

Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center



**Sunday, August 16th, 2026
As of 0900 CDT**

Tropical Weather Awareness



Seven-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



No Disturbances

www.hurricanes.gov

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

07:40 AM EDT
Sun Aug 16 2026
100W 90W 80W 70W 60W 50W 40W 30W 20W

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
08/15/26	Update Report #6 of the Woodson Creek Fire	Throckmorton County
08/15/26	Update Report #2 of the Koogle (Armstrong 7010) Fire	Armstrong County
08/15/26	Final Report of the Glenwood Fire	Ector County
08/15/26	Final Report of the Koogle Fire	Armstrong County
08/15/26	Initial Report of the Archer 7030 Fire	Archer County
08/15/26	Update Report #7 of the Woodson Creek Fire	Throckmorton County
08/15/26	Update Report #8 of the Woodson Creek Fire	Throckmorton County
08/15/26	Update Report of the County Line (Archer 7030 Fire)	Archer County
08/15/26	Update Report #9 of the Woodson Creek Fire	Throckmorton County
08/15/26	Initial and Final Report of the Prairie Fire	Limestone County

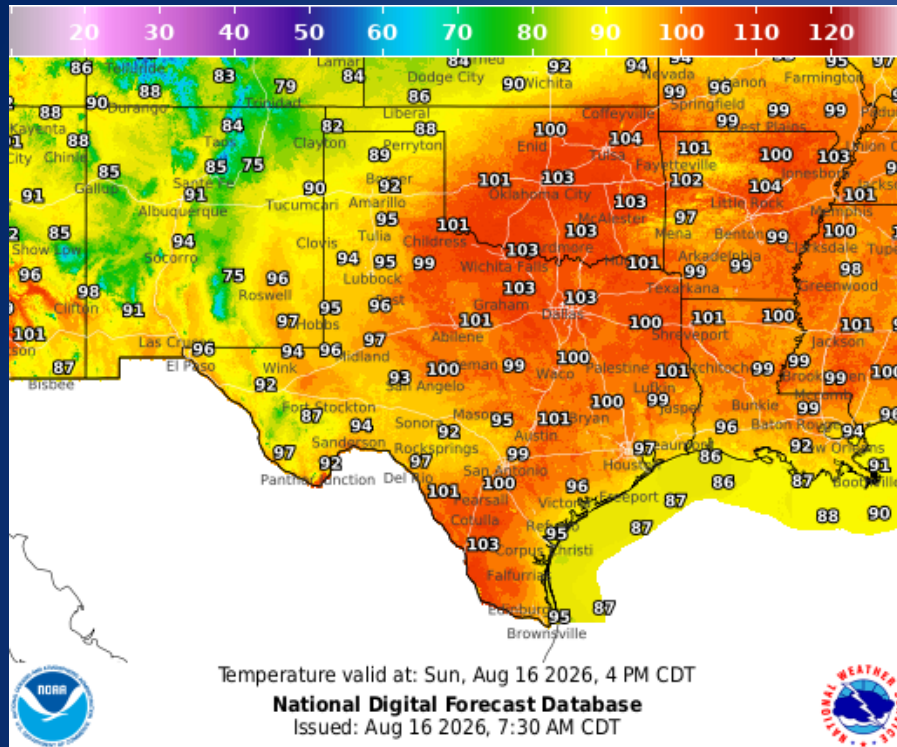
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08/15/26	Update Report #2 of the County Line Fire	Archer County
08/15/26	Update Report #3 of the County Line Fire	Archer County

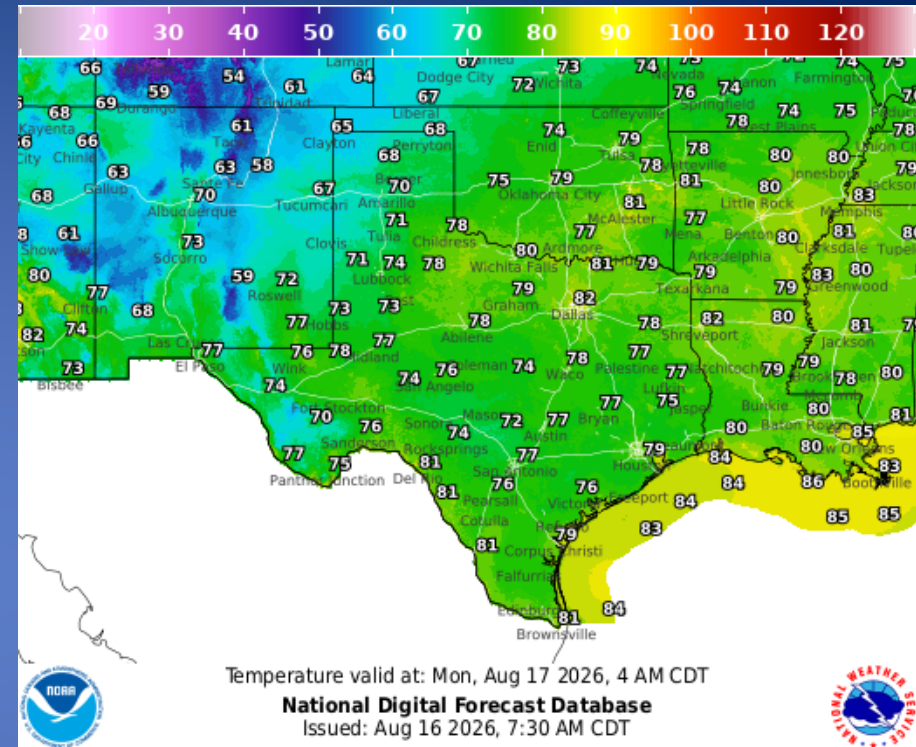
Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
08/15/26	Daily Situation Report [25-0026 02JUL Severe Weather]
08/15/26	Daily Situation Report [26-0016 New World Screwworm Response]
08/15/26	Daily Situation Report [26-0019 12JUL Severe Weather]
08/15/26	National Weather Service Amarillo: Severe Weather & Heavy Rainfall Briefing
08/16/26	Daily National Weather Service Threat Brief

Weather Forecast

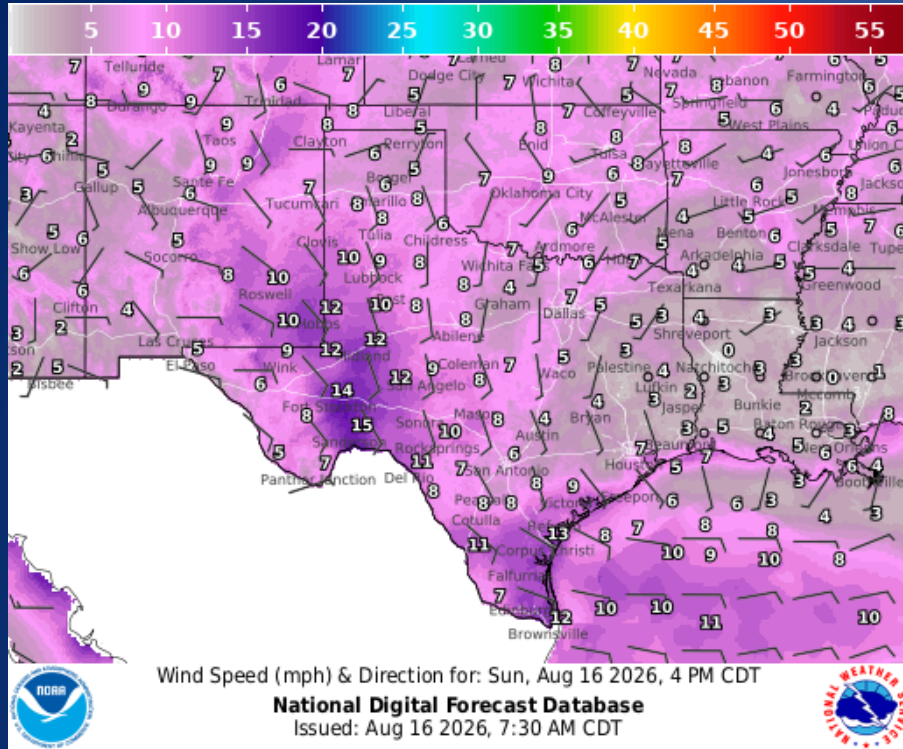


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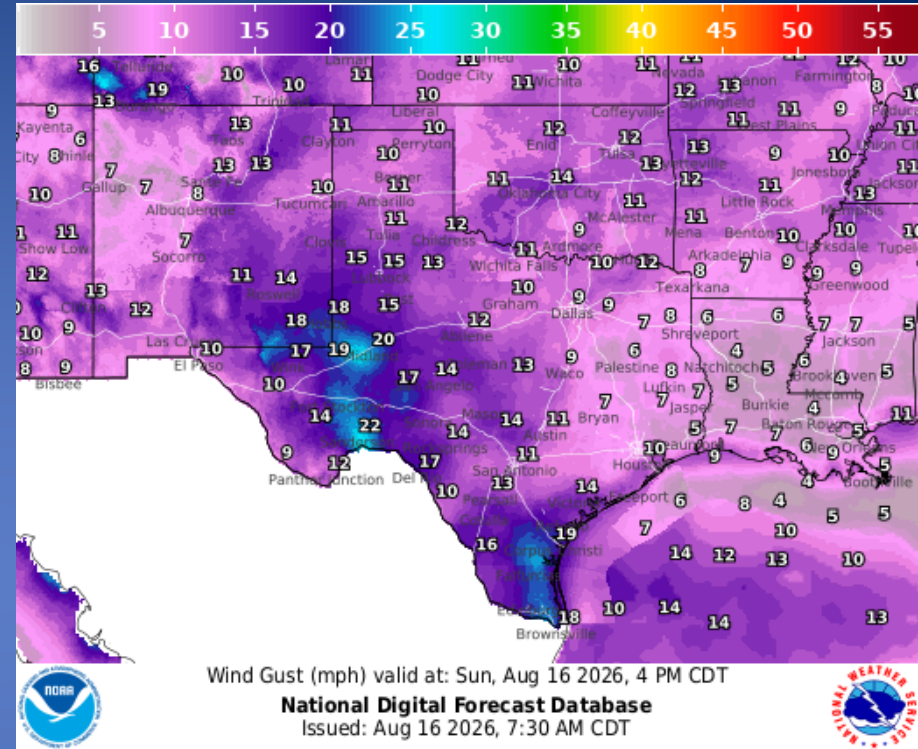


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Weather Forecast

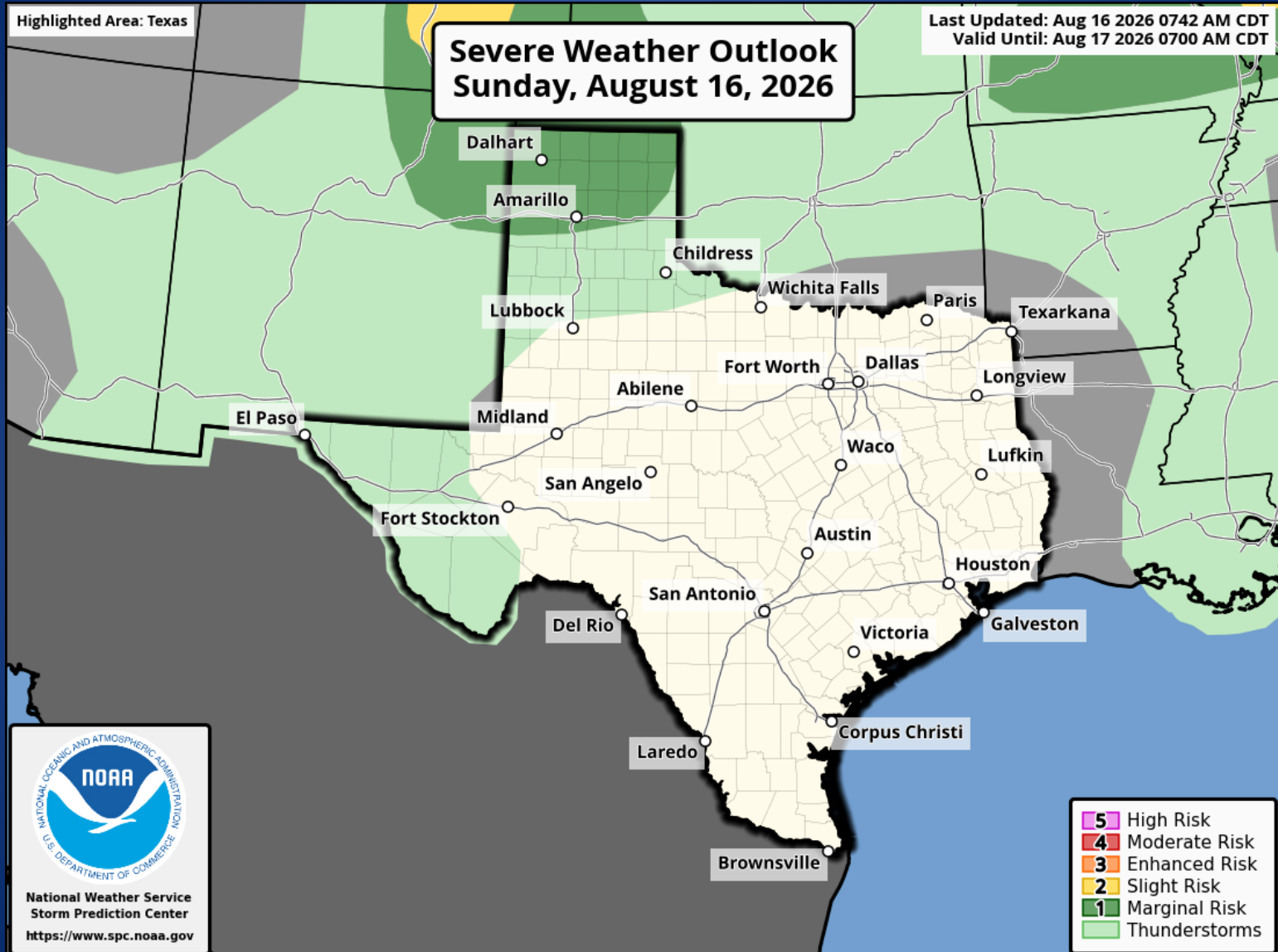


Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather



Hazardous Weather

Heat Advisory

Today 11 AM to 8 PM

✓ Key Message

- A hot and humid air mass will combine for oppressive apparent temperatures with heat index values up to 111° from late morning into the early evening.

📍 Where?

- Central, south-central, and southwest Louisiana
- Southeast Texas



Actions



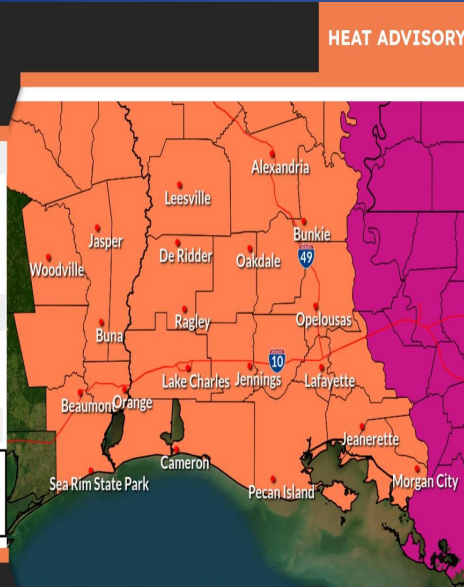
Drink plenty of fluids.



Take frequent breaks in the shade or indoors.



Never leave kids or pets unattended in vehicles!



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National Weather Service - Lake Charles, LA

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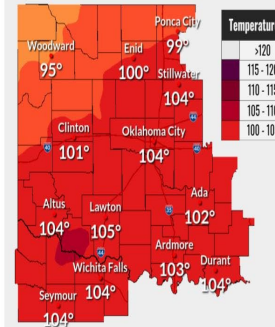
Updated: Sun Aug 16, 2026 4:54 AM

A hot and humid air mass will combine for oppressive apparent temperatures with heat index values up to 111° from the late morning into the early evening.

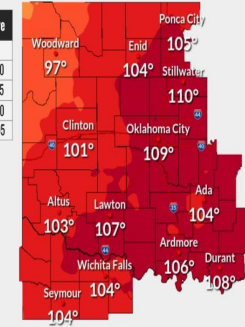
Dangerous Heat Sunday

August 16, 2026
1:19 AM

Sunday Highs



Sunday Heat Indices



STAY HYDRATED



WORK OUTDOORS? TAKE FREQUENT BREAKS



LIMIT OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES



NEVER LEAVE A CHILD OR PET ALONE IN A CAR



Heat Advisory



What To Expect

→ High temperatures between low 90s and 106°F, with heat index values up to 110°F.



National Weather Service | Norman, Oklahoma



@NWSNorman



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Another dangerously hot afternoon and early evening is expected to continue Sunday, with triple digit high temperatures and heat indices approaching 110 possible across parts of the area.

Hazardous Weather

Hot and Dry Sunday

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Issued Sun Aug 16, 2026 1:02 AM

Dangerous hot temperatures and dry conditions continue today



High temperatures in the upper 90s to near 105° and heat index up to 107°

Ways to Beat the Heat!



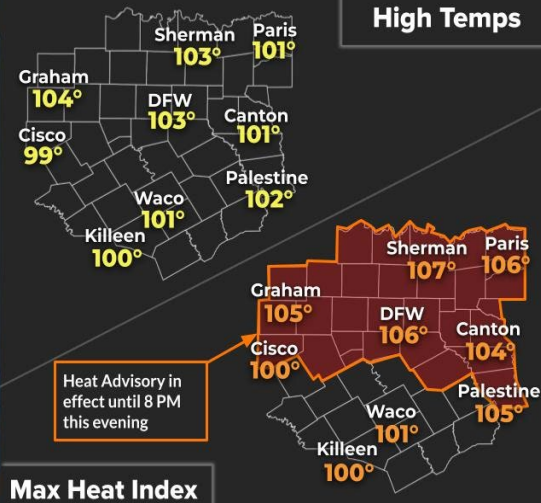
Drink plenty of water, even if not thirsty.



Take frequent breaks in shade or air conditioning.



NEVER leave kids or pets unattended in vehicles.



NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE FORT WORTH TX

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We will have another dry and very hot day (Sunday) with highs in the upper 90s to 105° and heat index values of 101° to 107°. Remember to stay hydrated and to take frequent breaks in shaded or cooled areas!

Prolonged Heat Advisory Continues

HeatRisk: Major

Valid through Tuesday Evening

Forecast

→ **High Temps:** Upper 90s to near 105

→ **Heat Index:** 105°-109°

→ **Alerts In Effect:**



Heat Advisory for Southeast Oklahoma, Southwest Arkansas, Northeast Texas and Northern Louisiana.



Stay hydrated



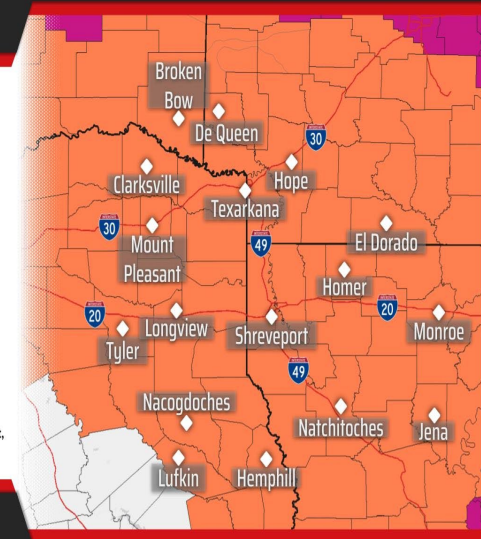
Limit strenuous time outdoors in the afternoon



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



Wear light-weight, light-colored clothing



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National Weather Service - Shreveport, LA

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Updated: Sun Aug 16, 2026 12:21 AM

A Heat Advisory will remain in effect across our entire Four-State Region through at least Tuesday, as afternoon heat indices will average between 105 to 109 degrees each day. Heed all heat safety protocols if you plan to spend extended time outdoors!

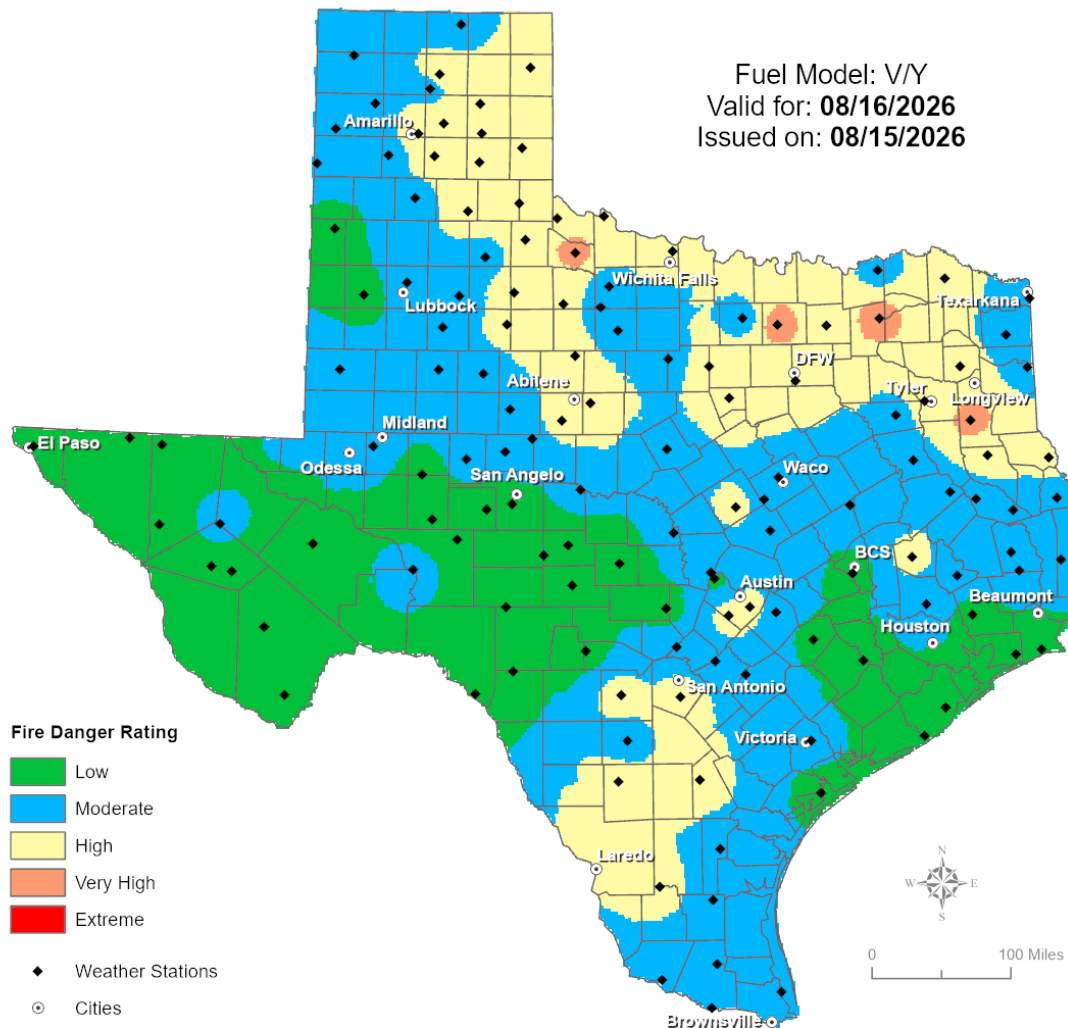
Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
08/15/26	Heat Advisory	Anderson, Angelina, Archer, Baylor, Bell, Bosque, Bowie, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Clay, Collin, Coryell, Cooke, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Eastland, Ellis, Erath, Fannin, Falls, Foard, Franklin, Freestone, Gregg, Grayson, Hardeman, Hardin, Harrison, Henderson, Hill, Hood, Hopkins, Hunt, Jack, Jasper, Jefferson, Johnson, Kaufman, Knox, Lamar, Leon, Limestone, Marion, McLennan, Milam, Montague, Morris, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Newton, Orange, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Rains, Randall, Red River, Robertson, Rockwall, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, Shelby, Smith, Somervell, Stephens, Tarrant, Titus, Tyler, Upshur, Van Zandt, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, Wood, and Young Counties
08/15/26	Flood Advisory	El Paso and Hudspeth Counties
08/15/26	Special Weather Statement	Cameron, Dallam, El Paso, Hidalgo, Hudspeth, Kenedy, and Willacy Counties
08/15/26	Flash Flood Warning	El Paso and Hudspeth Counties
08/16/26	Heat Advisory	Archer, Clay, Wichita, and Wilbarger Counties
08/16/26	Special Weather Statement	Caldwell, DeWitt, Fayette, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Karnes, Lavaca, and Wilson Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

Fuel Model: V/Y
Valid for: **08/16/2026**
Issued on: **08/15/2026**



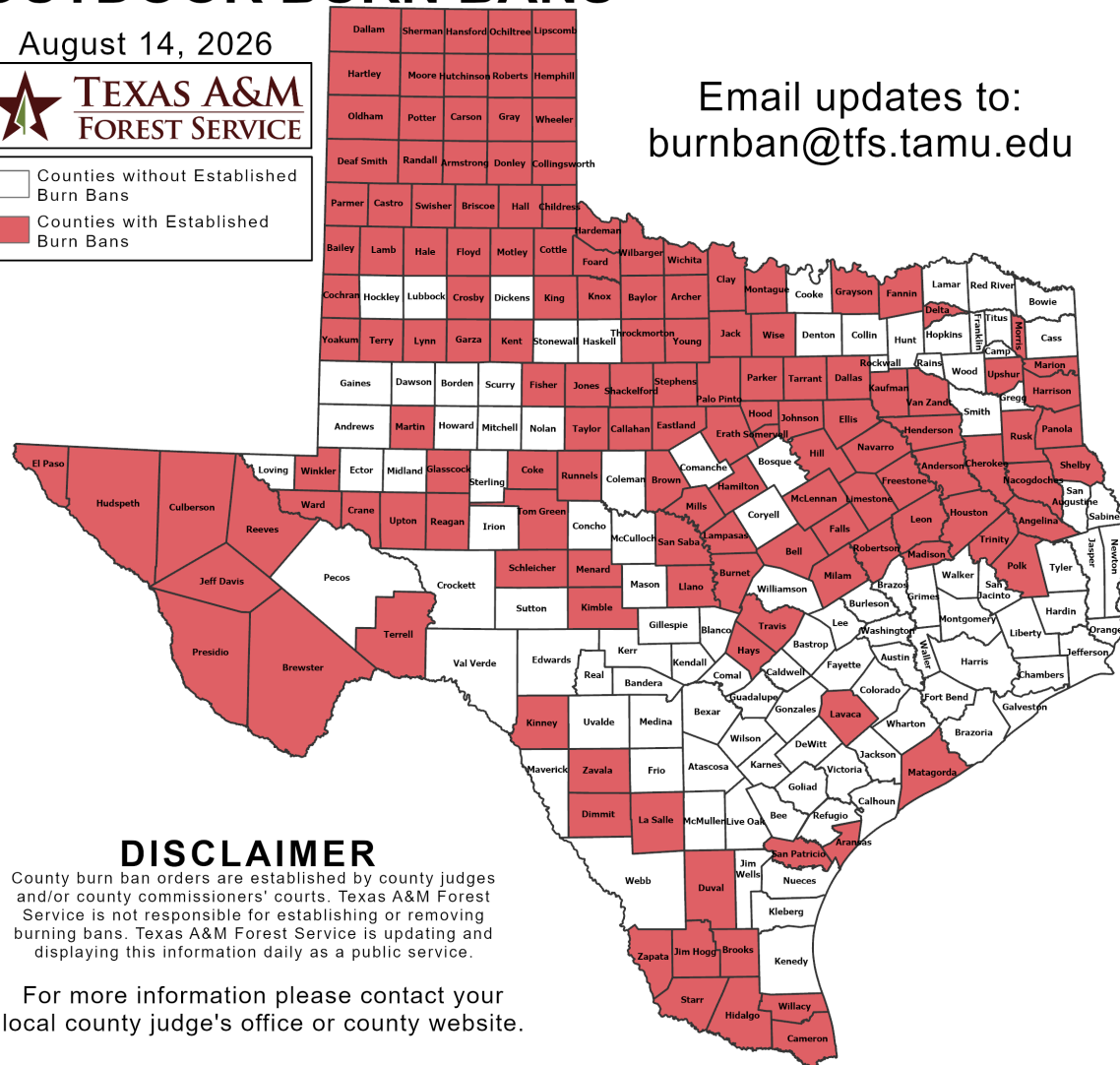
Burn Ban

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

August 14, 2026



Counties without Established Burn Bans
Counties with Established Burn Bans



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties with Burn Bans: 146

Anderson
Angelina
Aransas
Archer
Armstrong
Bailey
Baylor
Bell
Brewster
Briscoe
Brooks
Brown
Burnet
Callahan
Cameron
Carson
Castro
Cherokee
Childress
Clay
Cochran
Coke
Collingsworth
Cottle
Crane
Crosby
Culberson
Dallam
Dallas
Deaf Smith
Delta
Dimmit
Donley
Duval
Eastland
Ellis
El Paso
Erath
Falls
Fannin
Fisher
Floyd
Foard
Freestone
Garza
Glasscock
Gray
Grayson
Hale
Hall
Hamilton
Hansford
Hardeman
Harrison
Hartley
Hays
Hemphill
Henderson
Hidalgo
Hill
Hood
Houston
Hudspeth
Hutchinson
Jack
Jeff Davis
Jim Hogg
Johnson
Jones
Kaufman
Kent
Kimble
King
Kinney
Knox
Lamb
Lampasas
La Salle
Lavaca
Leon
Limestone
Lipscomb
Llano
Lynn
McLennan
Madison
Marion
Matagorda
Menard
Mills
Montague
Moore
Morris
Motley
Nacogdoches
Navarro
Ochiltree
Oldham
Palo Pinto
Panola
Parker
Parmer
Polk
Potter
Presidio
Randall
Reagan
Reeves
Roberts
Robertson
Runnels
Rusk
San Patricio
San Saba
Schleicher
Shackelford
Shelby
Sherman
Somervell
Starr
Stephens
Swisher
Tarrant
Taylor
Terrell
Terry
Throckmorton
Tom Green
Travis
Trinity
Upshur
Upton
Van Zandt
Ward
Wheeler
Wichita
Wilbarger
Willacy
Winkler
Wise
Yoakum
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.

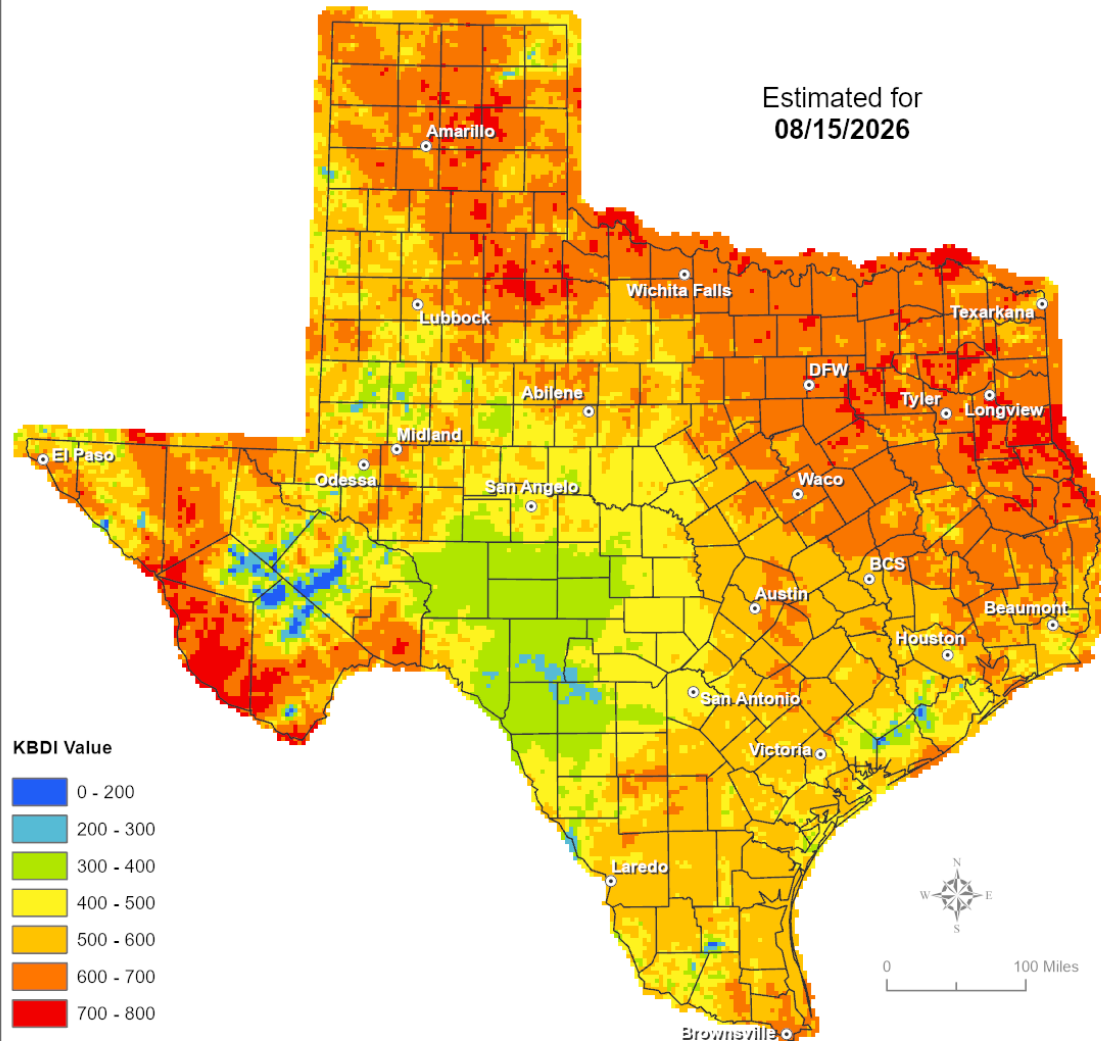
RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
08/15/2026



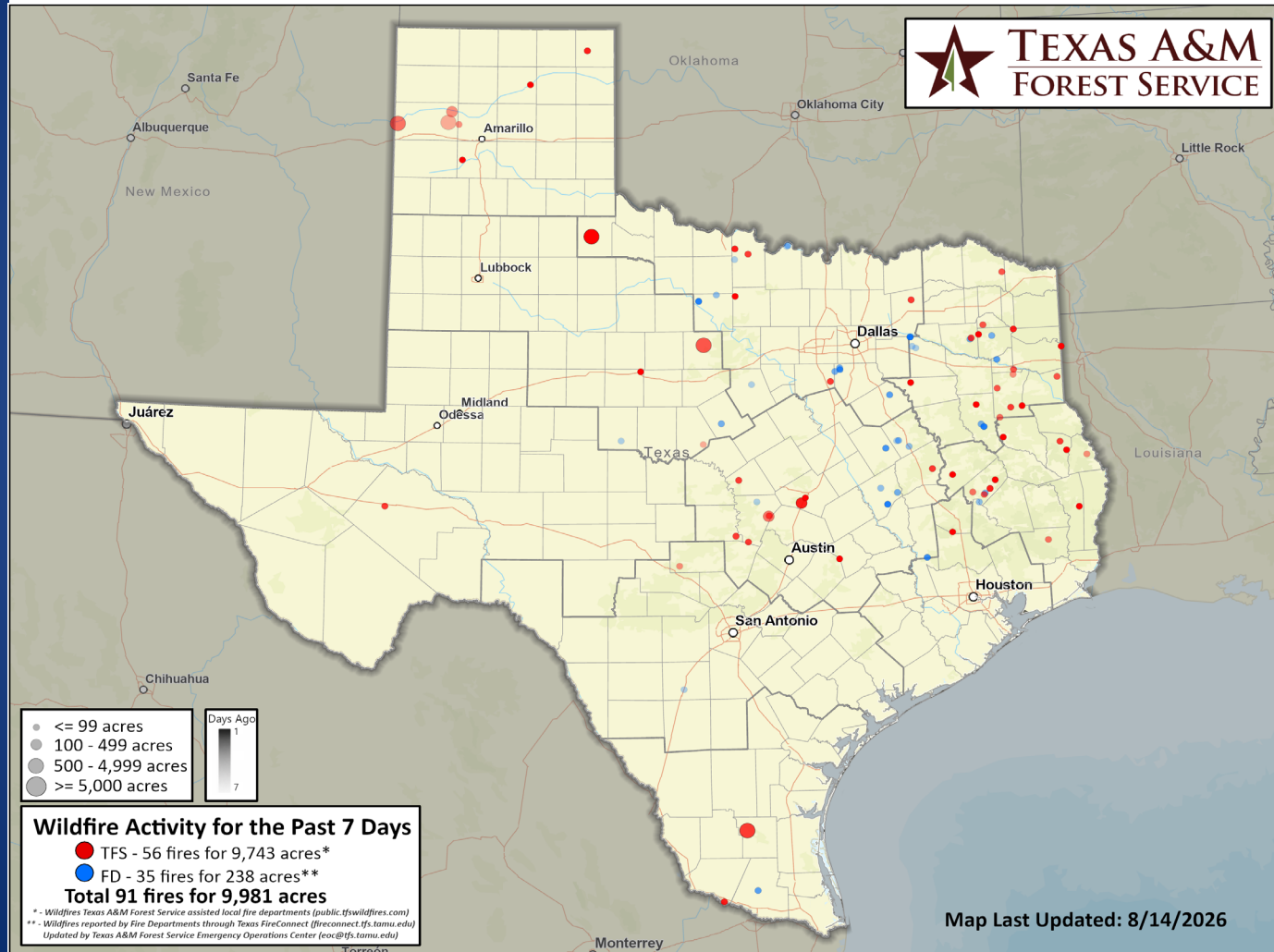
Fire Weather

Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
08/16/26	Fire Danger Statement	Angelina, Bowie, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Franklin, Gregg, Harrison, Marion, Morris, Nacogdoches, Panola, Red River, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, Shelby, Smith, Titus, Upshur, and Wood Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 861 fires and 118,611 acres have been burned this year. There are 146 counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list contains 245 (+3) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
08/14/26	08/16/26	Community Emergency Response Team Basic Training	G-317	New Braunfels

Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
08/14/26	08/23/26	Houston	Houston Astros Game
08/15/26	08/23/26	Denton	North Texas Rodeo