

# Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center

## Situation Awareness Brief



**Saturday, April 19th, 2025  
As of 0900 CDT**

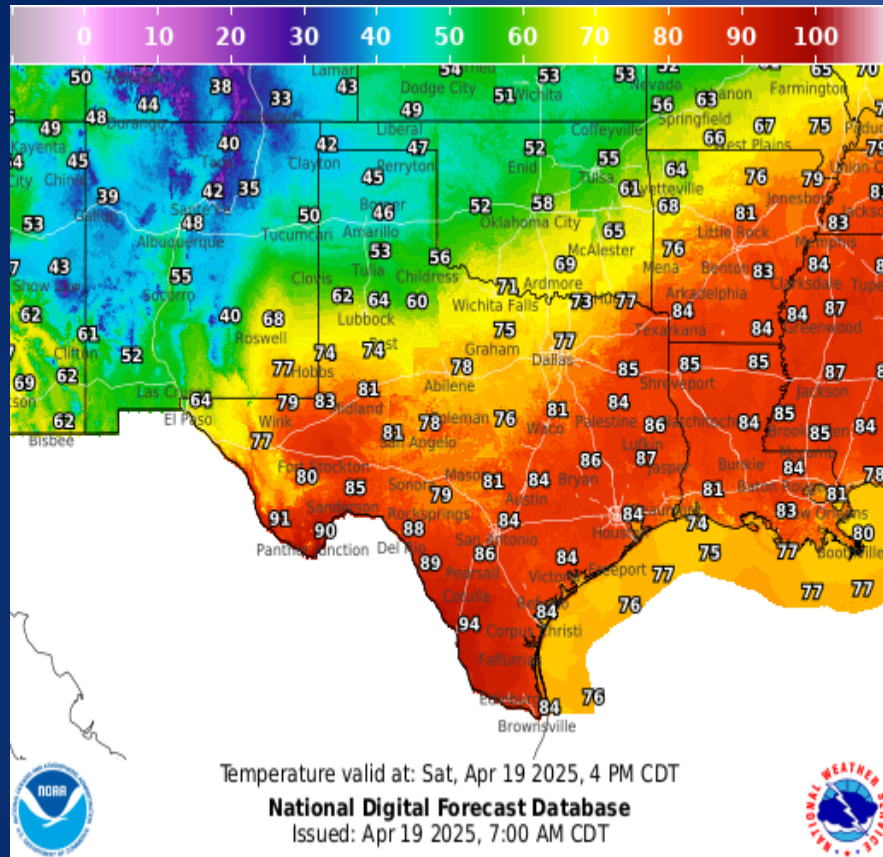
# Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION
04/18/25	Initial Report of a Single Engine Aircraft Crash	Wharton County
04/18/25	Final Report of the Boil Water Notice	Comal County
04/18/25	Final Report of the Single Engine Aircraft Crash	Wharton County
04/19/25	Initial Report of a Road Closure of IH-37 Near Oakville	Live Oak County
04/19/25	Final Report of the Road Closure of IH-37 Near Oakville	Live Oak County

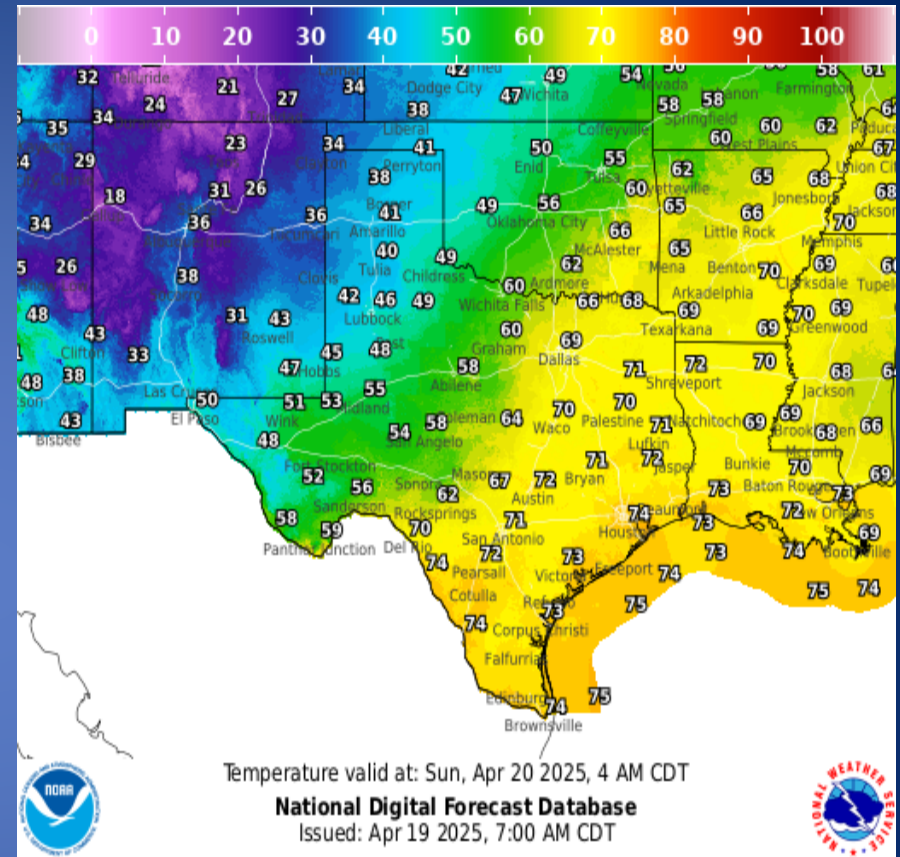
# Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
04/18/25	NWS El Paso, TX/Santa Teresa, NM: Multi-Hazard Briefing
04/18/25	NWS Fort Worth: Severe and Heavy Rainfall Threat Late Tonight through Sunday
04/18/25	Governor's Proclamation Renewal for Border Security
04/18/25	NWS Norman, OK: Severe Weather & Flooding Update
04/18/25	NWS Austin/San Antonio: NWS Update – Severe Storm Risk Tonight Through Saturday Night
04/18/25	NWS Corpus Christi: High Risk of Rip Currents   April 18, 2025
04/19/25	NWS Austin/San Antonio: Severe Storm Risk Today through Early Sunday
04/19/25	NWS Shreveport, LA: Severe Thunderstorms possible across portions of the Four State Region Today and Easter Sunday
04/19/25	NWS Corpus Christi: High Risk of Rip Currents
04/19/25	NWS Brownsville: High Risk of Rip Currents Through Sunday Evening

# Weather Forecast



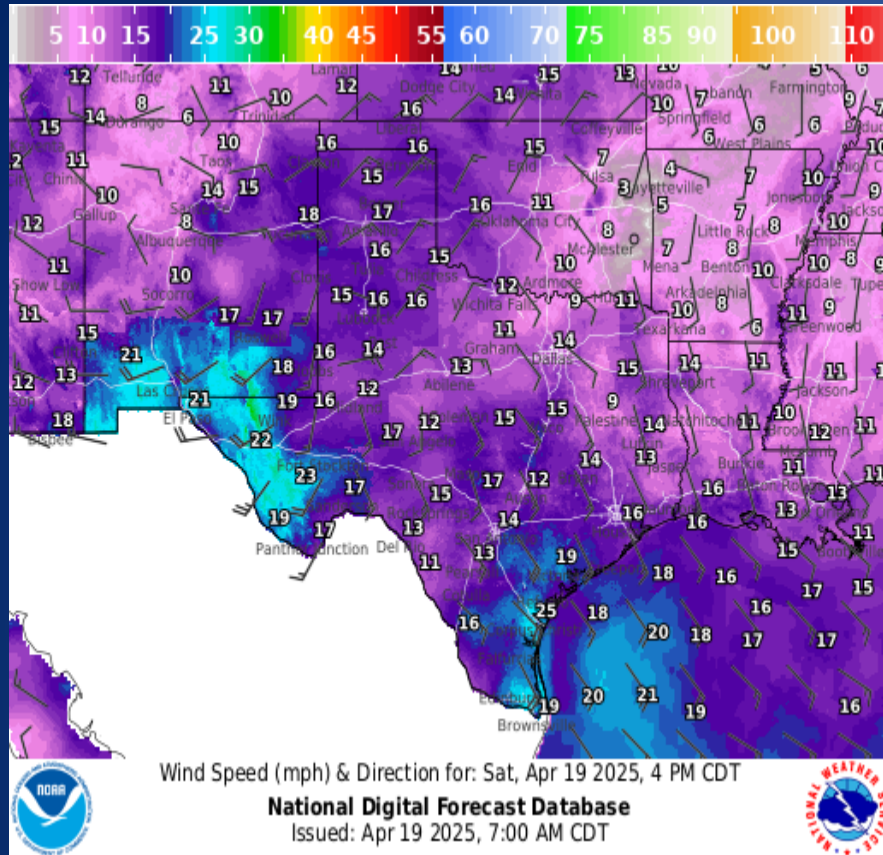
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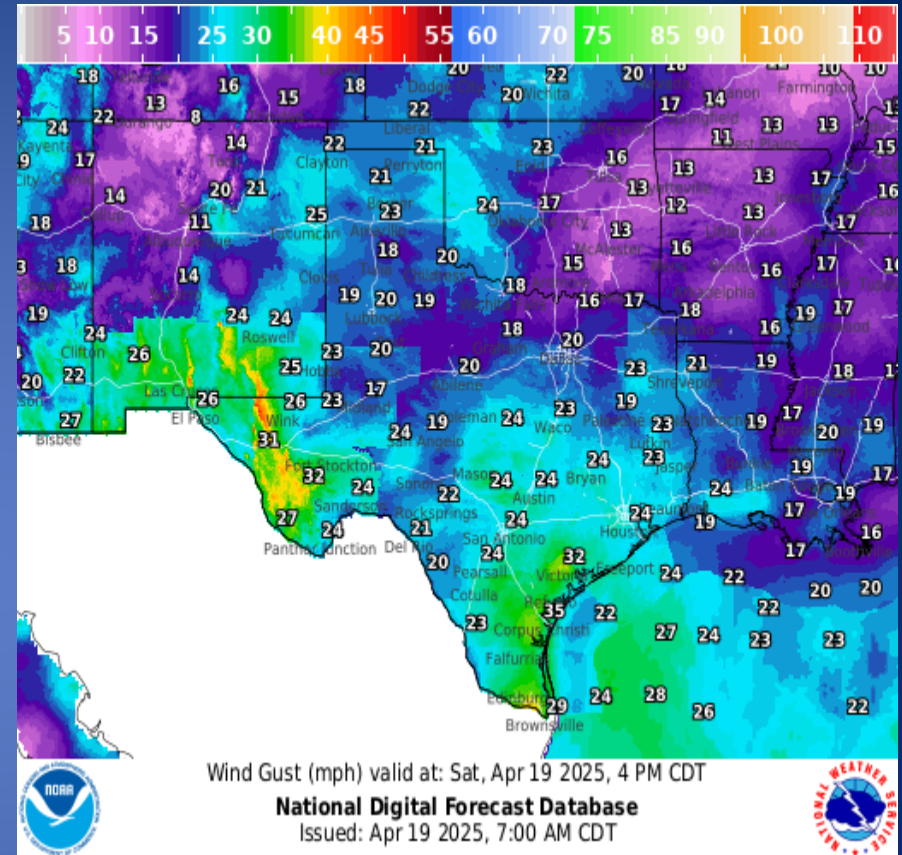
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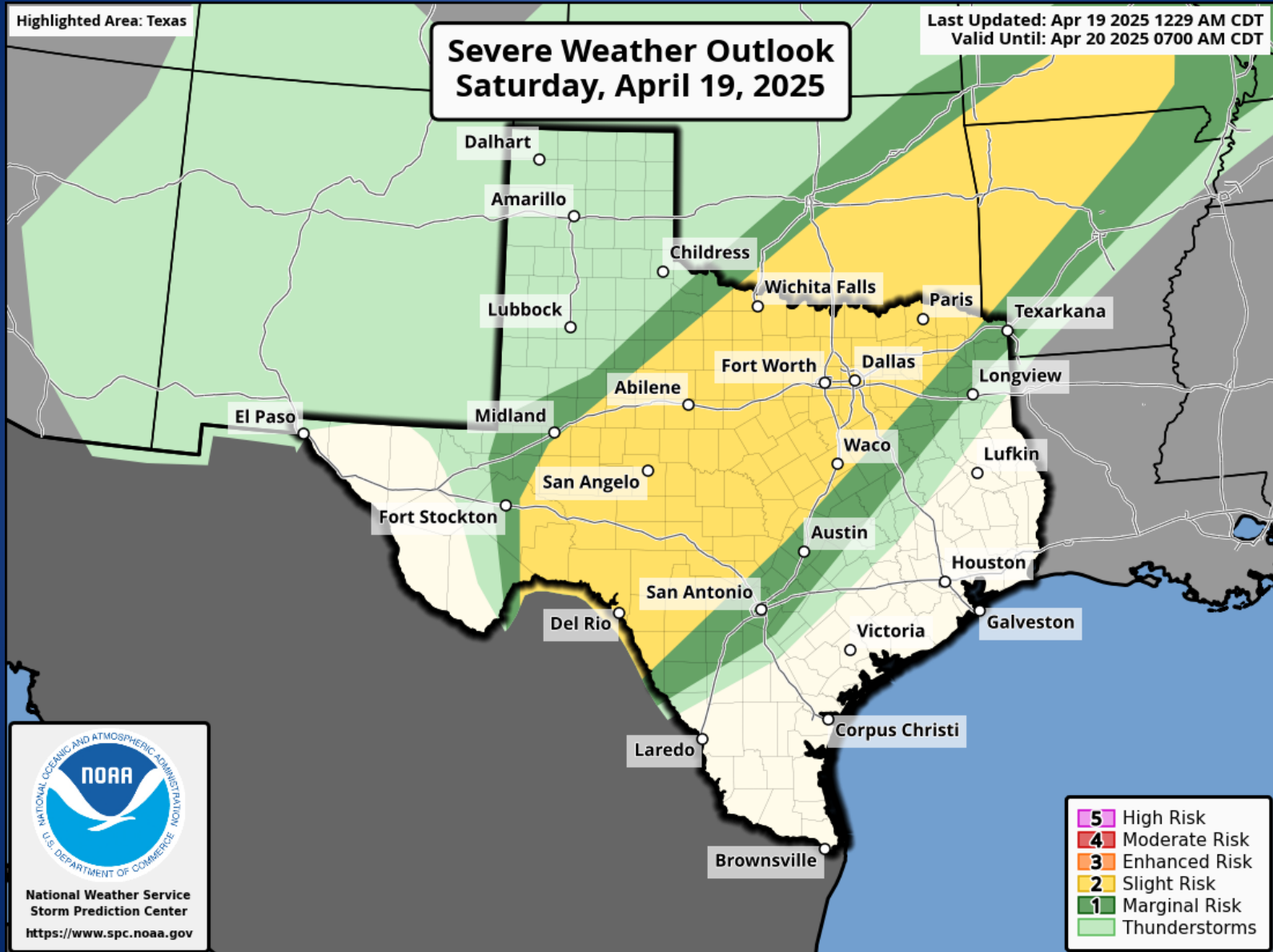


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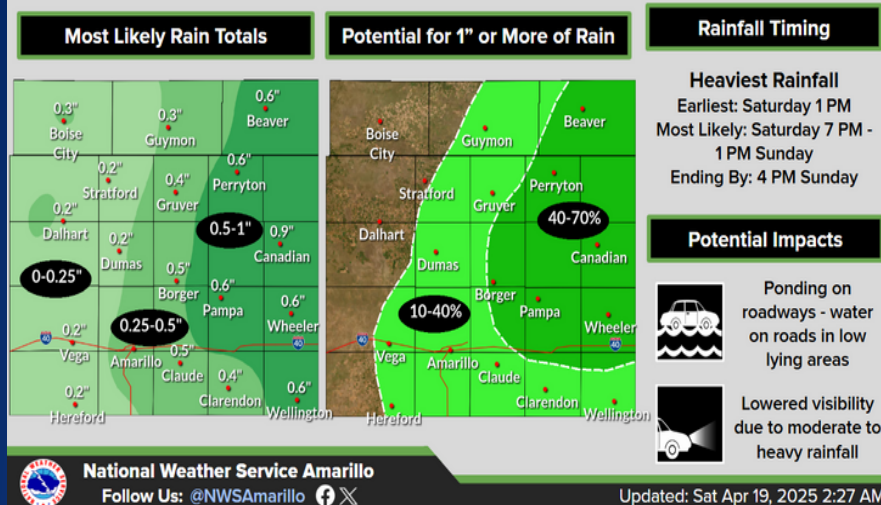
## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather



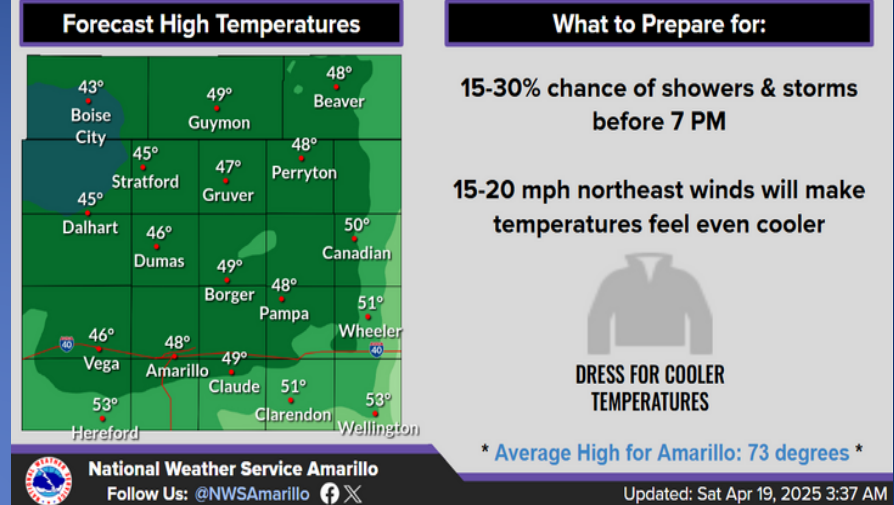
# Hazardous Weather

## Beneficial Rainfall Expected This Weekend



Much needed moisture is on the way this weekend, especially across the eastern Panhandles where rainfall totals may exceed 1 inch. Not everyone will see heavy rain, but much of the area could receive about a couple tenths of an inch or better.

## Cool and Dreary Saturday



Today is going to be quite cloudy and cool for April, with breezy northeast winds making it feel even colder. While most precipitation is expected to resume later tonight, some light showers or storms can't be ruled out before then.



# Hazardous Weather

## Heavy Rain and Flooding Threat Continues

Multiple rounds of showers and storms will move across the region today through Sunday morning.

Isolated amounts near 5" are possible in NW Texas and along the Red River.

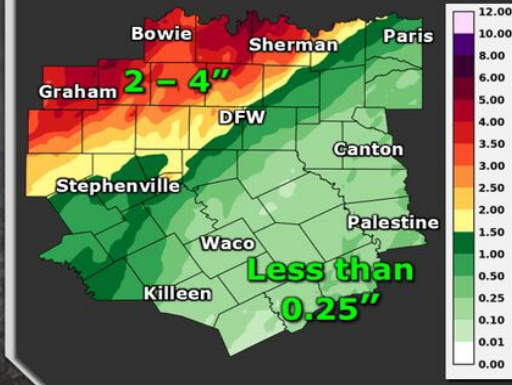
### Flood Watch until 1 PM Sunday



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Fort Worth, TX  
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## Average Rainfall Totals Through Sunday



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Multiple rounds of showers and storms are expected through Sunday with heavy rain and minor flooding possible across parts of western North Texas Saturday night through Sunday morning. Isolated amounts over 5" are possible in northwest Texas and along the Red River. A Flood Watch has been issued from 1 AM Saturday through 1 PM Sunday for Greyson, Cooke, Montague, Wise, Jack, and Young counties.

## Today's Severe Weather Risk

Make sure to have multiple ways to receive alerts!

There is a potential for strong to severe storms and locally heavy rain later today and tonight.

### Threats

Higher

Lower

Large Hail (>2")

Damaging Winds (60+ mph)

Tornado



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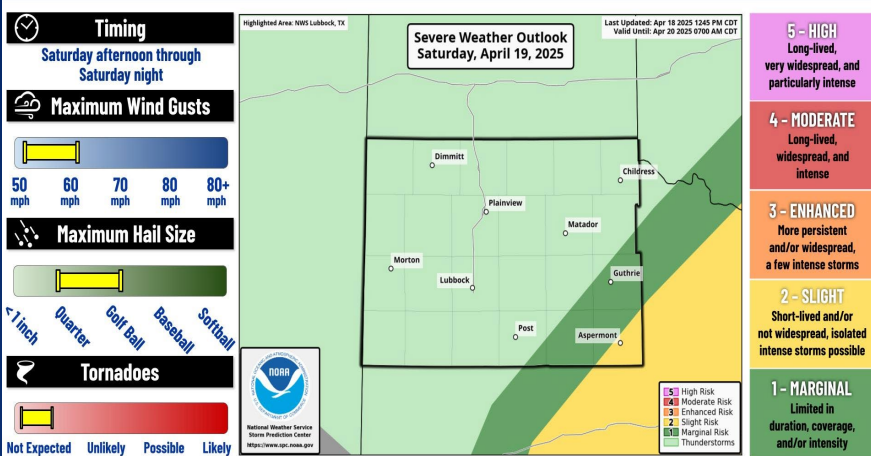
The next round of showers and storms will begin to develop west of our area late Saturday afternoon and move east during the evening and overnight hours. Some storms may become strong or severe with large hail and damaging winds. The tornado risk may increase if storms develop ahead of near the surface boundary. Heavy rain and flooding will also be possible. Storms will spread eastward on Sunday but decrease in intensity before ending by midday.



# Hazardous Weather

## Severe Weather Outlook: Sat. April 19, 2025

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Updated: Sat Apr 19, 2025 5:38 AM



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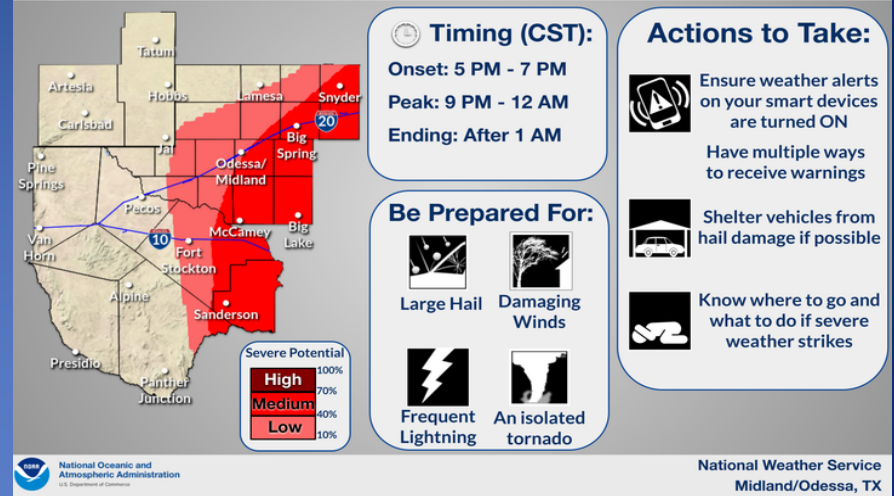
Thunderstorms are expected to develop this afternoon across portions of the eastern Rolling Plains. Large hail up to golf ball sized and damaging wind gusts to 60 mph will be possible.



## Severe Storms Possible This Evening

April 19, 2025  
3:49 AM

Mainly Across the Central/Eastern Permian Basin and Lower Trans-Pecos



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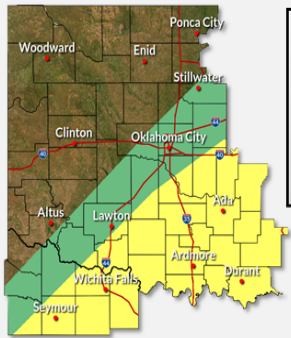
National Weather Service  
Midland/Odessa, TX

A triple point is expected to set up over our area this afternoon as a potent upper-level storm system approaches. This will set the stage for severe weather across the Central/Eastern Permian Basin and Lower Trans-Pecos. Large hail and damaging winds will be the main concerns, though a tornado or two cannot be ruled out. Have multiple ways to receive warnings/alerts and know what to do if severe weather occurs!

# Hazardous Weather

## Saturday Severe Thunderstorm Risk

April 19, 2025  
1:37 AM



### Timing

5 PM Saturday through 3 AM Sunday



### Hazards



#### Tornado Potential

Very Low Low Medium High



#### Maximum Hail Size

Penny Quarter Golf Ball Baseball Softball



#### Maximum Wind Speed

<50 mph 60 mph 70 mph 80+ mph



### What to Do

- Have multiple ways to receive warnings.
- Have a severe weather safety plan ready.
- Check back for updates to the forecast.



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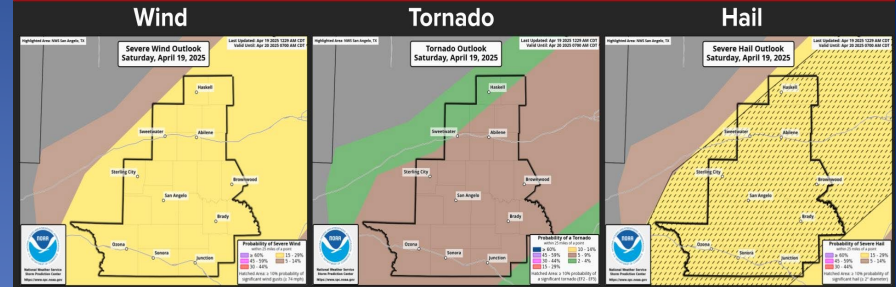
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There is a slight risk of severe thunderstorms on Saturday near a cold front, which is forecast to reach southern parts of the forecast area. Large hail, gusty winds, and flash flooding are all possible.

## Saturday Hail, Wind, and Tornado Threat



### Key Message

- Strong to severe storms will be possible again Saturday afternoon into Saturday night. They will have the potential to produce a few tornadoes, very large hail (larger than golf balls), and damaging winds.



### Safety Precautions



Secure Outdoor Items



Stay Away From Windows



Have a Way to Receive Warnings



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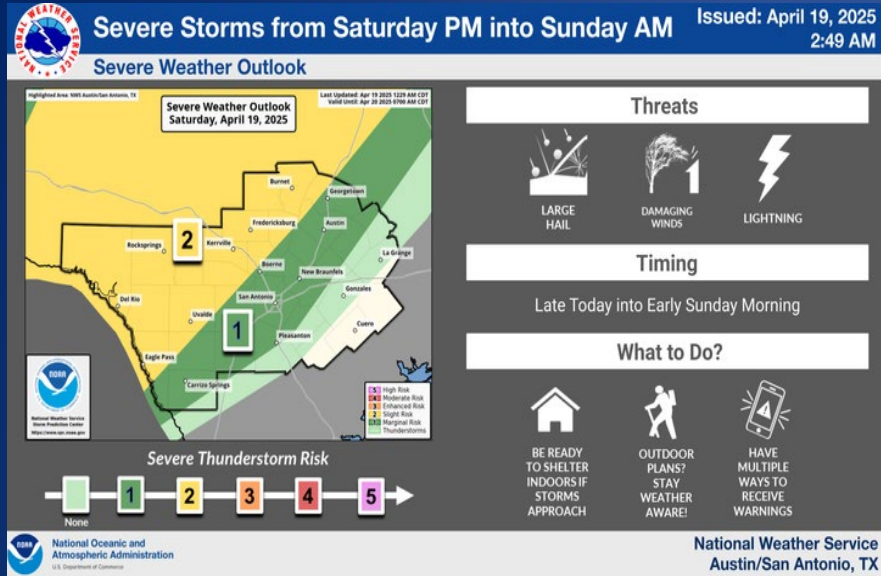
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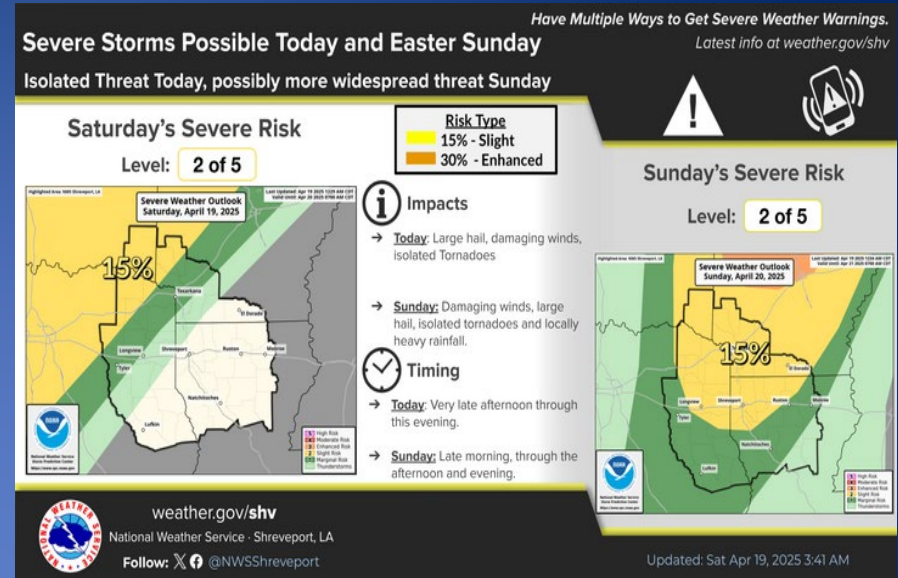
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Scattered showers and storms are expected to develop for parts of West Central Texas overnight. Some of these storms may become strong to severe. The main threats are large hail, damaging winds, and a few tornadoes.

# Hazardous Weather



There is a Level 2 out of 5 risk for severe storms across the Rio Grande Plains, southern Edwards Plateau, and Hill Country late today through early Sunday morning, and a Level 1 out of 5 risk across the I-35 corridor. Large to very large hail, and damaging wind gusts are the primary threats with any isolated to scattered severe storms.



A chance exists for strong to severe storms across far Northeast Texas, Southeast Oklahoma and Southwest Arkansas late this afternoon and evening. Severe storms could encompass more of the Four State Region on Easter Sunday.



# Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/18/25	Small Craft Advisory	Aransas, Brazoria, Calhoun, Cameron, Galveston, Jackson, Kenedy, Kleberg, Matagorda, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio, Victoria, and Willacy Counties
04/18/25	Flood Warning	Gregg, Jack, Newton, Orange, Smith, Upshur, and Wood Counties
04/18/25	Flood Watch	Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cooke, Jack, Montague, Wichita, Wilbarger, and Young Counties
04/18/25	Airport Weather Warning	Cameron and Nueces Counties
04/18/25	Blowing Dust Advisory	El Paso and Hudspeth Counties
04/18/25	Dust Storm Warning	El Paso and Hudspeth Counties
04/18/25	Wind Advisory	Jefferson and Orange Counties
04/18/25	Freeze Warning	Dallam, Hartley, and Sherman Counties
04/18/25	Special Weather Statement	Collingsworth, Cooke, Crockett, Donley, Irion, Montague, San Saba, and Wheeler Counties
04/18/25	Severe Thunderstorm Watch	Cooke, Foard, Hardeman, and Montague Counties

# Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

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04/18/25	Tornado Watch	Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cooke, Haskell, Jack, Knox, Montague, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Stephens, Throckmorton, Wichita, Wilbarger, and Young Counties
04/18/25	Blowing Dust Warning	Brewster, Culberson, Jeff Davis, Loving, and Reeves Counties
04/18/25	Rip Current Statement	Aransas, Calhoun, Kleberg, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio, and Victoria Counties
04/19/25	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Callahan, Coke, Coleman, Crockett, Eastland, Erath, Hood, Irion, Jack, Mason, McCulloch, Palo Pinto, Parker, Runnels, San Saba, Schleicher, Shackelford, Stephens, Taylor, Tom Green, Val Verde, Wise, and Young Counties
04/19/25	Severe Thunderstorm Watch	Brown, Callahan, Coke, Coleman, Comanche, Concho, Crockett, Eastland, Erath, Hamilton, Irion, Jack, Kimble, Mason, McCulloch, Menard, Mills, Palo Pinto, Parker, Runnels, San Saba, Schleicher, Stephens, Sterling, Sutton, Taylor, Tom Green, and Young Counties
04/19/25	Small Craft Advisory	Cameron, Kenedy, and Willacy Counties
04/19/25	Flood Advisory	Tom Green County
04/19/25	Flood Watch	Grayson and Wise Counties

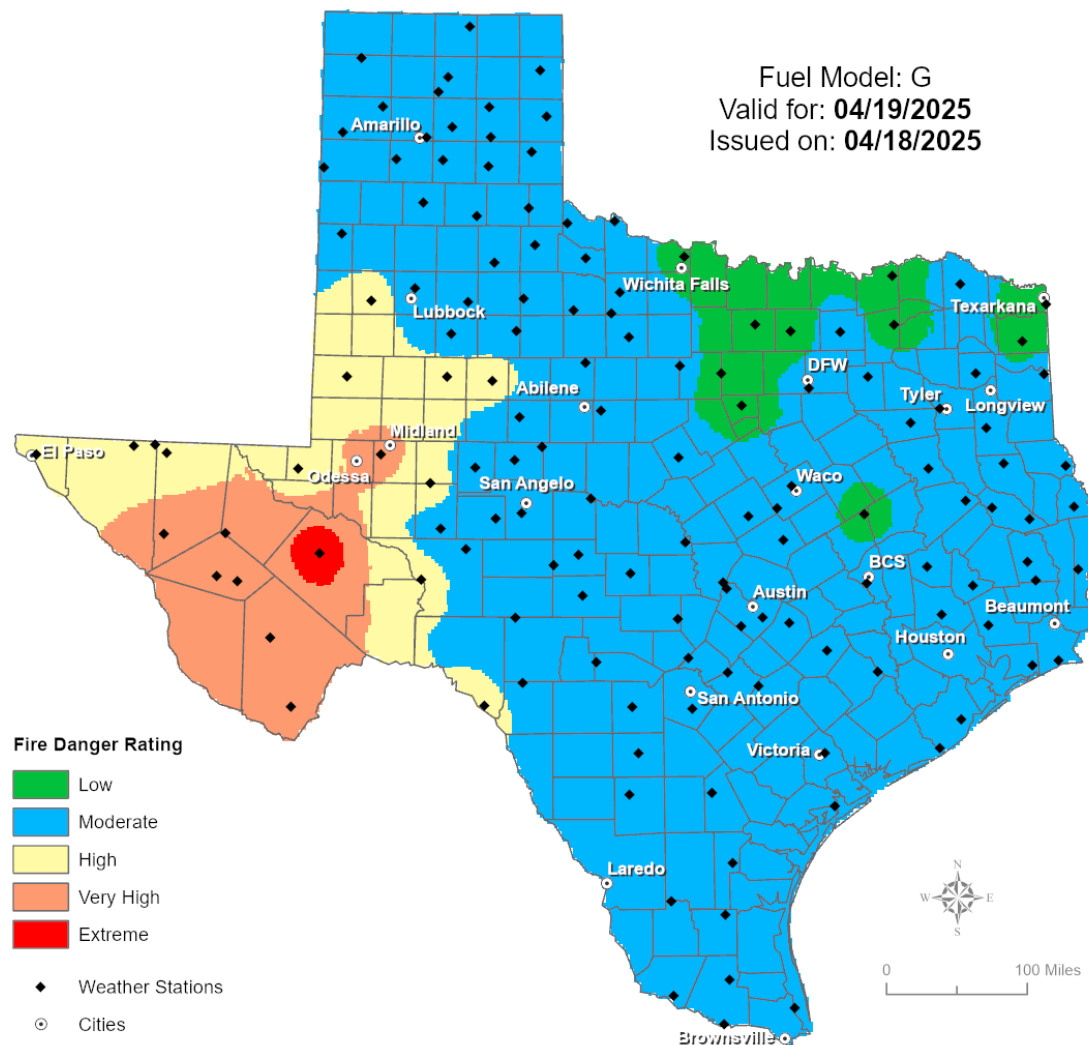
# Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/19/25	Special Weather Statement	Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Concho, Crockett, Denton, Edwards, Johnson, Kimble, Kinney, Lampasas, McCulloch, Menard, Mills, Parker, Red River, Runnels, San Saba, Schleicher, Sutton, Taylor, Tarrant, Tom Green, Val Verde, and Wise Counties
04/19/25	Tornado Warning	Callahan County
04/19/25	High Wind Warning	Brewster, Culberson, Jeff Davis, Pecos, Presidio, and Reeves Counties
04/19/25	Airport Weather Warning	Dallas, El Paso, and Tarrant Counties
04/19/25	Freeze Warning	Dallam, Hartley, and Sherman Counties



# Fire Danger Forecast

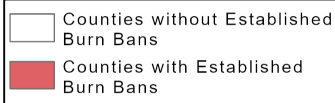
## Forecast Fire Danger



# Burn Ban

## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

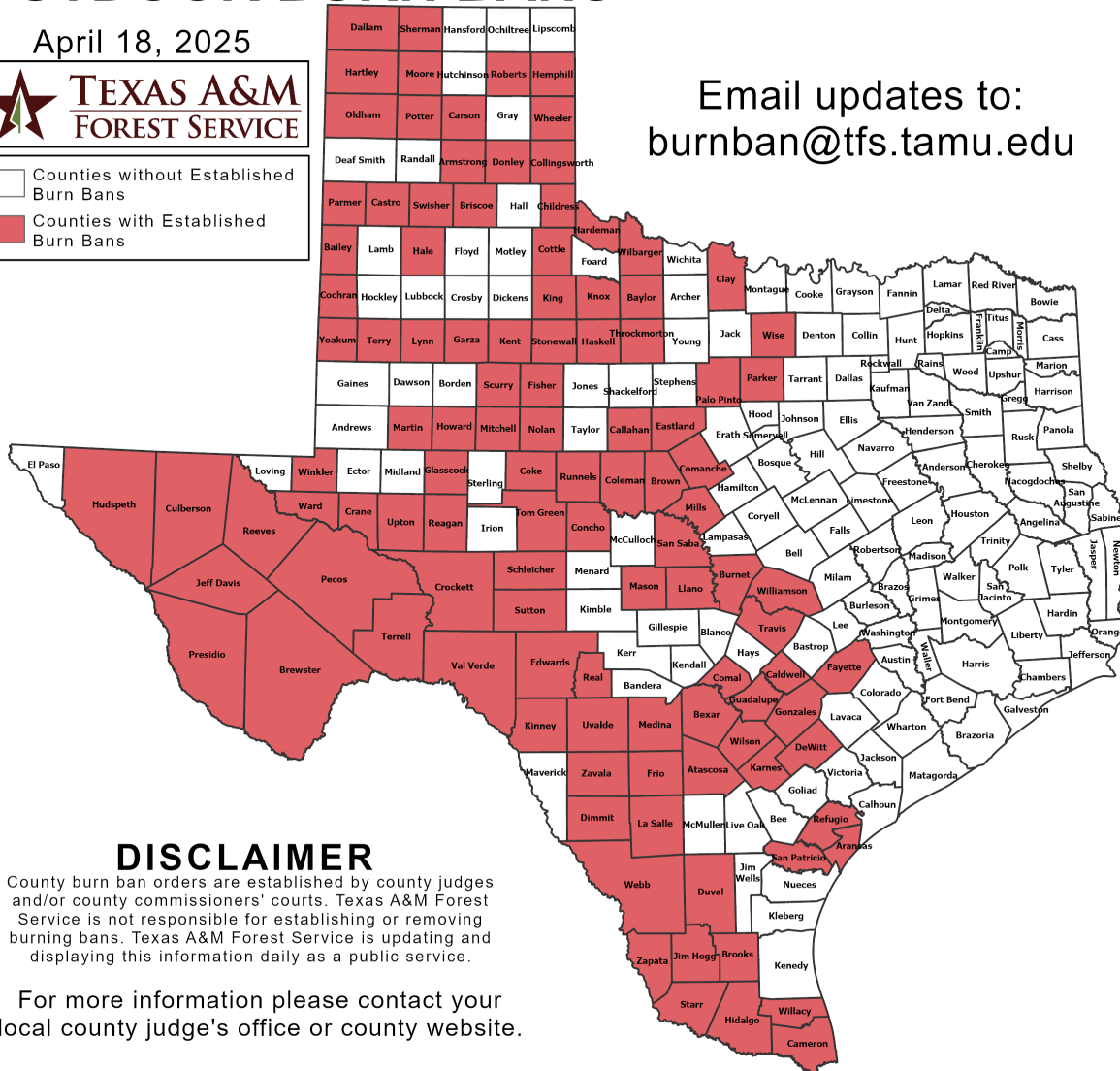
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[burnban@tfs.tamu.edu](mailto:burnban@tfs.tamu.edu)

### Counties with Burn Bans: 110

Aransas	Fisher	Presidio
Armstrong	Frio	Reagan
Atascosa	Garza	Real
Bailey	Glasscock	Reeves
Baylor	Gonzales	Refugio
Bexar	Guadalupe	Roberts
Brewster	Hale	Runnels
Briscoe	Hardeman	San Patricio
Brooks	Hartley	San Saba
Brown	Haskell	Schleicher
Burnet	Hemphill	Scurry
Caldwell	Hidalgo	Sherman
Callahan	Howard	Starr
Cameron	Hudspeth	Stonewall
Carson	Jeff Davis	Sutton
Castro	Jim Hogg	Swisher
Childress	Karnes	Terrell
Clay	Kent	Terry
Cochran	King	Throckmorton
Coke	Kinney	Tom Green
Coleman	Knox	Travis
Collingsworth	La Salle	Upton
Comal	Llano	Uvalde
Comanche	Lynn	Val Verde
Concho	Martin	Ward
Cottle	Mason	Webb
Crane	Medina	Wheeler
Crockett	Mills	Wilbarger
Culberson	Mitchell	Willacy
Dallam	Moore	Williamson
DeWitt	Nolan	Wilson
Dimmit	Oldham	Winkler
Donley	Palo Pinto	Wise
Duval	Parker	Yoakum
Eastland	Parmer	Zapata
Edwards	Pecos	Zavala
Fayette	Potter	



### 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.

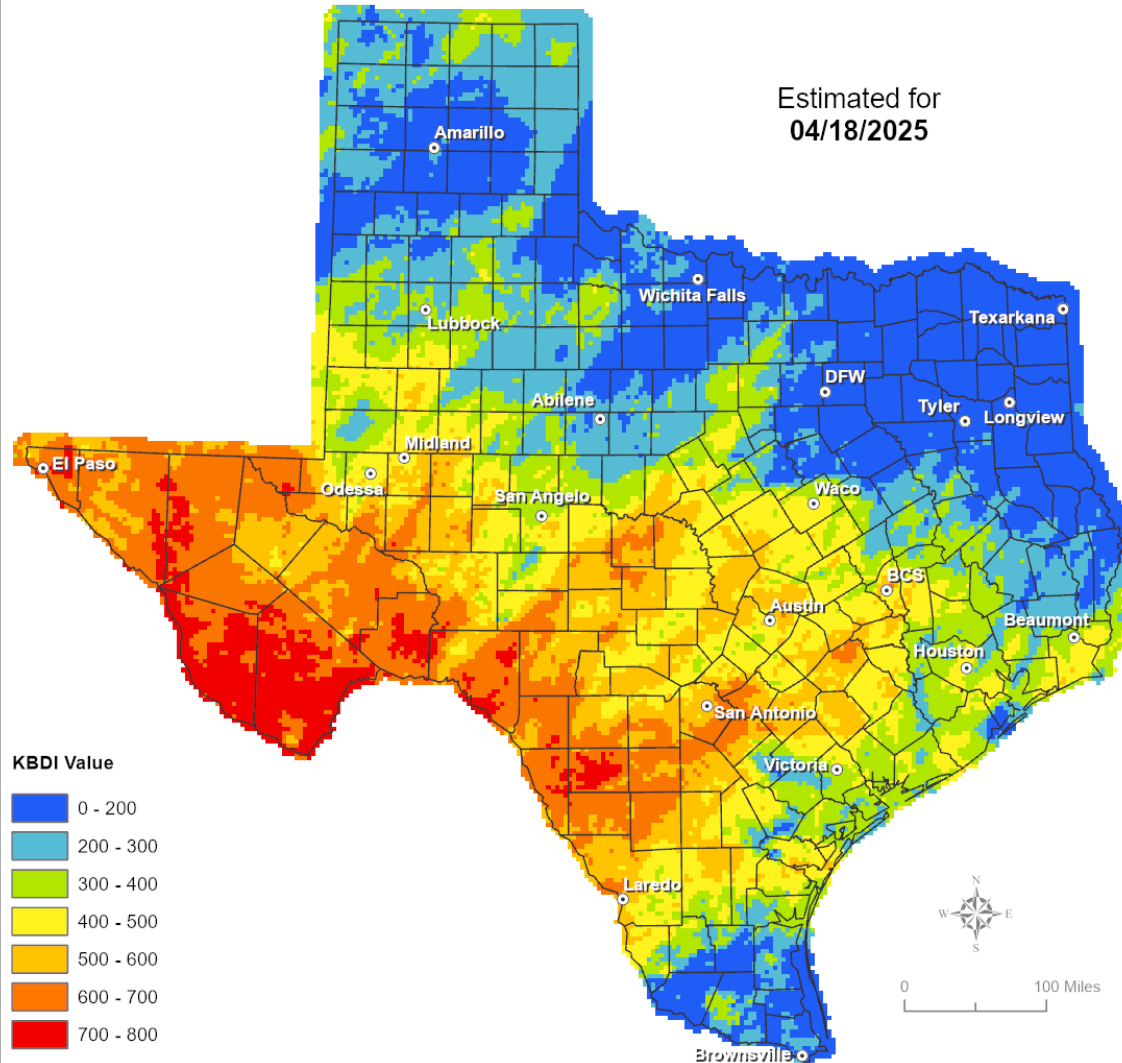
RED FLAG WARNINGS: [www.weather.gov](http://www.weather.gov)  
Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

# Keetch-Byram Drought Index

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(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for  
04/18/2025





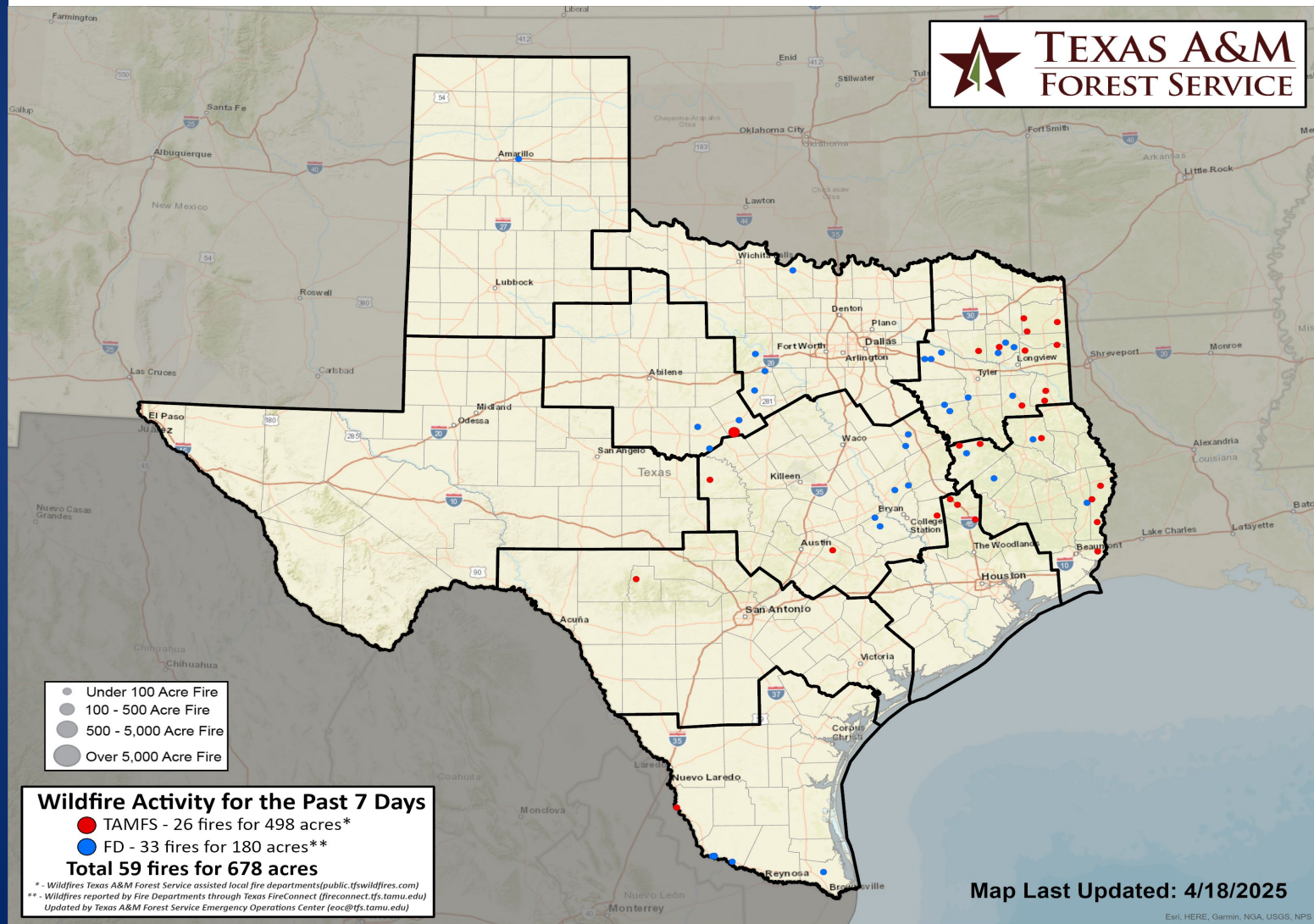
# Fire Weather

## Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/18/25	Red Flag Warning	Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Deaf Smith, Hockley, Lamb, Oldham, Parmer, Terry, Yoakum Counties
04/18/25	Fire Danger Statement	Lubbock and Lynn Counties
04/19/25	Red Flag Warning	Brewster, Crane, Culberson, Ector, Jeff Davis, Lea, Loving, Pecos, Presidio, Reeves, Terrell, Upton, Ward, and Winkler Counties

# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 320 (+6) fires and 74,711 (+45) acres have been burned this year. There are 110 (No Change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list contains 93 (+2) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

Dates		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
04/18/25	04/22/25	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Houston
04/18/25	04/27/25	Community Emergency Response Team Basic Training	G-317	Socorro

## Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
04/05/25	04/27/25	Dallas	Lone Star Classic
04/18/25	04/20/25	Arlington	MLB: 2025 Texas Rangers Game
04/18/25	04/23/25	Houston	MLB: 2025 Houston Astros Game
04/19/25	04/20/25	San Antonio	Fiesta Oyster Bake
04/19/25	14/19/25	Austin	NCAA 1 FBS: University of Texas Spring Pre-Season Football Game (Orange/White Game)