



FEMA



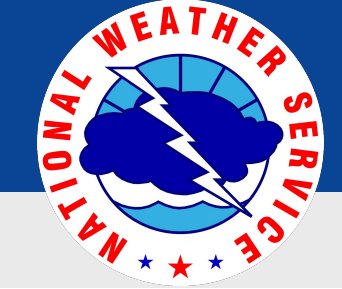
Prepared by
Melissa Huffman

FEMA Region 6 Weather Threat Briefing

Wednesday, July 31, 2024

Disclaimer: The purpose of this briefing is to provide a **Regional** weather threat assessment and is meant as a general overview. County/Parish decision makers should consult their local NWS forecast offices for the latest detailed, local weather information. To find your local NWS forecast office, go to www.weather.gov/srh.





Summary of the Upcoming Week

- **Flash flood threat continues near burn scar areas across NM into the weekend.**
- **Excessive heat Regionwide into the upcoming weekend.**
- **Monitoring a tropical wave in the central Atlantic that has a medium (60%) chance of development. No impacts to FEMA 6 in the next 7 days.**



FEMA Region 6 Threat Matrix

Next 5 Days

	Wednesday, Jul 31	Thursday, Aug 1	Friday, Aug 2	Saturday, Aug 3	Sunday, Aug 4
Severe Storms	TX/OK Panhandles				
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
Fire Weather					
Wind					
Heat	Regionwide	Regionwide	ETX, E OK, AR, LA	ETX, LA	
Tropical					
River Flooding	E/SETX, LA	E/SETX, LA	E/SETX, LA	E/SETX, LA	E/SETX, LA

Threat levels are based on FEMA Region 6 criteria. State or local threat level criteria may differ.

For more details on the colors in the threat matrix refer to the last slide in this briefing.

Risk Levels	Little to None	Minor	Moderate	Major	Extreme
-------------	----------------	-------	----------	-------	---------



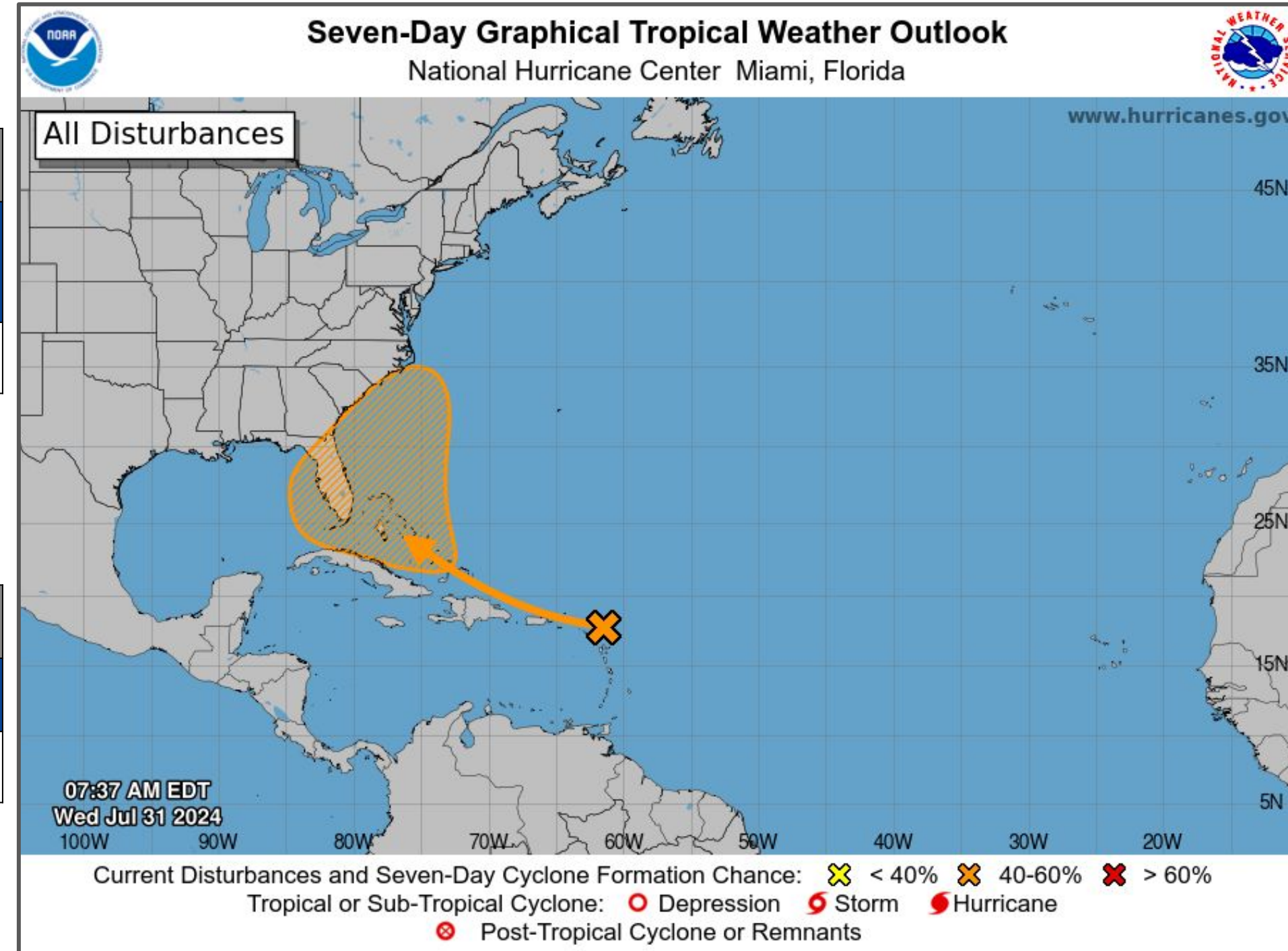
Tropical Weather Outlook – Atlantic/Gulf

Areas of Possible Development

Area	Chance of Development	Potential Impacts to FEMA 6
1	Medium	None in the next 7 days

Active Tropical Cyclones

Storm	Potential Impacts to FEMA 6
-	-

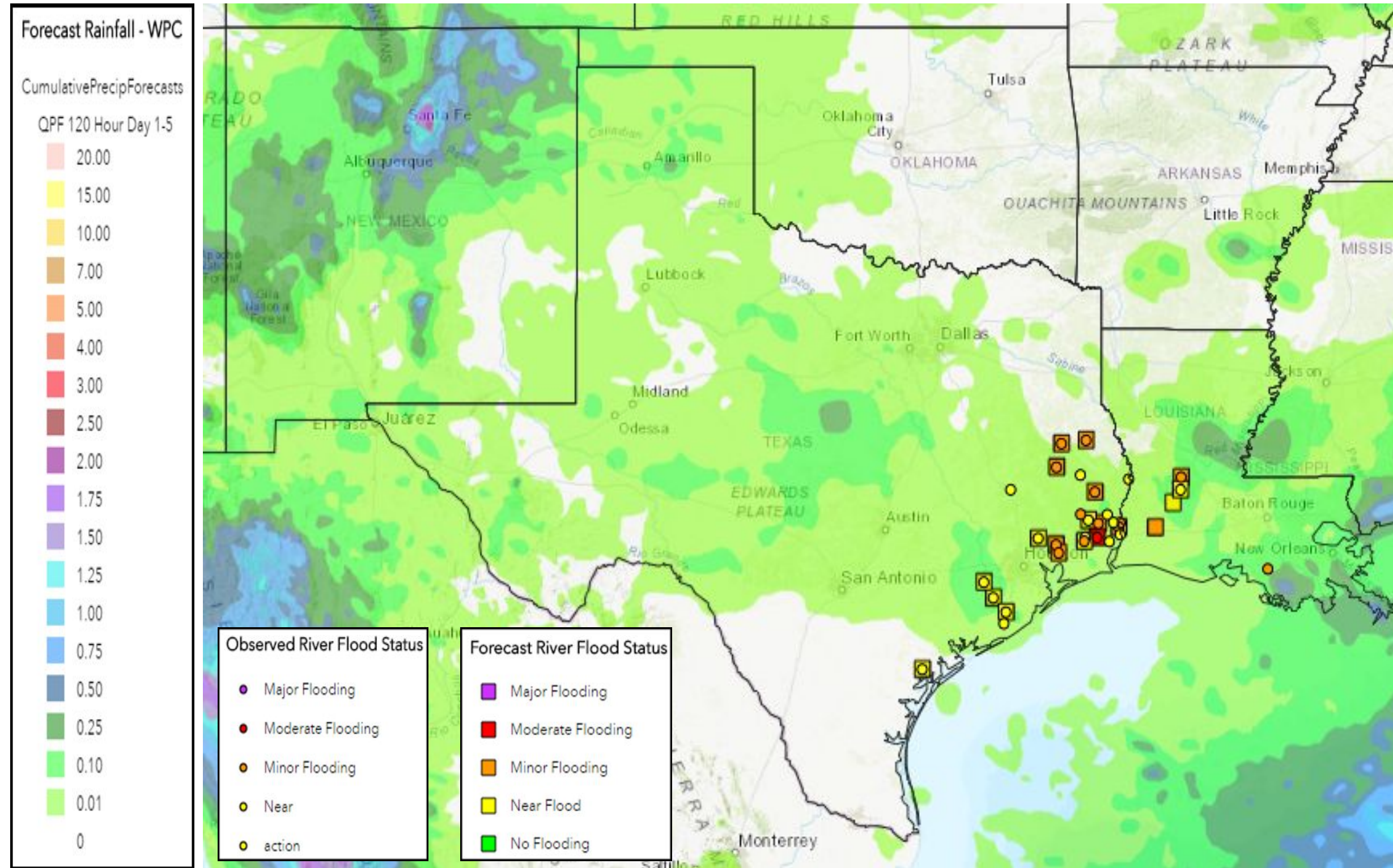


See <http://www.hurricanes.gov> for the latest on the tropics or any active storms



5-Day Precipitation Forecast & River Flood Status

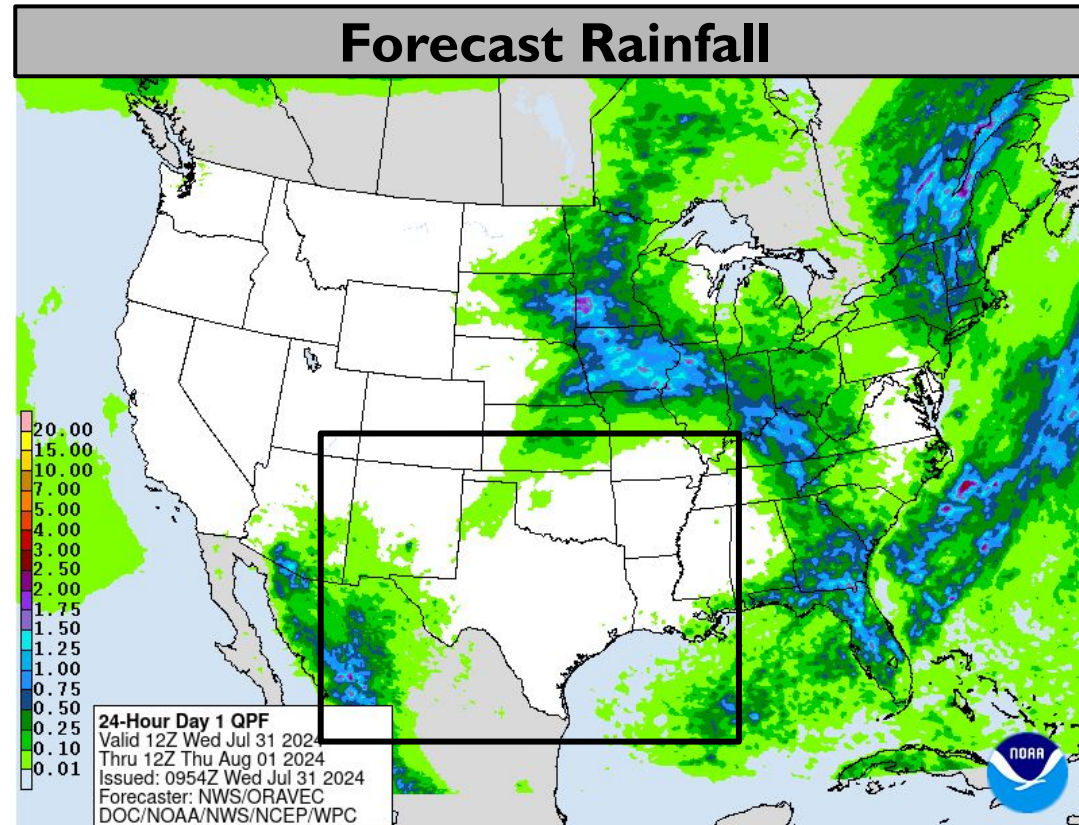
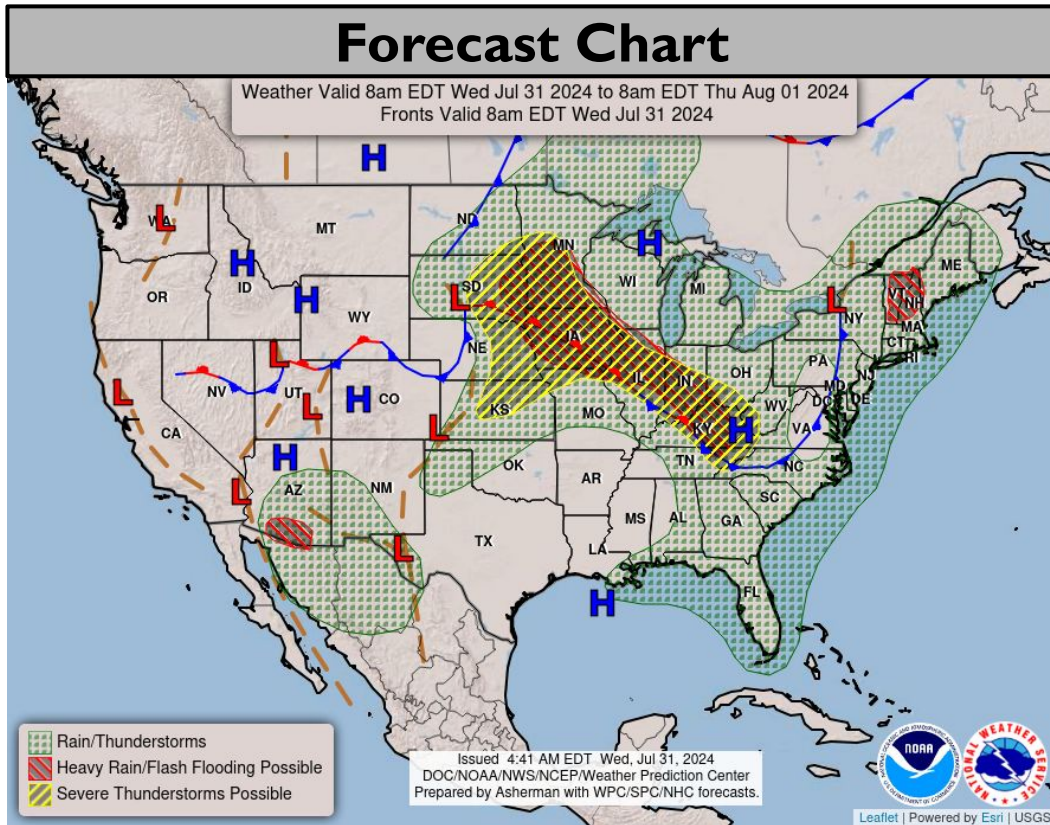
Note: Even though the image displays 5 days of forecasted rainfall, river forecasts only include 1-2 days of rainfall



Minor to isolated moderate river flooding over E/SE TX, LA. Main impacts to secondary roadways.



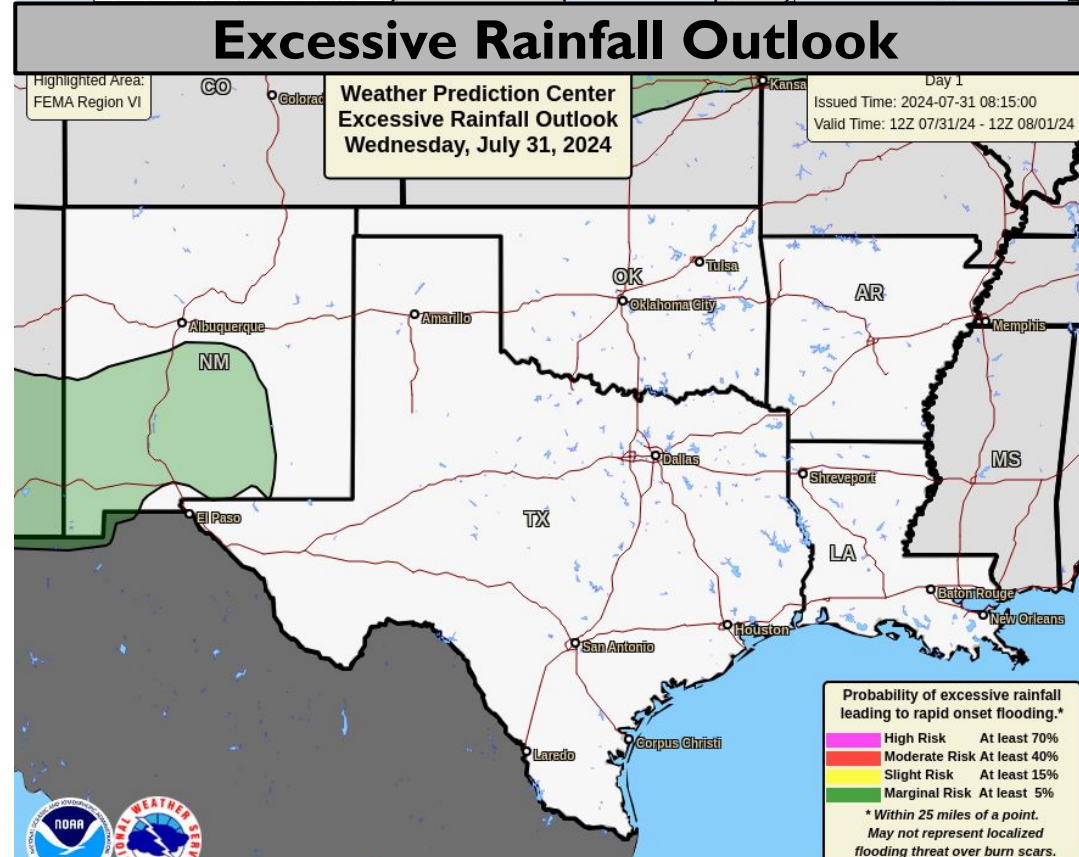
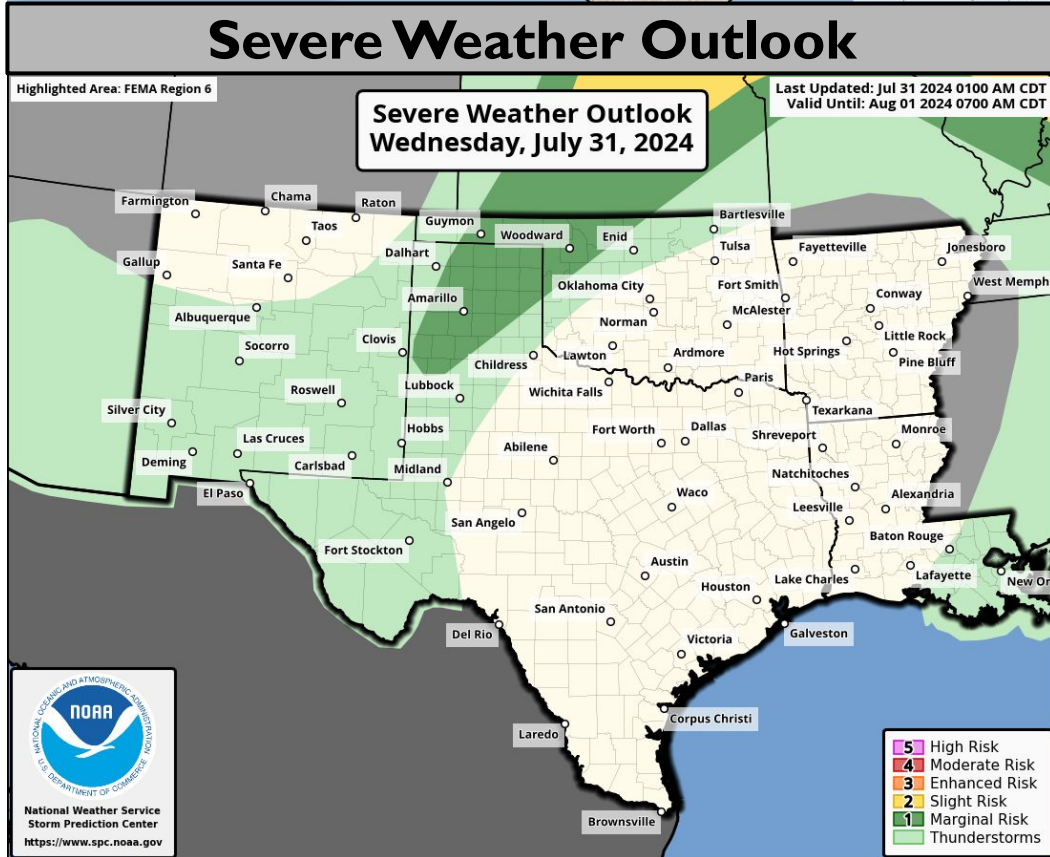
Today's Weather



**Excessive heat across
FEMA Region 6.**

**Flash flooding across burn scar
areas in NM.**

**Marginal risk of severe storms
across TX/OK Panhandles.**



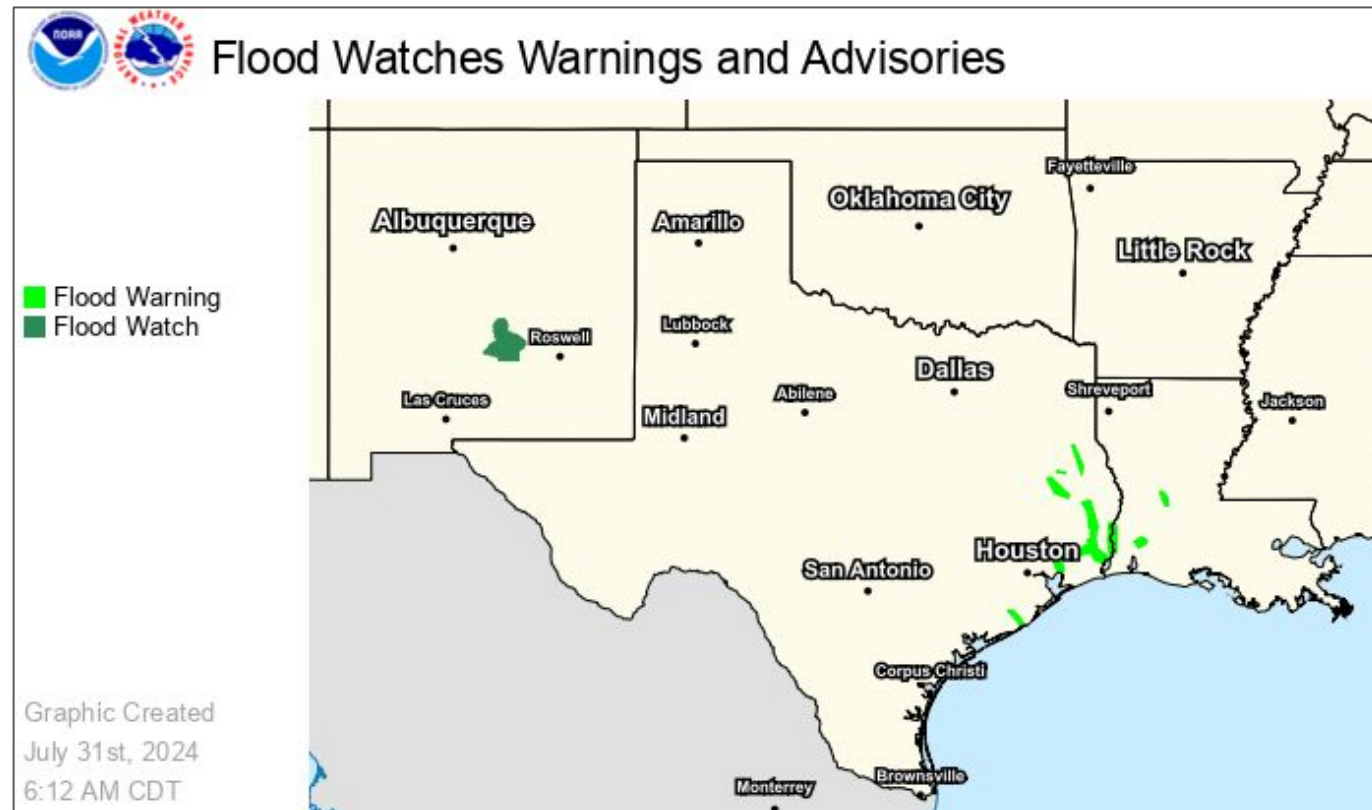
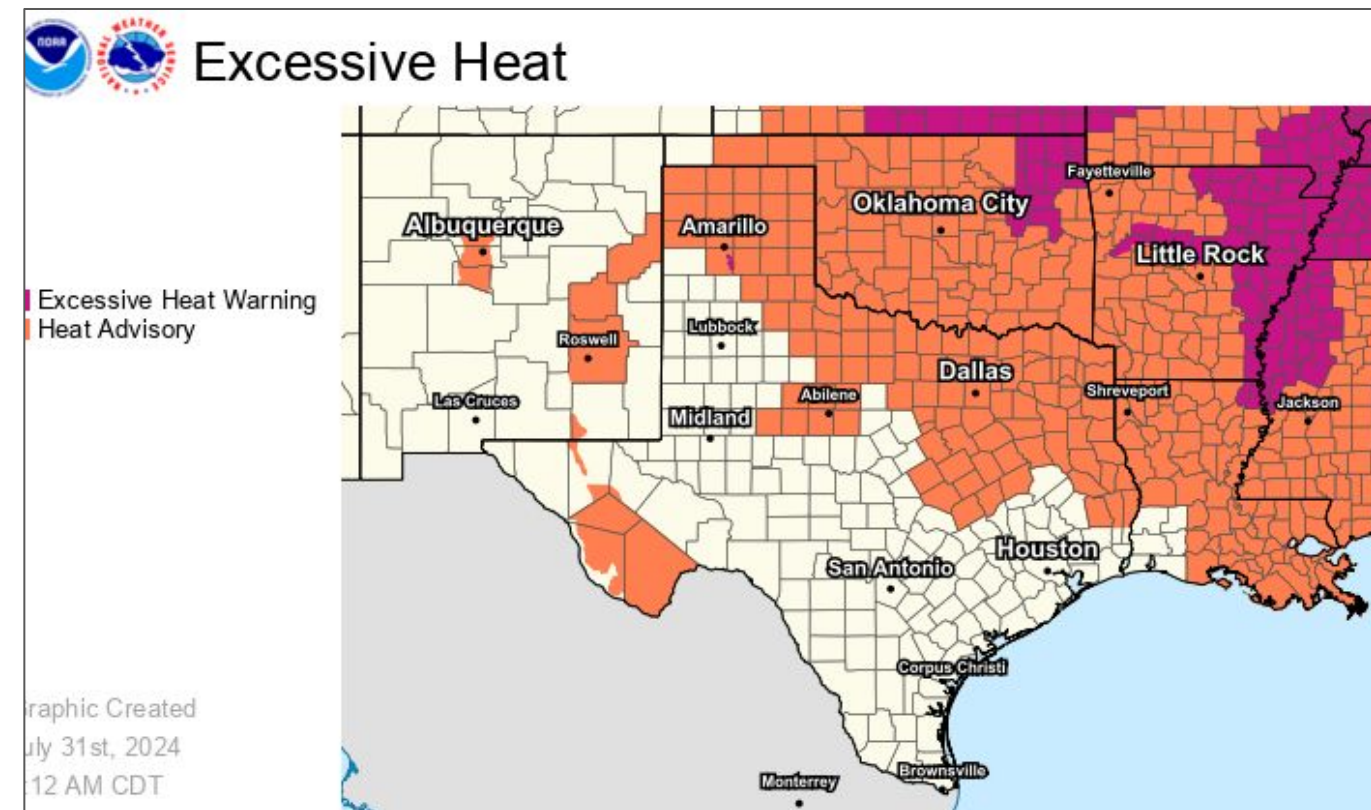
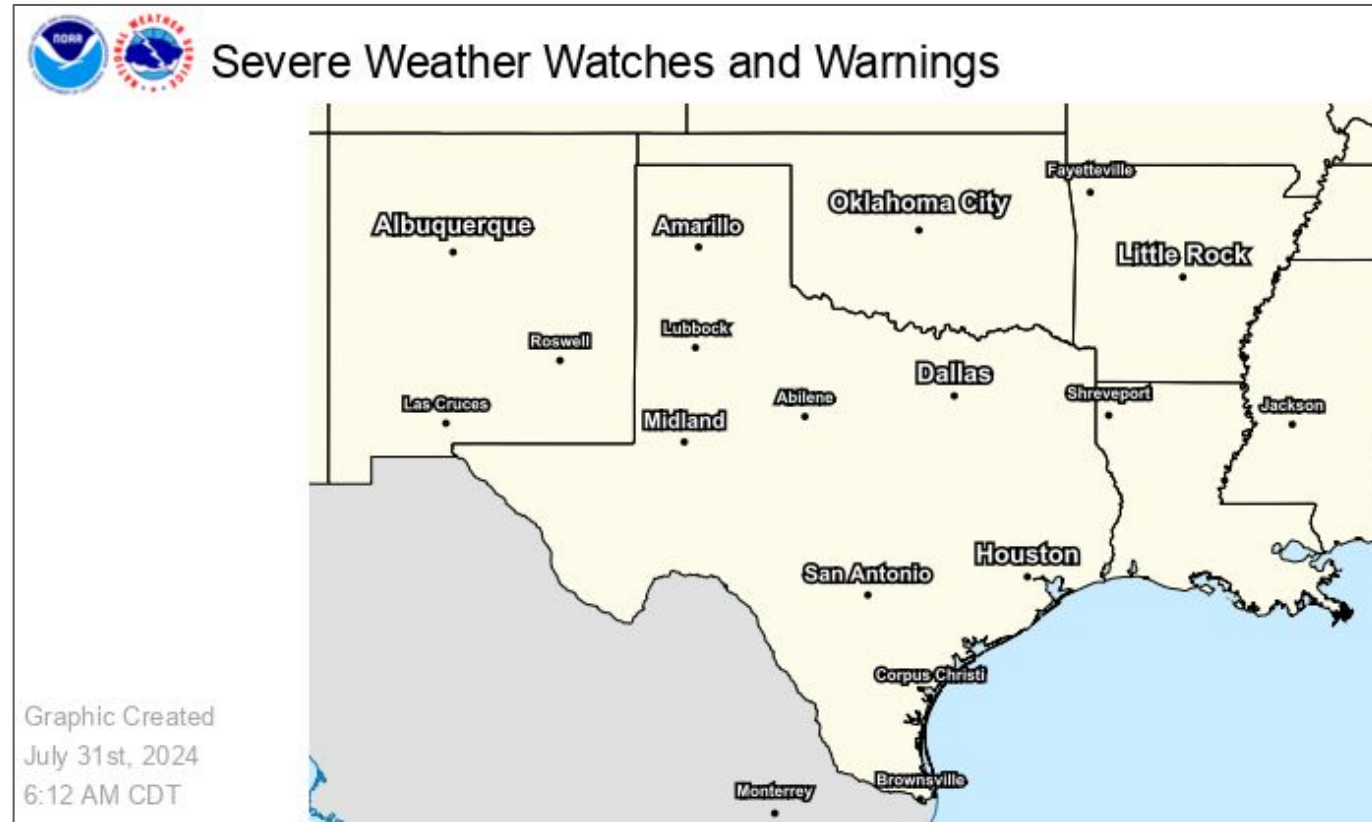


Watches, Warnings, and Advisories

Wind, Severe, Heat, and Flood Hazards

Excessive heat warnings and heat advisories Regionwide.

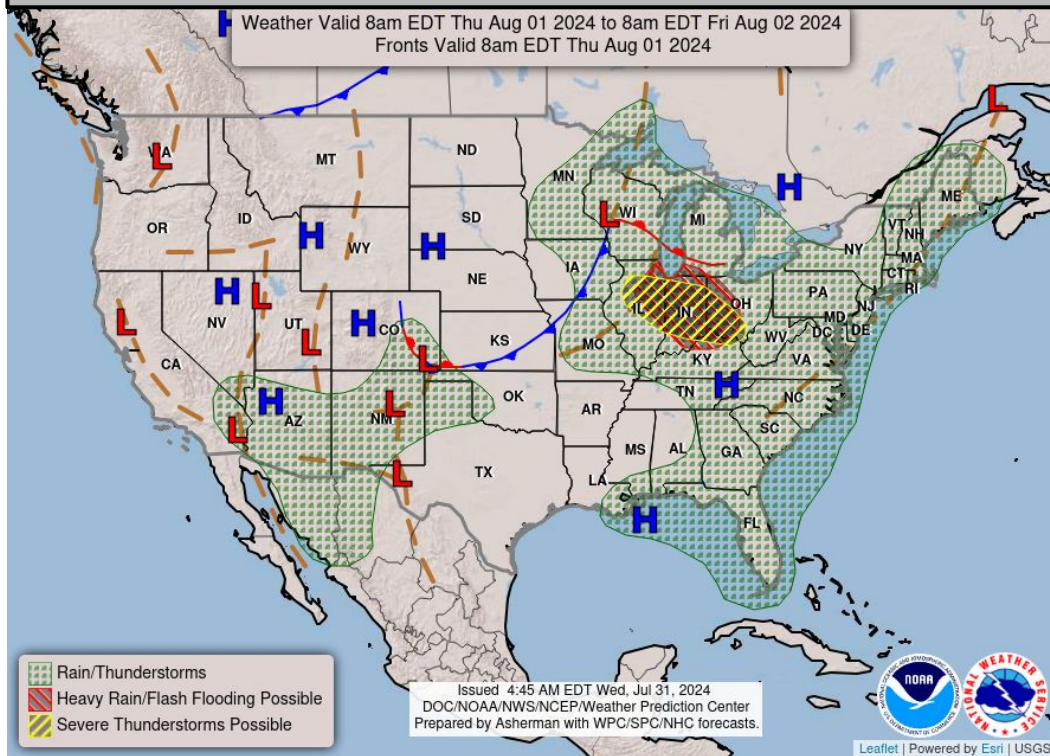
Flood Watch for Ctrl NM.



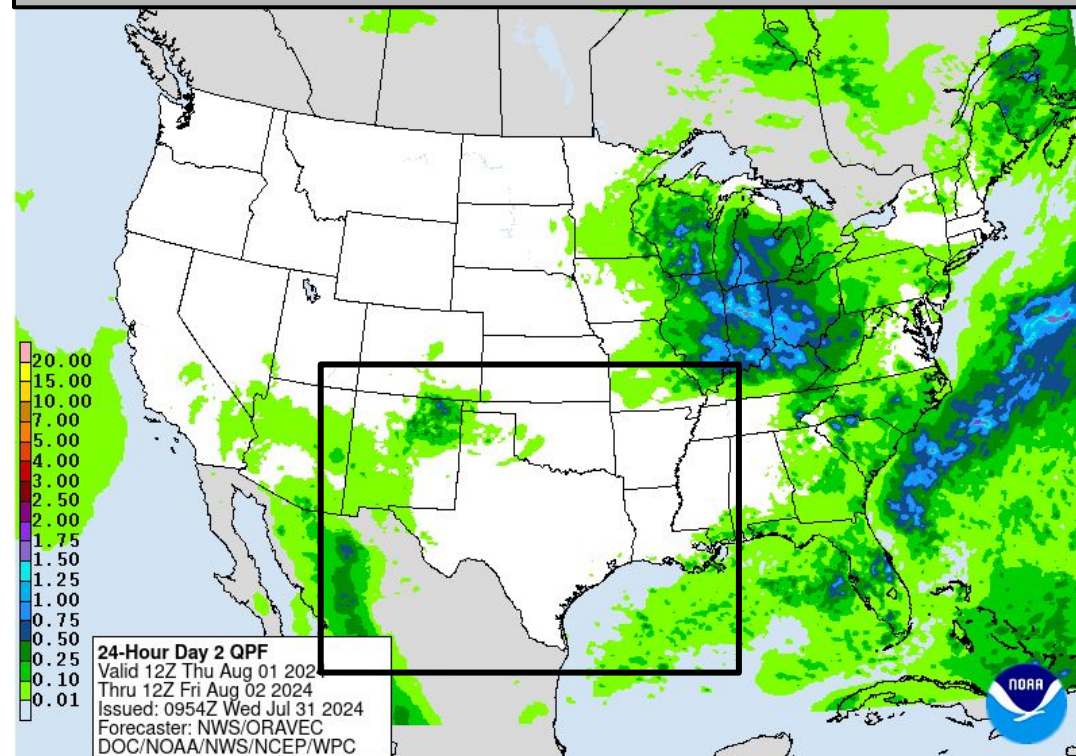


Tomorrow's Weather

Forecast Chart



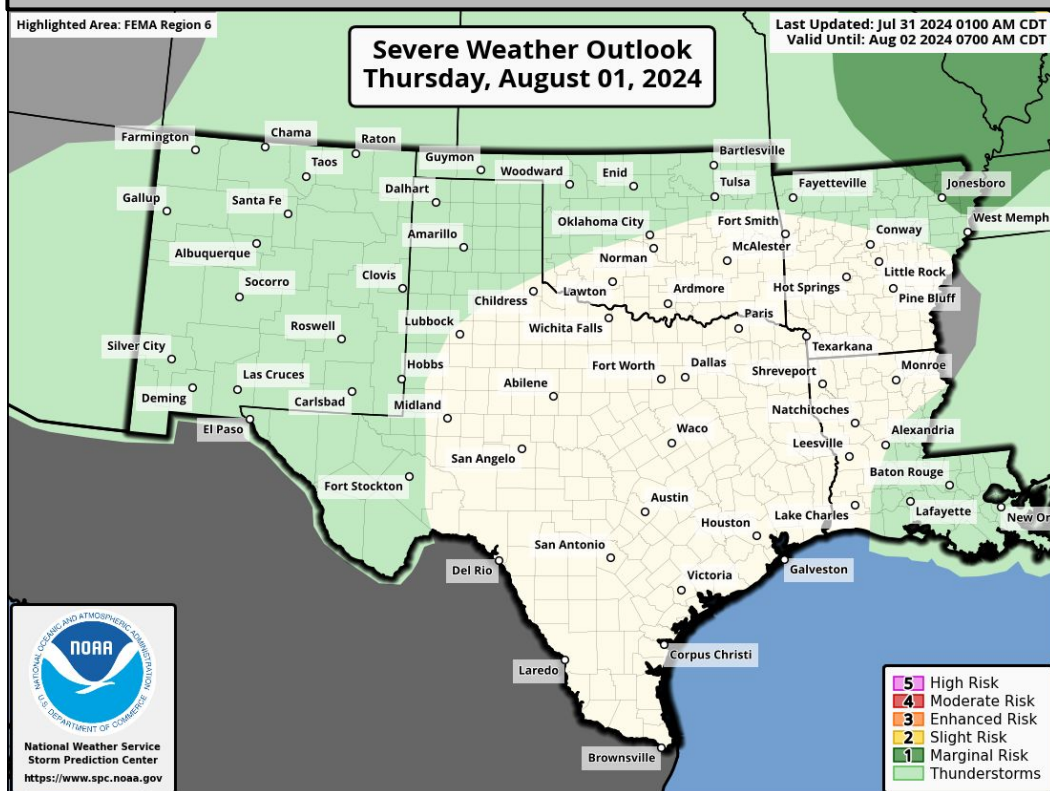
Forecast Rainfall



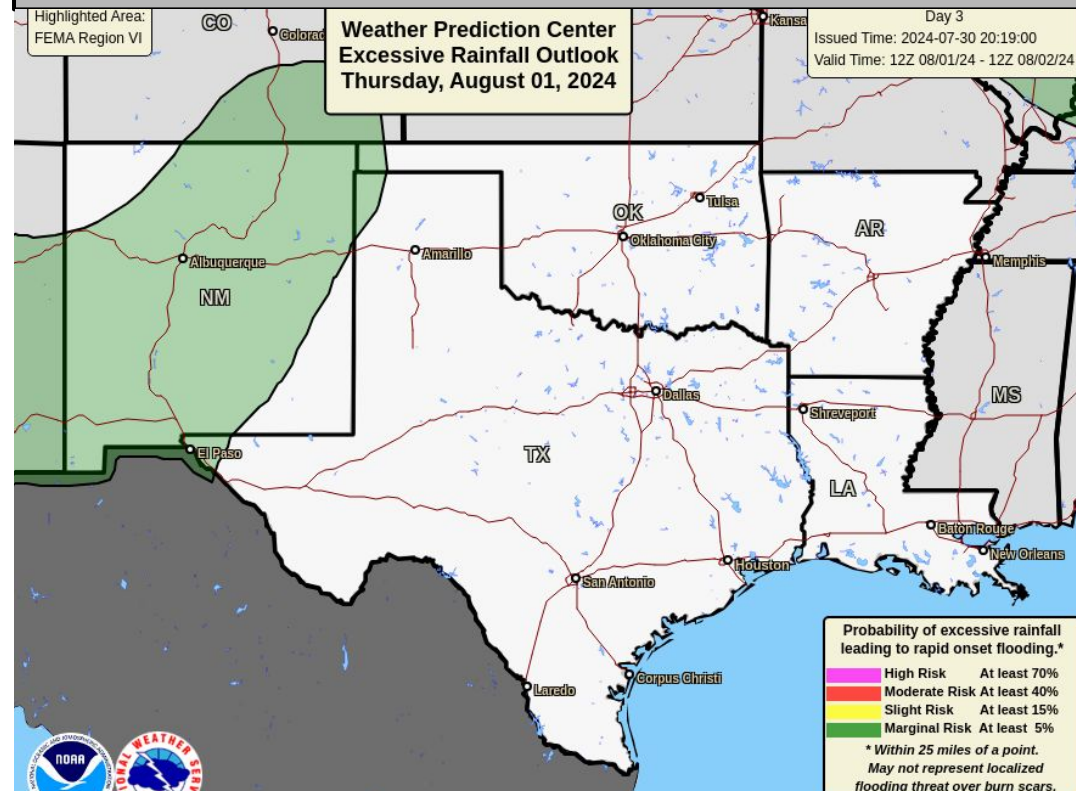
Excessive heat across FEMA Region 6.

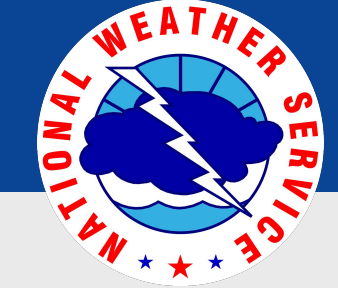
Flash flooding across burn scar areas in NM.

Severe Weather Outlook



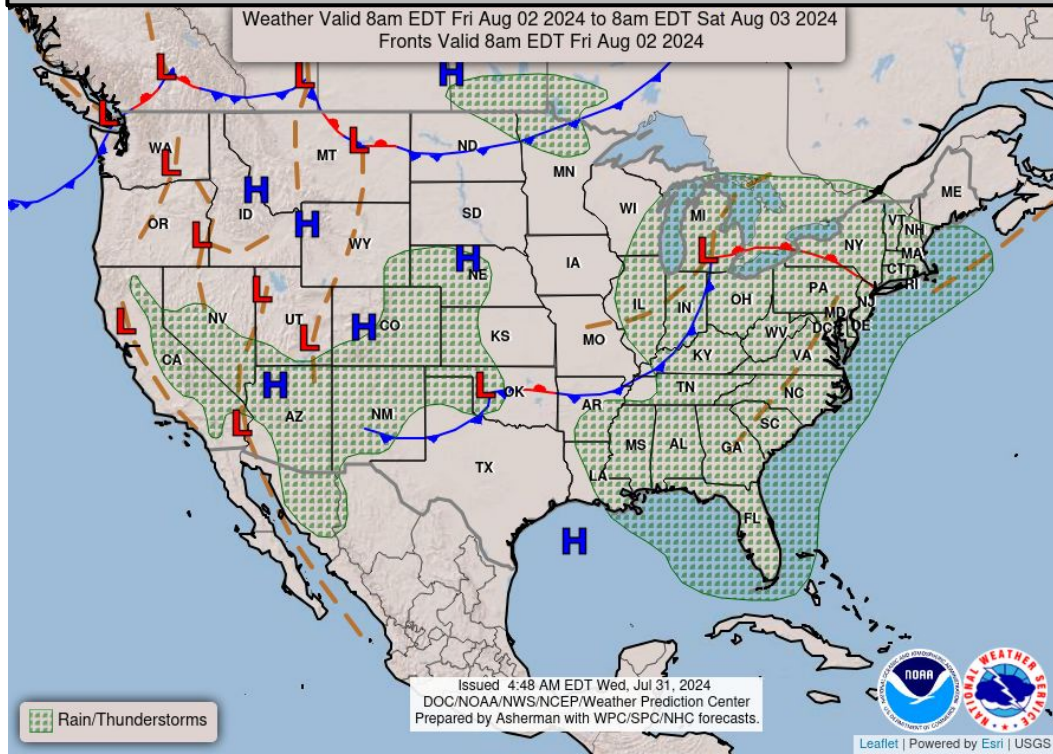
Excessive Rainfall Outlook



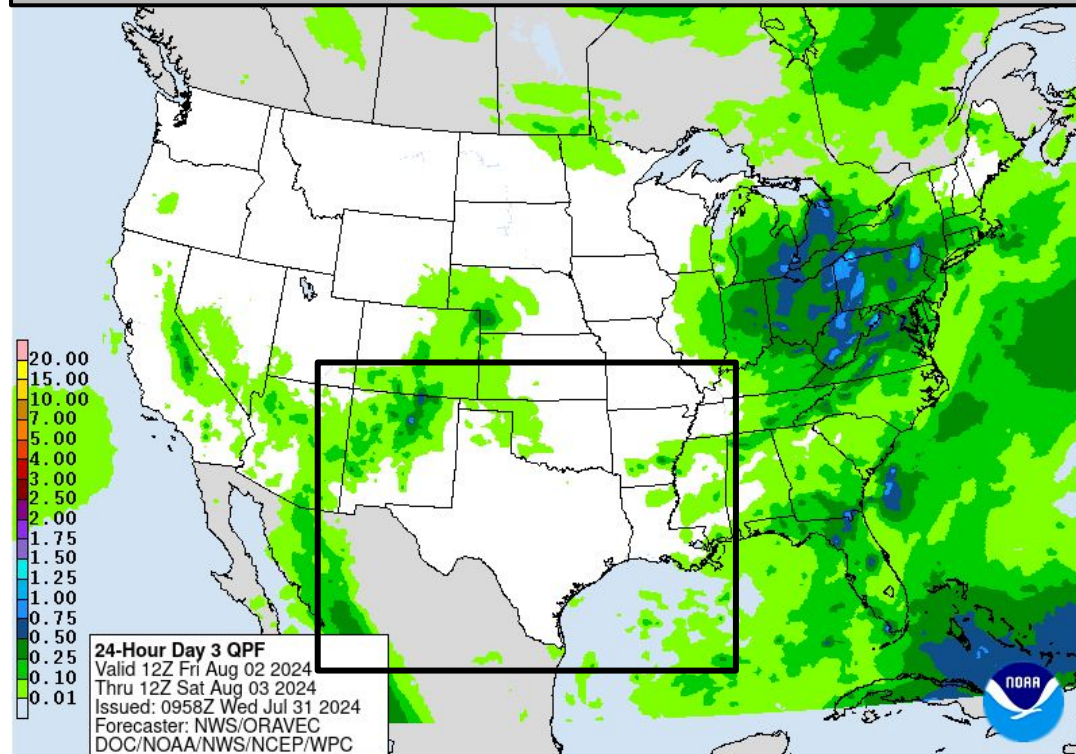


Friday's Weather

Forecast Chart



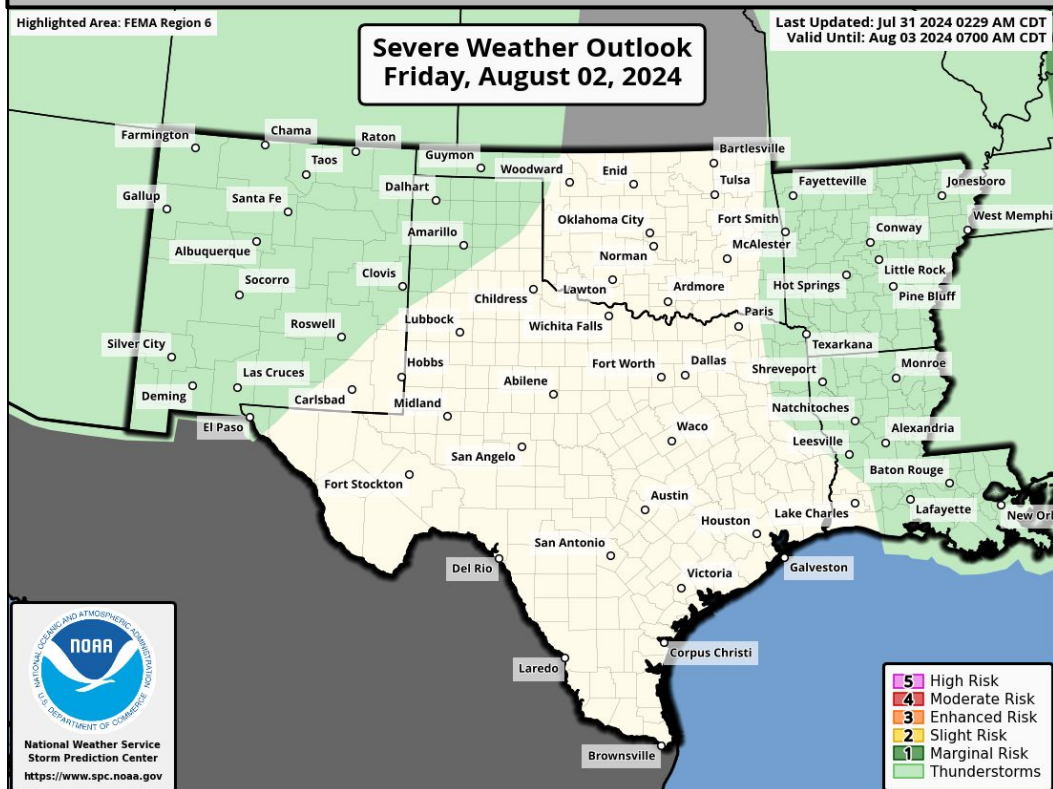
Forecast Rainfall



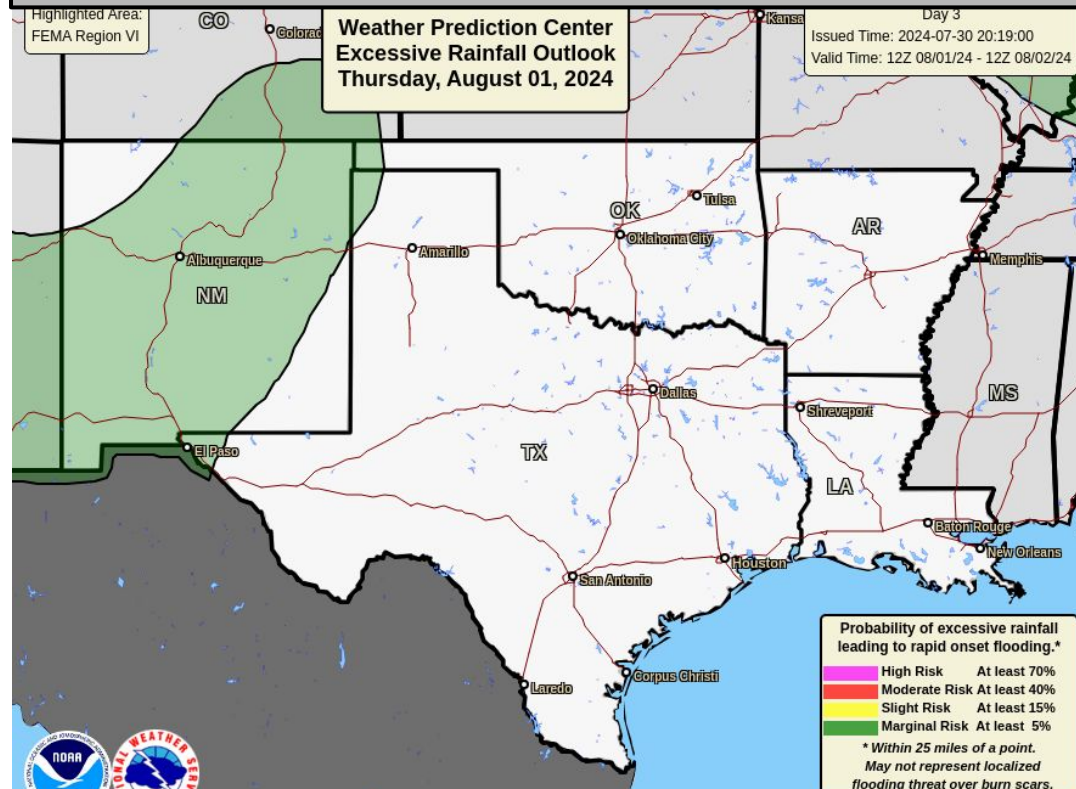
Flash flooding across burn scar areas in NM.

Excessive heat across ETX, E OK, AR, LA.

Severe Weather Outlook



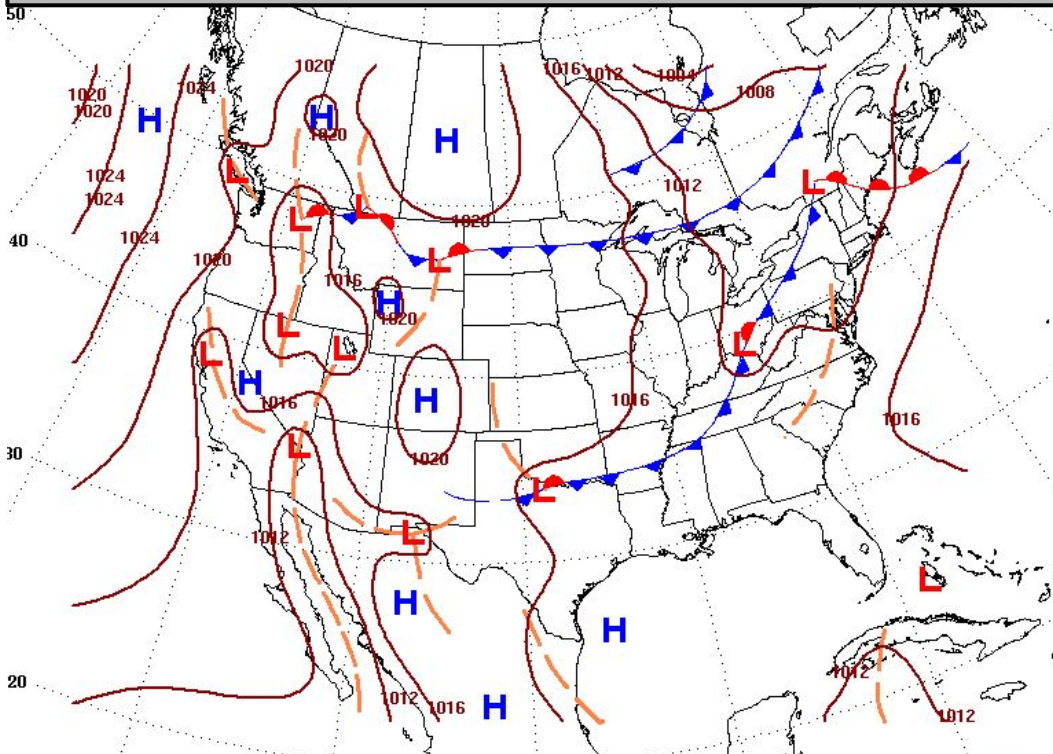
Excessive Rainfall Outlook



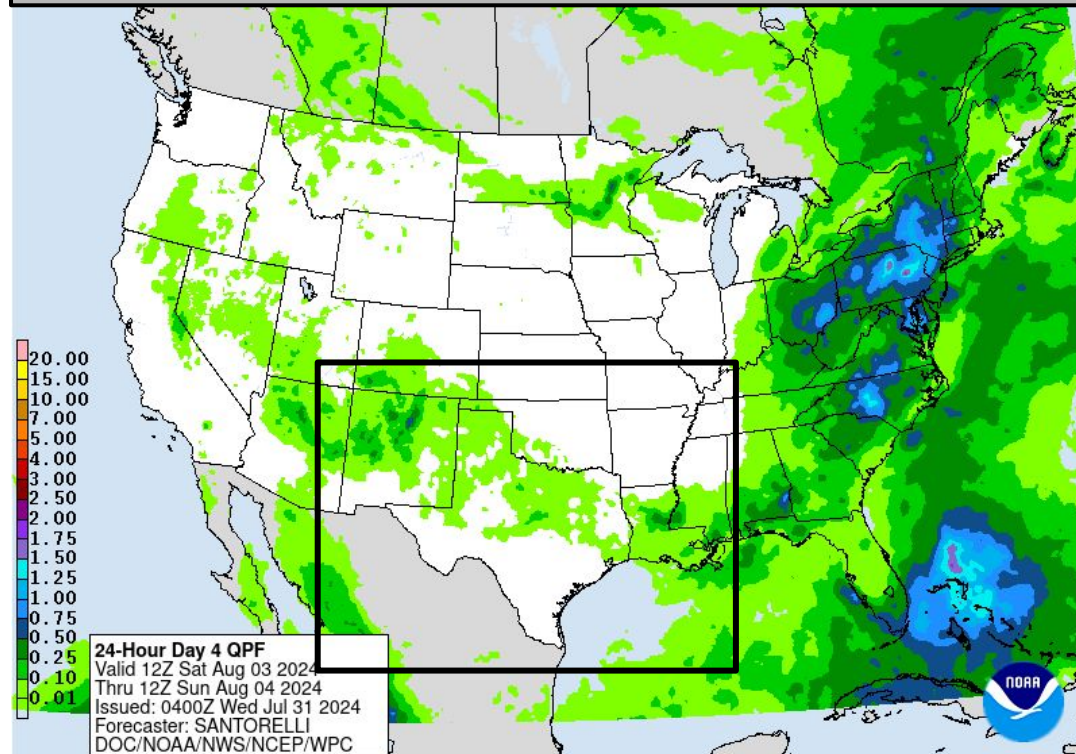


Saturday's Weather

Forecast Chart



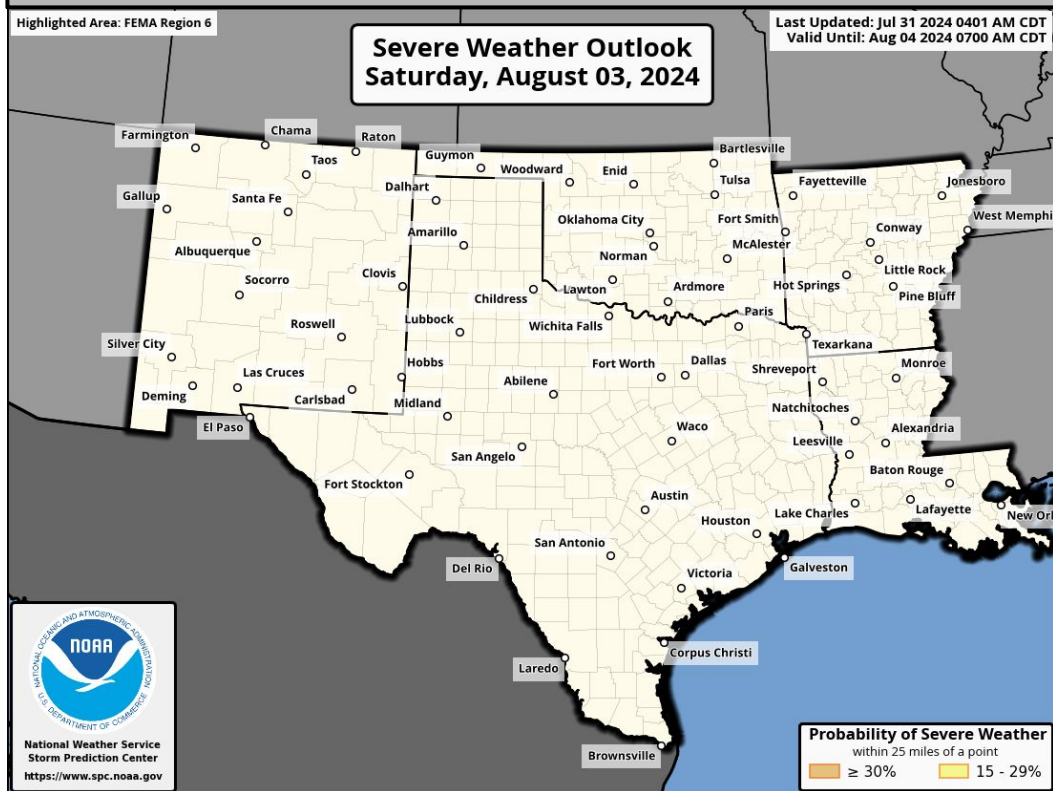
Forecast Rainfall



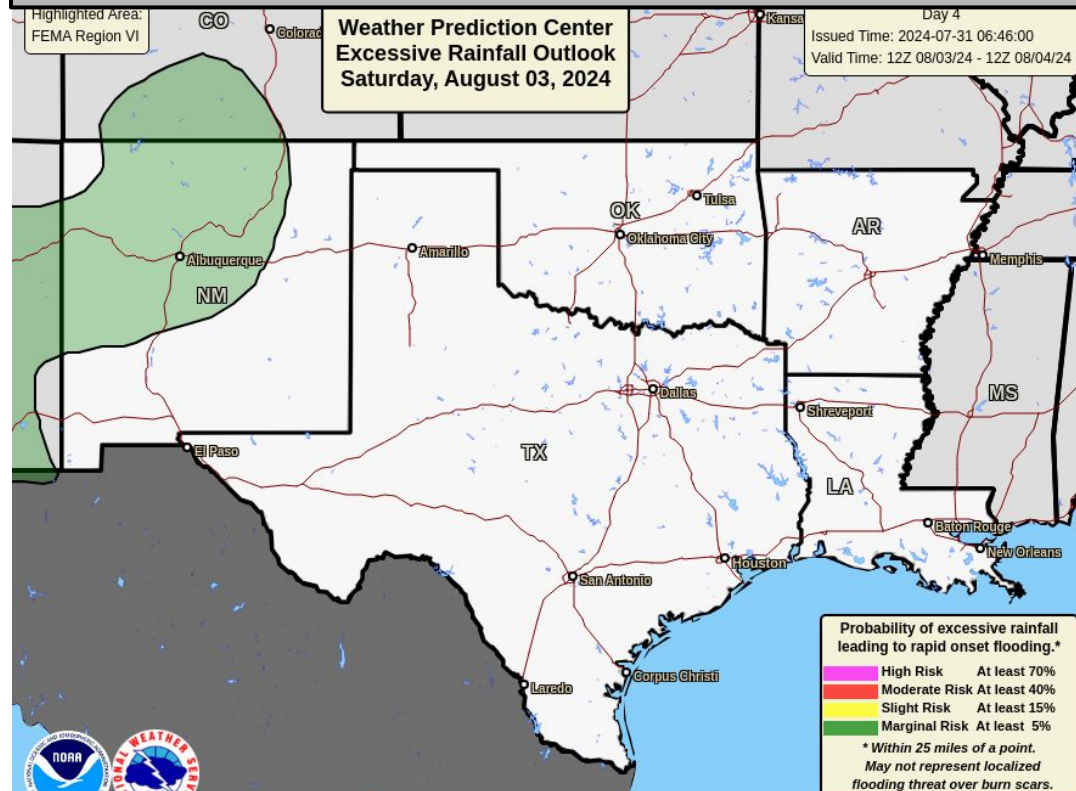
Flash flooding across burn scar areas in NM.

Above normal heat across ETX, LA.

Severe Weather Outlook



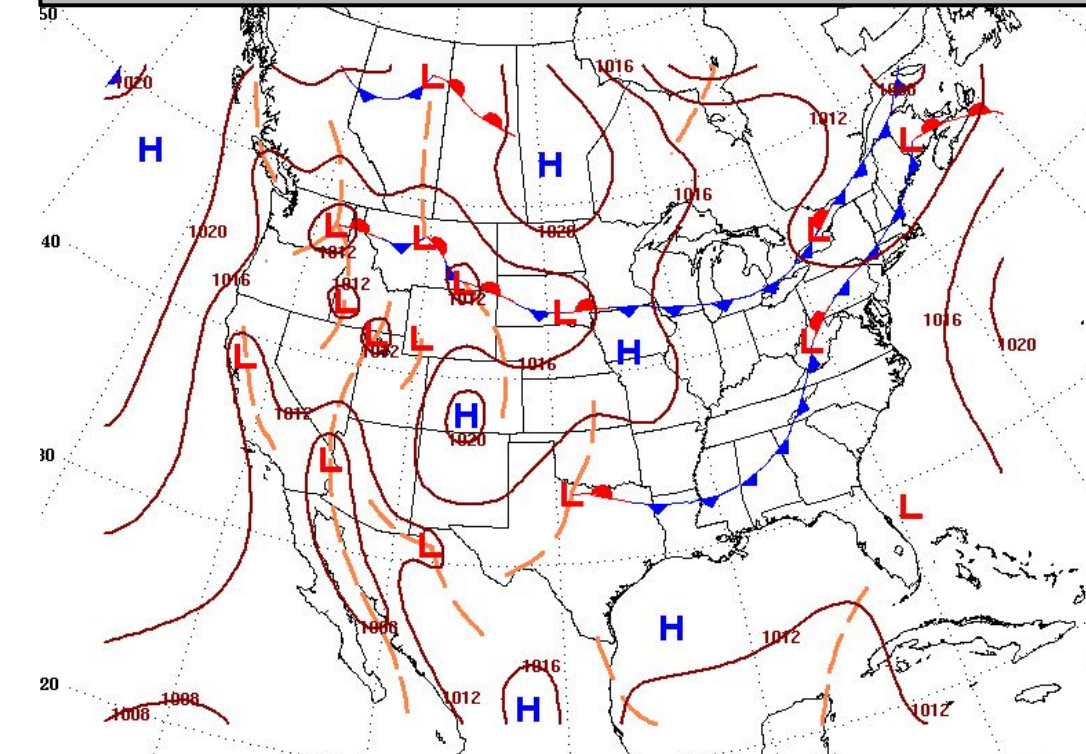
Excessive Rainfall Outlook



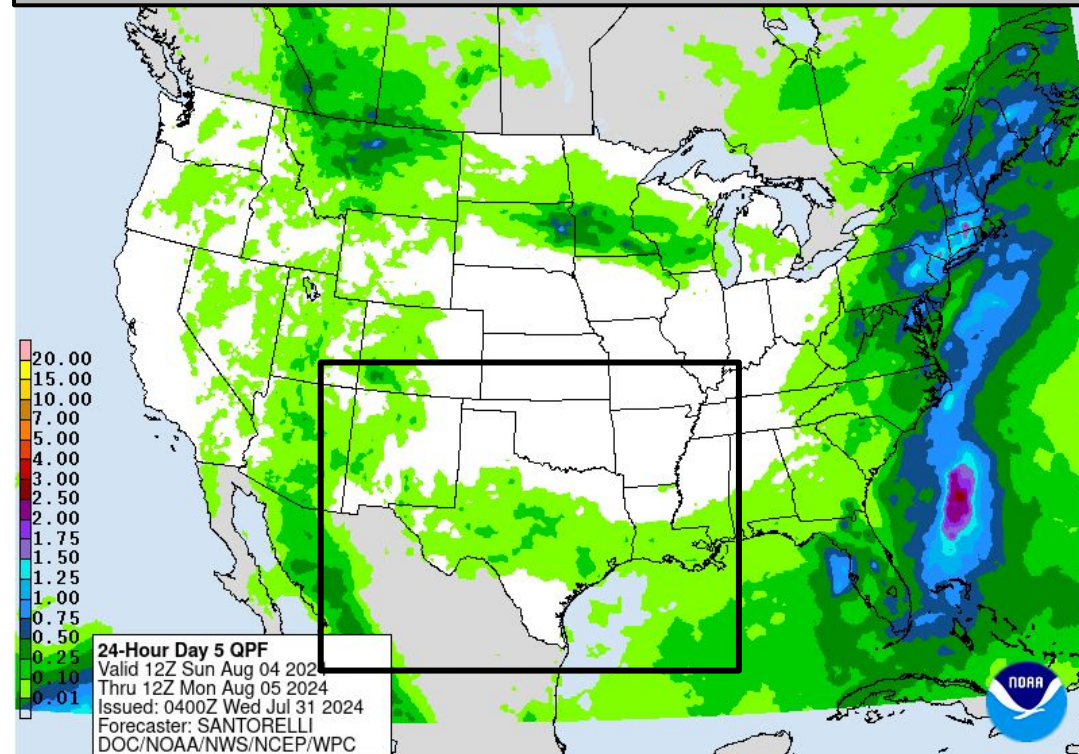


Sunday's Weather

Forecast Chart

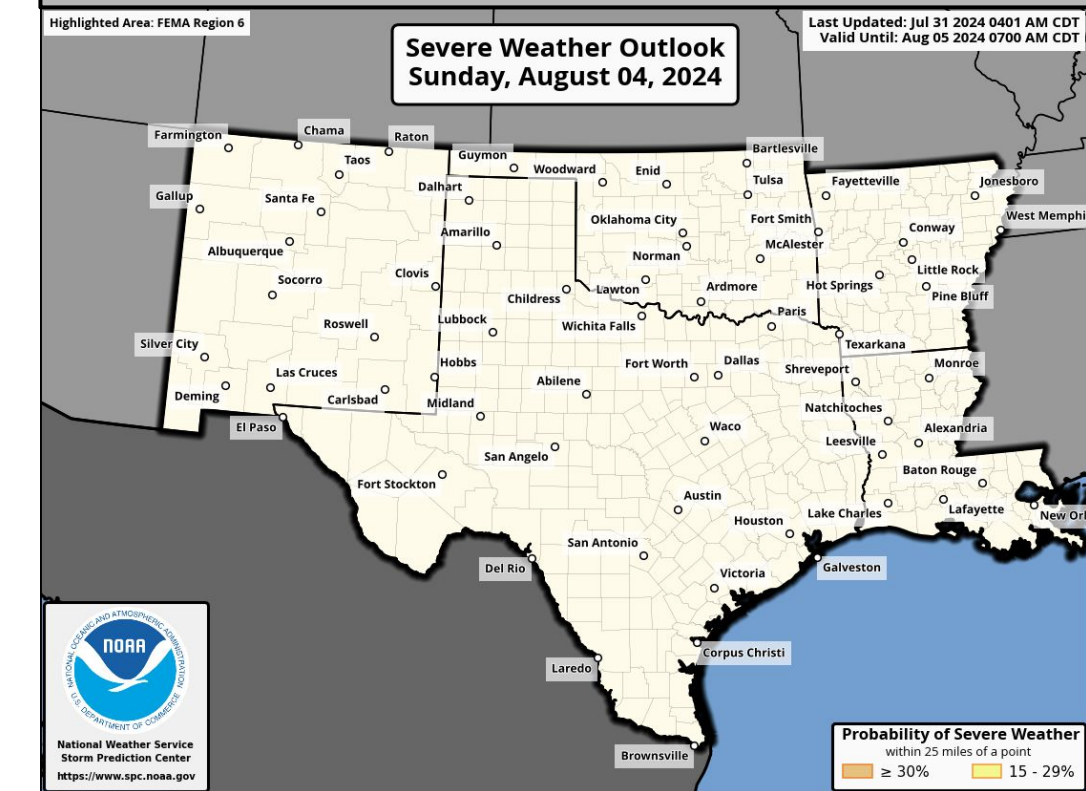


Forecast Rainfall

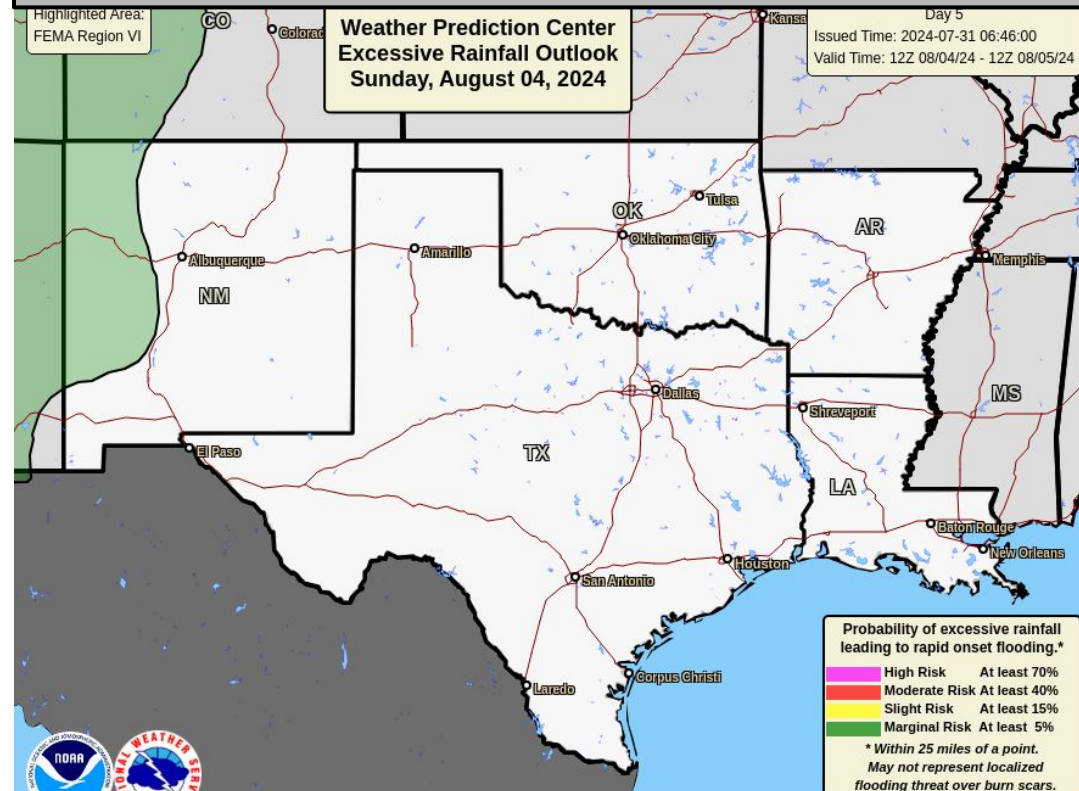


Flash flooding across burn scar areas in NM.

Severe Weather Outlook

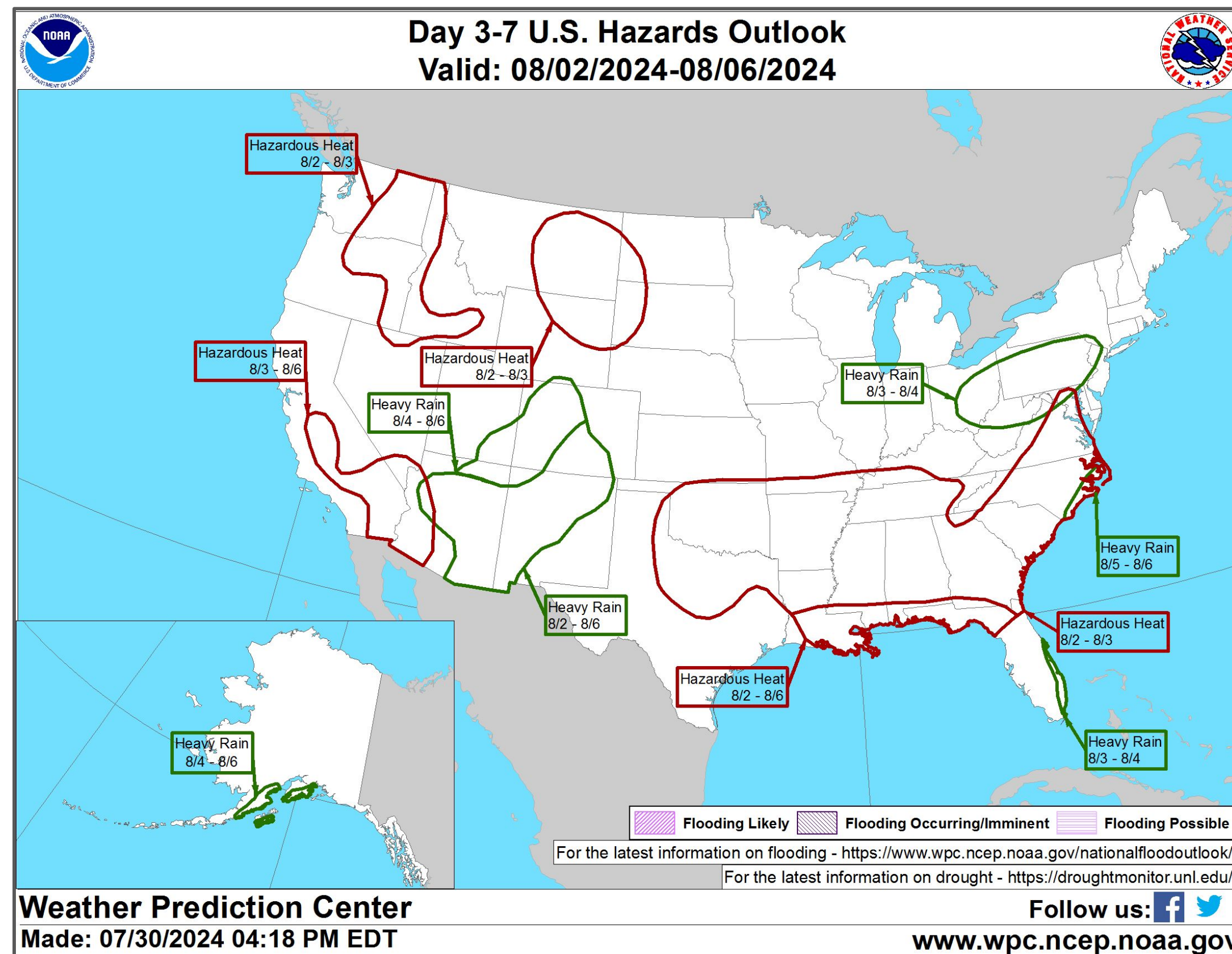


Excessive Rainfall Outlook





“Day 3-7” Hazards Outlook



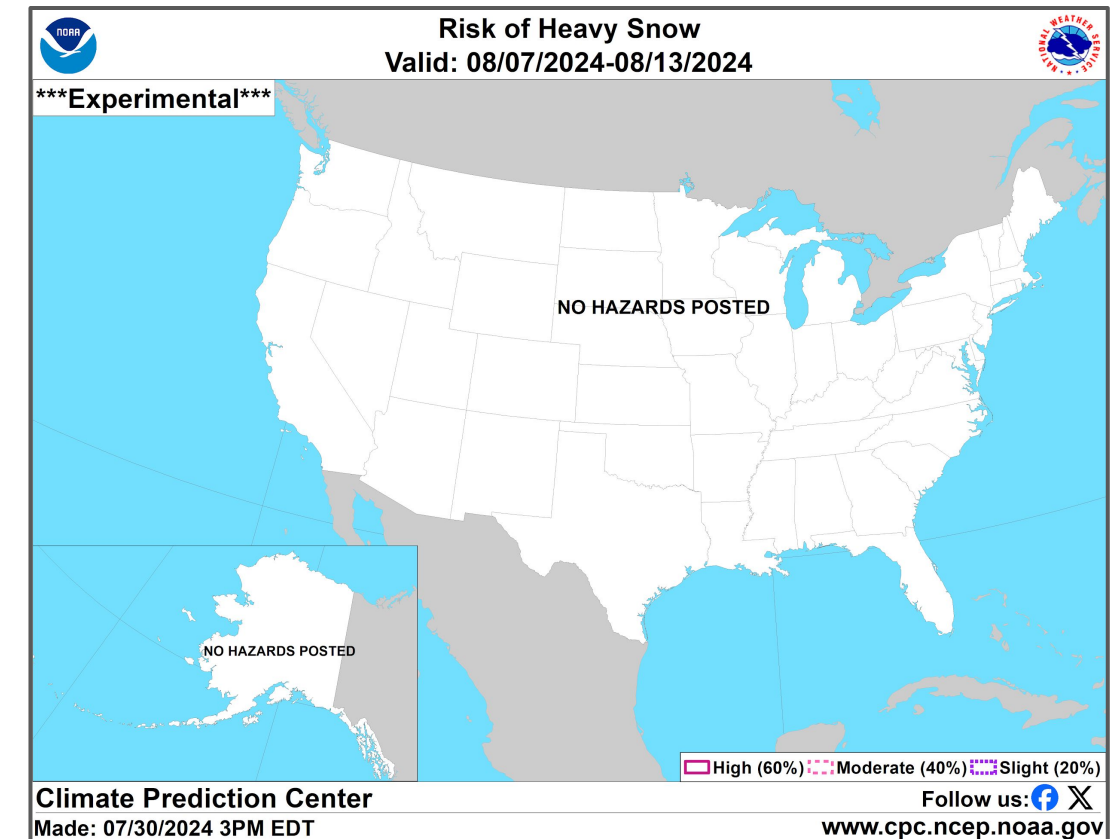
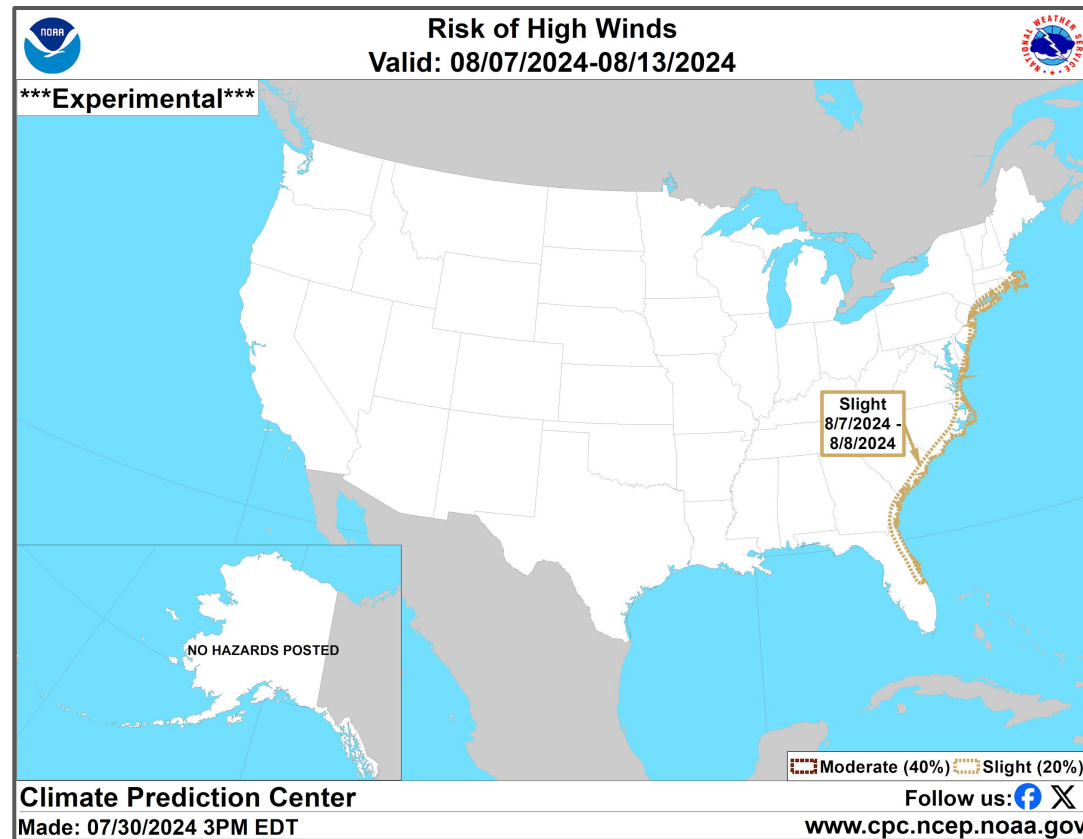
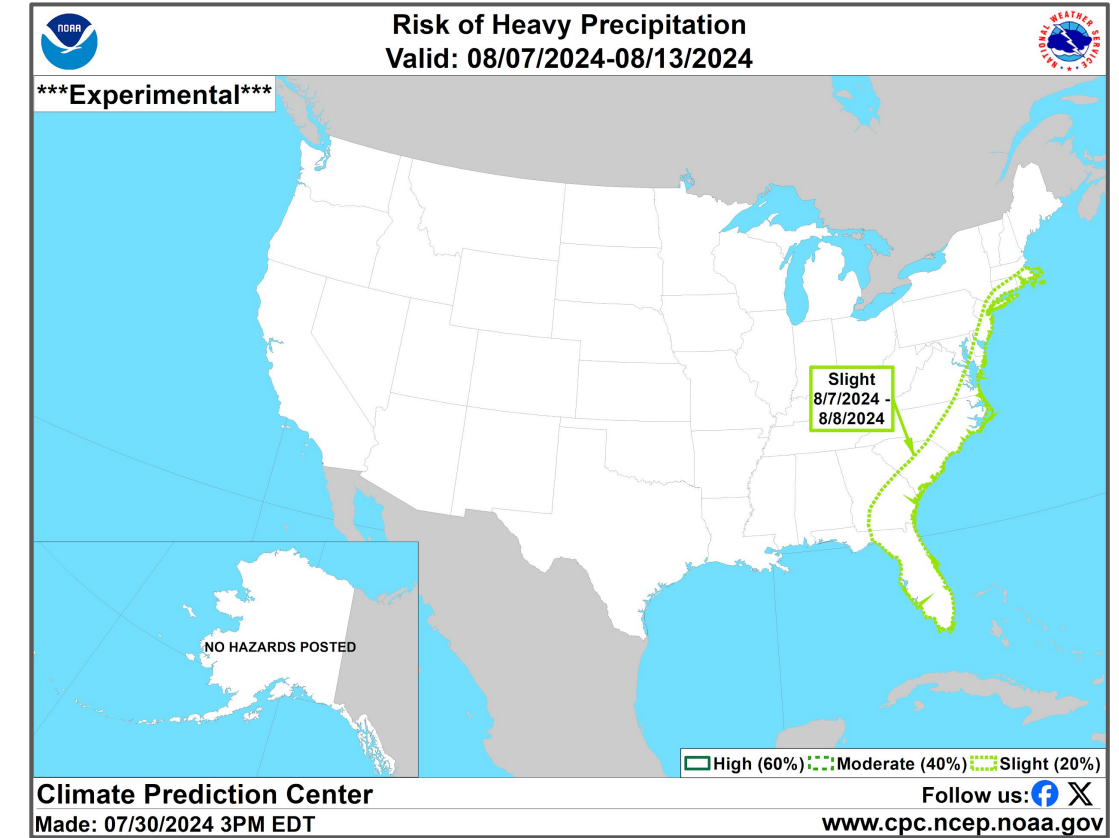
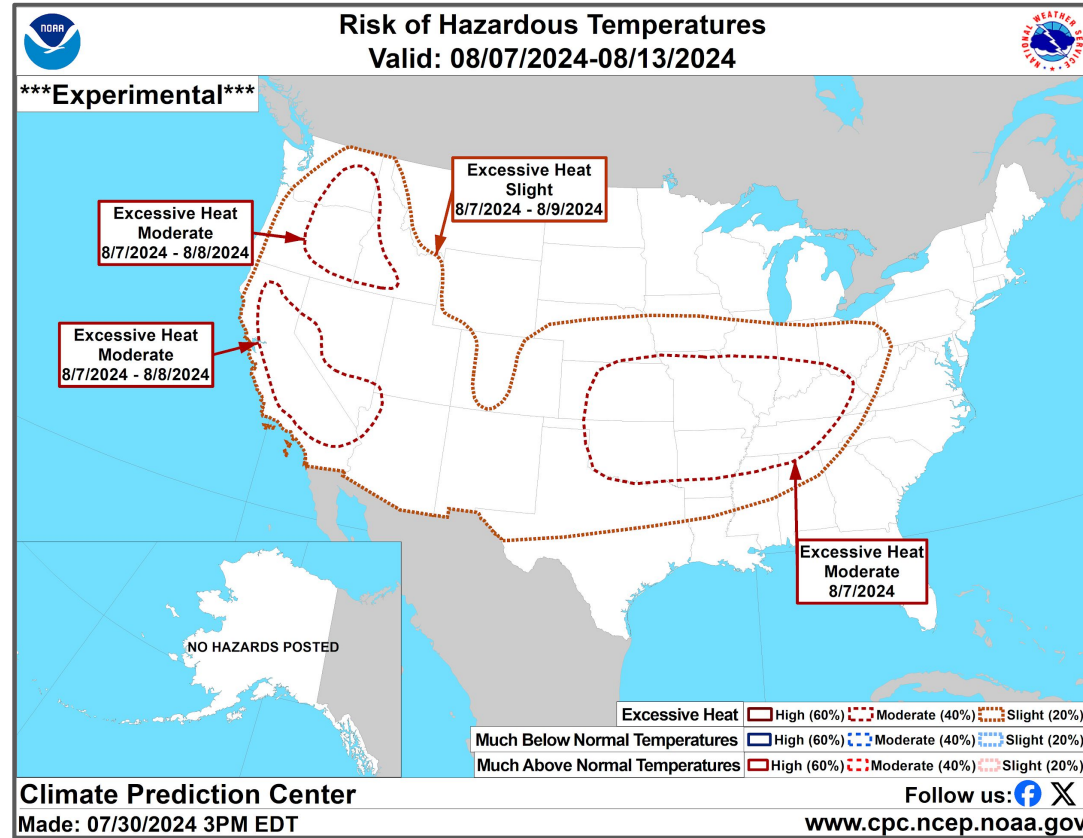
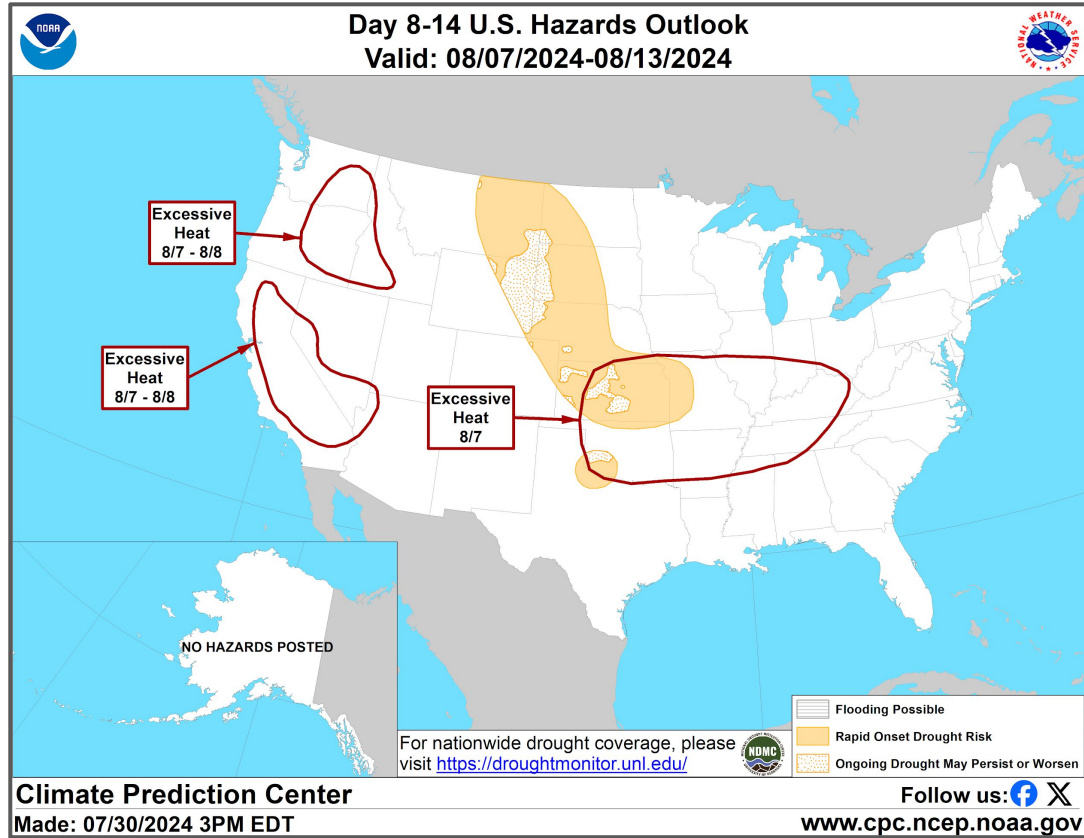
NOTE: These outlooks are issued in the afternoon and only issued on weekdays. Because of that and the fact that these slides are issued in the mornings:

1. The “day 3-7” will really be days 2-6
2. This slide will be hidden on Mondays and Sundays so the data/information is not too old

For additional information on this outlook go to <https://origin.wpc.ncep.noaa.gov/threats/threats.php>



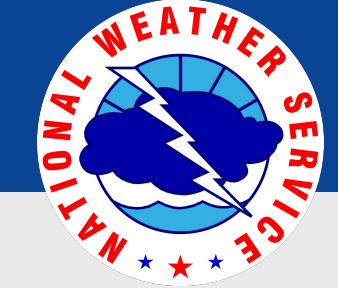
“Day 8-14” Hazards Outlook



NOTE: These outlooks are issued in the afternoon and only issued on weekdays. Because of that and the fact that these slides are issued in the mornings:

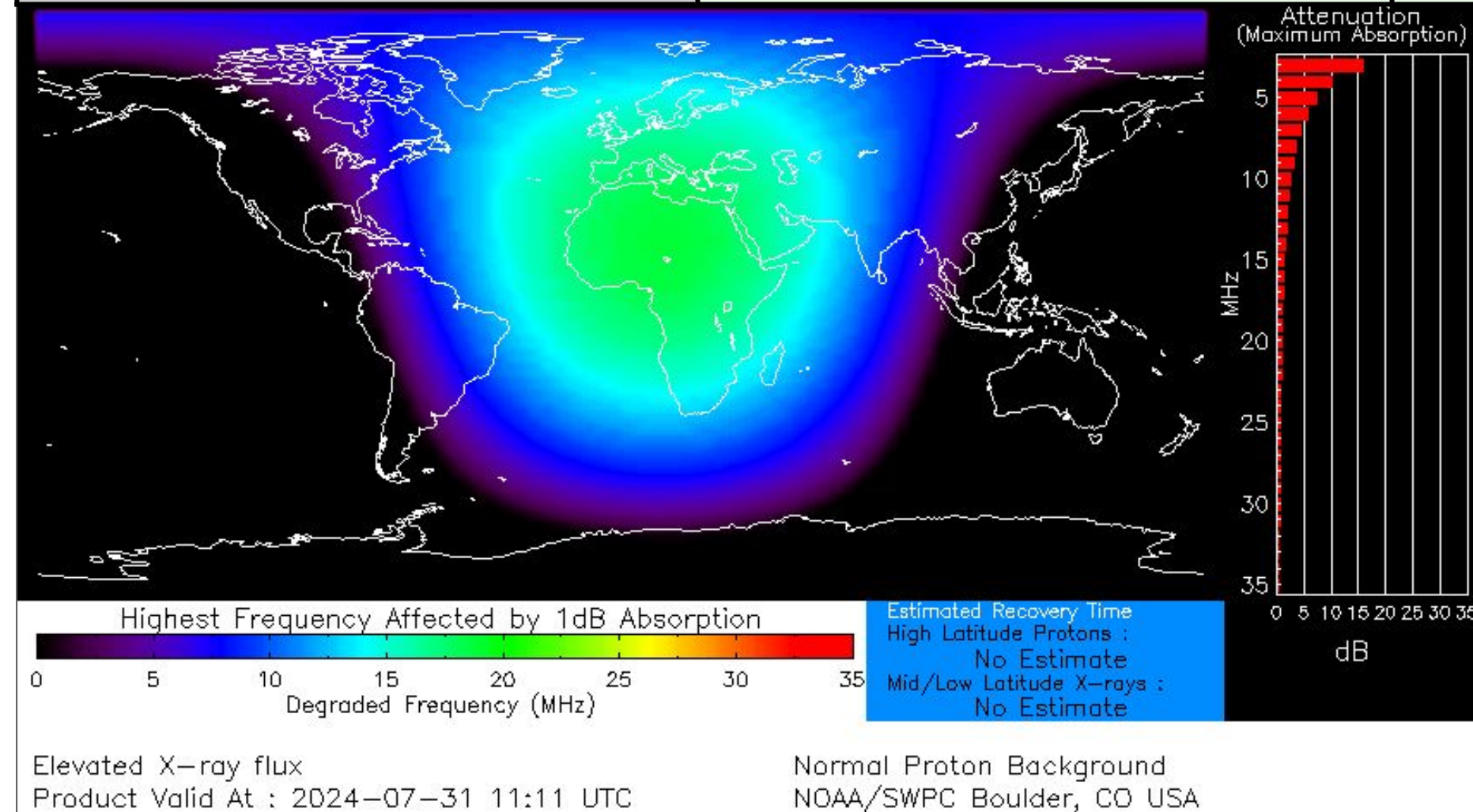
1. The “day 8-14” will really be days 7-13
2. This slide will be hidden on Mondays and Sundays so the data/information is not too old

For additional information on this outlook go to <https://www.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/products/predictions/threats/threats.php>



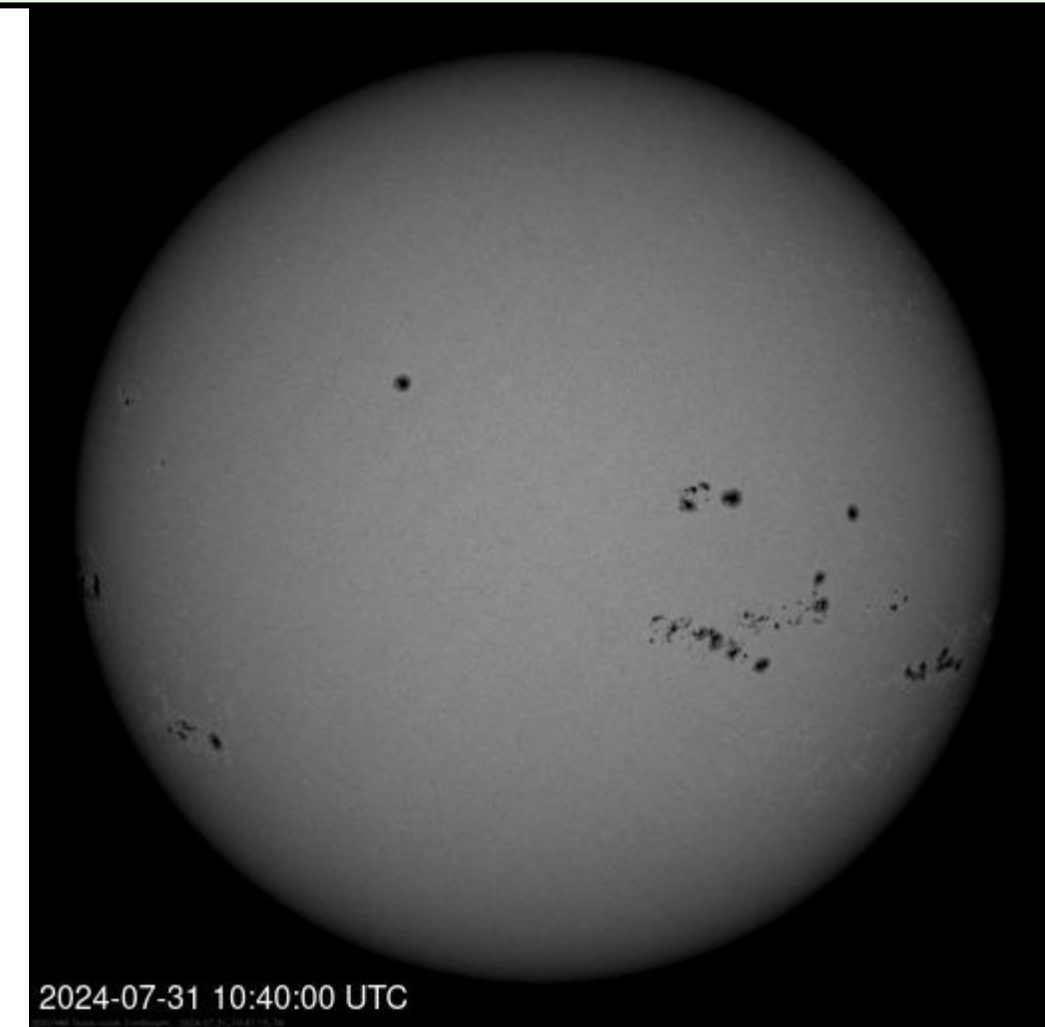
Space Weather 3-Day Forecast

	Wednesday, Jul 31	Thursday, Aug 1	Friday, Aug 2
Geomagnetic Storms	Moderate (G2) Storm (Max Kp = 6)	Active (Max Kp = 4)	Quiet (Max Kp = 2)
Solar Radiation Storm (S1-S5)	20%	20%	25%
Radio Blackout (R1-R2)	75%	75%	75%
Radio Blackout (R3-R5)	25%	25%	25%



[Description of the Space Weather Storm Scales](#)

[Latest 3-Day Space Weather Forecast](#)





National Weather Service

Southern Region Headquarters

Regional Operations Center

Fort Worth, TX



Phone: (682) 703-3747



Facebook: NWSSouthern



E-mail: sr-srh.roc@noaa.gov



Twitter: NWSSouthern



Web: www.weather.gov/srh

