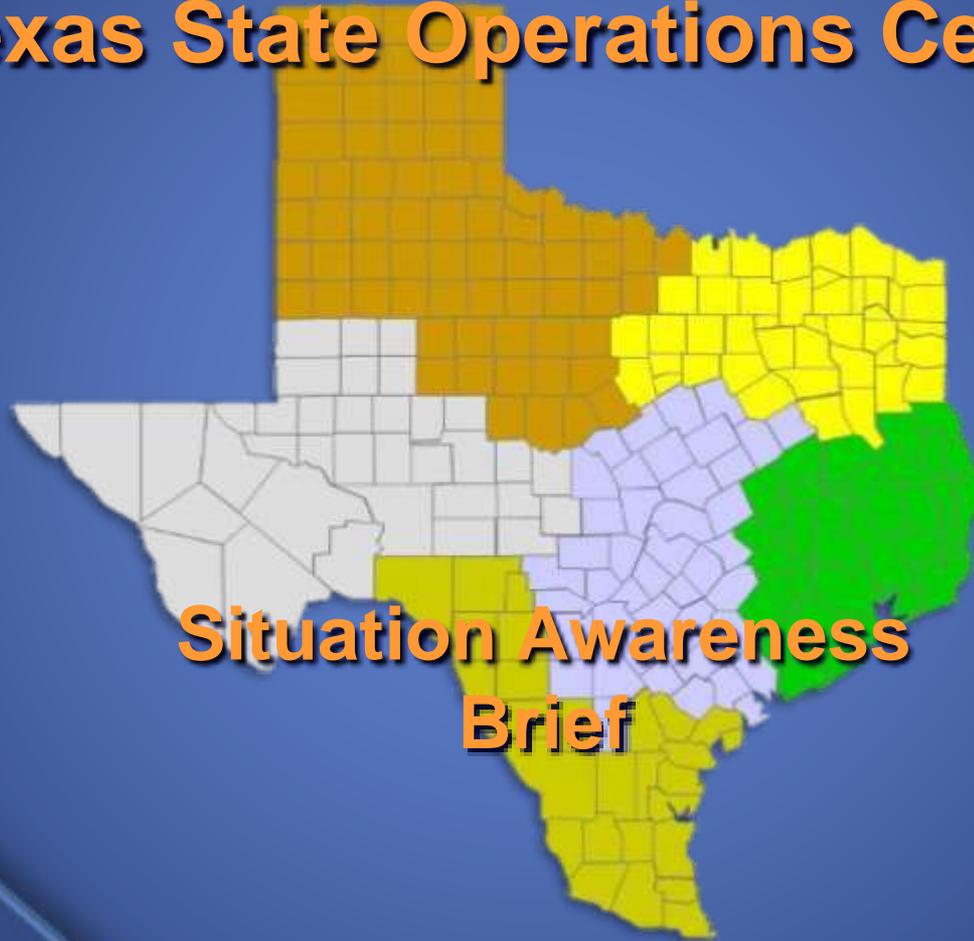


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Situation Awareness Brief



Thursday, April 2nd 2020
As of 0900 CST

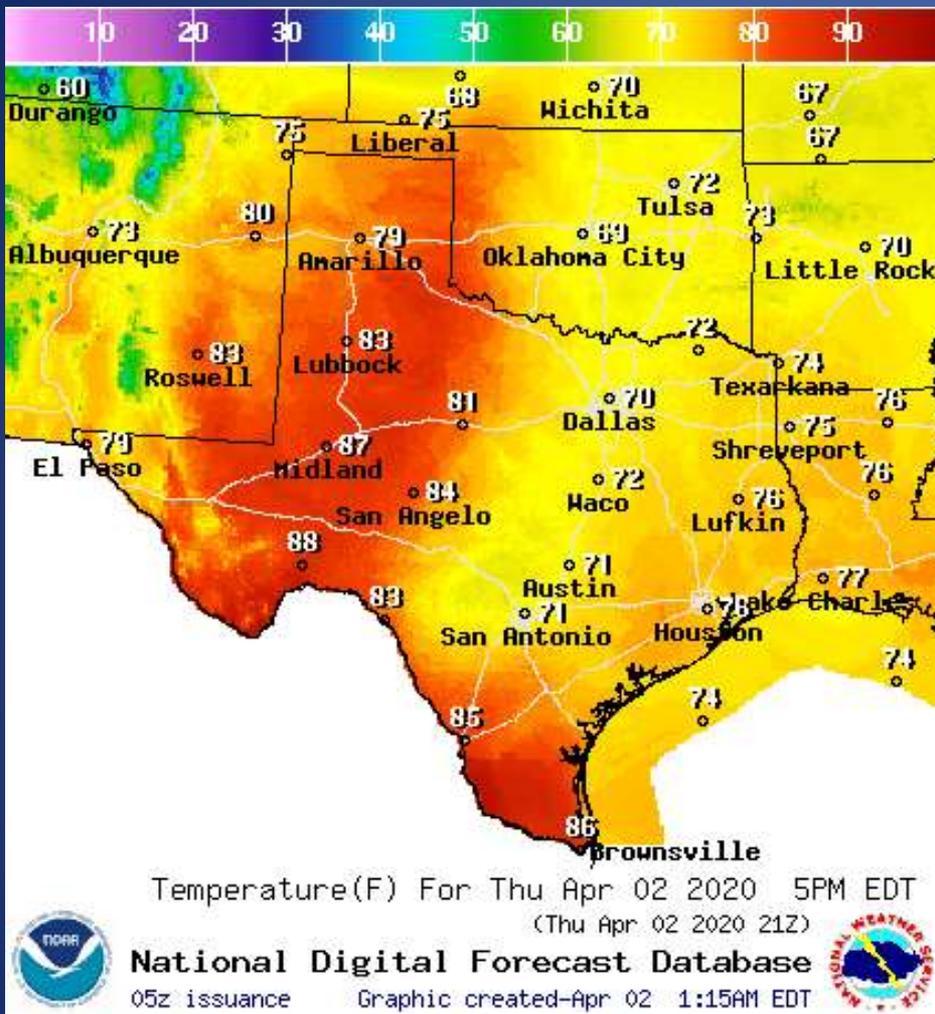
Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
04/01/20	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M2.9)	Culberson County	Y

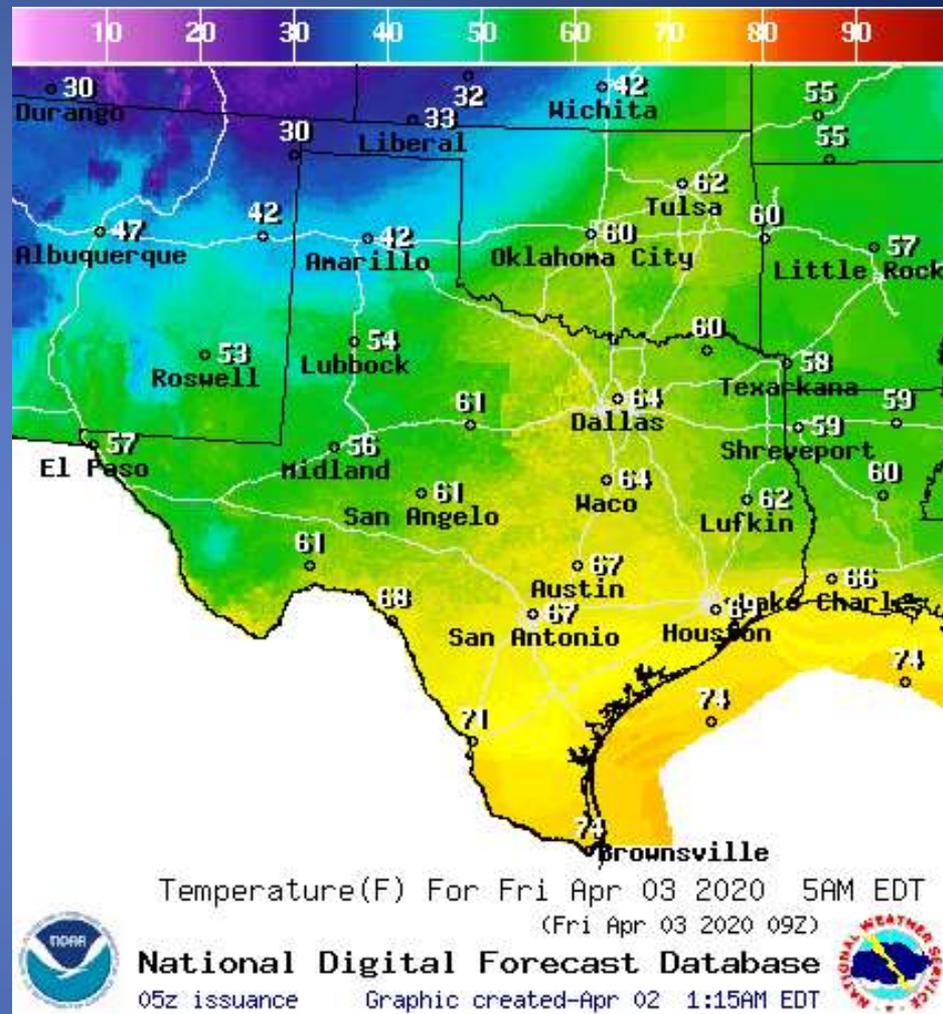
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DATE	SUBJECT
04/01/20	NWS Houston: Weather Update - Showers and Storms Friday Night Into Saturday
04/02/20	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Thursday, April 2, 2020 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

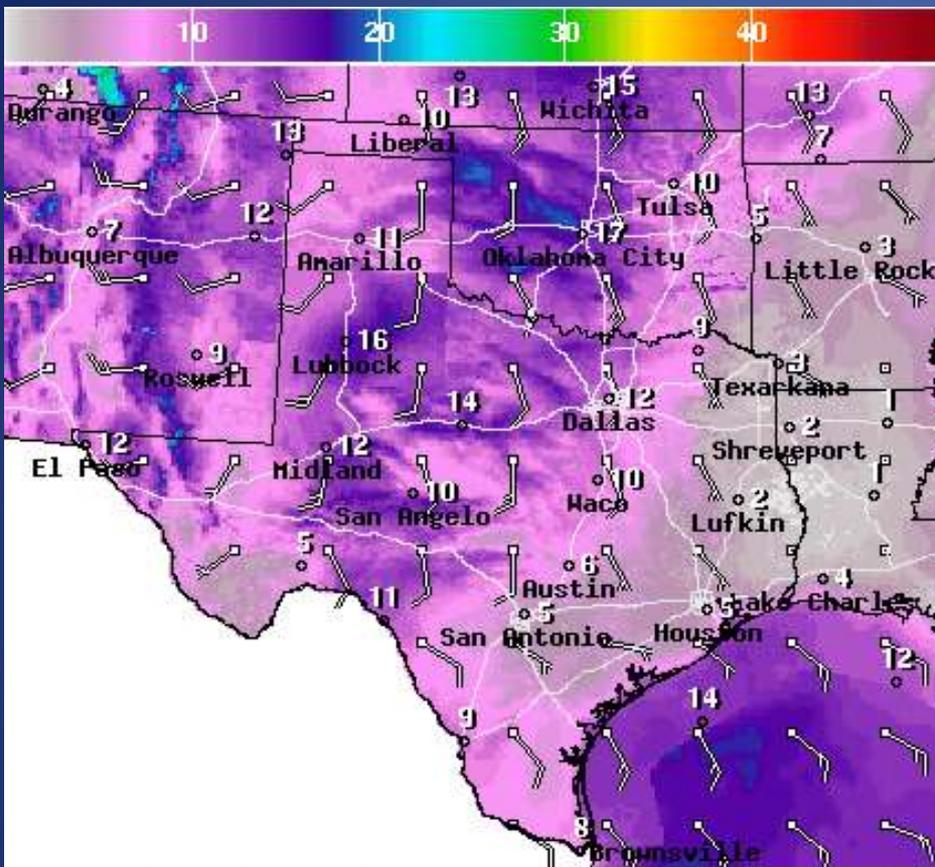


Highs



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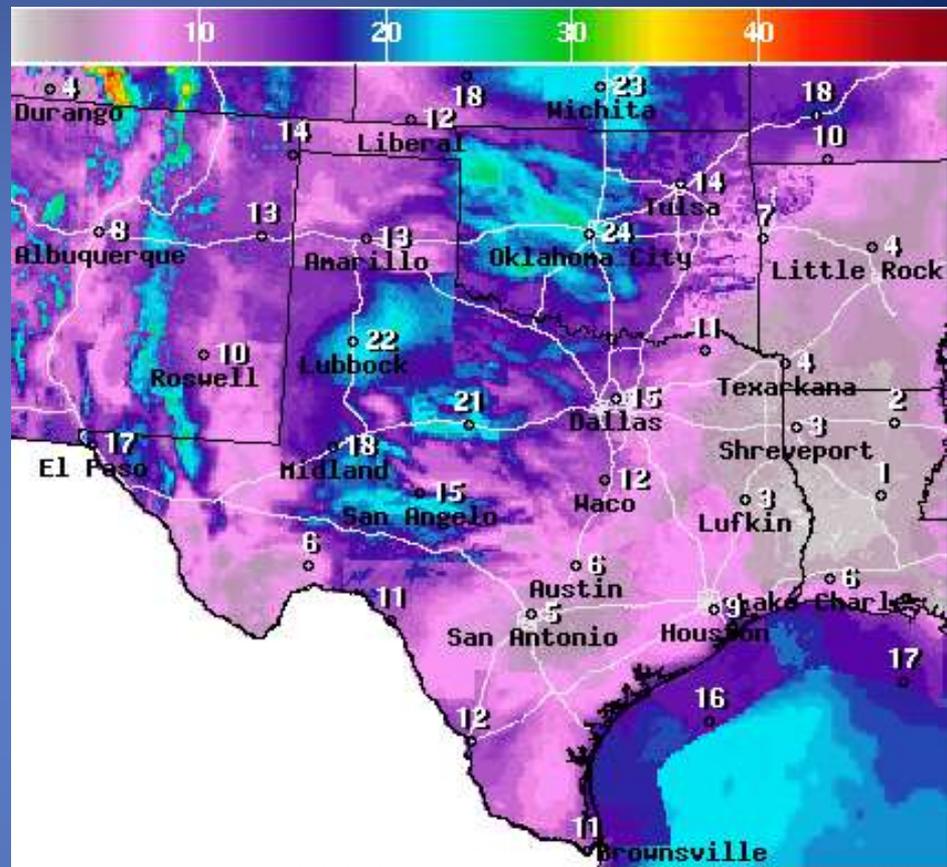
Weather Forecast



WindSpd(Kts) & WindDir For Thu Apr 02 2020 5AM EDT
(Thu Apr 02 2020 09Z)


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Wind Speeds



Wind Gust(Kts) Thu Apr 02 2020 5AM EDT
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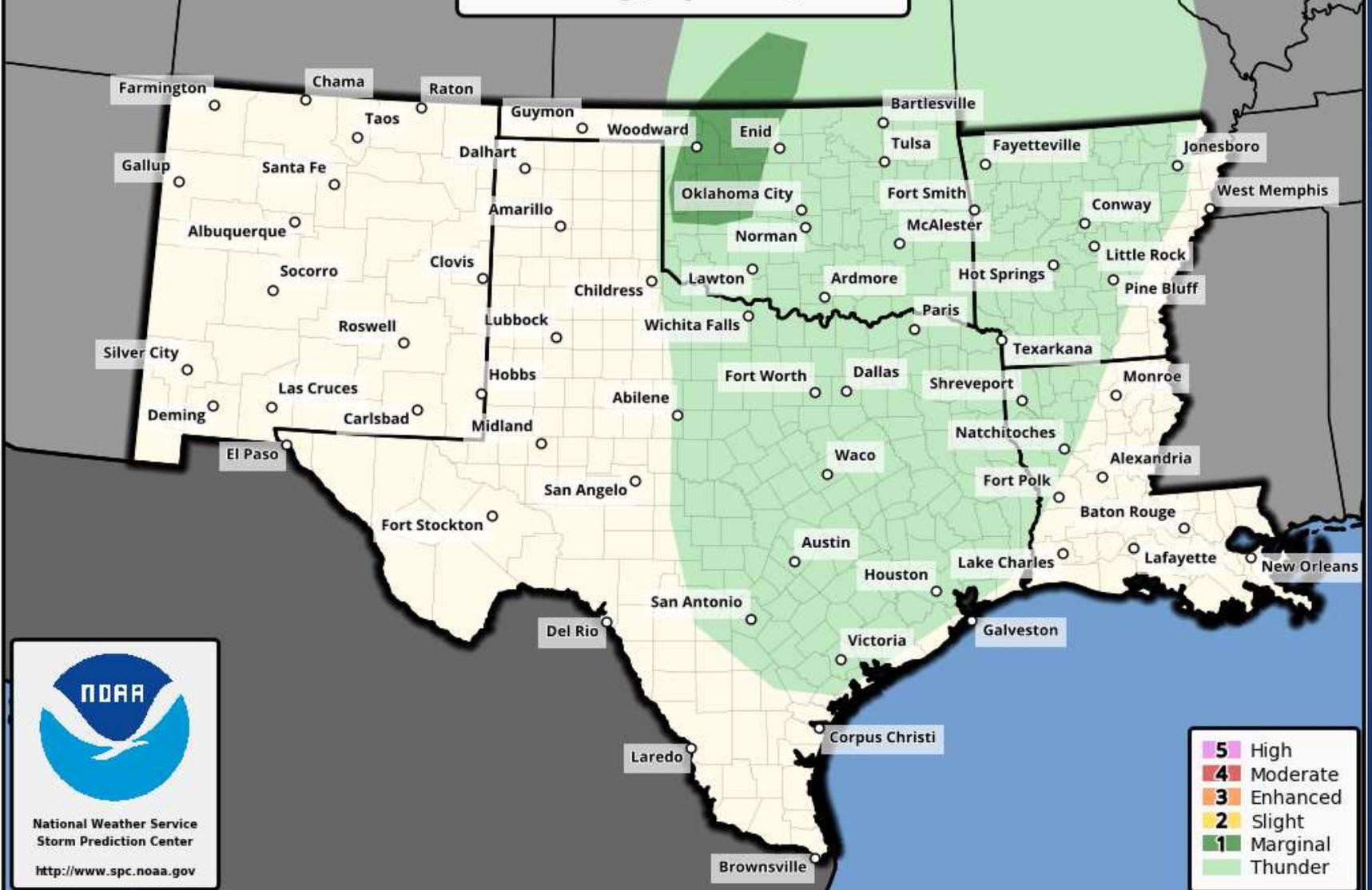
Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: Apr 02 2020 1243 AM CDT
Valid Until: Apr 03 2020 0700 AM CDT

Severe Weather Outlook Thursday, April 02, 2020



Hazardous Weather

Today: Elevated Fire Weather Conditions

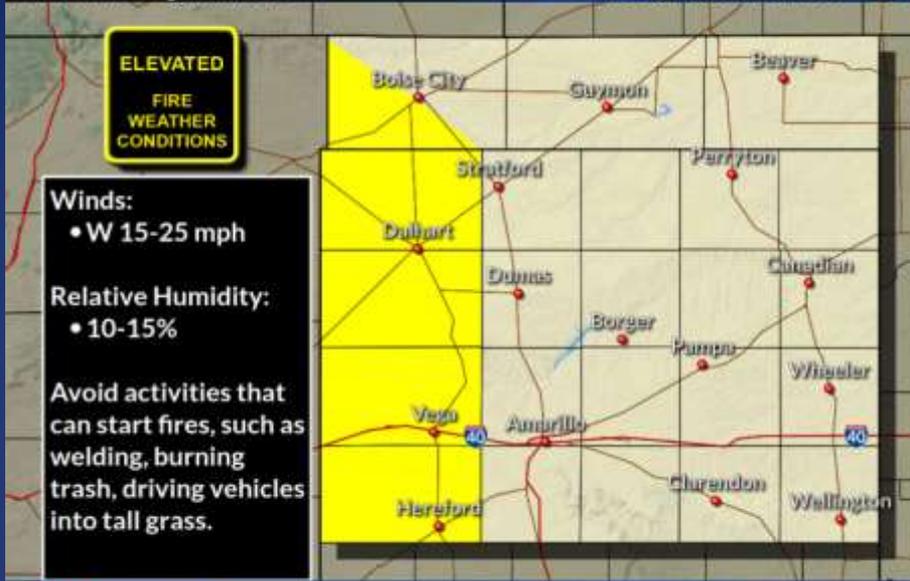
Weather Forecast Office

Amarillo, TX



Fire Prevention Begins with You!

Issued Apr 02, 2020 4:16 AM CDT



NWSAmarillo

weather.gov/ama

Elevated fire weather conditions are expected this afternoon across the western Panhandles. West winds at 15 to 25 mph will combine with low relative humidity and dry grasses to lead to conditions conducive for fire starts.

Elevated Fire Danger

Weather Forecast Office

Midland/Odessa, TX



This Afternoon

Issued April 2, 2020 12:53 AM CT



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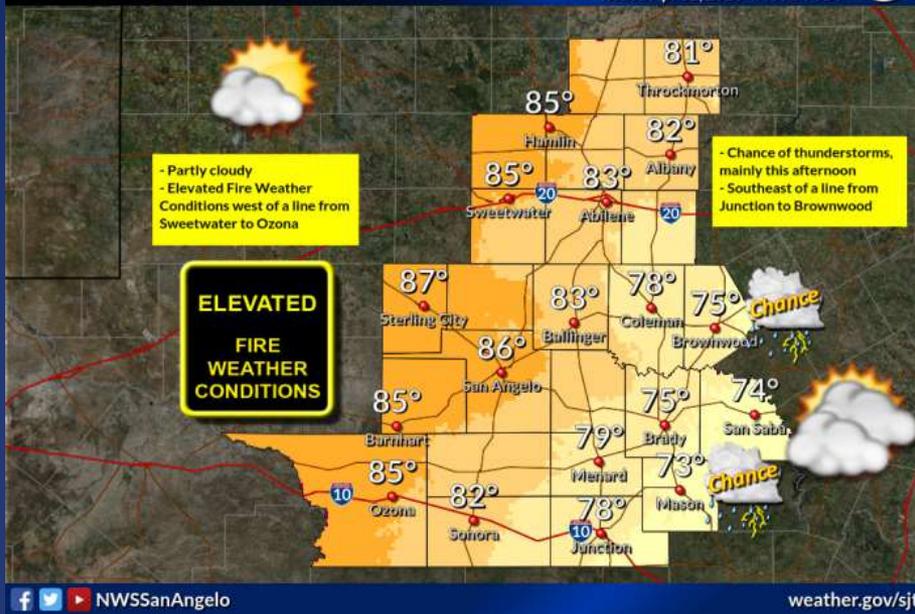
weather.gov/mal

A Fire Danger Statement has been issued for this afternoon for the Guadalupe and Delaware Mountains... as well as the plains of Southeast New Mexico and Culberson county.

Hazardous Weather

Warm Day Ahead

Weather Forecast Office
San Angelo, TX
Issued Apr 02, 2020 4:43 AM CDT



Much of the area will see highs in the 70s and 80s today. Across the Hill Country, some showers and thunderstorms are possible, mainly in the afternoon. None of these storms are expected to become severe. For the Trans-Pecos area and western Concho Valley, elevated fire weather conditions are expected. Outdoor burning is not advised in these areas today.

CRITICAL FIRE CONDITIONS THIS AFTERNOON

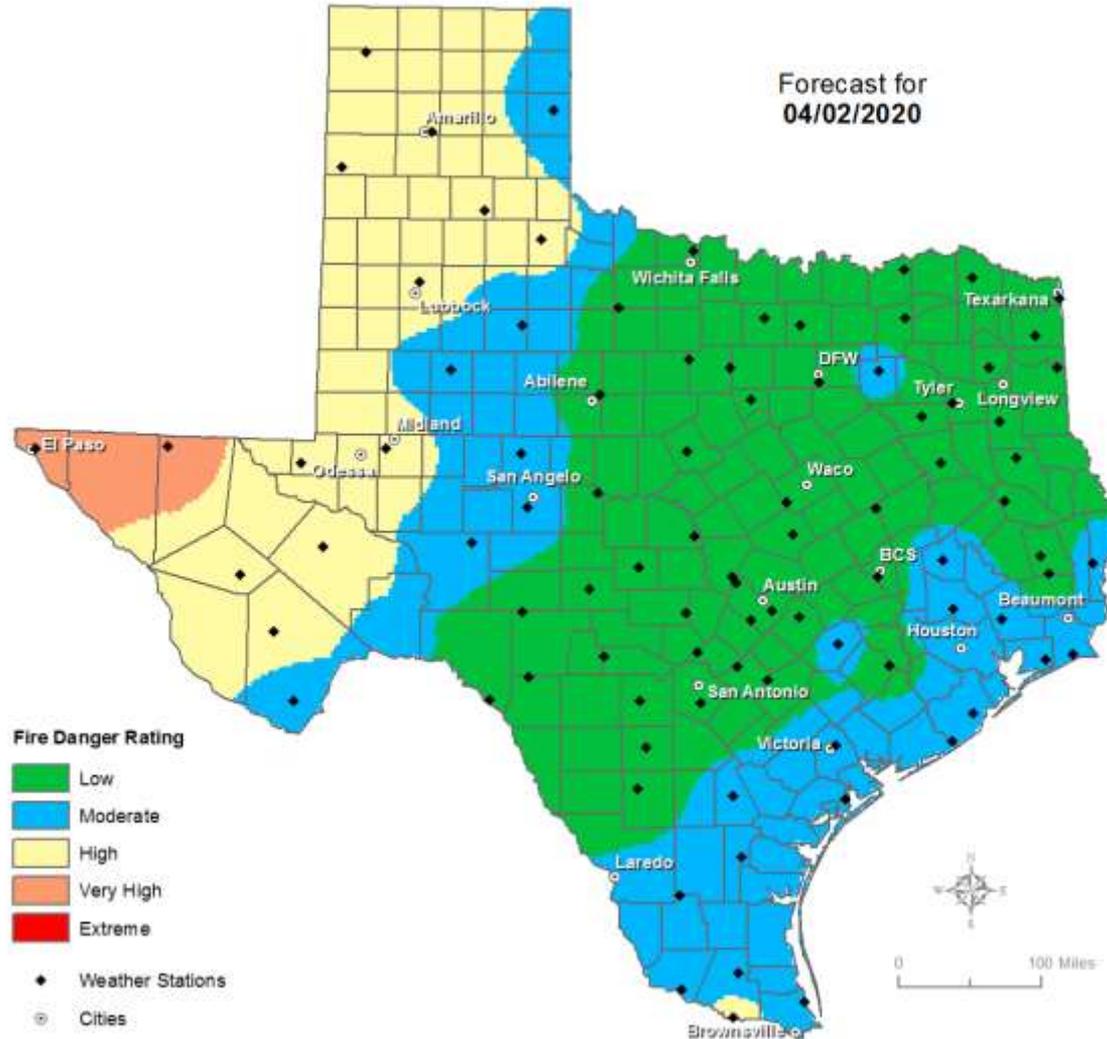
Weather Forecast Office
El Paso, TX
Issued Apr 02, 2020 4:59 AM MDT



The combination of strong winds...low humidity and a high fire danger will create critical fire conditions this afternoon. Outdoor burning should be avoided.

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger



Burn Ban

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

April 01, 2020

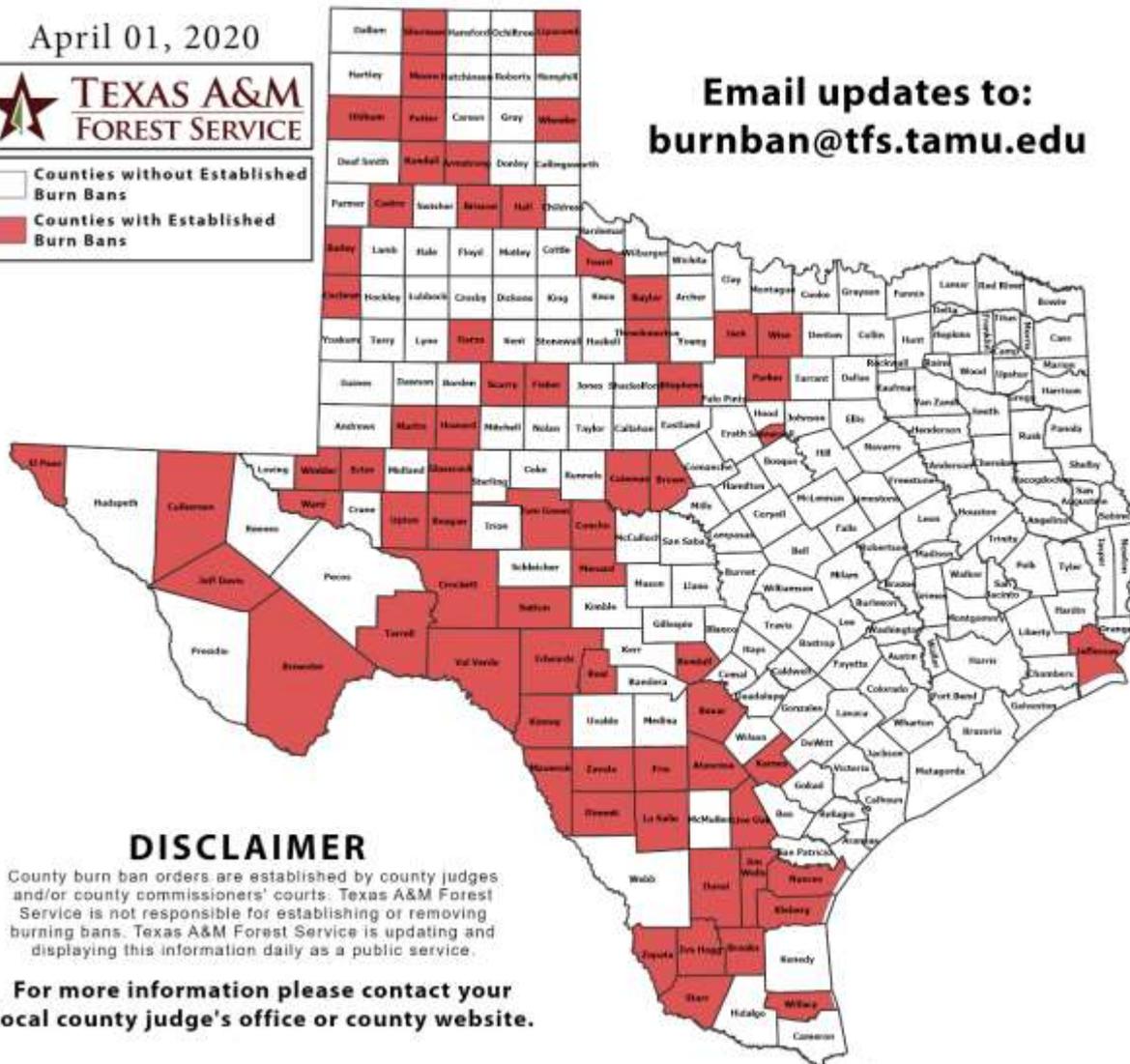


Counties without Established Burn Bans
 Counties with Established Burn Bans

Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties with Burn Bans: 68

- Armstrong
- Atascosa
- Bailey
- Baylor
- Bexar
- Brewster
- Briscoe
- Brooks
- Brown
- Castro
- Cochran
- Coleman
- Concho
- Crockett
- Culberson
- Dimmit
- Duval
- Ector
- Edwards
- El Paso
- Fisher
- Foard
- Frio
- Garza
- Glasscock
- Hall
- Howard
- Jack
- Jeff Davis
- Jefferson
- Jim Hogg
- Jim Wells
- Karnes
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- Kinney
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- La Salle
- Lipscomb
- Live Oak
- Martin
- Maverick
- Menard
- Moore
- Nueces
- Oldham
- Parker
- Potter
- Randall
- Reagan
- Real
- Scurry
- Sherman
- Somervell
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- Sutton
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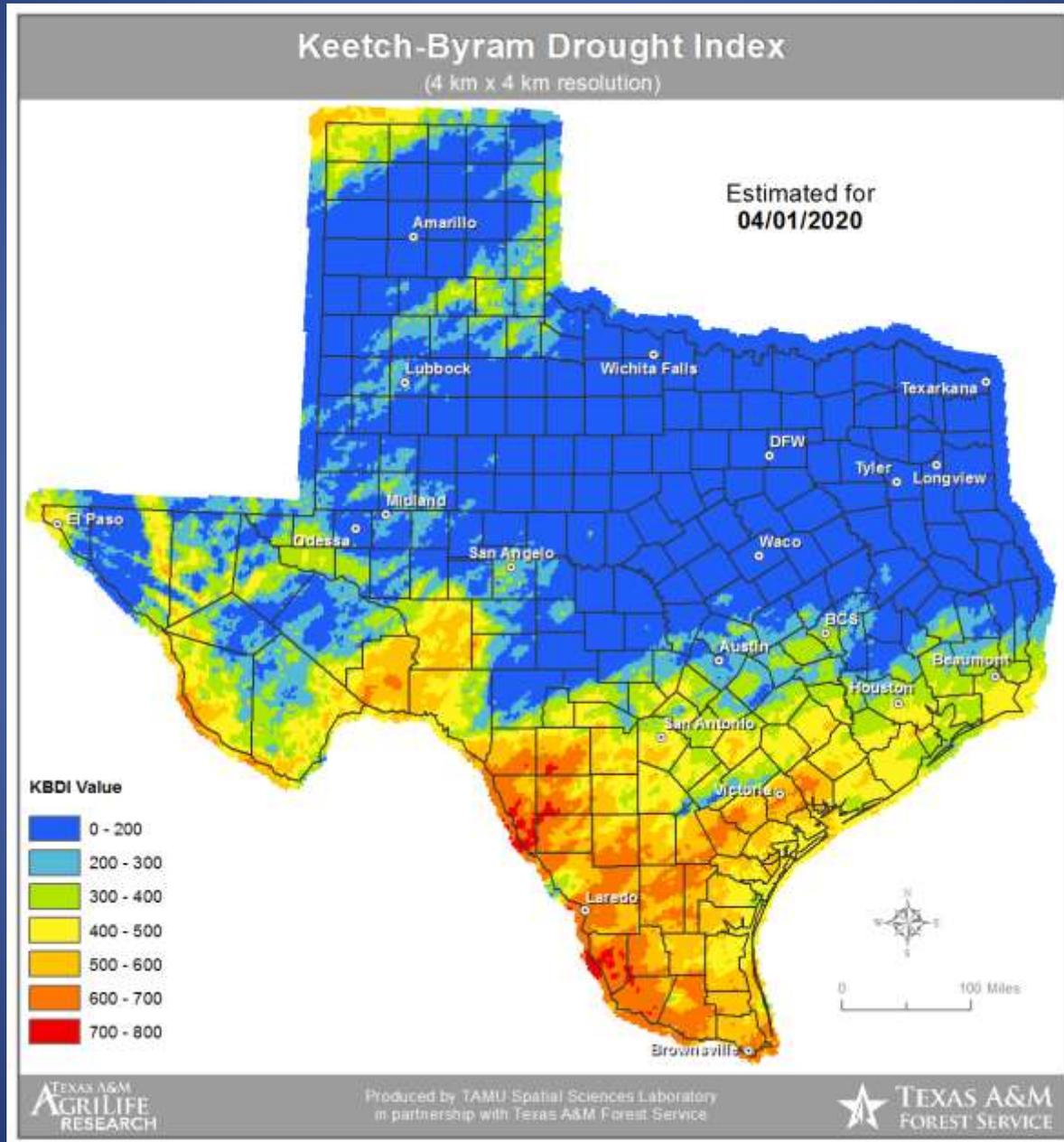
DISCLAIMER

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



Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/02/20	Red Flag Warning	Hudspeth County
04/02/20	Fire Danger Statement	Culberson, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Gray, Hansford, Hartley, Hutchinson, Hemphill, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Potter, Roberts, Sherman and Wheeler Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 71 (no change) fires and 9,541 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 68 (-2) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 45(+2) counties with an average over 400.



Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY / LOCATION	EXERCISE
04/02/20	04/02/20	Texas Division of Emergency Management / Abilene & Wichita Falls	Simulcast Tabletop: Regional Severe Weather Exercise