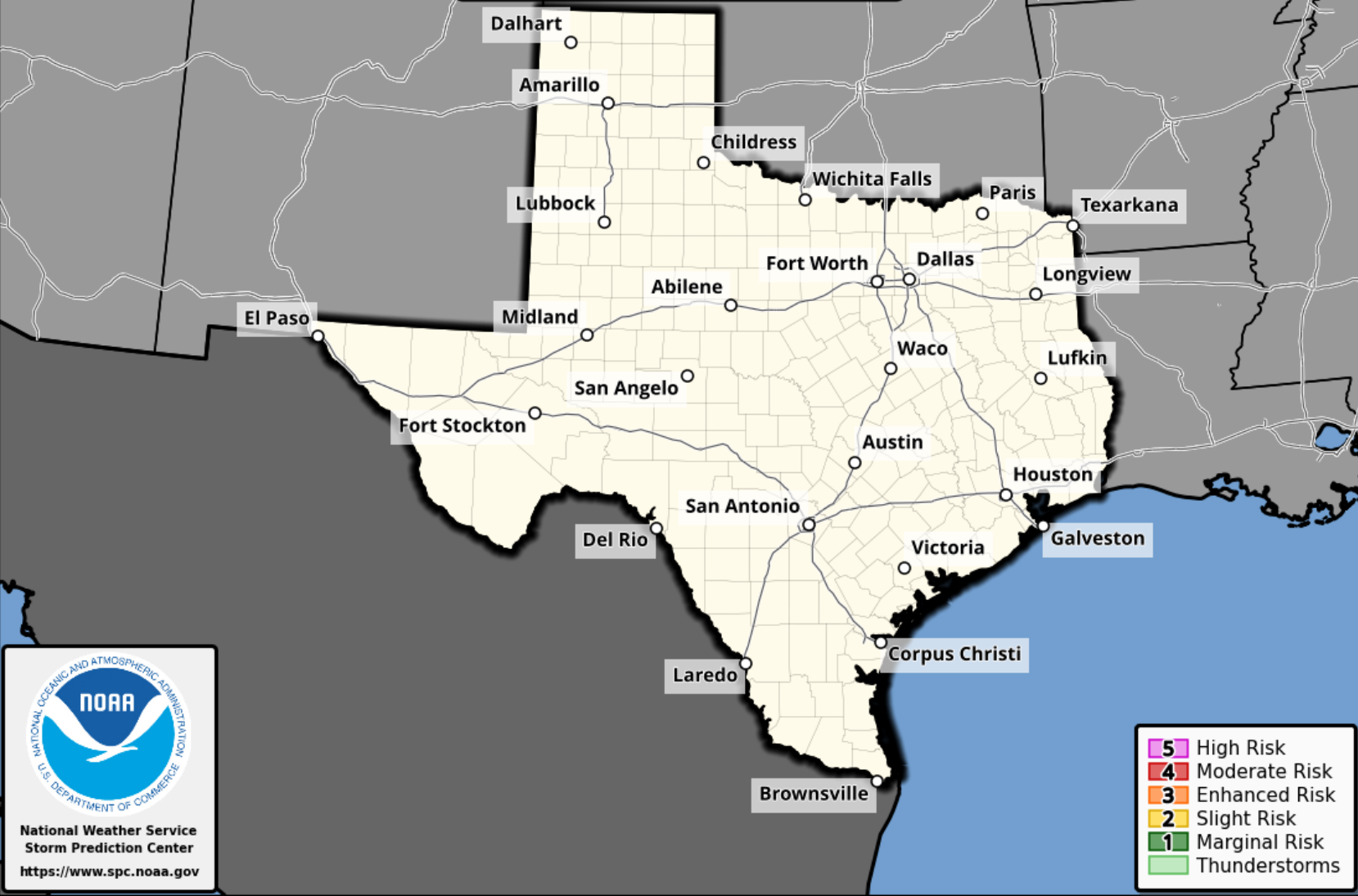
Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: Texas

Last Updated: Apr 14 2024 0746 AM CDT
Valid Until: Apr 15 2024 0700 AM CDT


Severe Weather Outlook Sunday, April 14, 2024




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



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

Hazardous Weather



Elevated Fire Weather Today April 14, 2024
3:56 AM


 **This Afternoon and Early Evening**


 **SE NM, the Guadalupe Mtns, Sacramento Foothills, and eastern Culberson County**


RELATIVE HUMIDITY
As low as **5%**


WINDS
West 15 - 30 mph
(Stronger gusts in the mountains)

PLAN >>> **PREPARE** >>> **ACT**

 Properly dispose of cigarettes

 Secure loose chains and don't let them drag while you drive

 If you see smoke or a fire, report it immediately

 Obey any burn bans in effect for your location

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration U.S. Department of Commerce **National Weather Service**
Midland/Odessa, TX

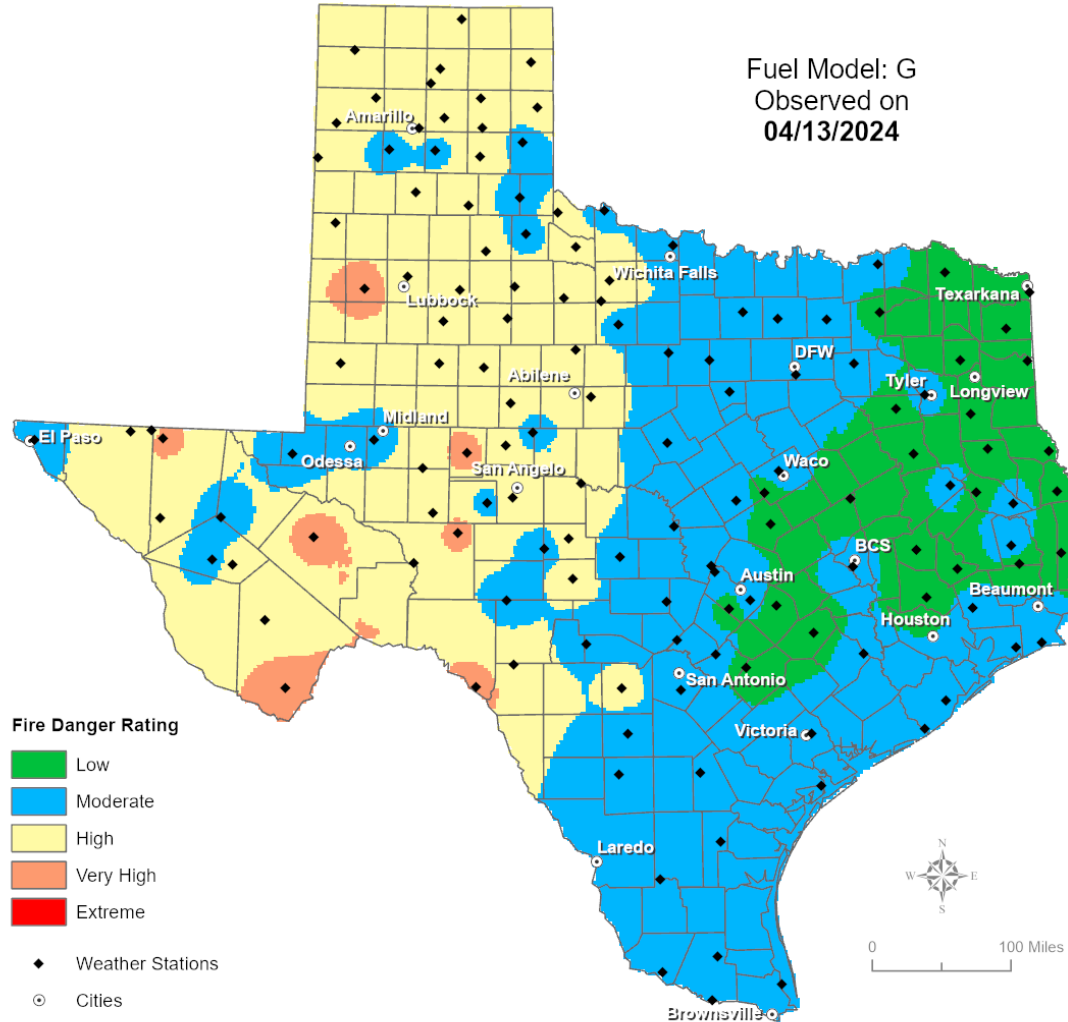
Elevated fire weather conditions are expected today across the Guadalupe Mountains, Sacramento Foothills, Southeast New Mexico Plains, and eastern Culberson County. Relative humidity will be as low as 5 percent, and winds will be west at 15 to 30 mph, with higher gusts in the mountains. Properly dispose cigarettes, secure loose chains and don't let them drag when you drive, obey burn bans in effect for your location, and if you see smoke or a fire, report it immediately!

Weather Warnings/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/13/24	High Wind Warning	El Paso and Hudspeth Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Observed Fire Danger



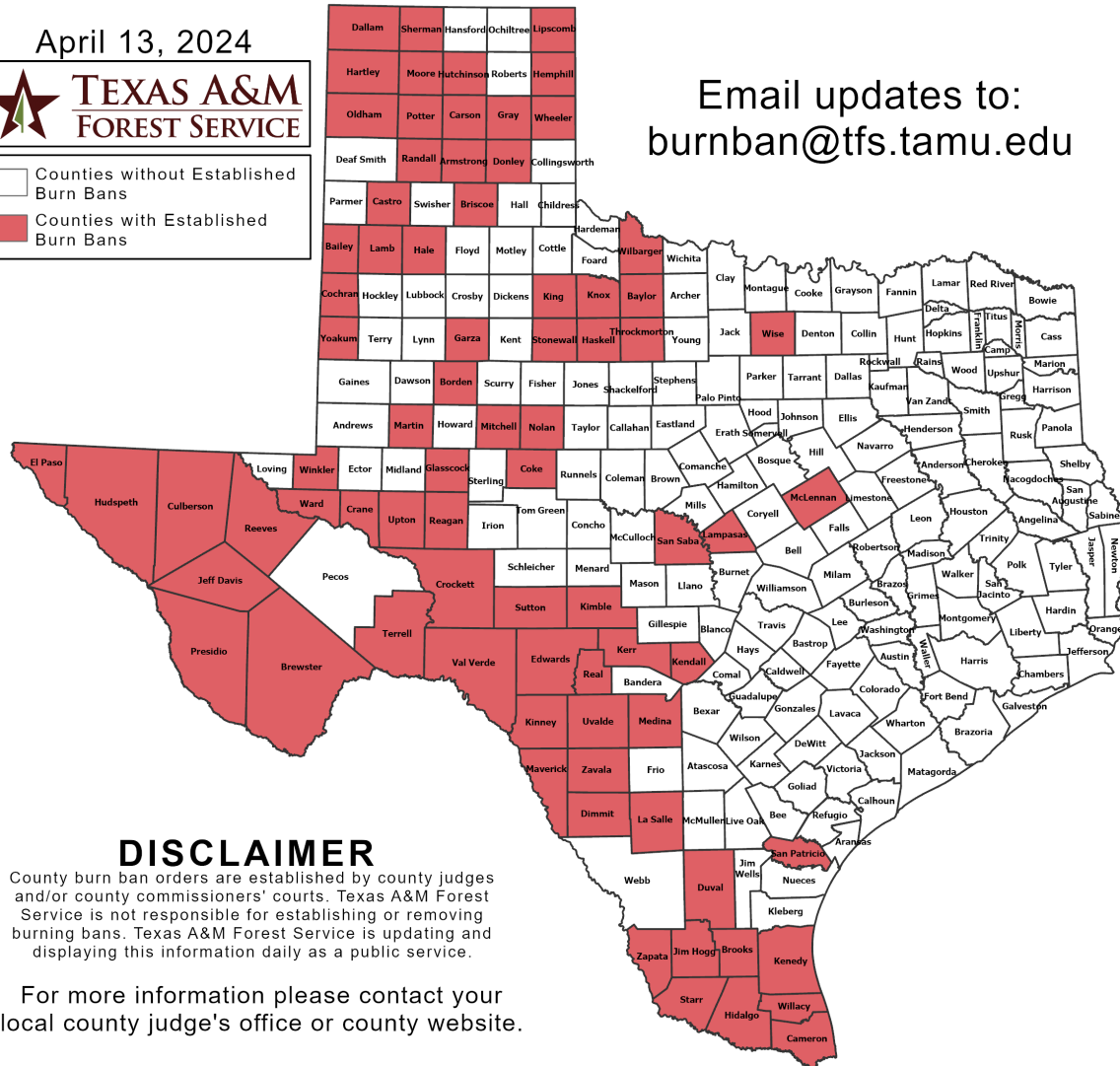
Burn Ban

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

April 13, 2024



Counties without Established Burn Bans
 Counties with Established Burn Bans



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties with Burn Bans: 78

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| Armstrong | Haskell | Potter |
| Bailey | Hemphill | Presidio |
| Baylor | Hidalgo | Randall |
| Borden | Hudspeth | Reagan |
| Brewster | Hutchinson | Real |
| Briscoe | Jeff Davis | Reeves |
| Brooks | Jim Hogg | San Patricio |
| Cameron | Kendall | San Saba |
| Carson | Kenedy | Sherman |
| Castro | Kerr | Starr |
| Cochran | Kimble | Stonewall |
| Coke | King | Sutton |
| Crane | Kinney | Terrell |
| Crockett | Knox | Throckmorton |
| Culberson | Lamb | Upton |
| Dallam | Lampasas | Uvalde |
| Dimmit | La Salle | Val Verde |
| Donley | Lipscomb | Ward |
| Duval | McLennan | Wheeler |
| Edwards | Martin | Wilbarger |
| El Paso | Maverick | Willacy |
| Garza | Medina | Winkler |
| Glasscock | Mitchell | Wise |
| Gray | Moore | Yoakum |
| Hale | Nolan | Zapata |
| Hartley | 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.

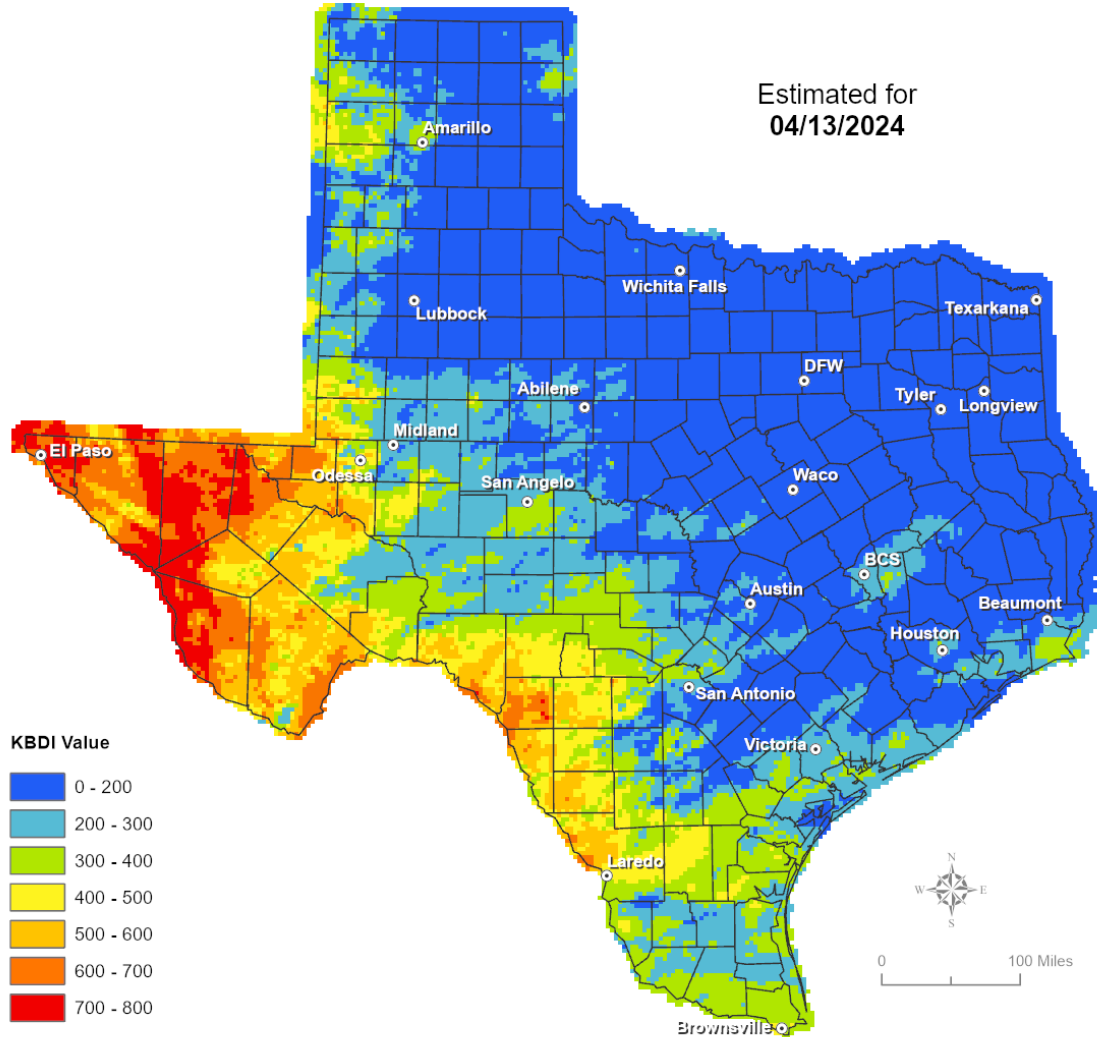
RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
 Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
04/13/2024

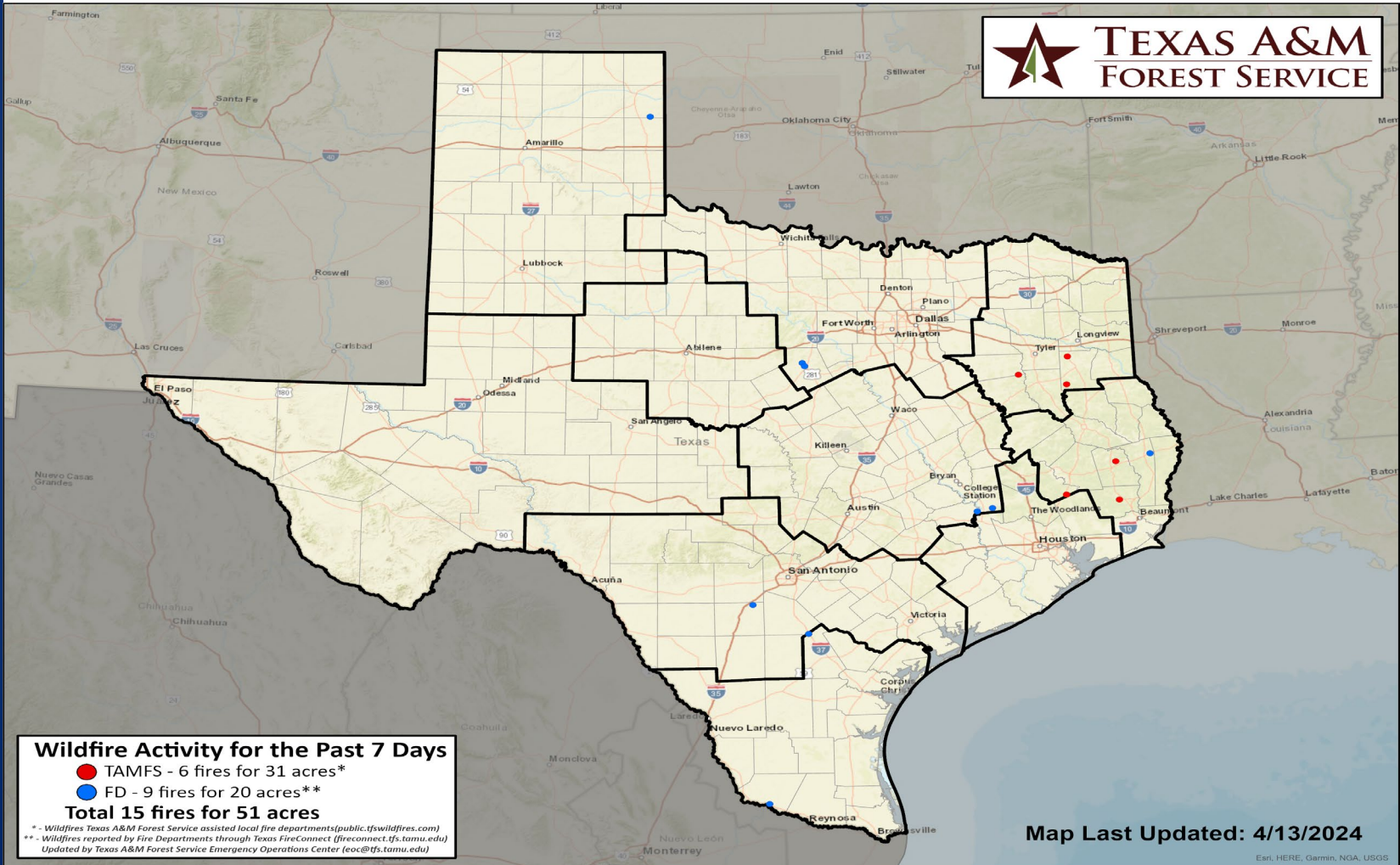


Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/13/24	Red Flag Warning	El Paso and Hudspeth Counties
04/14/24	Fire Danger Statement	Culberson County
04/14/24	Red Flag Warning	Andrews, Brewster, Crane, Culberson, Ector, Jeff Davis, Loving, Pecos, Presidio, Reeves, Ward and Winkler Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 173 (no change) fires and 1,252,101 (no change) acres have been burned this year. There are 78 (No Change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list contains 22 (No Change) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
04/11/24	05/17/24	Texas EMC Response to Recovery	TX-2000	Bryan
04/09/24	05/08/24	Texas EMC Response to Recovery	TX-2000	Region 6
04/13/24	04/14/24	HazMat Product Control Specialist (Certification Course)	H-505	Wills Point

Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
04/06/24	04/21/24	Dallas	Lone Star Classic
04/11/24	04/14/24	Houston	Disney on Ice: Magic in the Stars
04/12/24	04/14/24	College Station	Texas A&M University Family Weekend
04/13/24	04/14/24	Fort Worth	Wings Over Cowtown
04/13/24	04/14/24	Stanton	Old Sorehead Trade Days
04/14/24	04/14/24	Fort Worth	NASCAR: Cup Series Autotrader EchoPark Automotive 400
04/14/24	04/14/24	Houston	2024 Houston Astros Game