

# Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center



## Situation Awareness Brief



Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> 2020  
As of 0900 CST



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

DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION	Final Report (Y/N)
09/19/20	PLB Mission 20-PLB 7892 has been opened	Dallas County	N

## Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
09/19/20	NHC Tropical Storm Beta Advisory Number 8
09/19/20	NHC Tropical Storm Beta Advisory Number 8 - Corrected
09/19/20	NWS Lake Charles Tropical Update: 10:00 AM Saturday
09/19/20	NWS Houston/Galveston: Latest briefing on Tropical Storm Beta
09/19/20	NWS West Gulf River Forecast: Beta Update - Hydrologic Impacts
09/19/20	NHC Tropical Storm Beta Intermediate Advisory Number 8A

# Informational Products

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<b>DATE</b>	<b>SUBJECT</b>
09/19/20	Tropical Storm Beta Advisory Number 9 4:00 PM CDT 9/19/20
09/19/20	NWS Lake Charles Tropical Update: 4 pm Sat 9.19.20
09/19/20	NWS Houston/Galveston: Hurricane Local Statement for Southeast Texas Coastline
09/19/20	NWS Brownsville - Updated Slides for 4 PM NHC Forecast for Beta
09/19/20	NWS Houston/Galveston Tropical Storm Warning for Southeast Texas
09/19/20	Tropical Weather Outlook 7:00 PM CDT 091920
09/19/20	Tropical Storm Beta Intermediate Advisory Number 9A 7:00 PM CDT 091920
09/19/20	Tropical Storm Beta Advisory Number 10 10:00 PM CDT 091920
09/19/20	NWS Houston/Galveston Tropical Storm Beta - 10 PM Update
09/20/20	NHC Tropical Storm Beta Intermediate Advisory Number 10A
09/20/20	NHC Miami FL Tropical Storm Beta Advisory Number 11
09/20/20	NWS Austin San Antonio Tropical Storm Beta 4 AM Update

# Weather Forecast

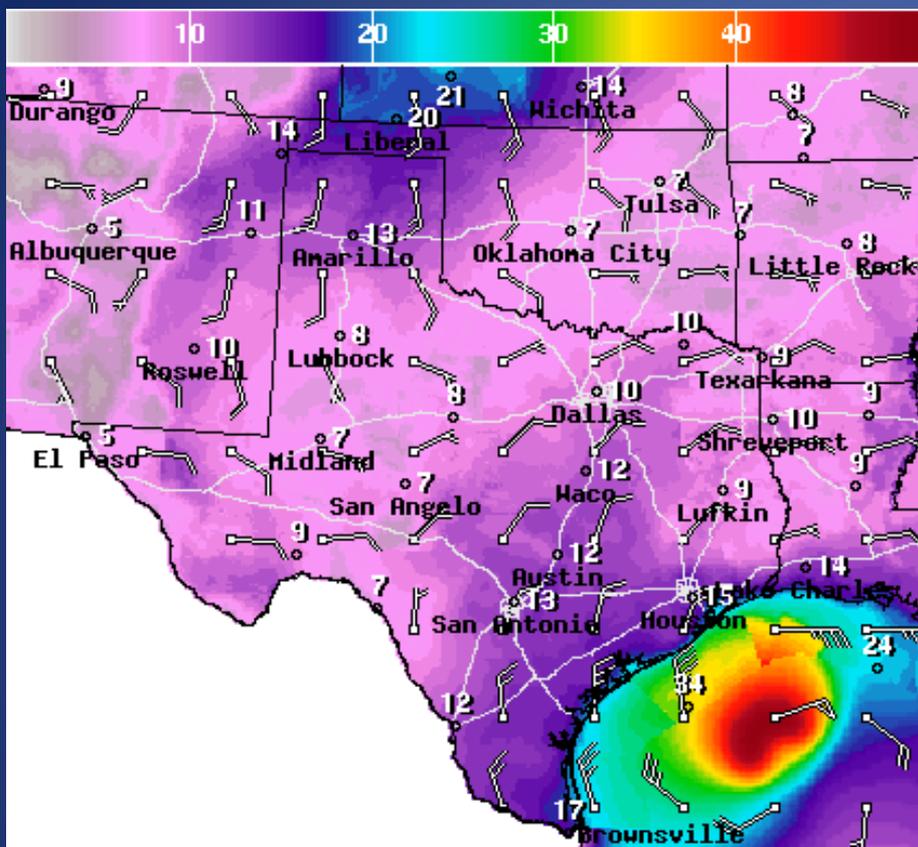


## Highs



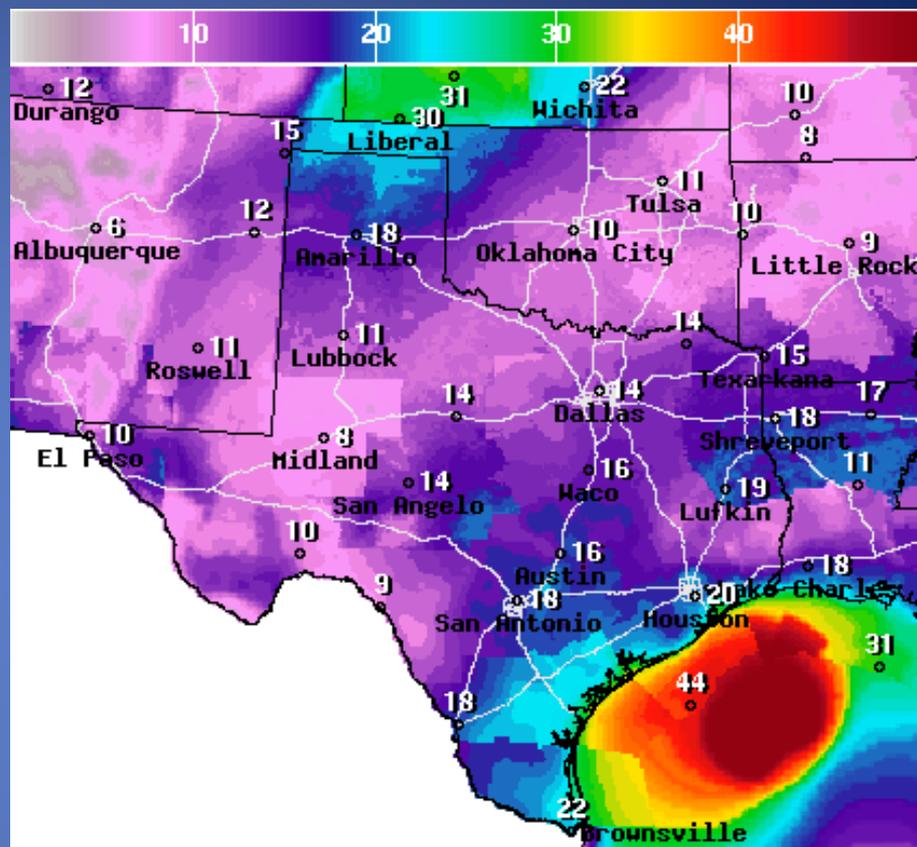
## Lows

# Weather Forecast



WindSpd(Kts) & WindDir For Sun Sep 20 2020 5PM EDT  
(Sun Sep 20 2020 21Z)  
National Digital Forecast Database  
06z issuance Graphic created-Sep 20 2:39AM EDT

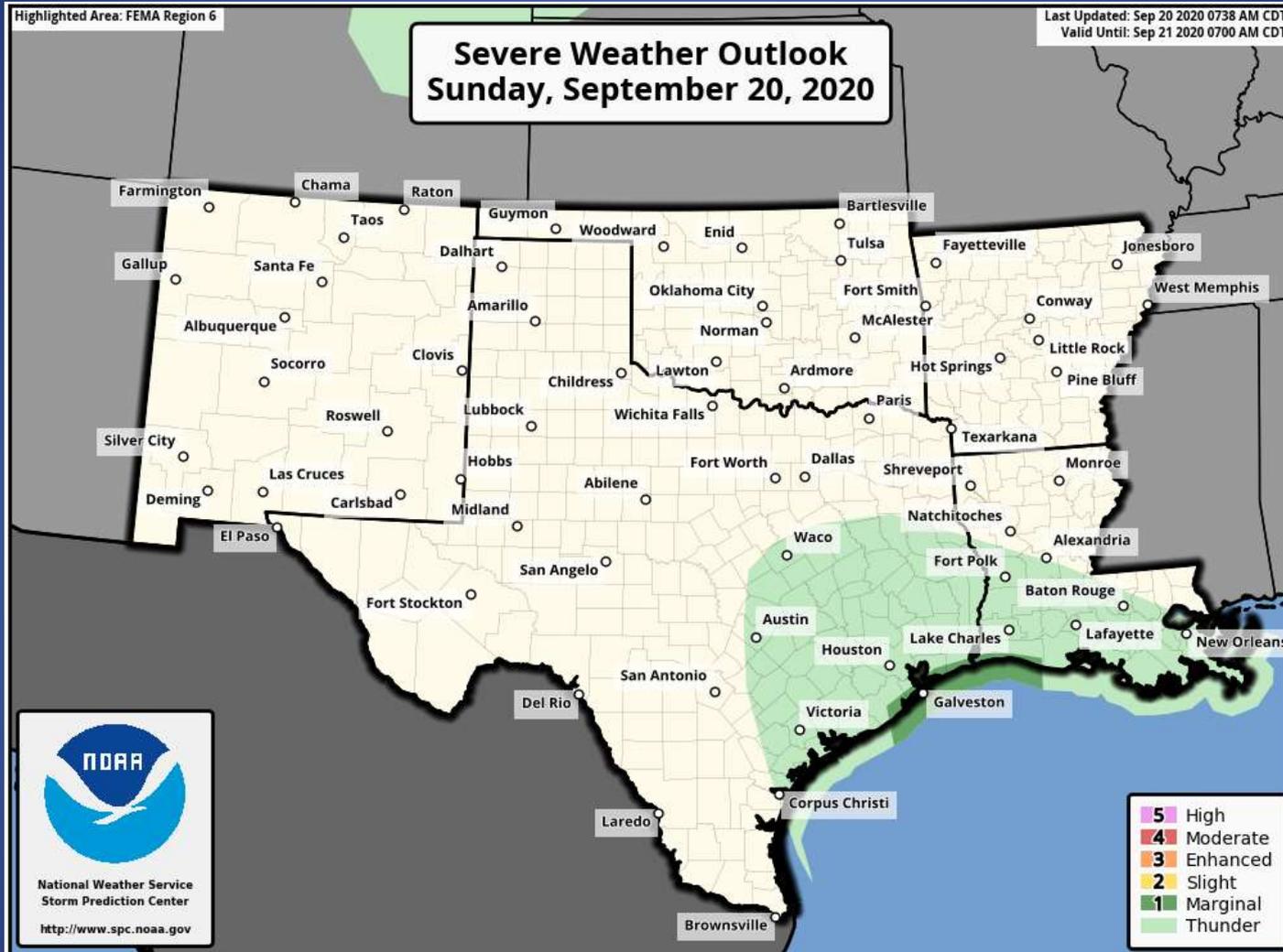
## Wind Speeds



Wind Gust(Kts) Sun Sep 20 2020 5PM EDT  
(Sun Sep 20 2020 21Z)  
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## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather

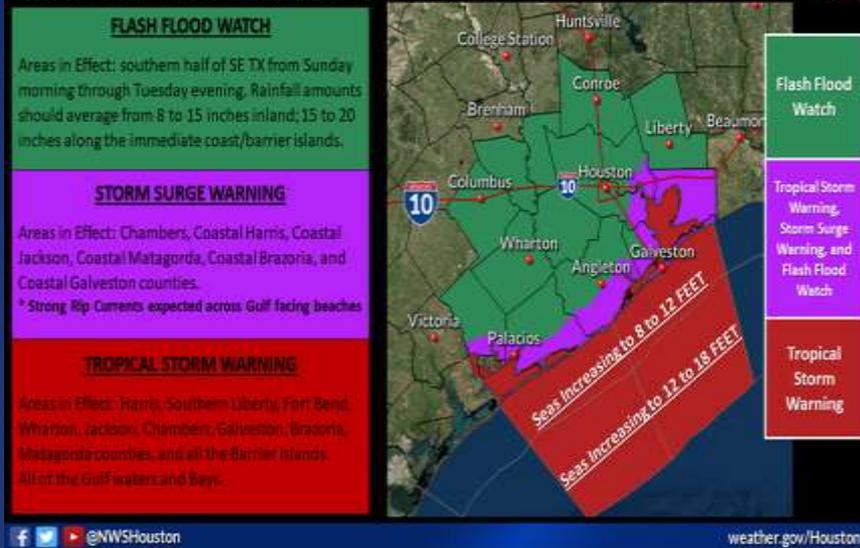


# Hazardous Weather

## HAZARDS FOR SE TEXAS

Tropical Storm Beta will produce dangerous conditions the next few days

Weather Forecast Office  
Houston/Galveston, TX  
Issued September 20, 2020 4:05 AM CDT



## Beta's Rainfall Begins Today

Greatest chances over Northeast Counties | Increasing Clouds | Cooler Max Temps

Weather Forecast Office  
Corpus Christi, TX  
Issued Sep 20, 2020 9:14 AM CDT



Here is the latest information concerning the impacts expected for SE Texas in association to Tropical Storm Beta.

Rain chances will be on the increase along the Coastal Bend and middle Texas coast as Tropical Storm Beta slowly approaches the Texas Coast. Greatest chances over the northeast counties with isolated coverage over in the Brush Country. Look for highs generally in the 80s today.

# Hazardous Weather

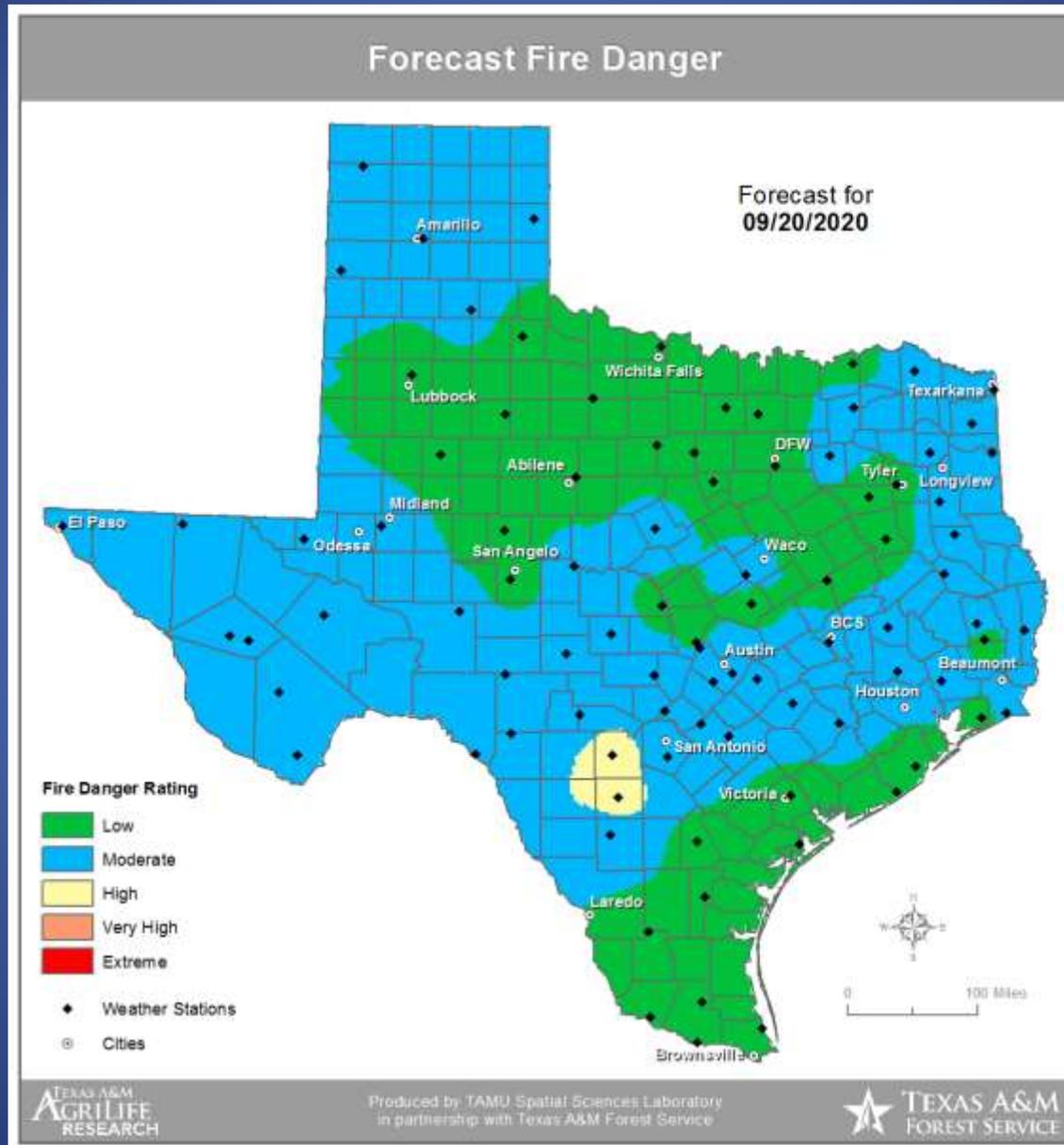


Mostly clear skies are expected again today, with chances for isolated thunderstorms in areas near and along the Gulf Coast. Swell from Tropical Storm Beta will continue to move west, resulting in high seas and adverse marine conditions over the Laguna Madre and the Gulf.

# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

<b>DATE</b>	<b>WARNING TYPE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
09/19/20	Tropical Storm Warning	Aransas, Brazoria, Calhoun, Chambers, Galveston, Harris, Jackson, Liberty, Matagorda, Refugio Counties
09/19/20	Flood Watch	Aransas, Austin, Brazoria, Calhoun, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Goliad, Harris, Jackson, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Refugio, Victoria, Waller and Wharton Counties
09/19/20	Coastal Flood Advisory	Cameron, Jefferson, Kenedy and Willacy Counties
09/20/20	Flash Flood Watch	Aransas, Calhoun, Dewitt, Fayette, Goliad, Lavaca, Refugio and Victoria Counties
09/20/20	Coastal Flood Warning	Kleberg and Nueces Counties

# Fire Danger Forecast



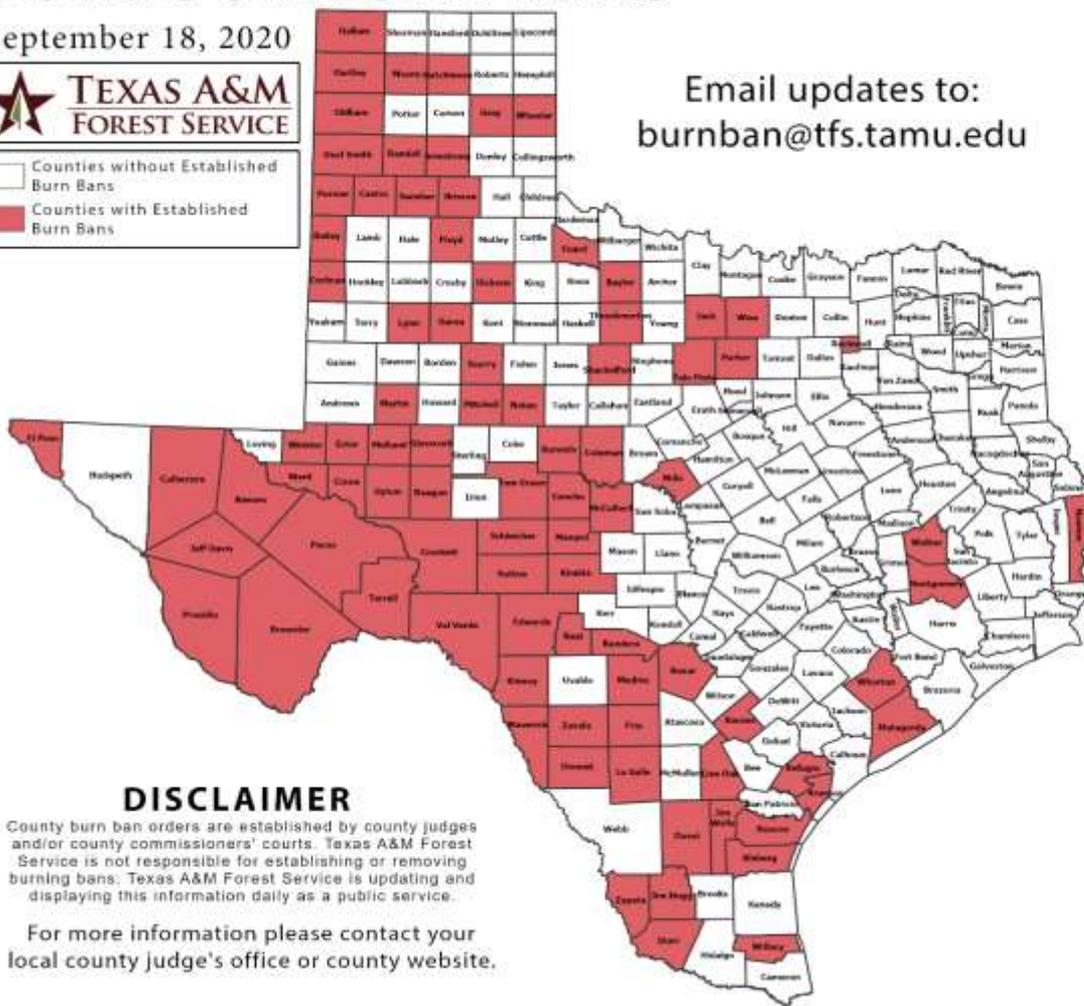
# Burn Ban

## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

September 18, 2020



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: 89

- Aransas
- Armstrong
- Bailey
- Bandera
- Baylor
- Bexar
- Brewster
- Briscoe
- Castro
- Cochran
- Coleman
- Concho
- Crane
- Crockett
- Culberson
- Dallam
- Deaf Smith
- Dickens
- Dimmit
- Duval
- Ector
- Edwards
- El Paso
- Floyd
- Foard
- Frio
- Garza
- Glasscock
- Gray
- Hartley
- Hutchinson
- Jack
- Jeff Davis
- Jim Hogg
- Jim Wells
- Karnes
- Kinble
- Kinney
- Kleberg
- La Salle
- Live Oak
- Lynn
- McCulloch
- Martin
- Matagorda
- Maverick
- Medina
- Menard
- Midland
- Mills
- Mitchell
- Montgomery
- Moore
- Newton
- Nolan
- Nueces
- Oldham
- Palo Pinto
- Parker
- Parmer
- Pecos
- Presidio
- Randall
- Reagan
- Real
- Reeves
- Refugio
- Rockwall
- Runnels
- Schleicher
- Scurry
- Shackelford
- Starr
- Sutton
- Swisher
- Terrell
- Throckmorton
- Tom Green
- Upton
- Val Verde
- Walker
- Ward
- Wharton
- Wheeler
- Willacy
- Winkler
- Wise
- Zapata
- Zavala

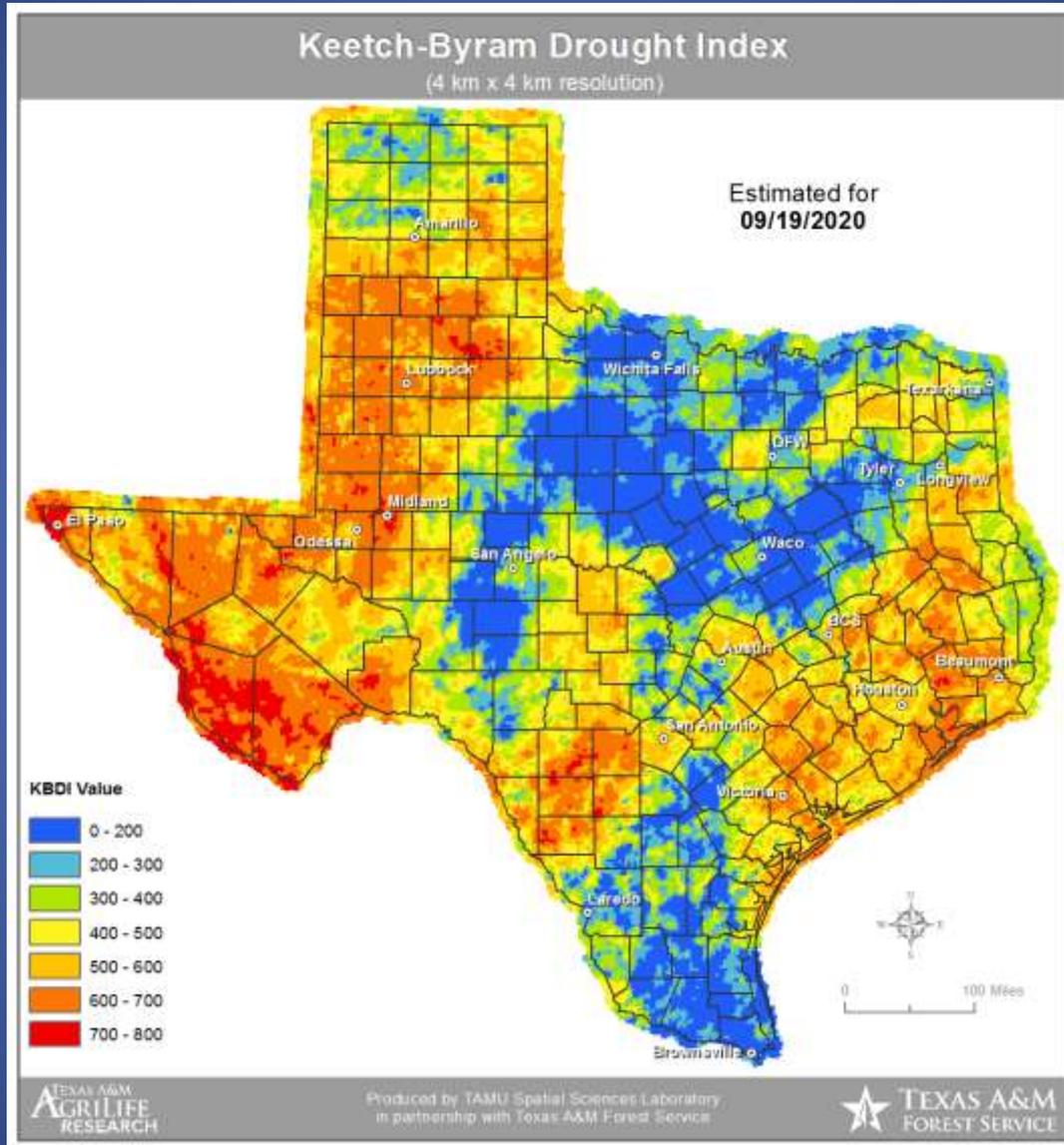
### DISCLAIMER

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



# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 488 (no change) fires and 134,863 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 89 (-4) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 144 (+5) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
09/19/20	09/20/20	NFPA 1072 HazMat First Responder Operations, (Pro-Board Certification)	H-512	Santo