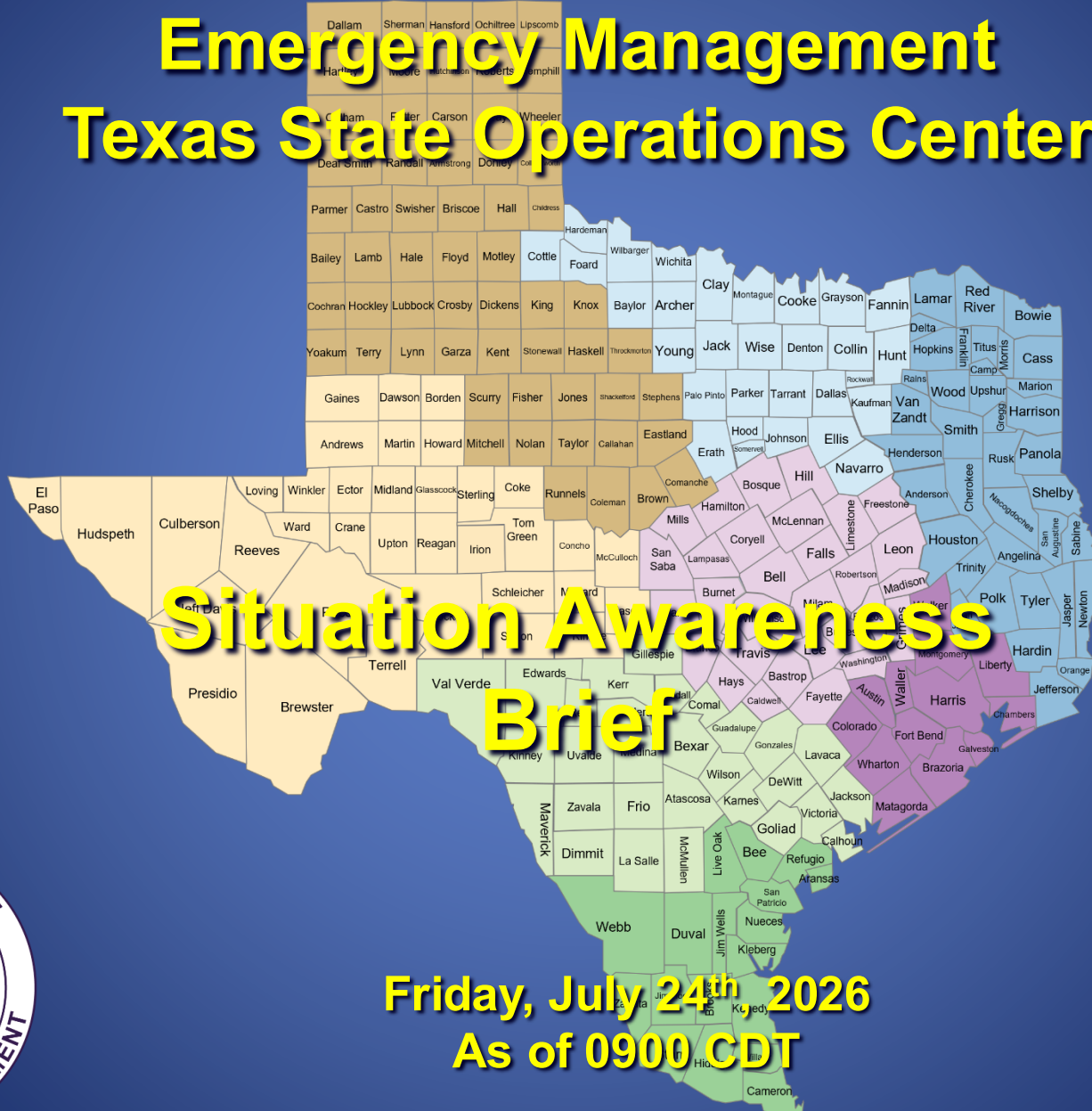


Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center



Friday, July 24th, 2026
As of 0900 CDT

Tropical Weather Awareness



Seven-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook

National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



www.hurricanes.gov

No Disturbances

Tropical cyclone activity is not expected during the next 7 days.

07:20 AM EDT
Fri Jul 24 2026

100W 90W 80W 70W 60W 50W 40W 30W 20W

45N

35N

25N

15N

5N

7-Day Cyclone Formation Chance and Area: ☼ < 40% ☼ 40-60% ☼ > 60%

☼ Development not expected

Tropical or Subtropical Cyclone: ○ Depression ◐ Storm ◑ Hurricane

⊗ Post-Tropical Cyclone or Remnants

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

DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION
07/23/26	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M3.9)	Mitchell County
07/23/26	Update Report #5 of the Gypsum Fire	King County
07/23/26	Initial Report of a Road Closure	Hill County
07/23/26	Initial Report of a Railroad Incident	Hill County
07/23/26	Final Report of the Gypsum Fire	King County
07/23/26	Final Report of a Road Closure	Hill County

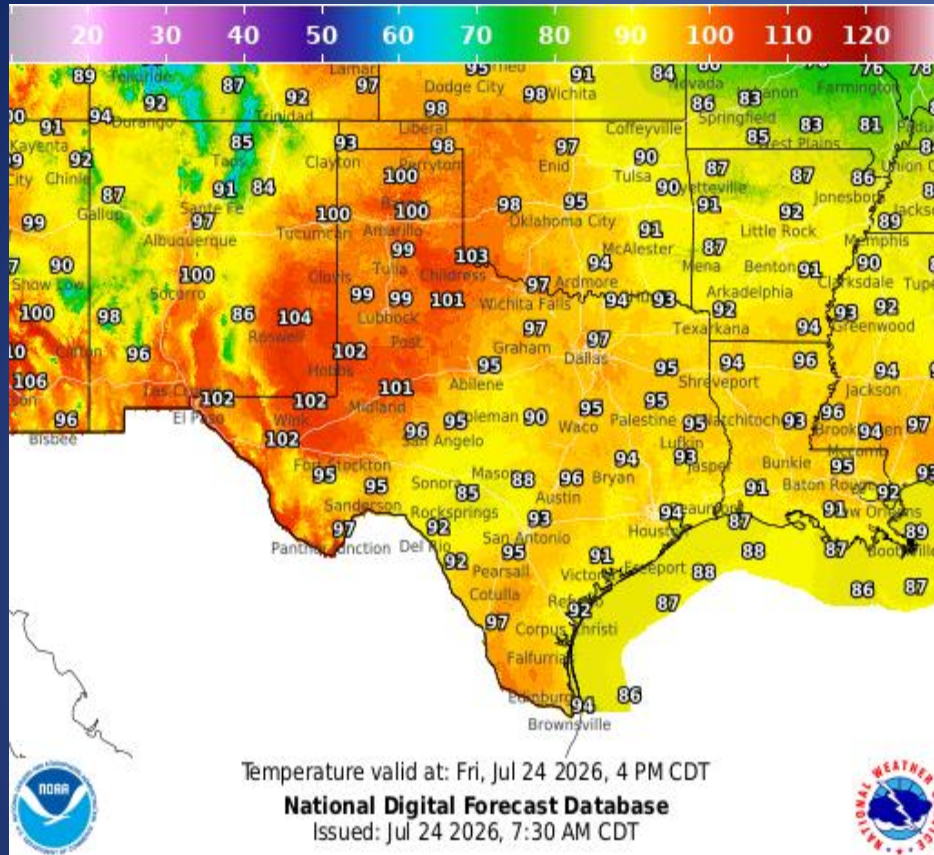
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DATE	SUBJECT
07/23/26	Daily Situation Report [25-0026 02JUL Severe Weather]
07/23/26	Daily Situation Report [26-0001 Wildfire Season 2026]
07/23/26	Daily Situation Report [26-0019 12JUL Severe Weather]
07/23/26	Daily Situation Report [26-0016 New World Screwworm Response]
07/23/26	NHC Tropical Storm Bertha Advisory Number 17
07/23/26	National Weather Service Brownsville: Isolated Severe Storms and Wind Gusts Possible Late This Afternoon and Early This Evening; Locally Heavy Rainfall Timing Moved Up
07/23/26	National Weather Service Austin/San Antonio: Tropical Storm Bertha
07/23/26	National Weather Service West Gulf RFC: Significant Flooding Continues...Watching Moisture from Bertha
07/23/26	National Weather Service Corpus Christi: Tropical Storm Bertha & Excessive Rainfall Update

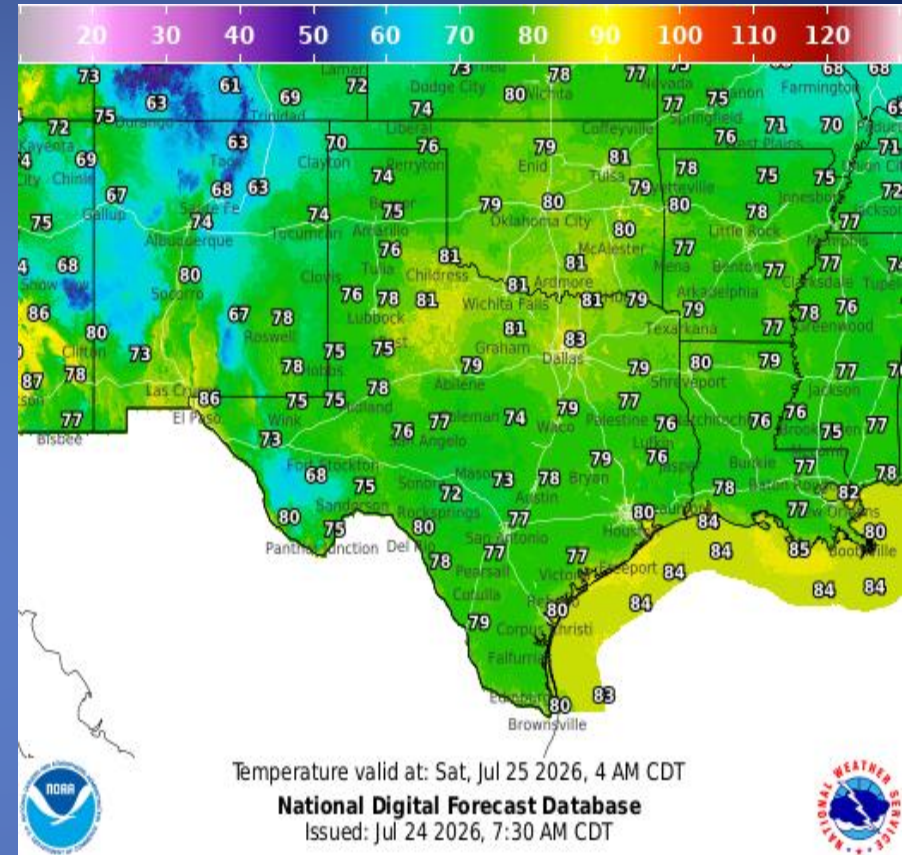
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07/23/26	National Hurricane Center Advisory Number 19 for Tropical Storm Bertha
07/23/26	State of Texas Special Events List
07/23/26	National Weather Service Houston/Galveston: Tropical Storm Bertha Update
07/23/26	FEMA R6 Daily Situational Awareness Report (DSAR)
07/23/26	NHC Tropical Storm Bertha Advisory Number 18
07/24/26	Daily National Weather Service Threat Brief

Weather Forecast

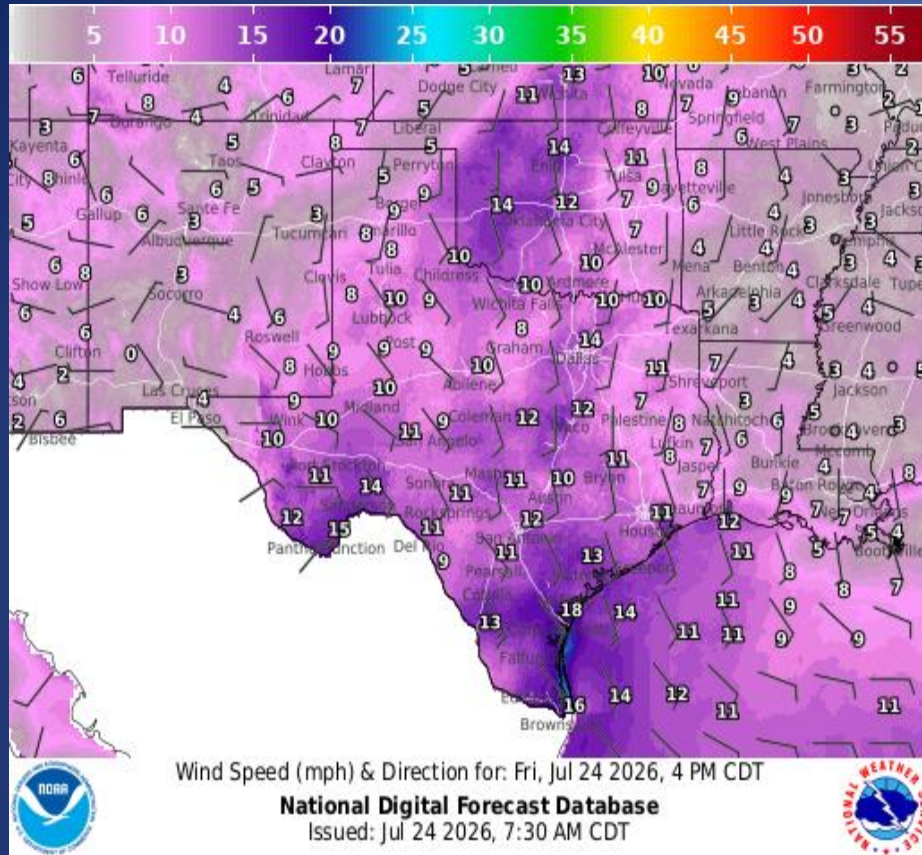


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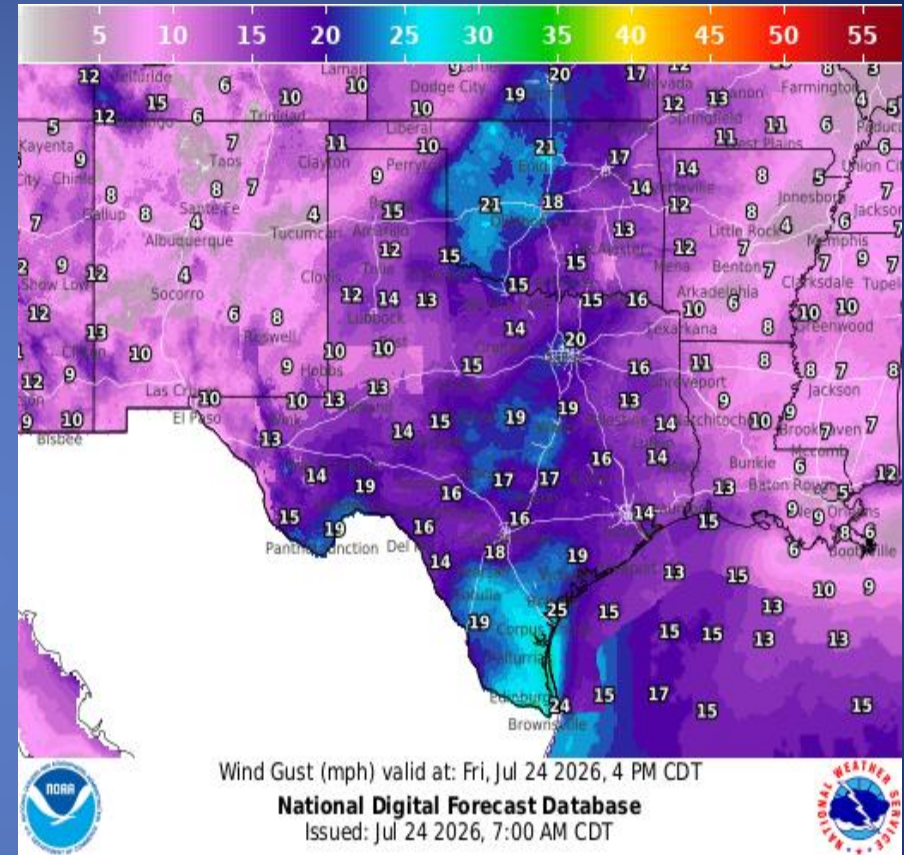


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Weather Forecast

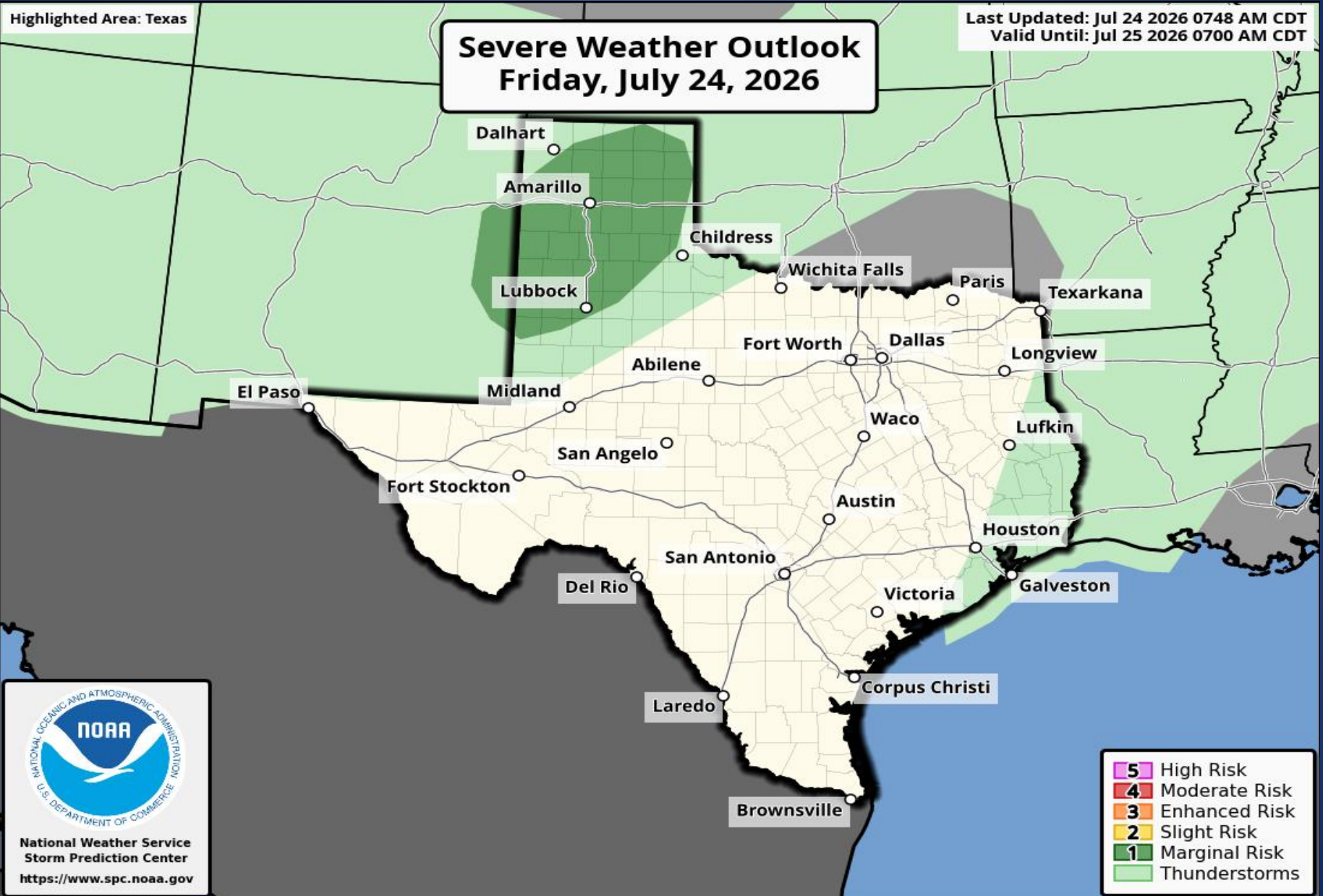


Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather



Hazardous Weather

MARGINAL RISK SEVERE THUNDERSTORMS

weather.gov/LUBBOCK
Updated: Fri Jul 24, 2026 8:05 AM

WHAT

Thunderstorms will develop across eastern NM and western portions on the Caprock this afternoon before expanding east. Primary hazards expected are strong winds and locally heavy rainfall.

WHERE

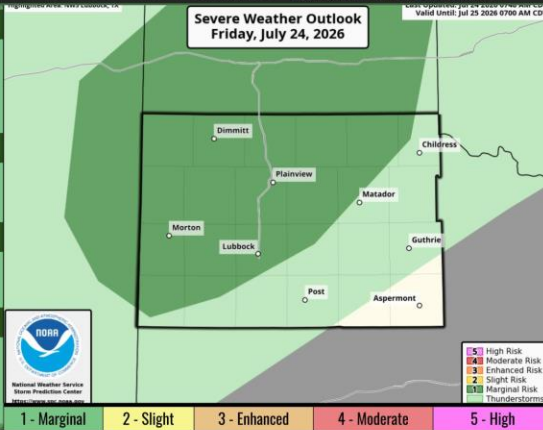
For southern Texas Panhandle, portions of the South Plains, and portions of the Rolling Plains.

WHEN

Later this afternoon and evening. Greatest chances between 4 PM to 9 PM.

ACTION

Monitor the weather and have a plan of action if severe weather strikes your area.



NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE LUBBOCK

Follow: X @NWSLubbock

Scattered thunderstorms will be possible this afternoon and evening. Storms are expected to develop along the NM/TX border and expand east into our forecast area. Severe thunderstorms with the potential for strong wind gusts and locally heavy rainfall leading to flooding will be possible.

Today: Partly Cloudy...Lingering Showers SW

weather.gov/ewx
Updated: Fri Jul 24, 2026 3:37 AM

- A few showers will linger over the southwestern part of South-Central Texas as the remnants of TS Bertha move away
- The rest of the area will see partly cloudy skies
- High temperatures will be near normal



NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE AUSTIN/SAN ANTONIO

Follow: X @NWSSanAntonio

A few showers will linger over the southwestern part of South-Central Texas today as the remnants of TS Bertha move away to the west. Temperatures will be a little cooler, but near normal. Highs will range from the mid 80s to the mid 90s.

Hazardous Weather



Nueces River Flooding

July 24, 2026
4:25 AM

- **Cotulla:** Gradually subsiding, but will remain in **major** flood stage through early next week.
- **Tilden:** Will begin rising in the next 24 hours with the main flood wave arriving Saturday with a rapid rise. **Forecast: Major**
- **Three Rivers:** Will remain relatively flat through the weekend, then increase early next week. **Forecast: Major**



Note: The forecast at Tilden is based on the current flow at Cotulla and the latest satellite image of the flood wave.



National Weather Service
Corpus Christi, TX

The Nueces River at Cotulla is falling, but will remain in major flood levels through the weekend. Downstream at Tilden, the river is forecast to begin rising today with a rapid increase on Saturday into major flood stage. Three rivers will rise to major flood stage next week.

Dangerous Heat Persists Into Late Next Week

Practice Heat Safety to Prevent Heat-Related Illnesses



Key Messages

- Triple-digit Heat Indices expected each afternoon
- Warm and muggy conditions at night provide little to no relief
- Moderate to Major (levels 2/3 of 4) Heat Risk expected



Shift Outdoor Activities
away from 10am to 4pm



Take Frequent Breaks
in air conditioning or shade



Look Before You Lock
Never leave kids or pets unattended in a hot car



Hydrate
drink before you are thirsty

Maximum Heat Index (°F) Forecast

	7/24	7/25	7/26	7/27	7/28	7/29	7/30
	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu
Brownsville	105	105	107	108	108	109	109
Edinburg	106	106	107	108	108	109	109
Falfurrias	107	105	106	108	109	110	109
Harlingen	108	108	109	111	111	111	111
Hebbronville	102	100	100	102	103	104	102
McAllen	107	107	108	109	109	110	109
Raymondville	107	106	108	110	111	111	110
Rio Grande City	110	108	108	110	112	112	112
Roma	107	106	106	108	109	110	110
Sarita	108	105	108	111	111	112	110
South Padre Island	97	96	97	98	98	97	98
Weslaco	104	105	106	107	107	107	107
Zapata	103	102	102	105	106	106	106

85 90 95 100 105 110 115 120
Maximum Heat Index Forecast (°F)



NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE BROWNSVILLE/RCV

Follow: X @NWSBrownsville

weather.gov/bro

Updated: Fri Jul 24, 2026

A Moderate (Level 2 of 4) to Major (Level 3 of 4) Heat Risk continues into late next week. Be sure to drink plenty of water if spending time outdoors and don't forget about your pets!

Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
07/23/26	Heat Advisory	Angelina, Aransas, Archer, Armstrong, Atascosa, Bandera, Bastrop, Baylor, Bee, Bexar, Blanco, Borden, Briscoe, Burnet, Caldwell, Calhoun, Carson, Cherokee, Childress, Clay, Collin, Collingsworth, Comal, Comanche, Cook, Cooke, Cottle, Culberson, Dallam, Dallas, Delta, Denton, DeWitt, Dickens, Dimmit, Donley, Eastland, Edwards, Ellis, El Paso, Fannin, Fayette, Foard, Frio, Garza, Gillespie, Goliad, Gonzales, Gray, Gregg, Grayson, Guadalupe, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman, Harrison, Hartley, Hays, Hemphill, Hood, Hopkins, Howard, Hudspeth, Hunt, Hutchinson, Jack, Johnson, Karnes, Kaufman, Kendall, Kent, Kerr, Kinney, King, Knox, La Salle, Lamar, Lampasas, Lavaca, Lee, Lipscomb, Live Oak, Llano, Marion, Maverick, McMullen, Medina, Mills, Mitchell, Montague, Moore, Motley, Nacogdoches, Ochiltree, Oldham, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Potter, Rains, Randall, Real, Refugio, Roberts, Rockwall, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Patricio, Scurry, Shelby, Sherman, Smith, Somervell, Stonewall, Tarrant, Travis, Upshur, Uvalde, Val Verde, Van Zandt, Victoria, Webb, Wheeler, Wichita, Wilbarger, Williamson, Wilson, Wise, Wood, Young, and Zavala Counties.
07/23/26	Small Craft Advisory	Brazoria, Chambers, Galveston, Harris, and Matagorda Counties

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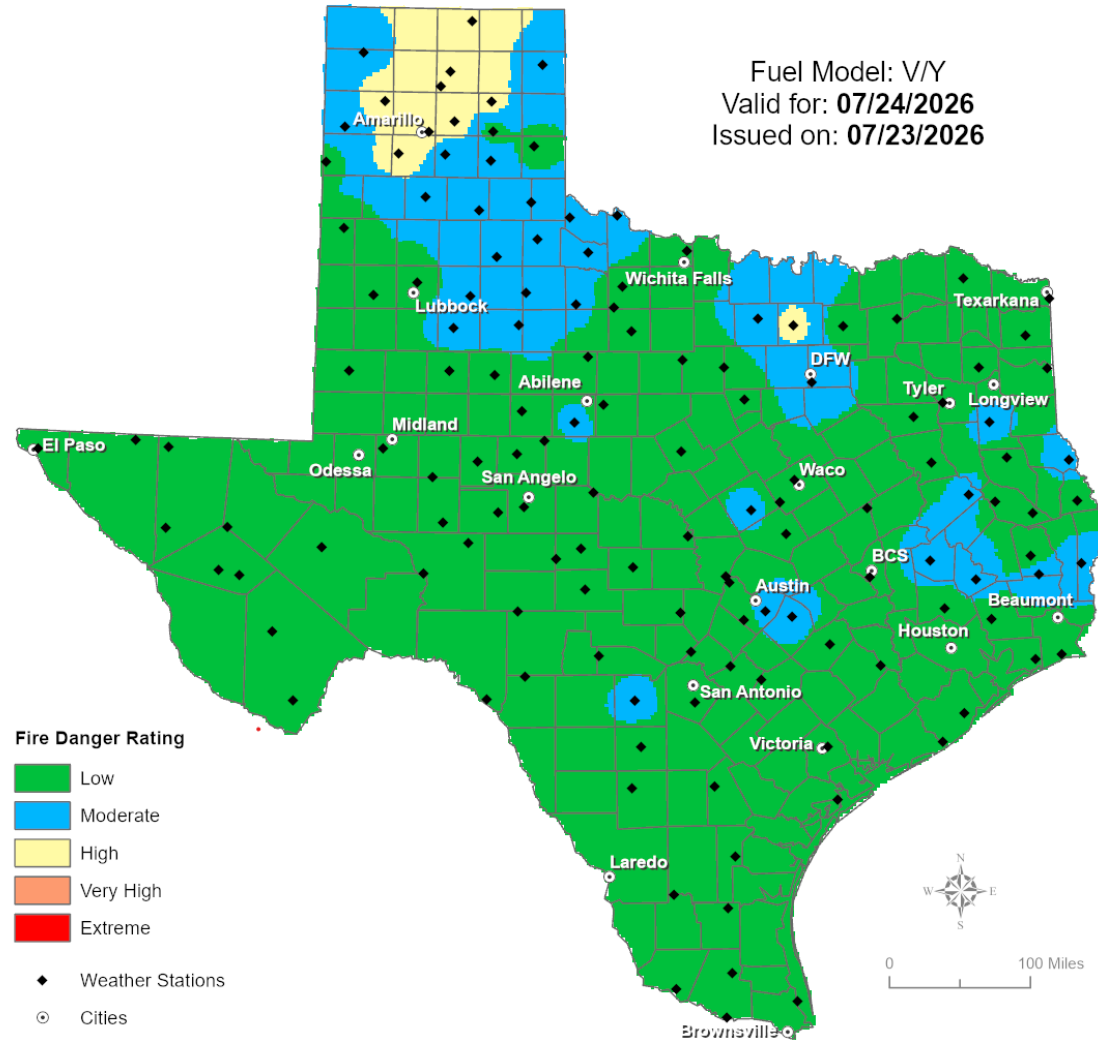
DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
07/23/26	Flood Advisory	Brazoria, Fort Bend, Harris, and Ochiltree Counties
07/23/26	Tropical Storm Warning	Brazoria, Chambers, Galveston, and Jefferson Counties
07/23/26	Tropical Cyclone Statement	Austin, Brazoria, Brazos, Burleson, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Grimes, Hardin, Harris, Houston, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Liberty, Madison, Matagorda, Montgomery, Newton, Orange, Polk, San Jacinto, Trinity, Tyler, Walker, Waller, Washington, and Wharton Counties
07/23/26	Rip Current Statement	Brazoria, Galveston, and Matagorda Counties
07/23/26	Extreme Heat Warning	Baylor, Foard, Hardeman, Knox, and Wilbarger Counties
07/23/26	Airport Weather Warning	Midland County
07/23/26	Special Weather Statement	Cottle County
07/23/26	Flash Flood Warning	Fort Bend, Harris, and McMullen Counties
07/23/26	Flood Warning	Brazoria, Dimmit, Fort Bend, Harris, La Salle, Live Oak, and McMullen Counties
07/23/26	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Lipscomb and Ochiltree Counties

Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
07/23/26	Special Marine Warning	Aransas, Brazoria, Calhoun, Jackson, Matagorda, and Refugio Counties
07/23/26	Tropical Storm Statement	Austin, Brazoria, Burleson, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Grimes, Harris, Houston, Jackson, Liberty, Madison, Matagorda, Montgomery, Polk, San Jacinto, Trinity, Walker, Waller, Washington, and Wharton Counties
07/23/26	Tropical Cyclone Local Statement	Hardin, Jasper, Jefferson, Newton, Orange, and Tyler Counties
07/24/26	Heat Advisory	Briscoe, Childress, Cottle, Culberson, Dickens, Fisher, Garza, Hall, Haskell, Jones, Kent, King, Motley, Nolan, Stonewall, Taylor, and Throckmorton Counties
07/24/26	Small Craft Advisory	Jefferson County
07/24/26	Flood Warning	Dimmit, La Salle, Live Oak, and McMullen Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger



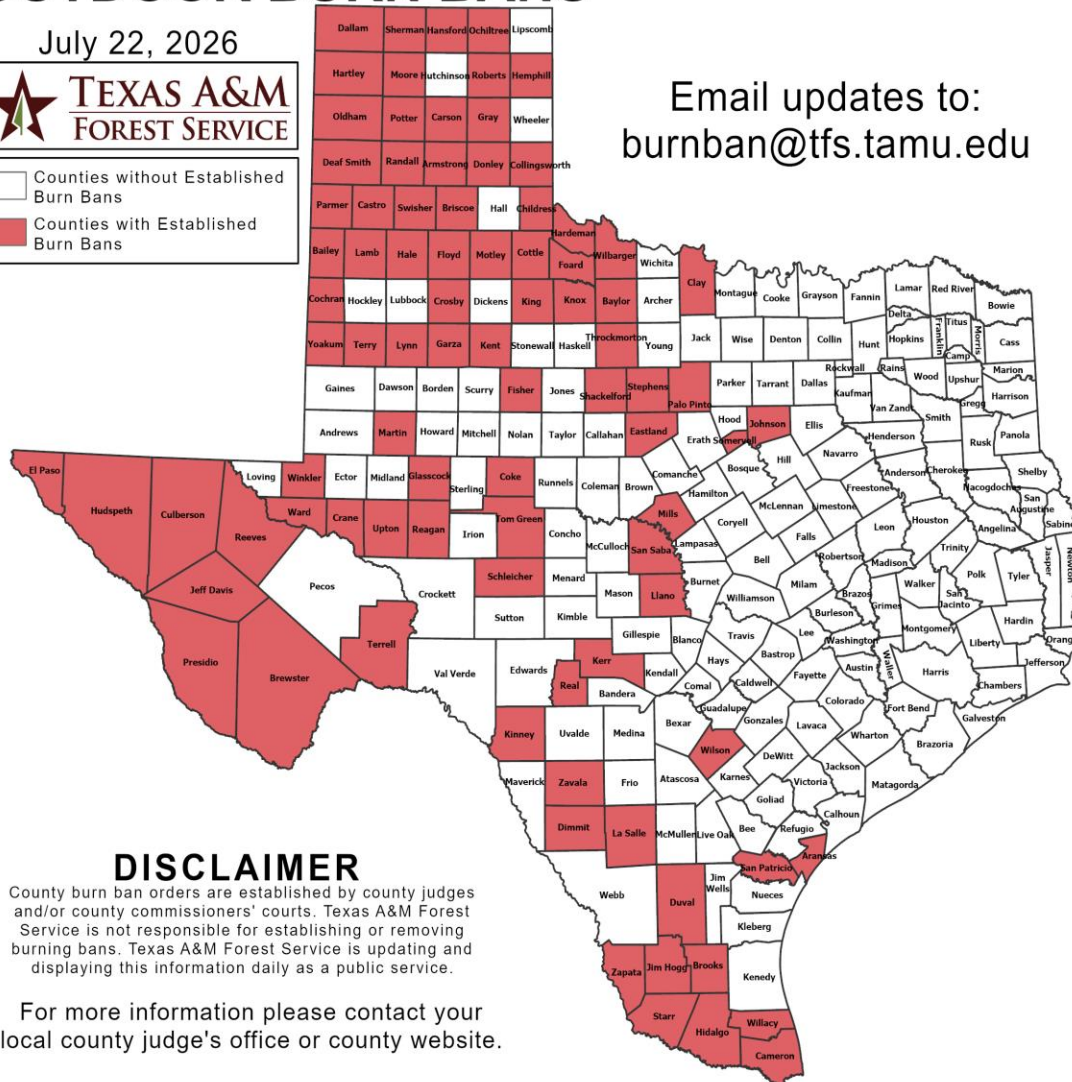
Burn Ban

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

July 22, 2026



☐ Counties without Established Burn Bans
☒ Counties with Established Burn Bans



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties with Burn Bans: 88

Aransas	Glasscock	Presidio
Armstrong	Gray	Randall
Bailey	Hale	Reagan
Baylor	Hansford	Real
Brewster	Hardeman	Reeves
Briscoe	Hartley	Roberts
Brooks	Hemphill	San Patricio
Cameron	Hidalgo	San Saba
Carson	Hudspeth	Schleicher
Castro	Jeff Davis	Shackelford
Childress	Jim Hogg	Sherman
Clay	Johnson	Somervell
Cochran	Kent	Starr
Coke	Kerr	Stephens
Collingsworth	King	Swisher
Cottle	Kinney	Terrell
Crane	Knox	Terry
Crosby	Lamb	Throckmorton
Culberson	La Salle	Tom Green
Dallam	Llano	Upton
Deaf Smith	Lynn	Ward
Dimmit	Martin	Wilbarger
Donley	Mills	Willacy
Duval	Moore	Wilson
Eastland	Motley	Winkler
El Paso	Ochiltree	Yoakum
Fisher	Oldham	Zapata
Floyd	Palo Pinto	Zavala
Foard	Parmer	
Garza	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

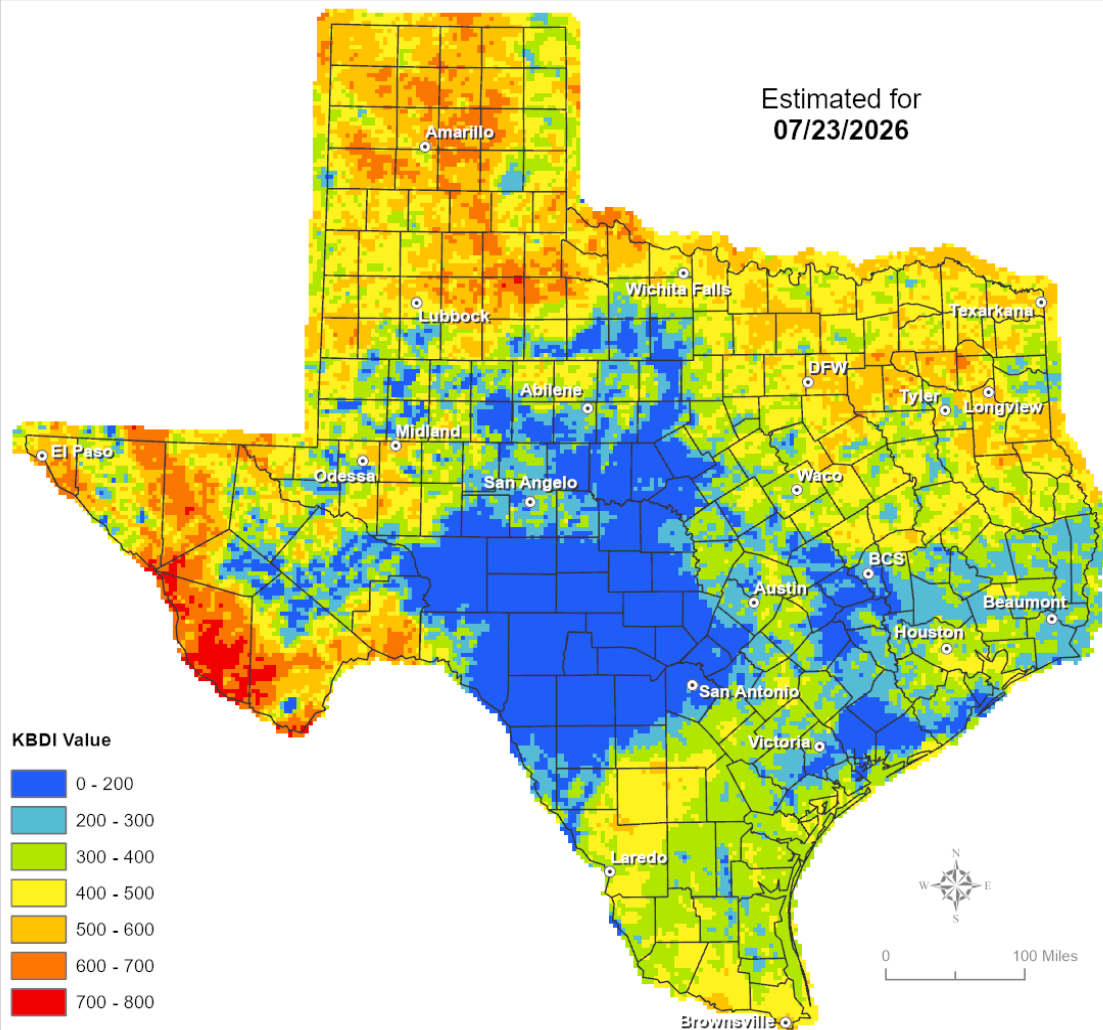
Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

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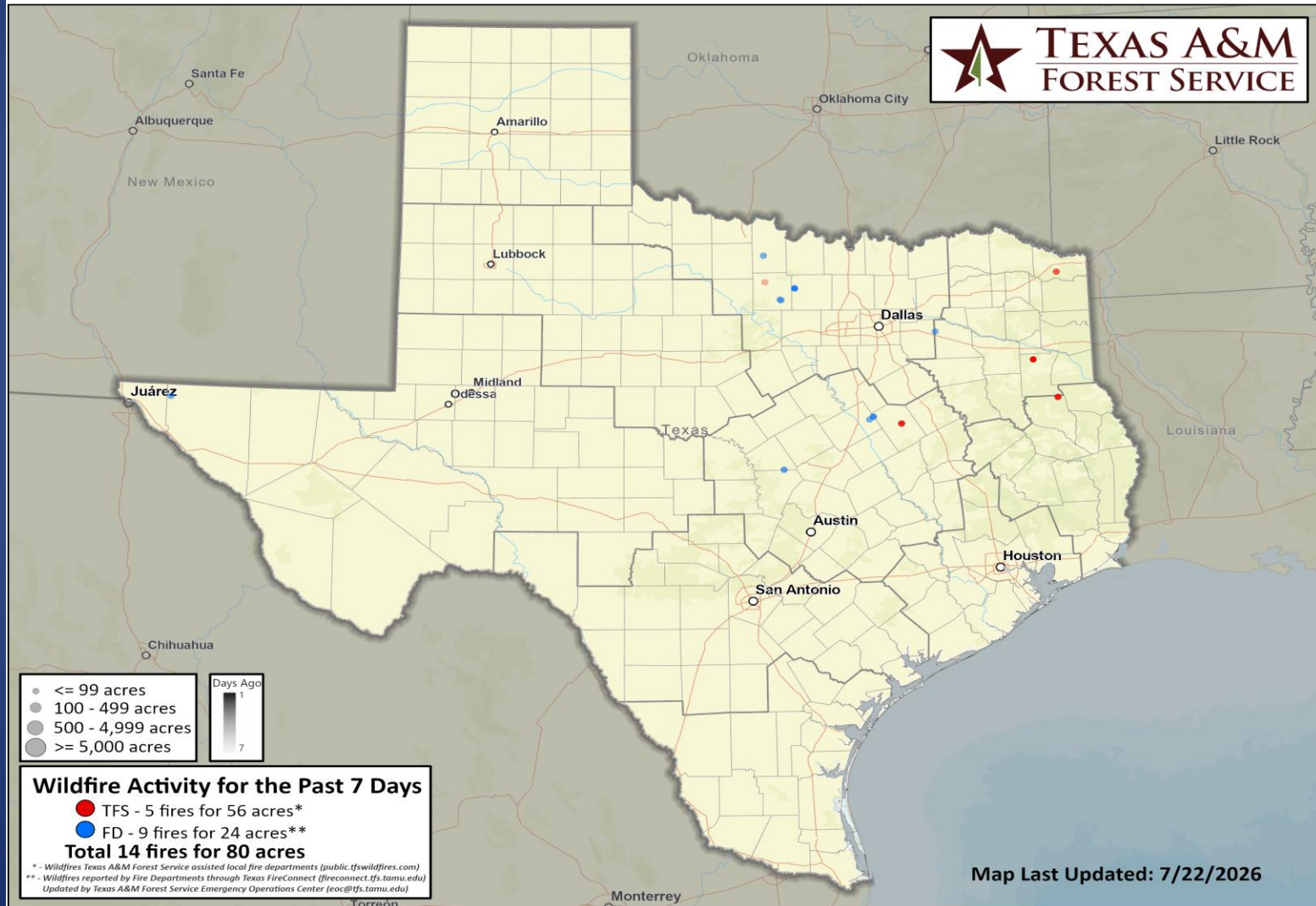
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Estimated for
07/23/2026



Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 750 fires (No Change) and 107,658 (No Change) acres have been burned this year. There are 88 (No Change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list contains 111 (+16) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
07/20/26	07/24/26	HazMat Technician (NFPA Certification Course)	H-501	Lubbock, TX
07/23/26	07/24/26	Advanced Incident Command System for Complex Incidents	G-400	Austin, TX
07/23/26	08/20/26	CAMEO Session 2	--	Virtual

Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
07/20/26	07/27/26	Arlington	MLB: 2026 Texas Rangers Game 47-53