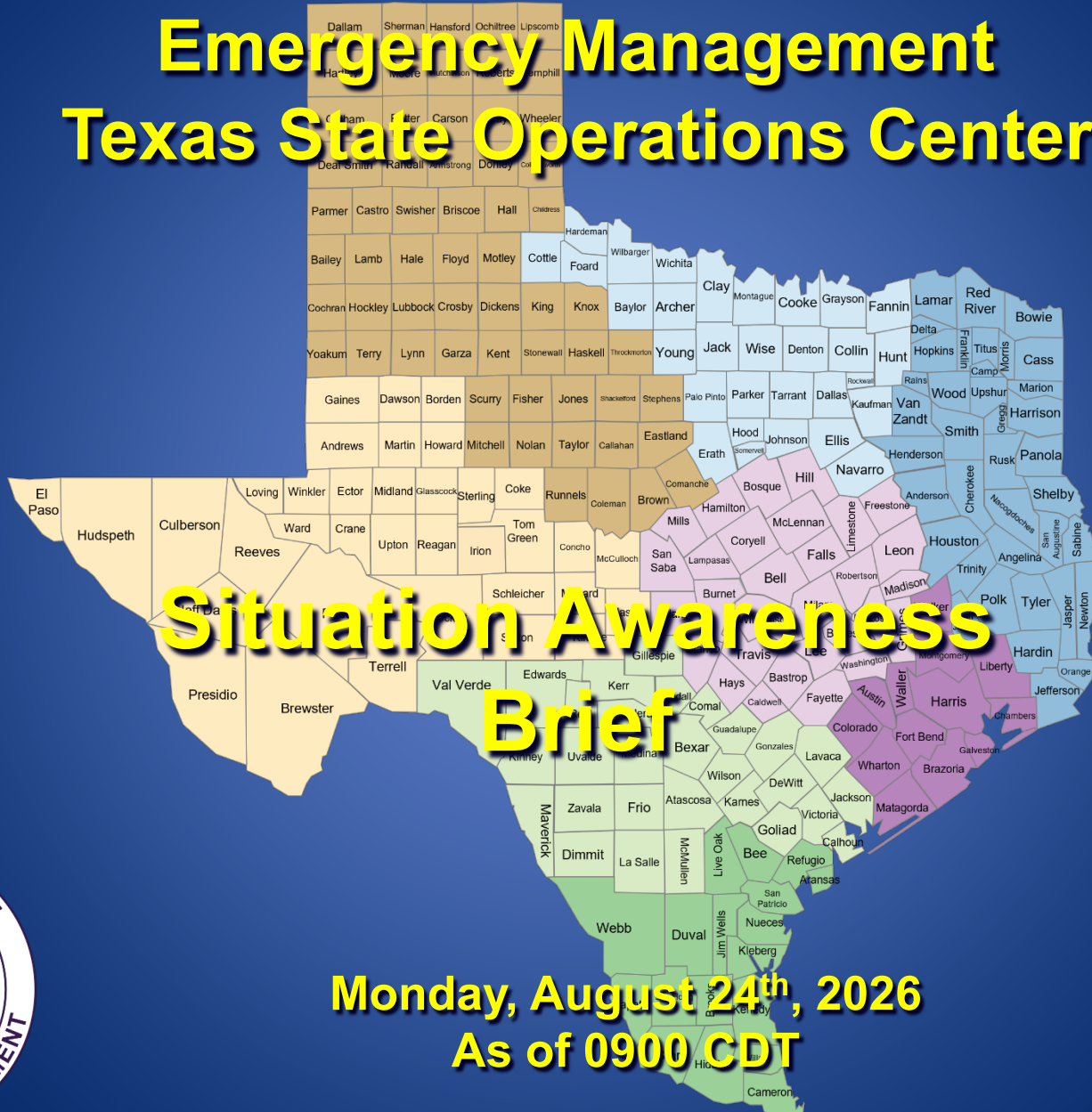


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Monday, August 24th, 2026
As of 0900 CDT

Tropical Weather Awareness



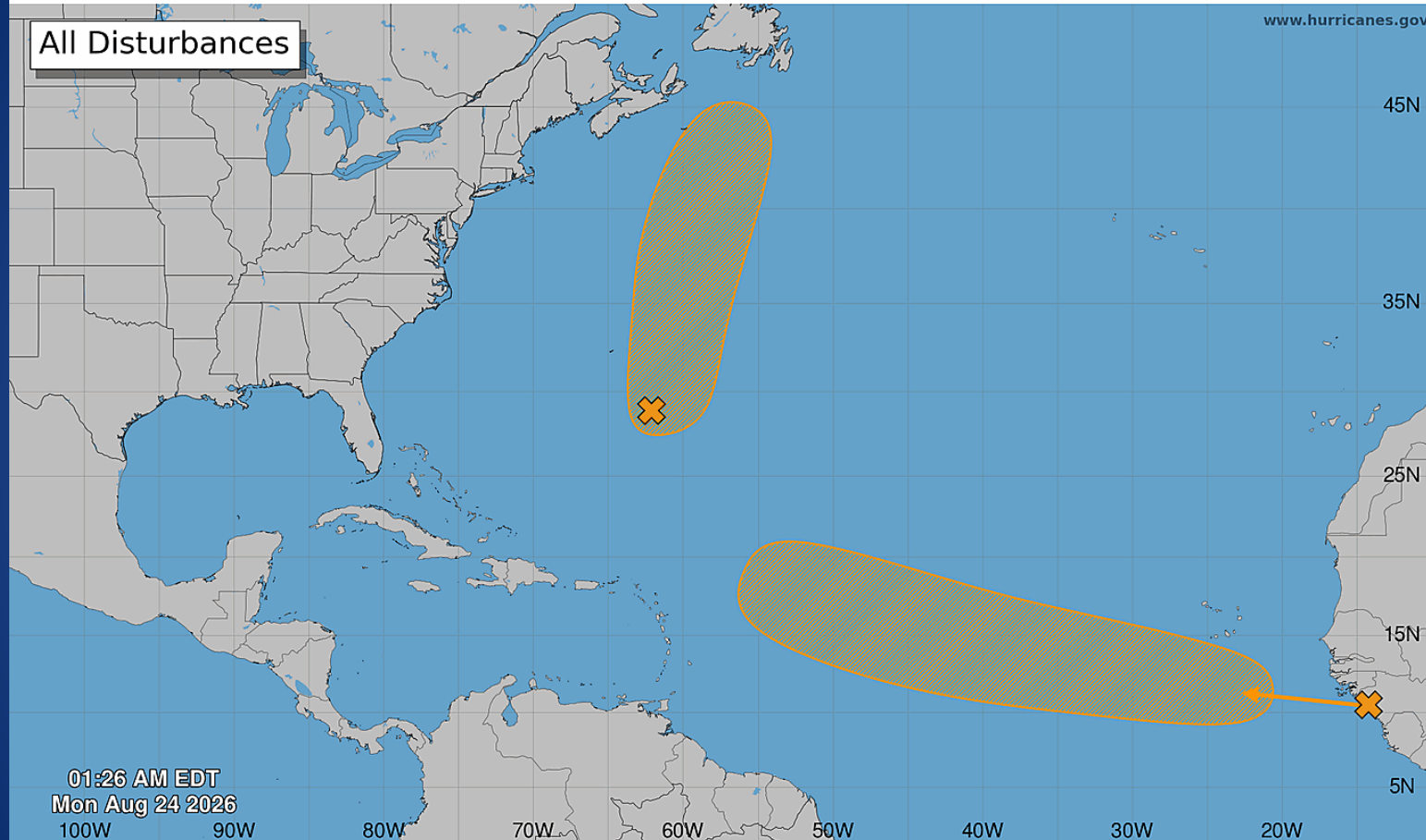
Seven-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook

National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



www.hurricanes.gov

All Disturbances



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Mon Aug 24 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
08/23/26	Update Report #2 of the Ruftler Fire	Dickens County
08/23/26	Initial and Final Report of the Gregg 7462 Fire	Gregg County
08/23/26	Update Report #3 of the Rustler Fire	Dickens County
08/23/26	Initial Report of the Neighbor Fire	Brown County
08/23/26	Update Report #6 of the Moore Canyon Fire	Motley County
08/23/26	Update Report of the Neighbor Fire	Brown County
08/23/26	Initial and Final Report of The Wood 7485 Fire	Wood County
08/23/26	Initial Report of the Montgomery 7507 Fire	Montgomery County
08/23/26	Update Report #2 of the Neighbor Fire	Brown County
08/23/26	Initial Report of a Road Closure (SH-85)	Frio County
08/23/26	Final Report of the Moore Canyon Fire	Motley County

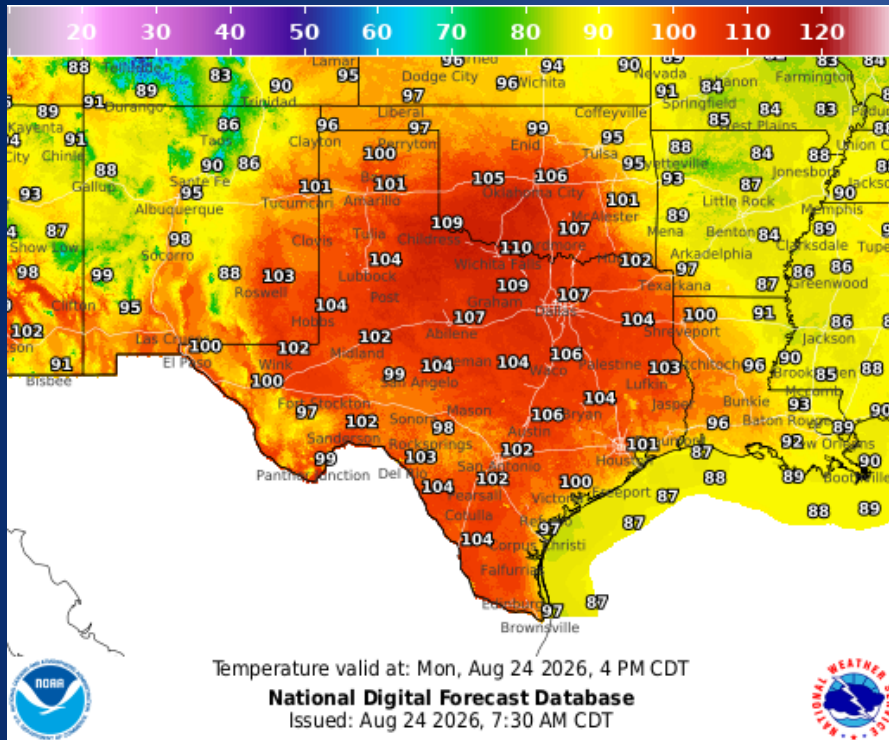
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08/23/26	Update Report #4 of the Rustler Fire	Dickens County
08/23/26	Final Report of the Montgomery 7507 Fire	Montgomery County
08/23/26	Initial Report of the Carson 7516 Fire	Carson County
08/23/26	Update Report of the Old Deer (Carson 7516) Fire	Carson County
08/23/26	Final Report of the Hackberry Creek Fire	Hemphill County
08/23/26	Initial Report of a Railroad Incident	DeWitt County
08/23/26	Final Report of a Railroad Incident	DeWitt County
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08/23/26	Initial Report of the Bell 7530 Fire	Bell County

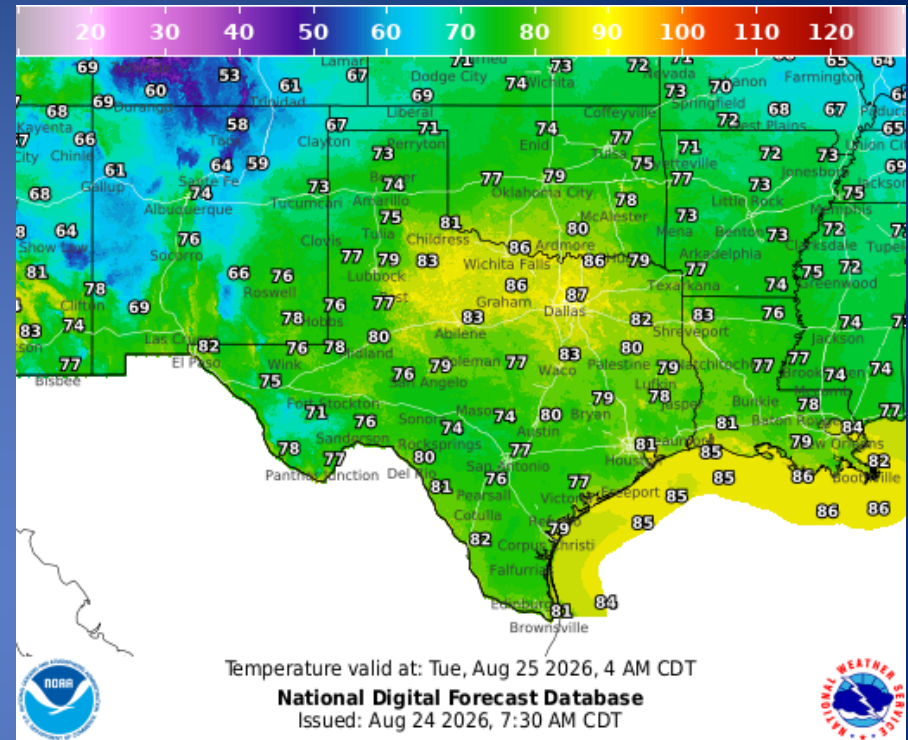
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08/23/26	Daily Situation Report [26-001 Wildfire Season 2026]
08/23/26	Daily Situation Report [26-0016 New World Screwworm Response]
08/23/26	Daily Situation Report [26-0019 12JUL Severe Weather]
08/23/26	National Weather Service Austin/San Antonio: Weather Update - Extreme Heat Warning and Heat Advisory for Monday
08/24/26	National Weather Service El Paso, TX/Santa Teresa, NM: NWS Weather Hazards Outlook
08/24/26	Daily National Weather Service Threat Brief

Weather Forecast

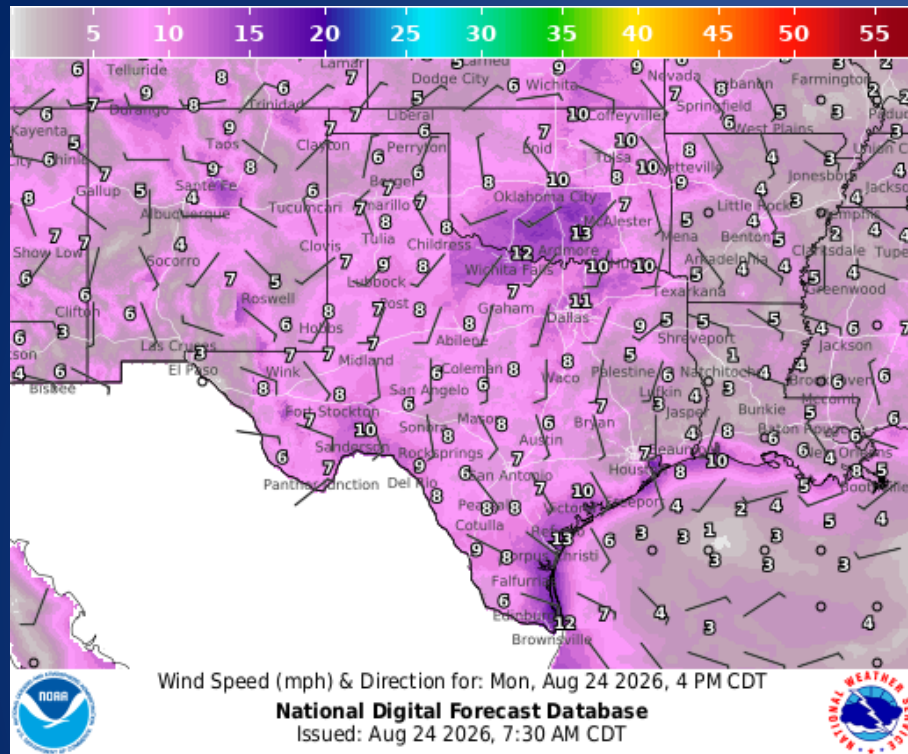


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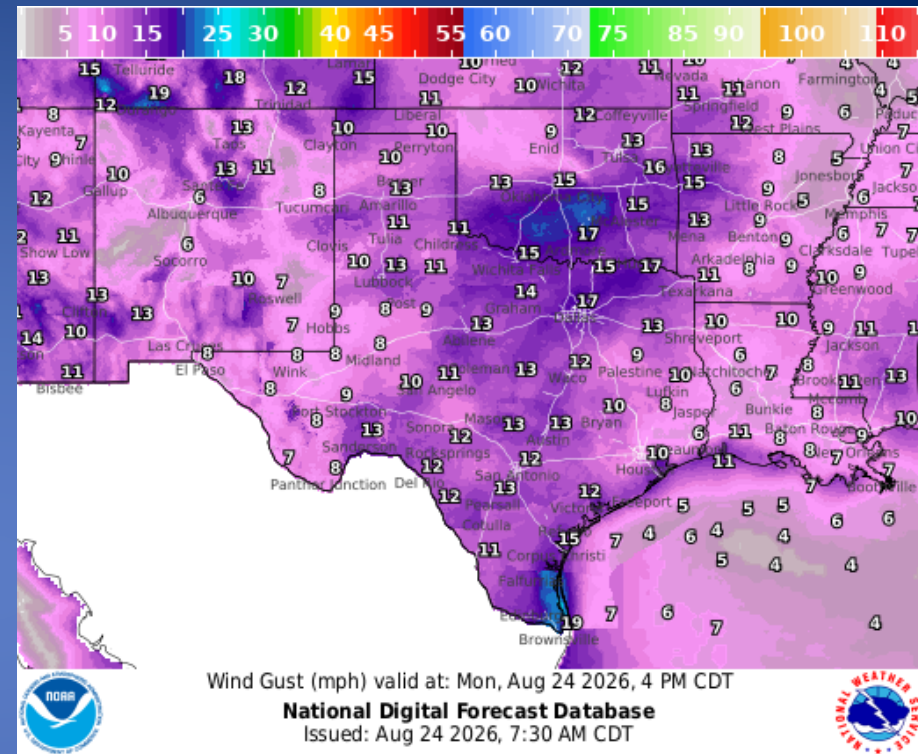


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Weather Forecast

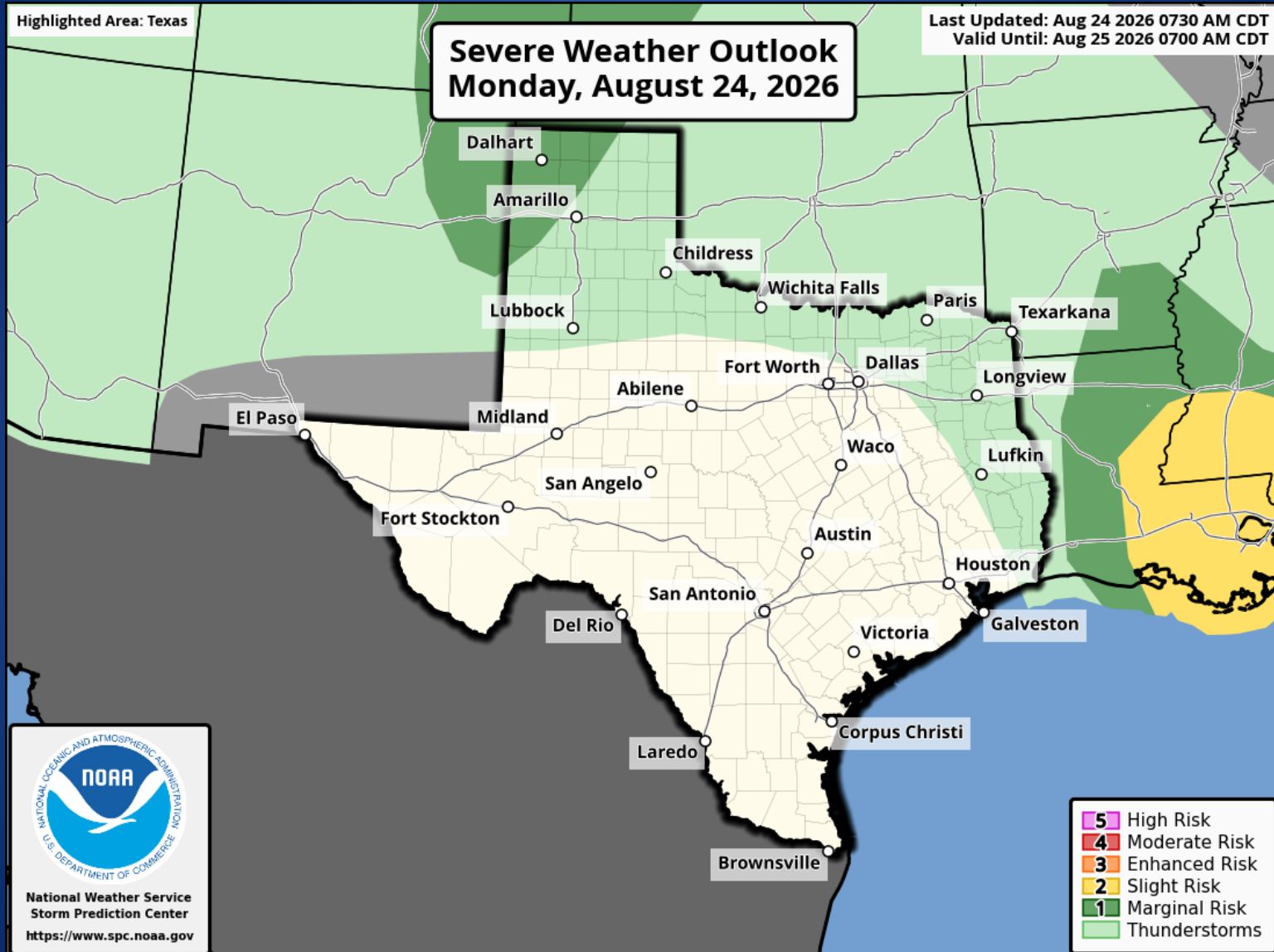


Wind Speeds



Gusts

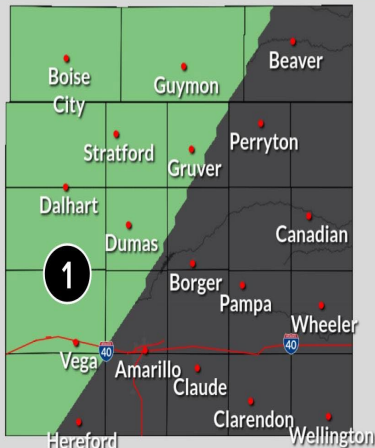
Hazardous Weather



Hazardous Weather

Low Potential for Severe Storms Today

Updated:
Mon Aug 24, 2026 7:54 AM



Potential Hazards

 Penny Sized
0.75" Hail

 70 mph
Wind Gusts

 Very Low
Tornado Risk

Severe Storm Timing

 Earliest: 5 PM
Most Likely: 6 PM to 2 AM Tue

What You Should Do

 Have multiple ways to receive warnings



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Additional showers and thunderstorms are in the forecast for Today, including the potential for a few to become strong to severe. The main area will be in the western Panhandles from the afternoon through the evening.

More Dangerous Heat Today

August 24, 2026

Forecast

→ High Temps: Up to 107°F

→ Heat Index: Up to 109°F

Alerts In Effect:

- ♦ **Extreme Heat Warning** for Bastrop, Burnet, Llano, Travis, and Williamson County
- ♦ **Heat Advisory** across the I-35 corridor from Hays County southward, and the Coastal Plains



Stay hydrated



Limit strenuous time outdoors in the afternoon



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

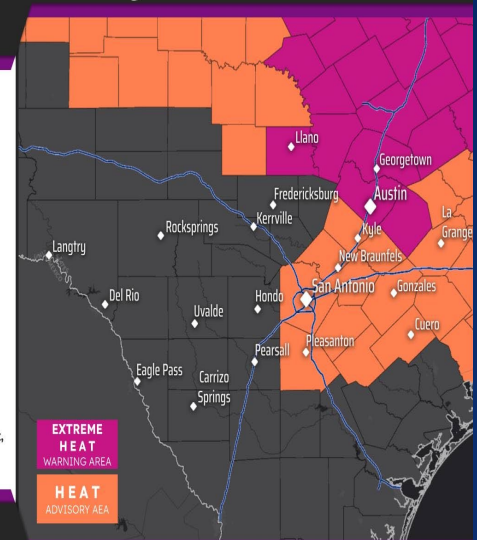


Wear light-weight, light-colored clothing



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More dangerous heat today! Extreme Heat Warnings cover Bastrop, Burnet, Llano, Travis, and Williamson Counties with Heat Advisories across the I-35 corridor from Hays County southward and the Coastal Plains. Highs peak at 107°F (109°F heat index). Stay hydrated, limit afternoon outdoor time, use AC, and wear light clothes!

Hazardous Weather

Heat Risk Increases Through the Week

Practice Heat Safety to Prevent Heat-Related Illnesses



- **Moderate** to **Major** Heat Risk continues today, with places in the RGV reaching **Extreme** by Tuesday
- Triple digit “feels like” temperatures persists each afternoon this week

! Actions



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

	8/24	8/25	8/26	8/27	8/28
	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Brownsville	105	107	108	107	108
Falfurrias	108	109	110	109	109
Harlingen	108	110	110	110	110
Hebbronville	103	103	104	104	104
McAllen	107	109	109	109	109
Raymondville	108	109	109	109	109
Rio Grande City	109	111	110	110	111
Sarita	109	111	112	111	111
South Padre Island	96	98	98	97	97
Zapata	105	106	106	107	107

Maximum Heat Index Forecast (°F)

100 105 110



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Updated: Mon Aug 24, 2026

Hot temperatures are forecast to continue across Deep South Texas, with heat index values of 103 to 111°F this afternoon. Heat will increase through the week, so visit weather.gov/heat for heat safety tips and resources.

Fire Danger Statement

In Effect from Noon to 9 PM Today



Inland South Texas



- Southeast 10-20 mph.
- Rel. Humidity as low as 20-30%
- Dry to Near-Critically Dry Fuels

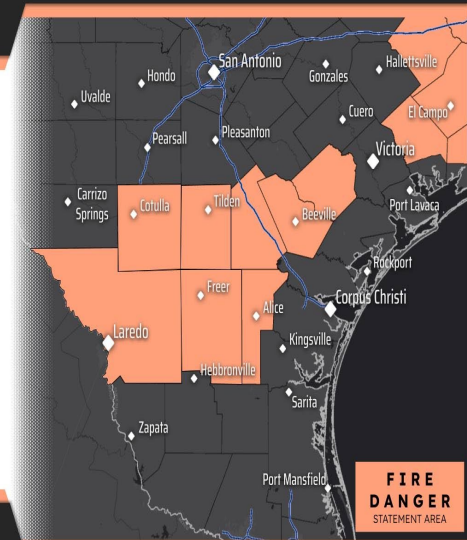


- Avoid open flames or sparks
- Keep vehicles off dry grass
- Properly discard cigarettes



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Updated: August 24, 2026

Elevated fire weather conditions expected today across inland South Texas. The combination of southeast winds 10-20 mph, afternoon relative humidity values 20-30% and dry to near critically dry fuels will lead to an elevated fire risk. Fires can ignite very easily in these conditions.

Hazardous Weather

Extreme Heat Warning Continues

Issued Mon Aug 24, 2026 1:50 AM

Now until 9 PM Monday



All of North and Central Texas



High Temperatures
Up to 110°F

Heat Index: 102°-112°

What To Do



Drink plenty of water, even if not thirsty.



Take frequent breaks in shade or A/C.



Wear light-colored, breathable clothing.



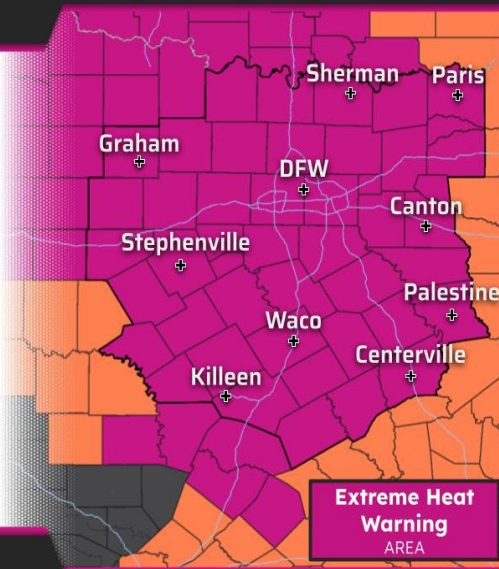
NEVER leave kids or pets in vehicles.



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An **Extreme Heat Warning** is in effect for North and Central Texas through this evening, with high temperatures up to 110° and heat index values from 102° to 112°. Extreme heat is dangerous, especially for those without reliable shelter. Limit outdoor activity during the hottest hours (2 to 7 PM), rest in shade or air conditioning, and drink plenty of water.

Monday's Outlook

Hot and dry conditions persist

Highs:



- Inland: 99-103°F
- Beaches: 92-98°F
- Heat Indices: 105-110°F

Conditions:



- Hot and humid. **Heat Advisory** remains in effect.
- Southwest to southeast winds at 5-10 mph.

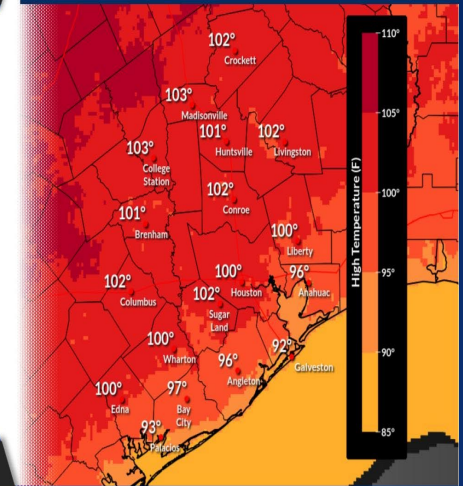


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Forecast High Temperatures



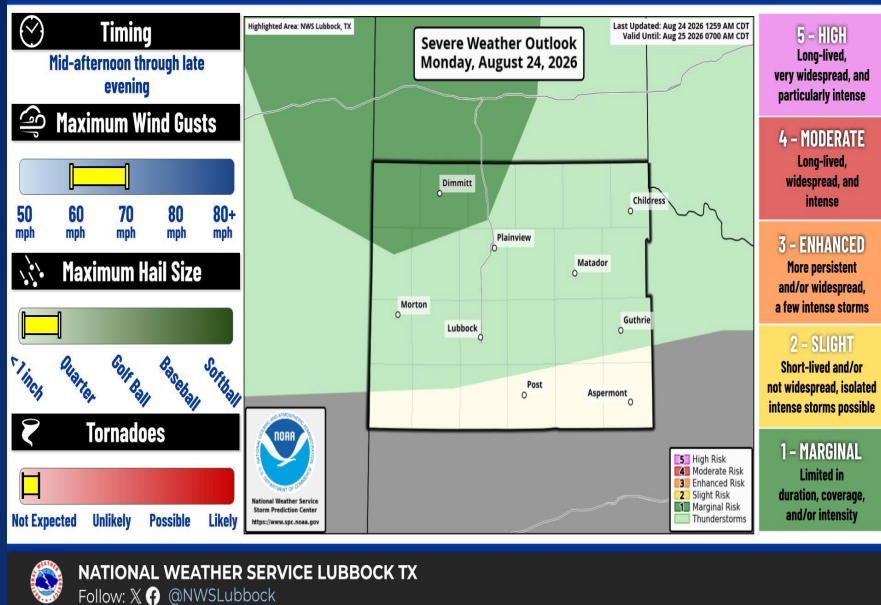
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Hot and humid with light to moderate southwest to southeast winds. Daytime highs inland from 99°F to 103°F with the beaches from 94°F to 98°F. The heat indices are anticipated between 106°F to 110°F.

Hazardous Weather

Severe Weather Outlook: August 24, 2026

weather.gov/Lubbock
Updated: Mon Aug 24, 2026 1:57 AM



Isolated thunderstorms will be possible mostly across areas on the caprock. There is a marginal risk of severe storms over the extreme southwestern Texas Panhandle where storms will be capable of producing wind gusts to 70 mph.

Heat Advisory

HeatRisk: Major to Extreme

This Afternoon and Evening

Forecast

→ High Temps: Between 103-109° during the day.

→ Alerts In Effect for our Forecast Area:

◆ **Heat Advisory** for the Western Low Rolling Plains and portions of the Permian Basin and southeast New Mexico.



Stay hydrated



Limit time outdoors in the afternoon



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



Wear light-weight, light-colored clothing

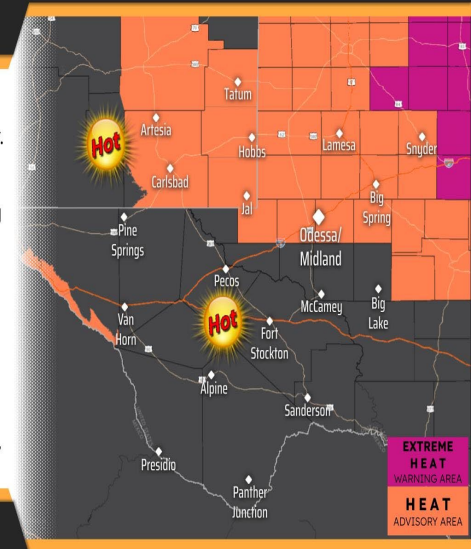


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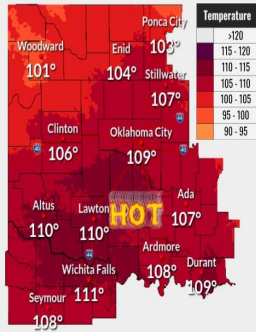
Heat continues to build across the Western Low Rolling Plains, much of the Permian Basin, and the southeast New Mexico Plains on Monday. A Heat Advisory has been issued for these locations this afternoon and evening, where high temperatures reach between 103-108°.

Hazardous Weather

Monday Afternoon | Excessive Heat, Storms, Fire Risk

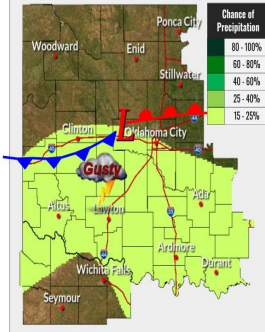
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Maximum Heat Indices



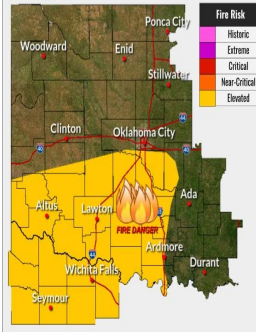
Temperatures or heat index values up to 115° across southern Oklahoma & western north Texas

Thunderstorm Chances



→ Slight chance of severe storms with damaging winds up to 70 mph in the afternoon and evening.
→ Lightning could lead to fire starts

Wildfire Danger



→ Elevated fire danger due to low relative humidity of 15% to 20%
→ Severe downburst winds could cause erratic wind shifts with impacts to potential fires.

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Monday will feature multiple weather hazards: excessive heat with temperatures up to 115°, storms with wind gusts to 70 mph possible, and elevated fire danger.

Extreme Heat Warning and Heat Advisory

Across Most of West Central Texas

1 PM Through 7 PM Monday.

High temperatures of 105 to 111 degrees.



Hydrate
drink water before you are thirsty



Avoid Outdoor Activities
between 10am and 8pm



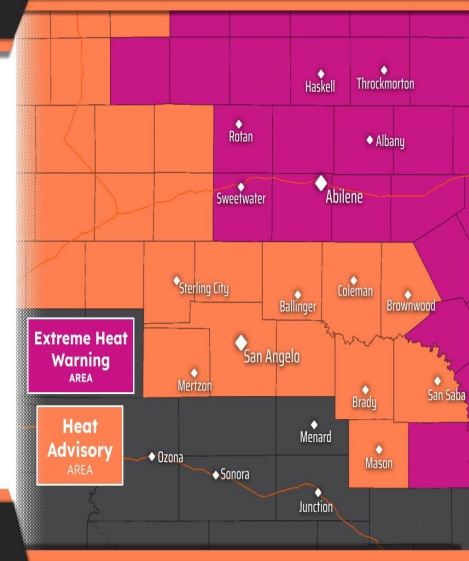
Wear Light Clothing
lightweight and light colored



Stay in Air Conditioning if possible
especially during the day



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An Excessive Heat Warning and Heat Advisory will affect the majority of western Central Texas through Monday evening. Temperatures will climb into the 105-111 degree range.

Hazardous Weather

Heat Advisory Today

Valid through 8 PM this evening.

HeatRisk: Extreme

Forecast

→ **High Temps:** Upper 90s to near 104

→ **Heat Index:** up to 110 degrees.

→ **Alerts In Effect:**

◆ **Heat Advisory** for Southeast Oklahoma, extreme Southwest Arkansas, most of Northern Louisiana and Northeast Texas.



Stay hydrated



Limit strenuous time outdoors in the afternoon



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Wear light-weight, light-colored clothing

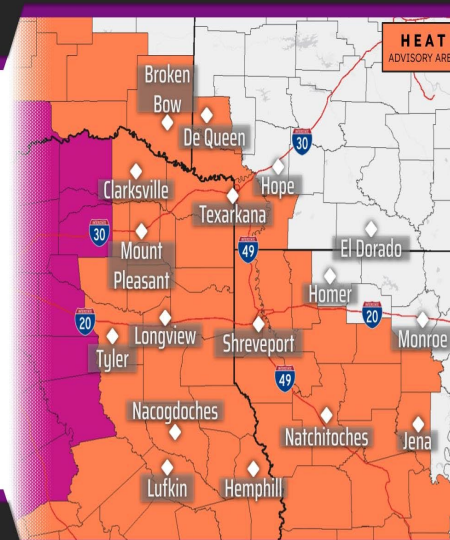


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Hot conditions continue with a Heat Advisory in effect for most of the region. Afternoon high temperatures will range from the upper 90s to near 104. Heat index values will range from 105-110 degrees. Continue to prioritize heat safety when spending time outdoors!

Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
08/23/26	Extreme Heat Warning	Anderson, Archer, Baylor, Bell, Bosque, Briscoe, Callahan, Childress, Clay, Collin, Collingsworth, Comanche, Cooke, Coryell, Cottle, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Donley, Eastland, Ellis, Erath, Falls, Fannin, Fisher, Foard, Freestone, Grayson, Hall, Hamilton, Hardeman, Haskell, Henderson, Hill, Hood, Hopkins, Hunt, Jack, Johnson, Jones, Kaufman, Knox, Lamar, Lampasas, Leon, Limestone, McLennan, Milam, Mills, Montague, Motley, Navarro, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rains, Randall, Robertson, Rockwall, Shackelford, Somervell, Stephens, Tarrant, Taylor, Throckmorton, Van Zandt, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, and Young Counties
08/23/26	Special Weather Statement	Hemphill and Wheeler Counties
08/23/26	Heat Advisory	Anderson, Andrews, Angelina, Armstrong, Atascosa, Austin, Bailey, Bandera, Bastrop, Bexar, Blanco, Borden, Bowie, Brazoria, Brazos, Brown, Burleson, Burnet, Caldwell, Camp, Carson, Cass, Castro, Chambers, Cherokee, Cochran, Coke, Coleman, Collin, Collingsworth, Colorado, Comal, Concho, Crosby, Dallam, Dallas, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Delta, Denton, DeWitt, Dickens, Dimmit, Donley, Duval, Eastland, Ector, Edwards, Ellis, El Paso, Erath, Falls, Fannin, Fayette, Fisher...

Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

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08/23/26	Heat Advisory	Floyd, Foard, Fort Bend, Franklin, Freestone, Frio, Gaines, Galveston, Garza, Gillespie, Glasscock, Goliad, Gonzales, Gray, Grayson, Gregg, Grimes, Guadalupe, Hale, Hall, Hamilton, Hansford, Hardeman, Hardin, Harris, Harrison, Hartley, Haskell, Hays, Hemphill, Henderson, Hidalgo, Hill, Hockley, Hood, Hopkins, Houston, Howard, Hudspeth, Hunt, Hutchinson, Irion, Jack, Jackson, Jasper, Jeff Davis, Jefferson, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Johnson, Jones, Karnes, Kaufman, Kendall, Kenedy, Kent, Kerr, Kimble, King, Kinney, Kleberg, Knox, La Salle, Lamar, Lamb, Lampasas, Lavaca, Lee, Leon, Liberty, Limestone, Lipscomb, Live Oak, Llano, Loving, Lubbock, Lynn, Madison, Marion, Martin, Mason, Matagorda, Maverick, McCulloch, McLennan, McMullen, Medina, Menard, Midland, Milam, Mills, Mitchell, Montague, Montgomery, Moore, Morris, Motley, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Newton, Nolan, Nueces, Ochiltree, Oldham, Orange, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Parmer, Pecos, Polk, Potter, Presidio, Rains, Randall, Reagan, Real, Red River, Reeves, Refugio, Roberts, Robertson, Rockwall, Runnels, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, San Patricio, San Saba, Schleicher, Scurry, Shackelford, Shelby, Sherman...

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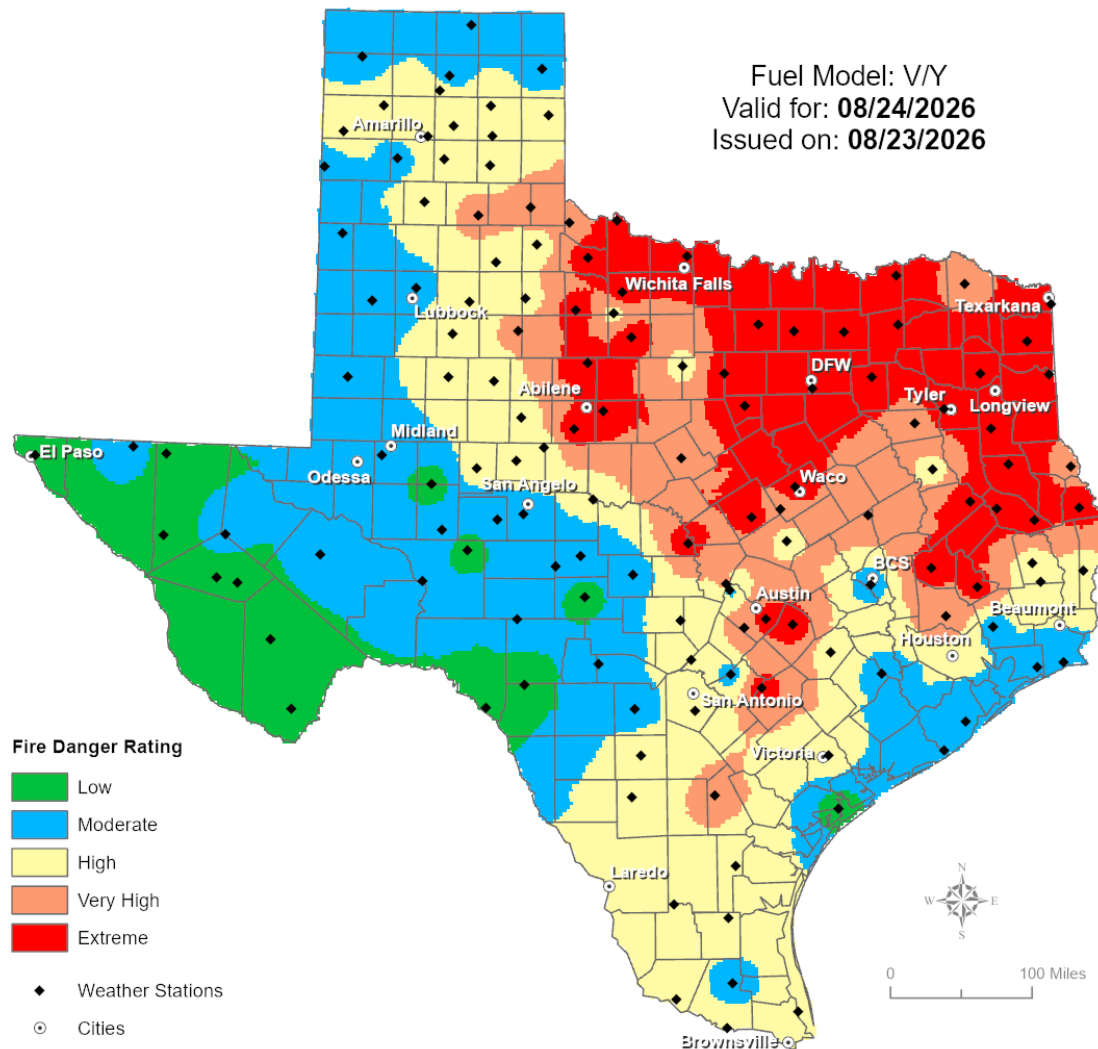
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08/23/26	Heat Advisory	Smith, Somervell, Starr, Stephens, Sterling, Stonewall, Sutton, Swisher, Tarrant, Taylor, Terrell, Terry, Throckmorton, Titus, Tom Green, Travis, Trinity, Tyler, Upshur, Upton, Uvalde, Val Verde, Van Zandt, Victoria, Walker, Waller, Ward, Washington, Webb, Wharton, Wheeler, Wichita, Wilbarger, Willacy, Williamson, Wilson, Winkler, Wise, Wood, Yoakum, Young, Zapata, and Zavala Counties
08/24/26	Extreme Heat Warning	Anderson, Archer, Baylor, Bell, Bosque, Briscoe, Callahan, Childress, Clay, Collin, Comanche, Cooke, Coryell, Cottle, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Dickens, Eastland, Ellis, Erath, Falls, Fannin, Fisher, Foard, Freestone, Garza, Grayson, Hall, Hamilton, Hardeman, Haskell, Henderson, Hill, Hood, Hopkins, Hunt, Jack, Johnson, Jones, Kaufman, Kent, King, Knox, Lamar, Lampasas, Leon, Limestone, McLennan, Milam, Mills, Montague, Motley, Navarro, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rains, Robertson, Rockwall, Shackelford, Somervell, Stephens, Stonewall, Tarrant, Taylor, Throckmorton, Van Zandt, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, and Young Counties

Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
08/24/26	Heat Advisory	Austin, Angelina, Brazoria, Brazos, Brown, Burleson, Bowie, Camp, Cass, Chambers, Cherokee, Coke, Coleman, Colorado, Concho, El Paso, Fort Bend, Franklin, Galveston, Gregg, Grimes, Harris, Harrison, Houston, Hudspeth, Irion, Jackson, Liberty, Madison, Marion, Mason, Matagorda, McCulloch, Montgomery, Morris, Nacogdoches, Panola, Polk, Red River, Runnels, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, San Saba, Shelby, Smith, Sterling, Titus, Tom Green, Trinity, Upshur, Walker, Waller, Washington, Wharton, and Wood Counties
08/24/26	Special Weather Statement	Cameron, Kenedy, and Willacy Counties
08/24/26	Heat Advisory	Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Floyd, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Parmer, Swisher, Terry, and Yoakum Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger



Burn Ban

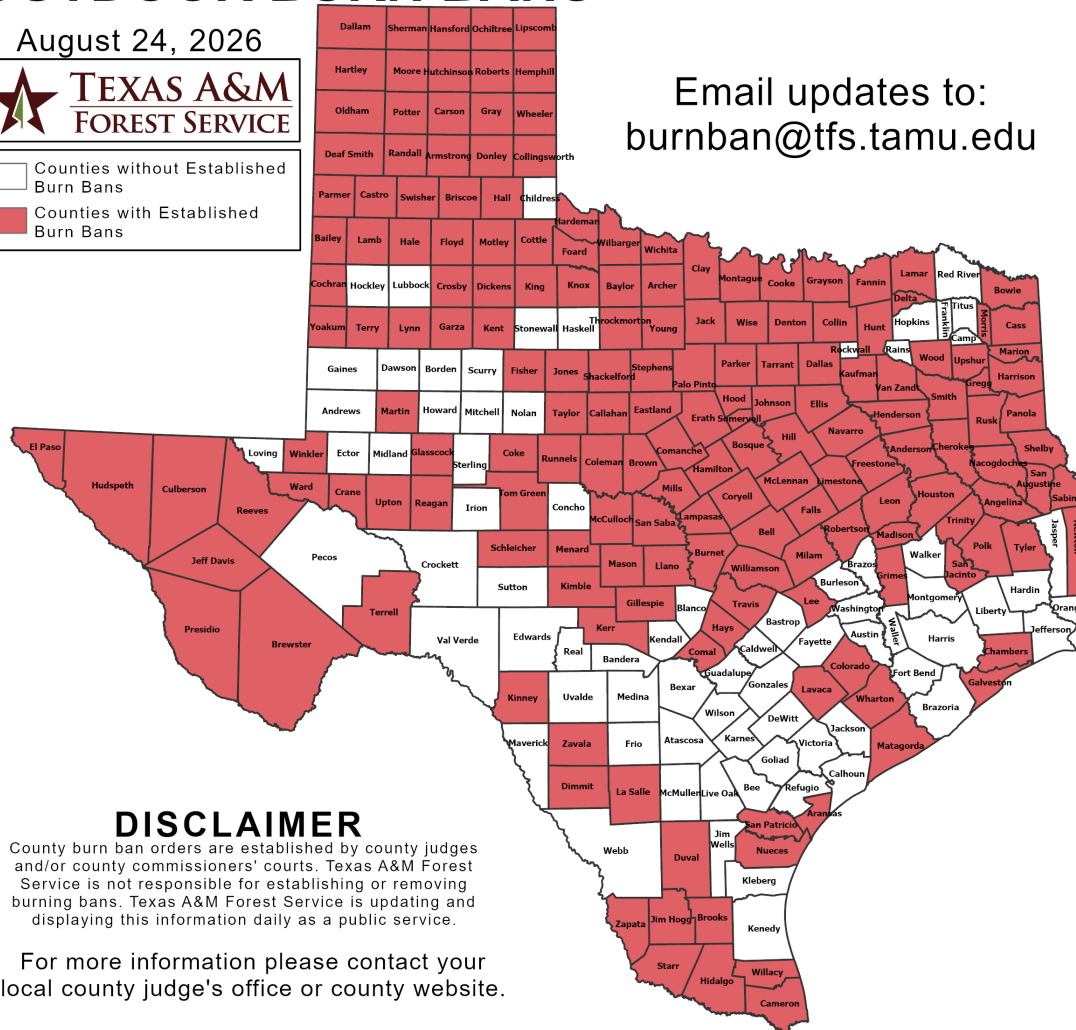
OUTDOOR BURN BANS

August 24, 2026



Counties without Established Burn Bans
Counties with Established Burn Bans

Email updates to:
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Counties with Burn Bans: 178

Anderson	Gray	Newton
Angelina	Grayson	Nueces
Aransas	Gregg	Ochiltree
Archer	Grimes	Oldham
Armstrong	Hale	Palo Pinto
Bailey	Hall	Panola
Baylor	Hamilton	Parker
Bell	Hansford	Parmer
Bosque	Hardeman	Polk
Bowie	Harrison	Potter
Brewster	Hartley	Presidio
Briscoe	Hays	Randall
Brooks	Hemphill	Reagan
Brown	Henderson	Reeves
Burnet	Hidalgo	Roberts
Callahan	Hill	Robertson
Cameron	Hood	Runnels
Carson	Houston	Rusk
Cass	Hudspeth	Sabine
Castro	Hunt	San Augustine
Chambers	Hutchinson	San Jacinto
Cherokee	Jack	San Patricio
Clay	Jeff Davis	San Saba
Cochran	Jim Hogg	Schleicher
Coke	Johnson	Shackelford
Coleman	Jones	Shelby
Collin	Kaufman	Sherman
Collingsworth	Kerr	Smith
Colorado	Kimble	Somervell
Comal	King	Starr
Comanche	Kinney	Stephens
Cooke	Knox	Swisher
Coryell	Lamar	Tarrant
Cottle	Lamb	Taylor
Crane	Lampasas	Terrell
Crosby	La Salle	Terry
Culberson	Lavaca	Throckmorton
Dallam	Lee	Tom Green
Dallas	Leon	Travis
Deaf Smith	Limestone	Trinity
Delta	Lipscomb	Tyler
Denton	Llano	Upshur
Dickens	Lynn	Upton
Dimmit	McCulloch	Van Zandt
Donley	McLennan	Ward
Duval	Madison	Wharton
Eastland	Marion	Wheeler
Ellis	Martin	Wichita
El Paso	Mason	Wibarger
Erath	Matagorda	Willacy
Falls	Menard	Williamson
Fannin	Milam	Winkler
Fisher	Mills	Wise
Floyd	Montague	Wood
Foard	Moore	Yoakum
Freestone	Morris	Young
Galveston	Motley	Zapata
Garza	Gillespie	Zavala
Gillespie	Nacogdoches	
Glasscock	Navarro	

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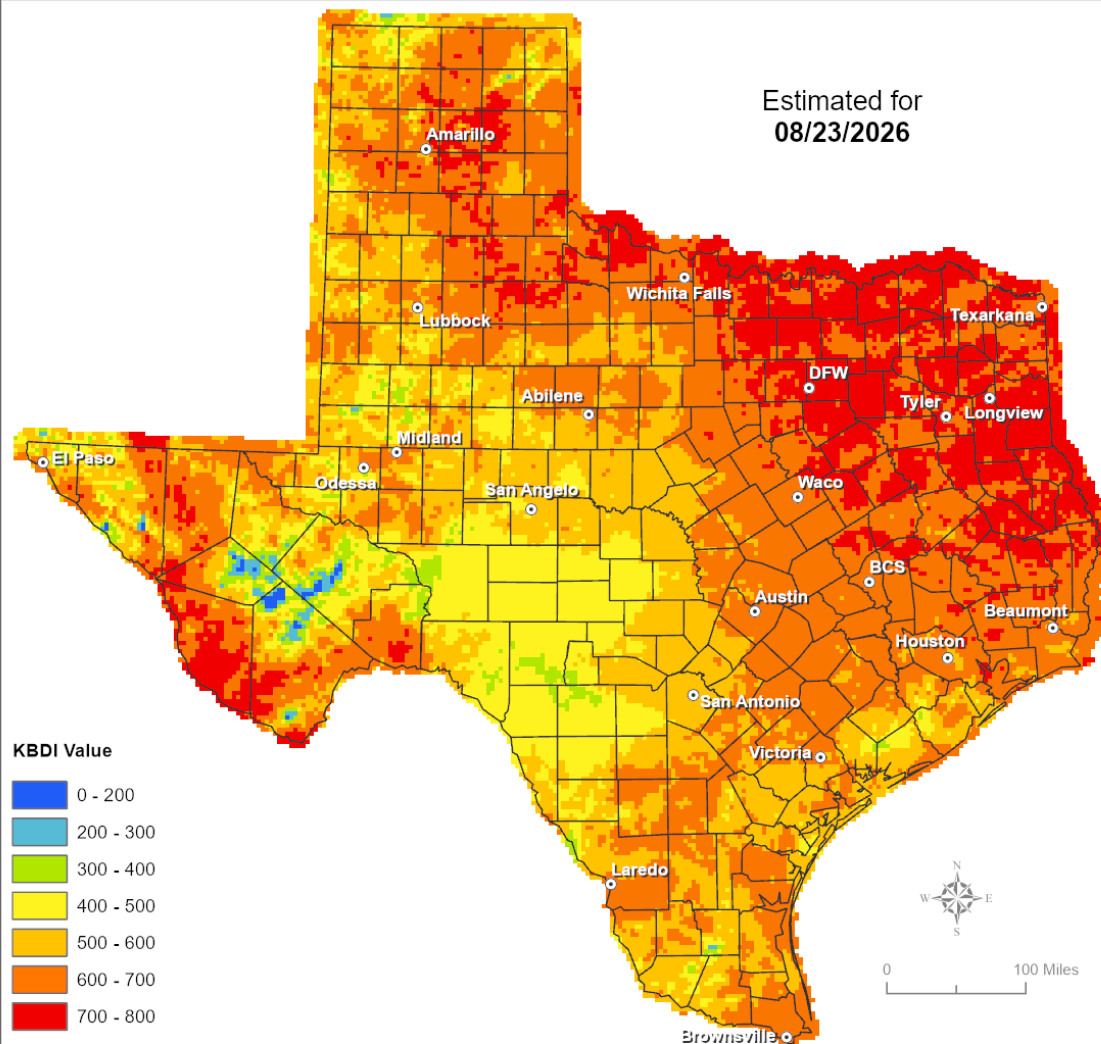
RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
08/23/2026



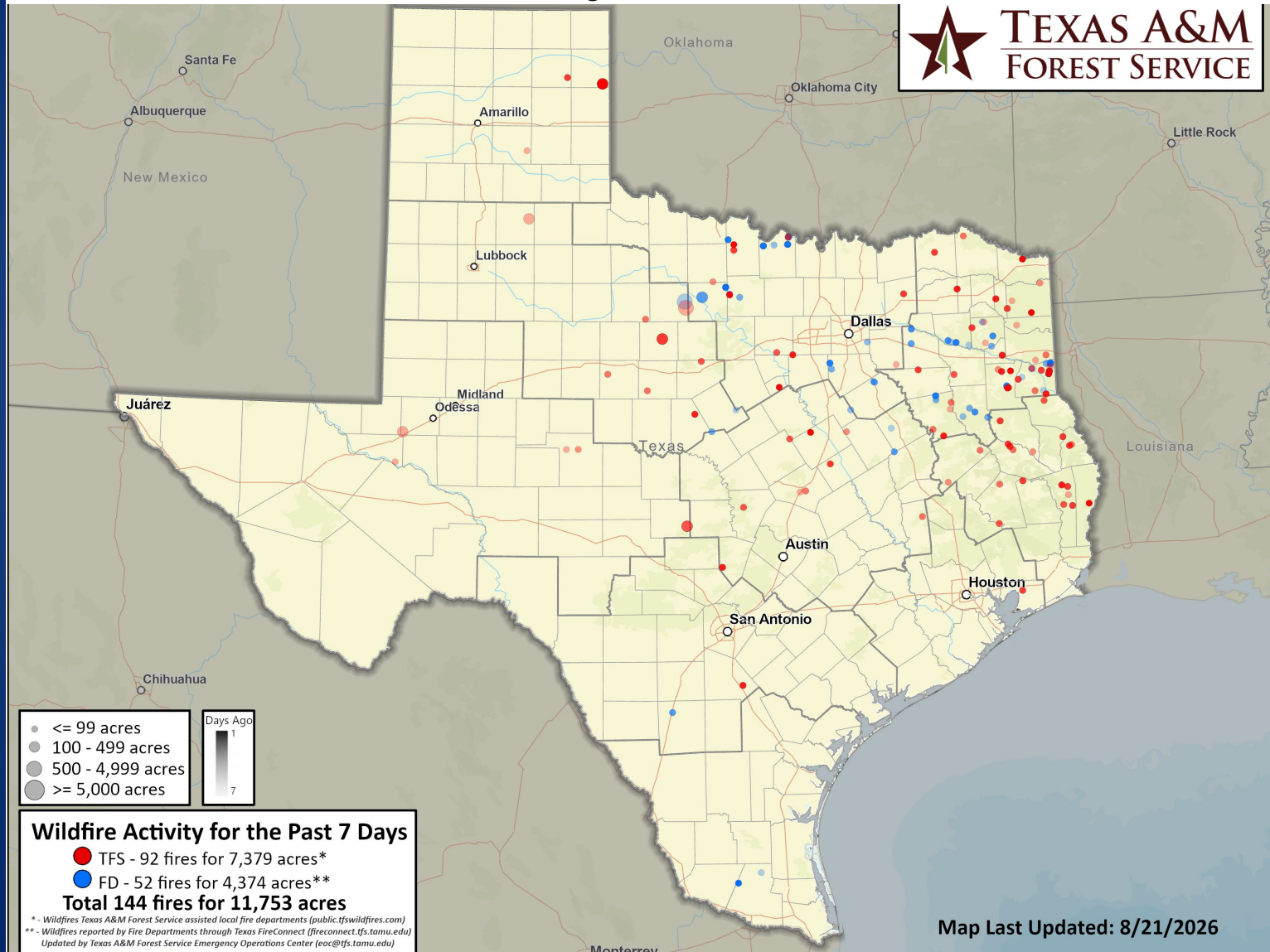
Fire Weather

Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
08/23/26	Fire Warning	Brown County
08/23/26	Fire Danger Statement	Bailey, Bee, Briscoe, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Duval, Floyd, Garza, Goliad, Hale, Hall, Hockley, Jim Wells, Kent, King, La Salle, Lamb, Live Oak, Lubbock, Lynn, McMullen, Motley, Parmer, Stonewall, Swisher, Terry, Webb, and Yoakum Counties
08/24/26	Fire Danger Statement	Archer, Baylor, Bell, Bosque, Brown, Callahan, Clay, Coke, Coleman, Collin, Comanche, Concho, Cooke, Coryell, Dallas, Denton, Eastland, Ellis, Erath, Fisher, Foard, Grayson, Hamilton, Hardeman, Haskell, Hemphill, Hill, Hood, Irion, Jack, Jackson, Jones, Knox, Lampasas, McCulloch, McLennan, Mills, Montague, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Parker, Runnels, San Saba, Shackelford, Somervell, Stephens, Sterling, Tarrant, Taylor, Throckmorton, Tom Green, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, and Young Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 952 fires and 125,962 acres have been burned this year. There are 177 (+2) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list contains 254 counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
08/21/26	08/23/26	Community Emergency Response Team Basic Training	G-317	Austin
08/24/26	08/25/26	Emergency Planning	G-235	Lubbock
08/24/26	08/26/26	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Hutto
08/24/26	08/28/26	Confined Space Rescue Technician	H-516	El Paso
08/24/26	08/26/26	Disaster Accounting Basics	T-ACC600	San Benito
08/24/26	08/26/26	Texas Public Information Officer	T-PUB4033	Fort Worth
08/24/26	08/26/26	Texas Public Information Officer	T-PUB4033	Tilden

Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
08/14/26	08/23/26	Houston	Houston Astros Games
08/15/26	08/23/26	Denton	North Texas Rodeo
08/20/26	08/23/26	Arlington	Texas Rangers Games
08/22/26	08/24/26	Port Aransas	Texas Woman's Anglers Tournament