

# Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center

## Situation Awareness Brief



Thursday, July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
As of 0900 CDT

# Tropical Weather Awareness



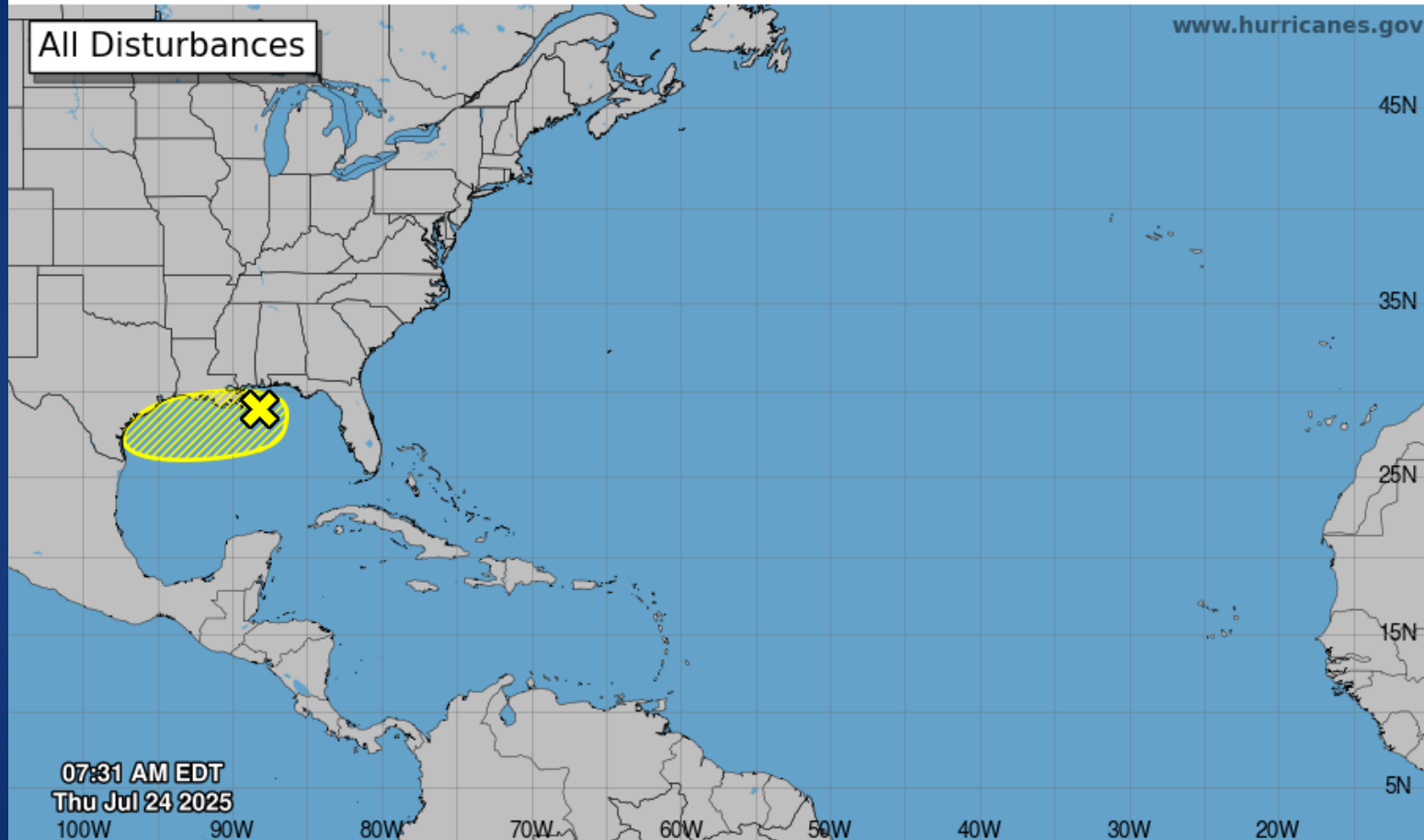
## Seven-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook

National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



[www.hurricanes.gov](http://www.hurricanes.gov)

All Disturbances



07:31 AM EDT  
Thu Jul 24 2025

Current Disturbances and Seven-Day Cyclone Formation Chance: < 40% 40-60% > 60%  
Tropical or Sub-Tropical Cyclone: Depression Storm Hurricane  
 Post-Tropical Cyclone or Remnants

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

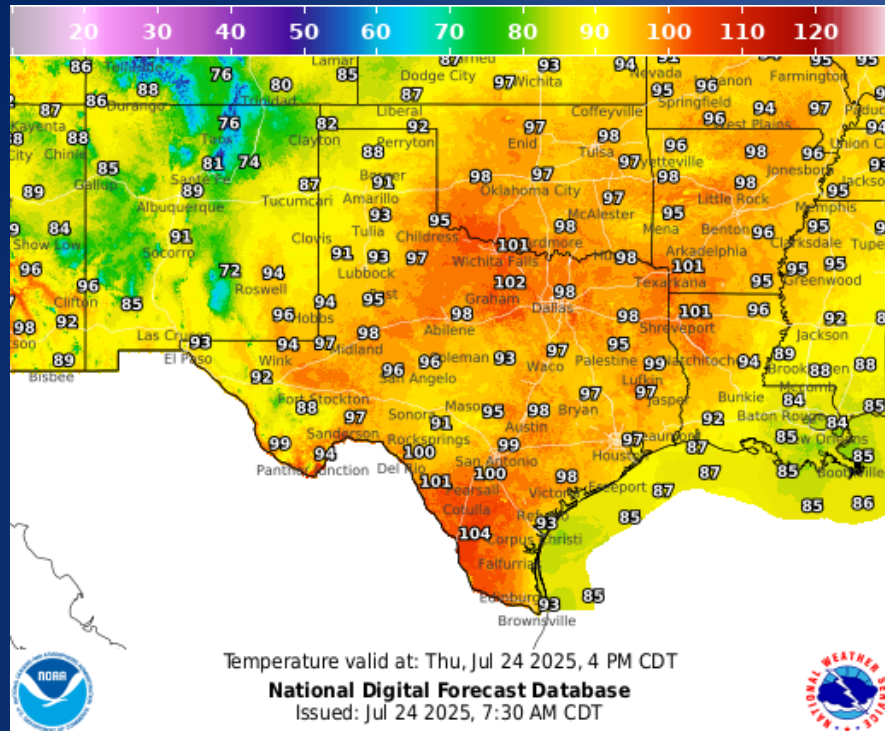
| DATE     | SUBJECT                              | LOCATION   |
|----------|--------------------------------------|--|
| 07/23/25 | Initial Report of a 9-1-1 Outage     | Cherokee, Gregg, Rains, Rusk, Upshur, and Van Zandt Counties |
| 07/23/25 | Final Report of a 9-1-1 Outage       | Cherokee, Gregg, Rain, Rusk, Upshur, and Van Zandt Counties  |
| 07/24/25 | Preliminary Earthquake Report (M3.6) | Dimmit County  |

# Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

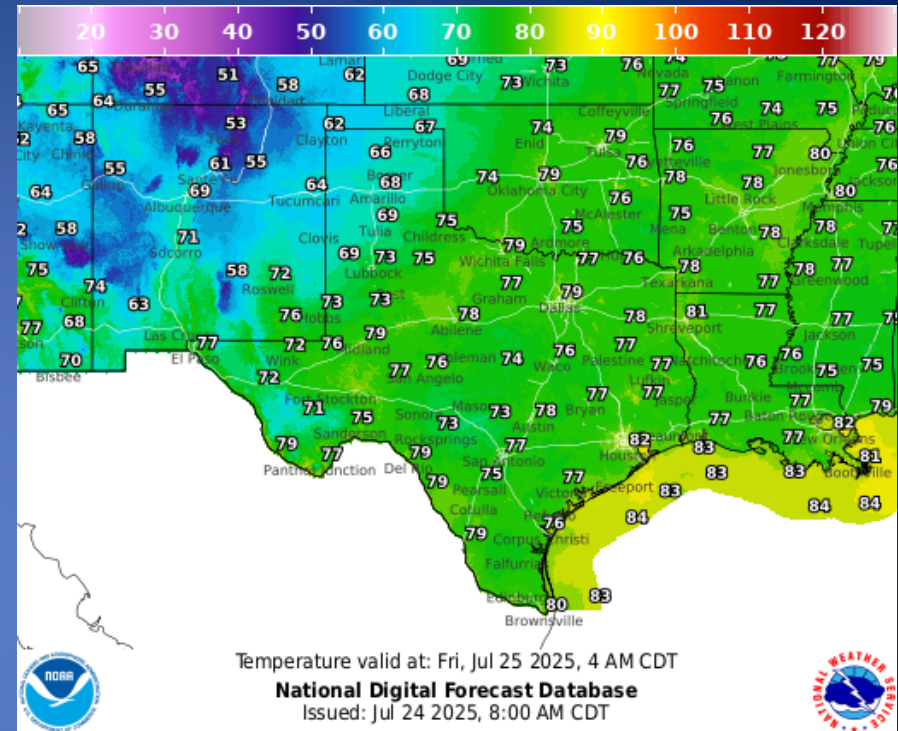
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| 07/23/25 | NWS Houston/Galveston: Tropical Update (7/23/25 at 9:30 am)             |
| 07/23/25 | NWS Brownsville: Tropical Weather Outlook Wednesday July 23, 2025       |
| 07/23/25 | NWS Corpus Christi: Tropical Weather Update   Wednesday 07-23-2025      |
| 07/23/25 | NWS Austin/San Antonio: NWS Update - Tropical Update 7/23               |
| 07/23/25 | NWS West Gulf RFC: Monitoring for Minor River Impacts This Weekend      |
| 07/23/25 | NWS Lake Charles, LA: NWS Hazardous Weather Briefing                    |
| 07/23/25 | NWS Austin/San Antonio: Review of the June 11-12 <sup>th</sup> Flooding |
| 07/23/25 | National Hurricane Center Tropical Weather Outlook 07:00 PM CDT         |
| 07/24/25 | NWS El Paso Hazards Outlook for July 24, 2025                           |
| 07/24/25 | NWS Lake Charles Hazardous Weather Briefing 7/24/25                     |
| 07/24/25 | National Hurricane Center Tropical Weather Outlook 7:00 AM CDT          |
| 07/24/25 | NWS Houston/Galveston: Tropical Update (7/24/25 at 7am)                 |
| 07/24/25 | Daily NWS Threat Brief for FEMA Region 6                                |



# Weather Forecast

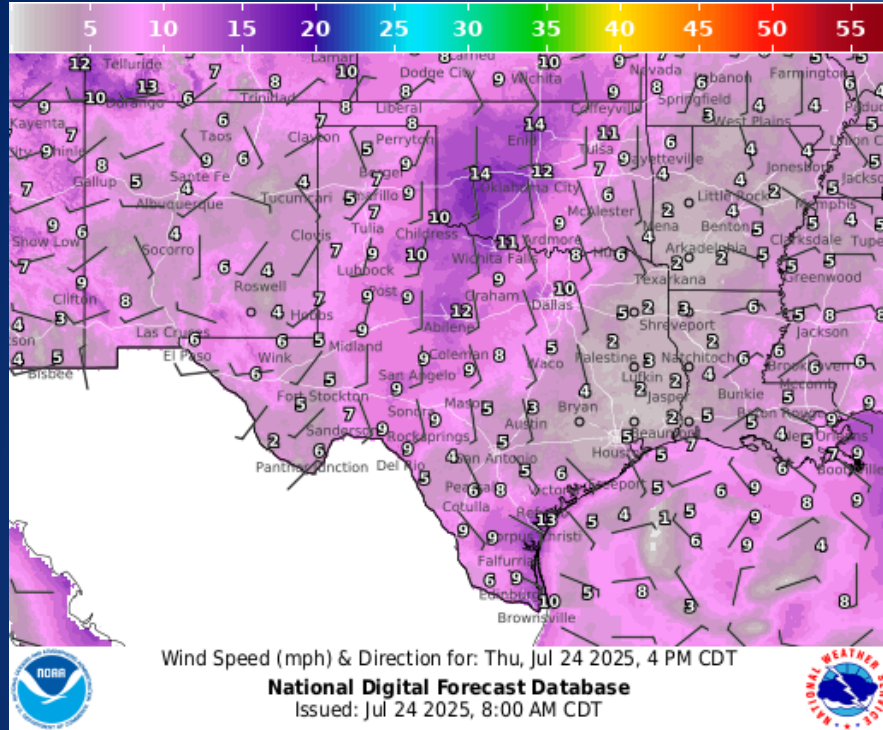


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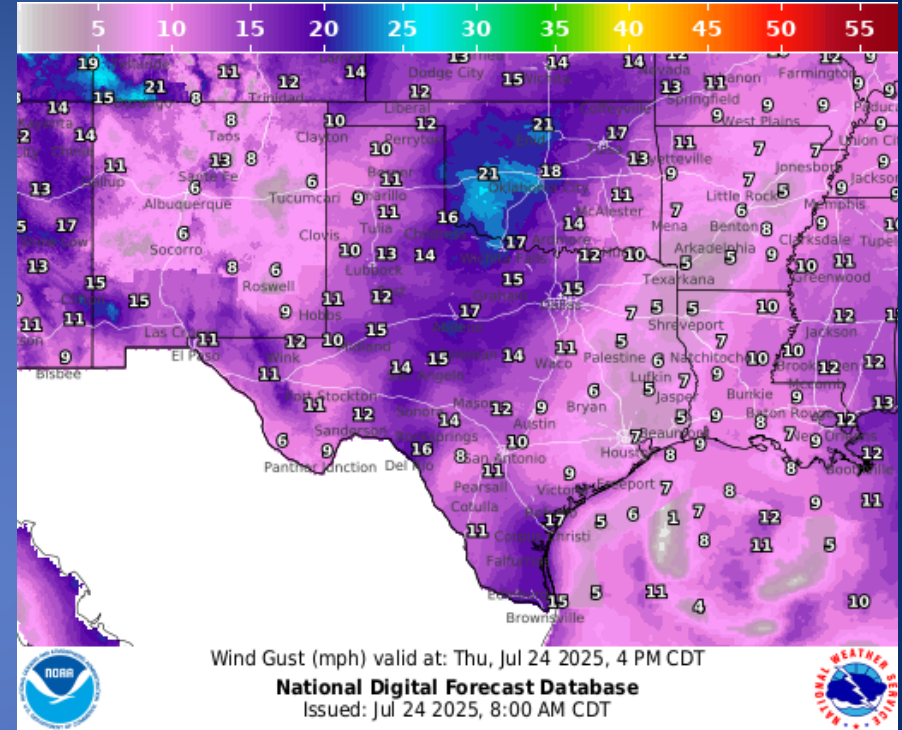


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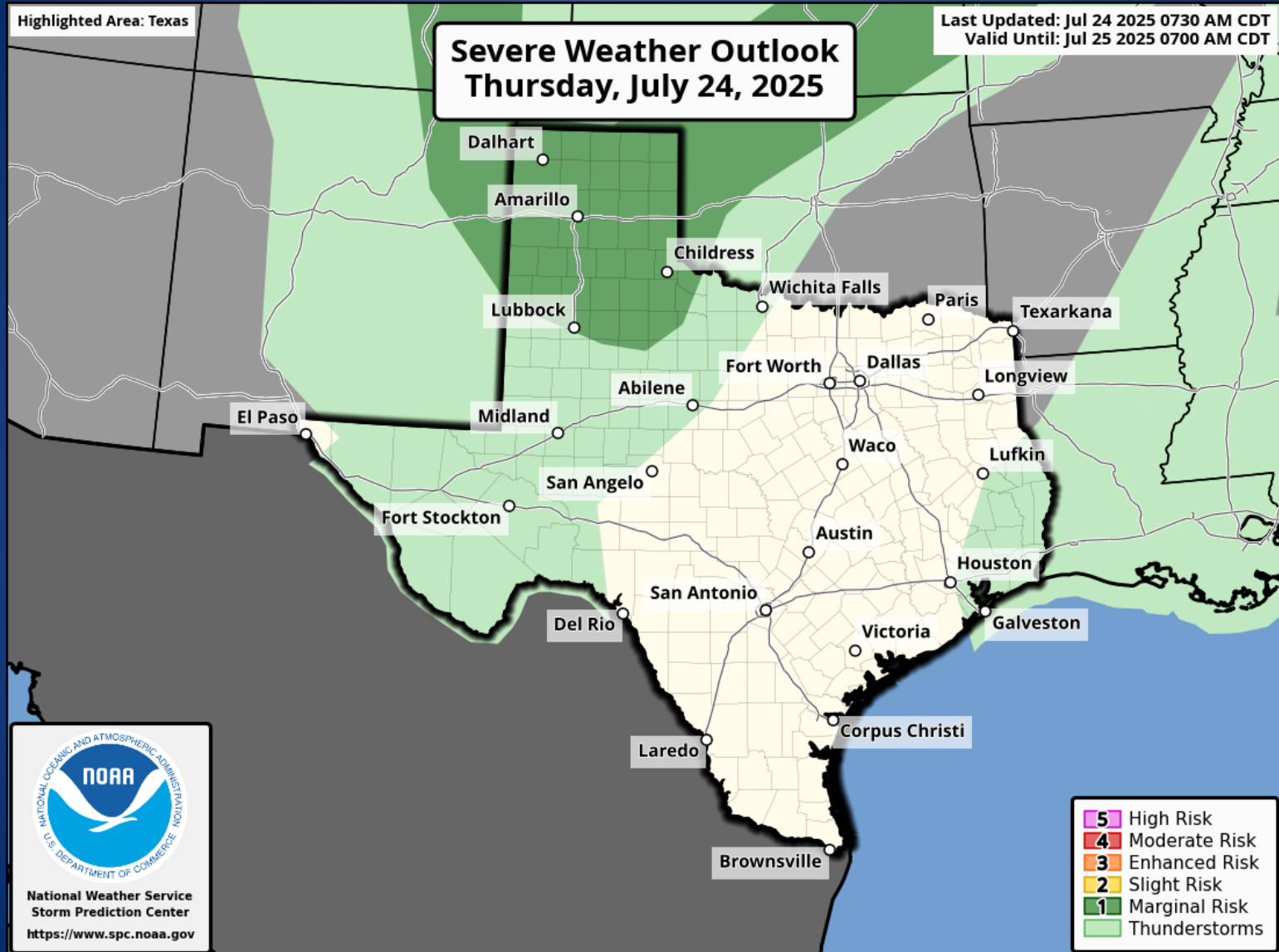


## Wind Speeds



## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather

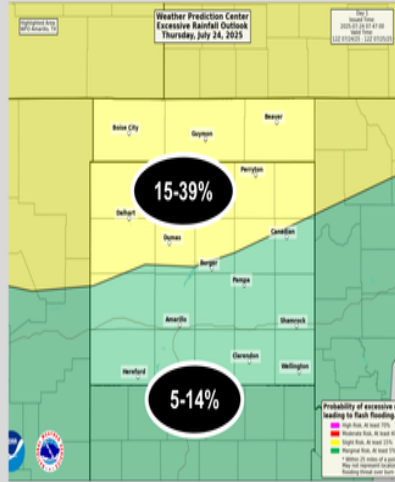




# Hazardous Weather

## Localized Heavy Rainfall Today

### Probability of Flooding due to Excessive Rainfall



Another round of showers and thunderstorms during late afternoon into the overnight hours. Heavy rain from these storms will allow for a low chance for flooding.

### Potential Hazards



1" - 2" Inch/hr Rain Rates



Strong Thunderstorms



Localized Flash Flooding

If you encounter a flooded roadway, remember:  
**Turn Around Don't Drown!**  
Stay up to date with the latest forecast updates!



National Weather Service Amarillo

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Updated: Thu Jul 24, 2025 3:01 AM

Showers and storms are looking to be more scattered to widespread today. Torrential rain is likely with any storm. This will increase the chances of localized flash flooding across the Panhandles.

## Heat Advisory Today

Issued Thu Jul 24, 2025 3:03 AM

Through 9 pm



Portions of North and East Texas

### Heat Index

"Feels Like" Temps



Up to 107°F

Afternoon Highs: 97° to 102°

### What To Do



Drink plenty of water, even if not thirsty.



Take frequent breaks in shade or A/C.



Wear light-colored, breathable clothing.



**NEVER** leave kids or pets in vehicles.



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National Weather Service - Fort Worth, TX

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Heat Advisory AREA

A Heat Advisory is in effect through 9 pm this evening. Expect heat index values up to 107 with temperatures of 97 to 102 degrees. To beat the heat, drink plenty of water, limit time outside to the cooler part of the day, and know and recognize the symptoms of heat illness.



# Hazardous Weather

## Heat Advisory Thurs.

HeatRisk: Moderate

1 PM to 8 PM Thursday

### Forecast

- **High Temps:** Upper 90s to low 100s
- **Heat Index:** 105 to 110F
- **Alerts In Effect:**
  - ◆ **Heat Advisory** for most of the area.



Stay hydrated



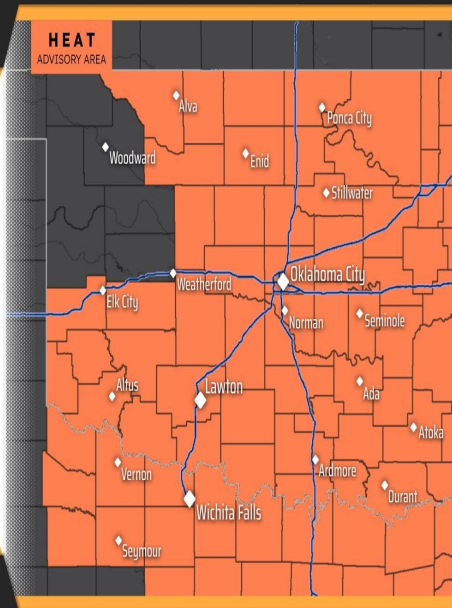
Limit strenuous time outdoors in the afternoon



If you have AC, use it. Fans may not be adequate



Wear light-weight, light-colored clothing



NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE  
NORMAN, OKLAHOMA

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Updated: July 24, 2025 12:41 AM

**A Heat Advisory is in effect from 1 PM through 8 PM Thursday across most of the area. Temperatures will be in the upper 90s to lower triple digits with heat indices of up to 105 to 110 degrees.**

## Heat Advisory Continues

HeatRisk: Major

Through 8 PM CDT Thursday

### Forecast

- **High Temps:** Upper 90s to Lower 100s
- **Heat Index:** 105°-109°
- **Alerts In Effect:**
  - ◆ **Heat Advisory** for Southeast Oklahoma, Southwest Arkansas, Northeast Texas and Northern Louisiana.



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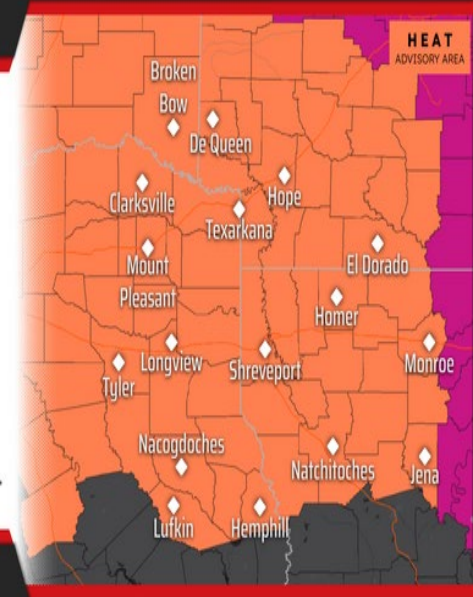
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National Weather Service - Shreveport, LA

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Updated: Thu Jul 24, 2025 1:09 AM

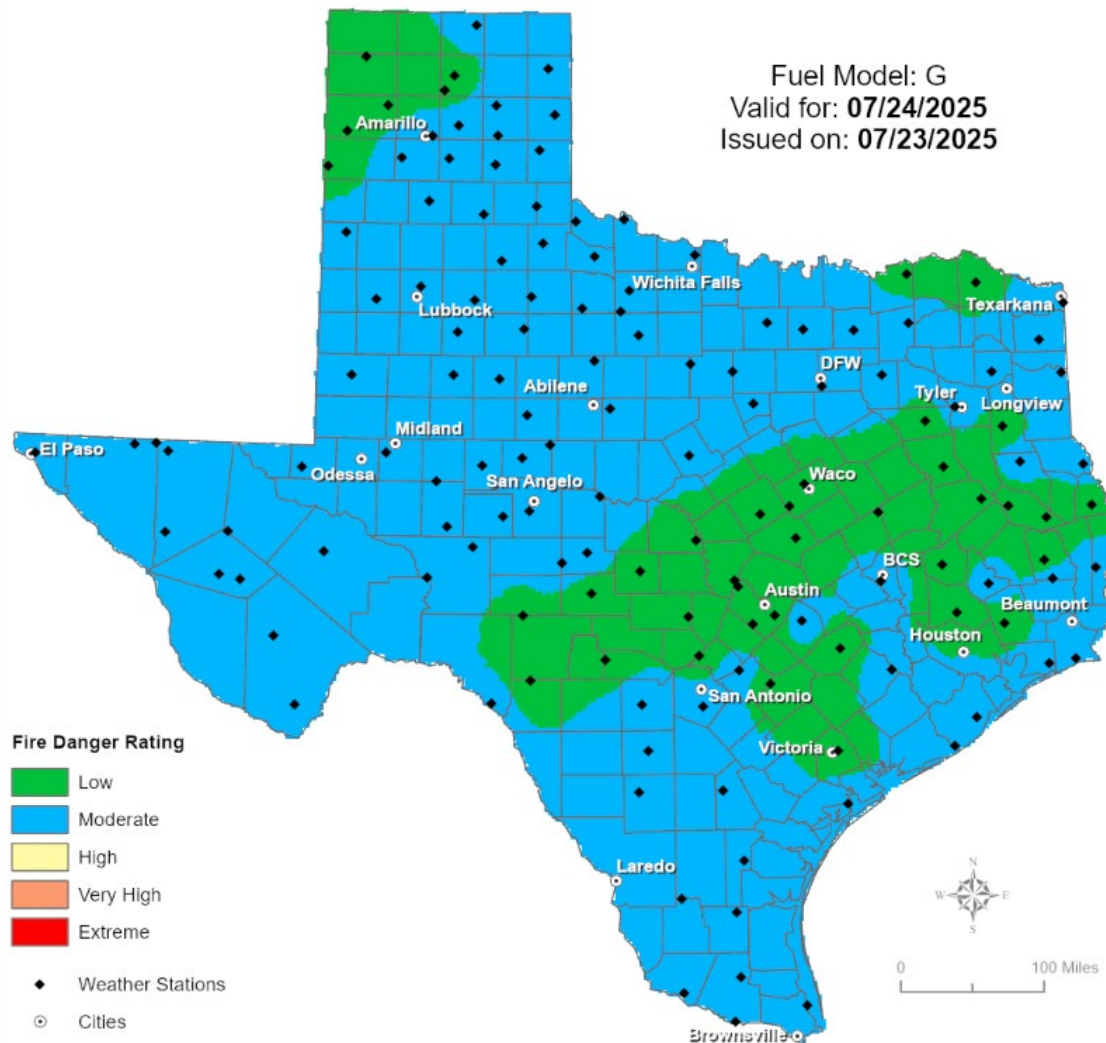
**A Heat Advisory continues today through 8 pm this evening for North & Central Louisiana, Southwest Arkansas, Southeast Oklahoma and East Texas. The very hot temperatures, when combined with the humidity, will result in heat indices of 105-109 degrees over the Advisory area. Please use caution if outdoors, by drinking plenty of water and taking frequent breaks.**

# Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

| DATE     | WARNING TYPE                | LOCATION   |
|----------|-----------------------------|--|
| 07/23/25 | Heat Advisory               | Anderson, Angelina, Bowie, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Collin, Cooke, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Ellis, Fannin, Franklin, Freestone, Grayson, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Hopkins, Hunt, Jack, Kaufman, Lamar, Leon, Marion, Montague, Morris, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Rains, Red River, Rockwall, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, Shelby, Smith, Tarrant, Titus, Upshur, Van Zandt, Wise, Wood, and Young Counties |
| 07/23/25 | Special Weather Statement   | Armstrong, Brewster, Carson, Crane, Donley, Gray, Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Pecos, Roberts, Sherman, Upton, and Wheeler Counties  |
| 07/23/25 | Severe Thunderstorm Warning | Lipscomb County  |
| 07/23/25 | Flash Flood Warning         | Jeff Davis, Pecos, and Reeves Counties   |
| 07/23/25 | Airport Weather Warning     | Potter and Randall Counties  |
| 07/24/25 | Special Weather Statement   | Bee, Duval, Goliad, Jim Wells, Kleberg, Live Oak, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio, and Victoria Counties   |

# Fire Danger Forecast

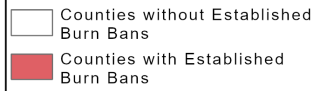
## Forecast Fire Danger



# Burn Ban

## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

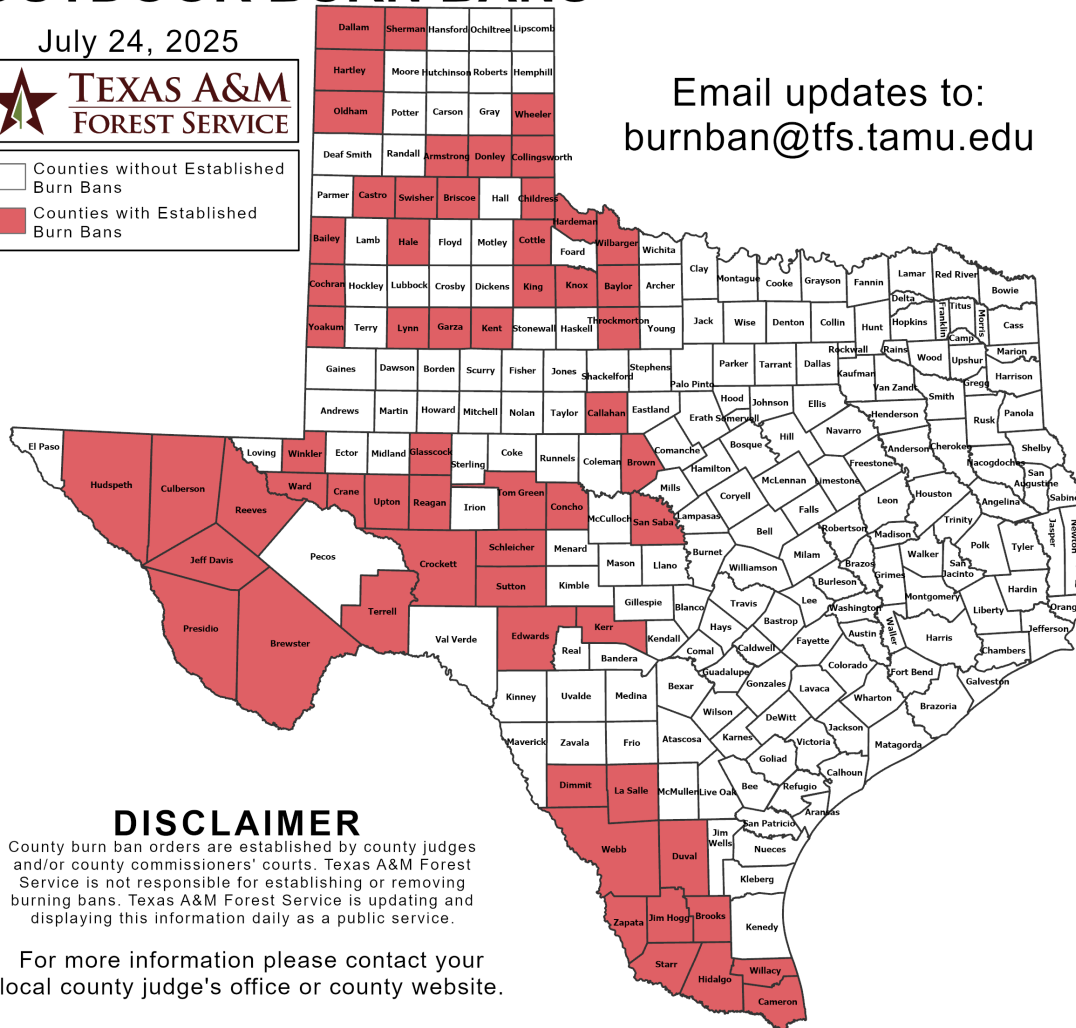
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Email updates to:  
[burnban@tfs.tamu.edu](mailto:burnban@tfs.tamu.edu)

### Counties with Burn Bans: 60

|               |            |              |
|---------------|------------|--------------|
| Armstrong     | Donley     | Reagan       |
| Bailey        | Duval      | Reeves       |
| Baylor        | Edwards    | San Saba     |
| Brewster      | Garza      | Schleicher   |
| Briscoe       | Glasscock  | Sherman      |
| Brooks        | Hale       | Starr        |
| Brown         | Hardeman   | Sutton       |
| Callahan      | Hartley    | Swisher      |
| Cameron       | Hidalgo    | Terrell      |
| Castro        | Hudspeth   | Throckmorton |
| Childress     | Jeff Davis | Tom Green    |
| Cochran       | Jim Hogg   | Upton        |
| Collingsworth | Kent       | Ward         |
| Concho        | Kerr       | Webb         |
| Cottle        | King       | Wheeler      |
| Crane         | Knox       | Wilbarger    |
| Crockett      | La Salle   | Willacy      |
| Culberson     | Lynn       | Winkler      |
| Dallam        | Oldham     | Yoakum       |
| Dimmit        | Presidio   | Zapata       |



### 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 [tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/](http://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/)

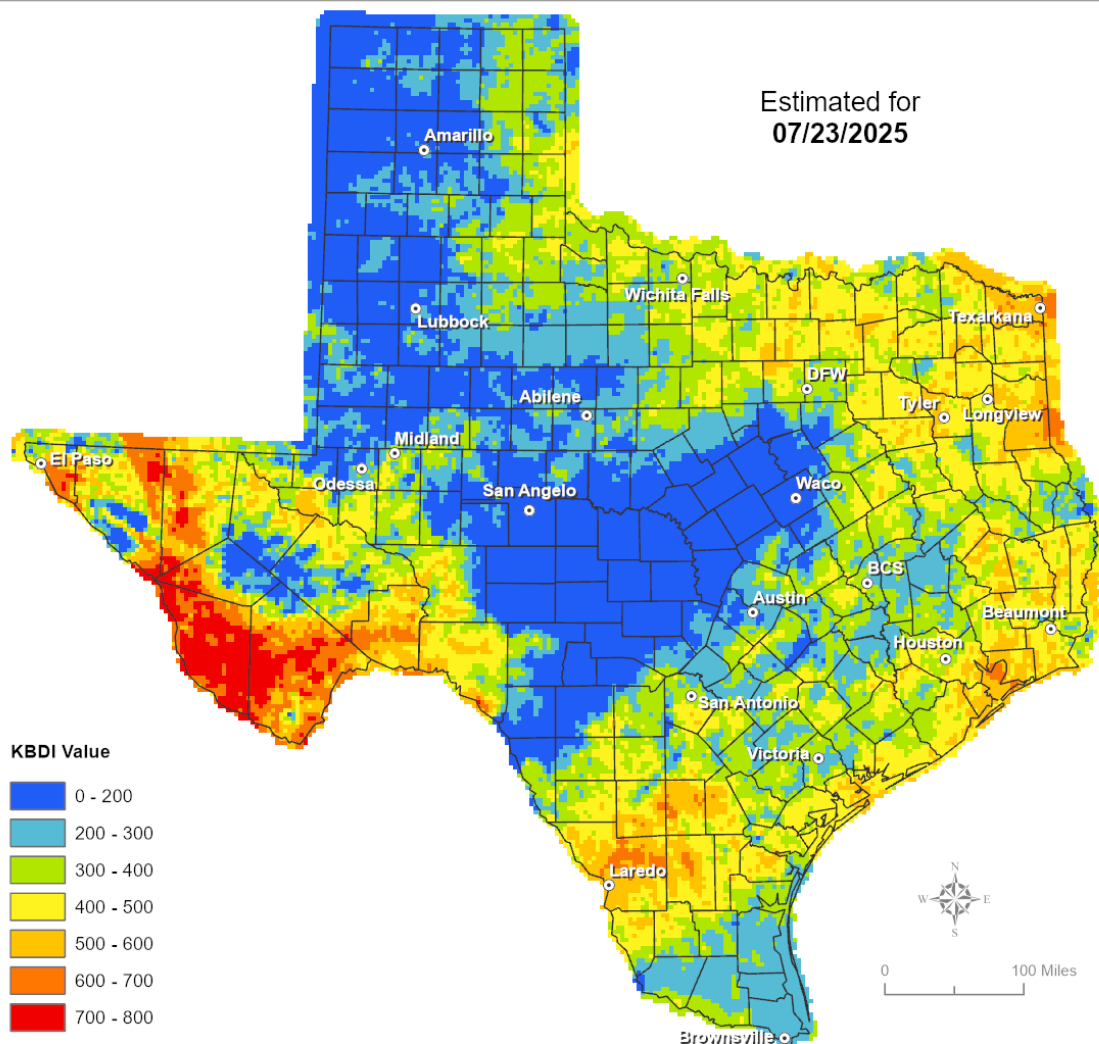


# Keetch-Byram Drought Index

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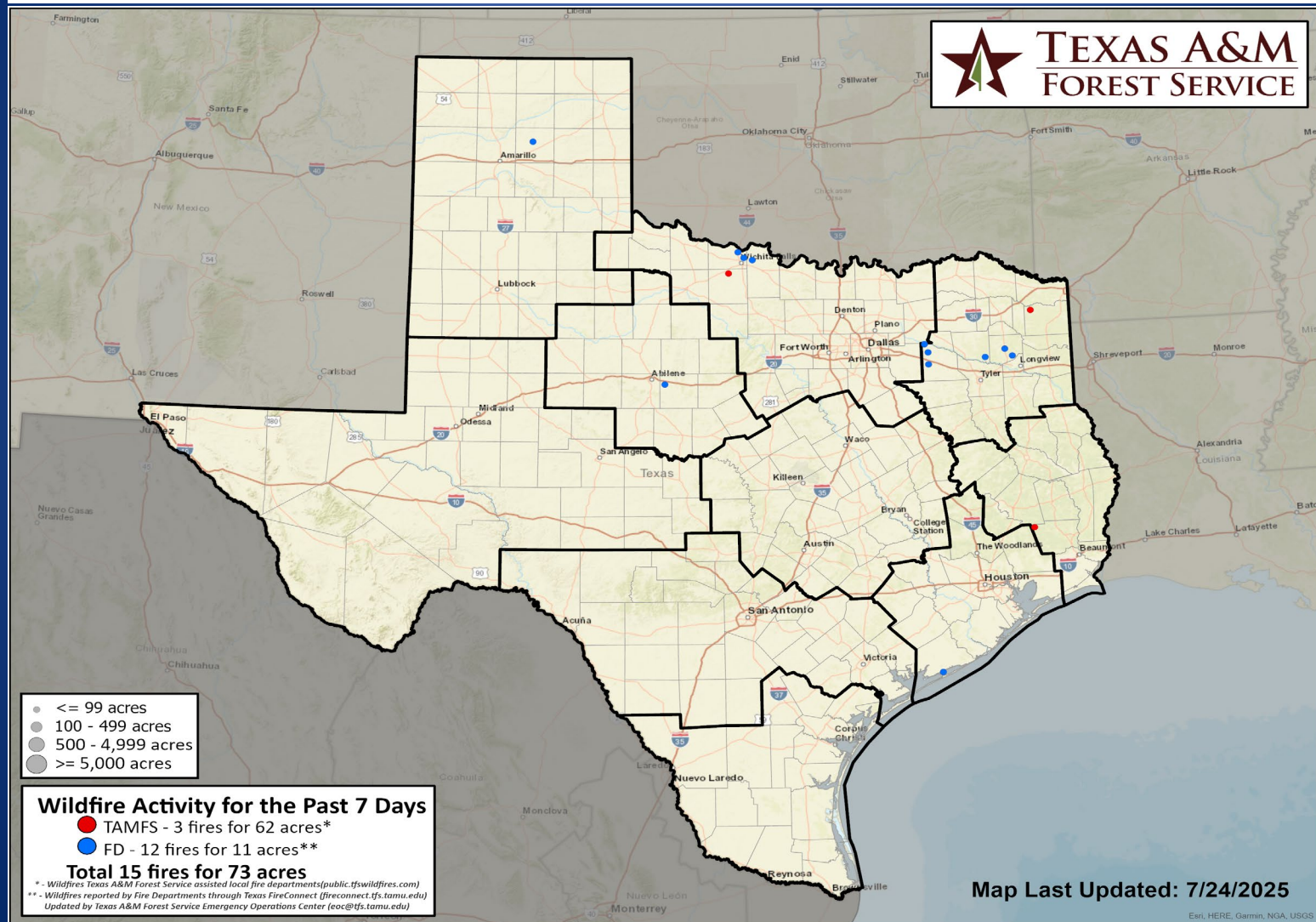
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Estimated for  
07/23/2025



# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 356 (No Change) fires and 85,221 (No Change) acres have been burned this year. There are 60 (No Change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list contains 63 (+4) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

| DATES    |          | TITLE   | COURSE    | LOCATION |
|----------|----------|---|-----------|----------|
| 07/21/25 | 07/25/25 | Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents              | G-300     | McAllen  |
| 07/23/25 | 07/24/25 | Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP) Training Course | L-146     | Abilene  |
| 07/23/25 | 07/24/25 | Incident Management Team Situation Leader GIS, Introduction               | T-PUB7001 | Austin   |
| 07/24/25 | 07/25/25 | Advanced Incident Command System for Complex Incidents                    | G-400     | McAllen  |
| 07/24/25 | 07/24/25 | Rapid Needs Assessment  | G-557     | Uvalde   |

# Statewide Significant Events

| DATES    |          | LOCATION | EVENT                       |
|----------|----------|----------|-----------------------------|
| 07/24/25 | 07/24/25 | Houston  | 2025 Houston Astros Game 53 |

# Exercises

| DATES    |          | LOCATION   | TYPE: EXERCISE NAME               |
|----------|----------|--|-----------------------------------|
| 07/21/25 | 07/25/25 | City of Los<br>Fresnos<br>City of Laredo<br>City of San Juan<br>Rio Grande City<br>City of<br>Raymondville | Tabletop: Operation Border Health |