

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief



Thursday, March 21st 2019
As of 0900 CST

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

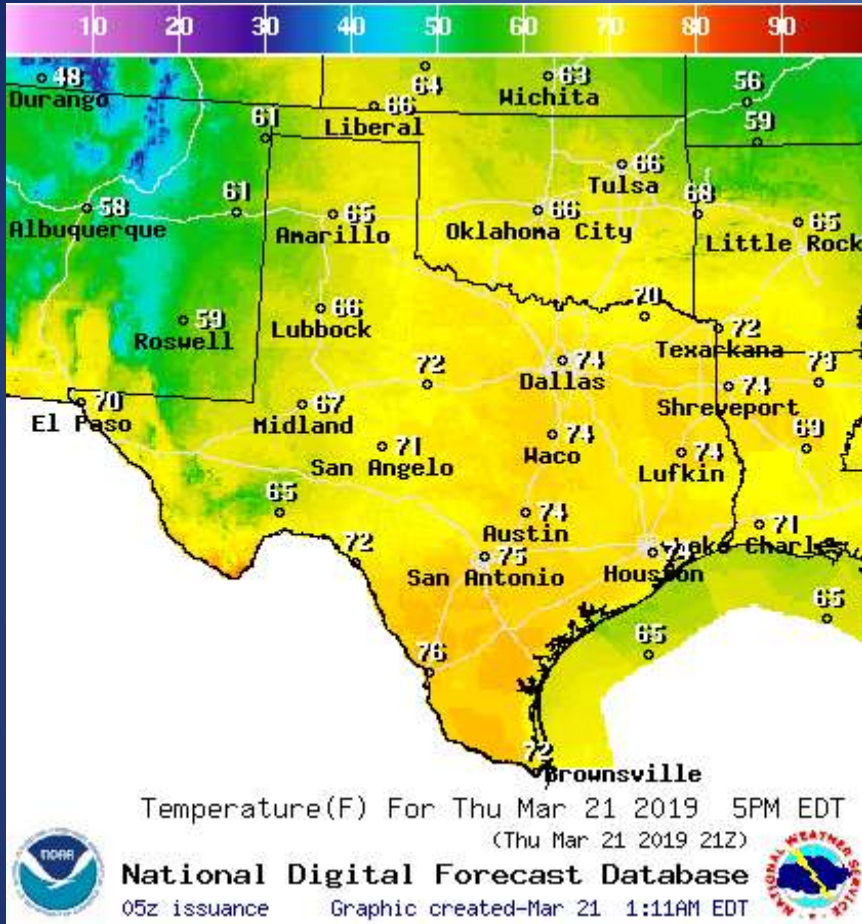
DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
03/20/19	Initial Report of a Road Closure (IH 35E)	Denton County	N
03/20/19	Initial Report of a Road Closure (US 90A)	Gonzales County	N
03/20/19	Final Report of a Road Closure (IH 35E)	Denton County	Y
03/20/19	Initial Report of a Road Closure (US 90A)	Gonzales County	Y
03/21/19	Preliminary Earthquake Report Affecting Western Texas	Reeves County	Y
03/21/19	Preliminary Earthquake Report Affecting Western Texas	Pecos County	Y

Informational Products

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DATE	SUBJECT
03/20/19	2019 TEXAS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE, APRIL 15 - 18; SAN ANTONIO, TX
03/21/19	NWS Lubbock: Public Information Statement - Updated NWS Damage Survey for the Anton Tornado
03/21/19	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Thursday, March 21, 2019 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

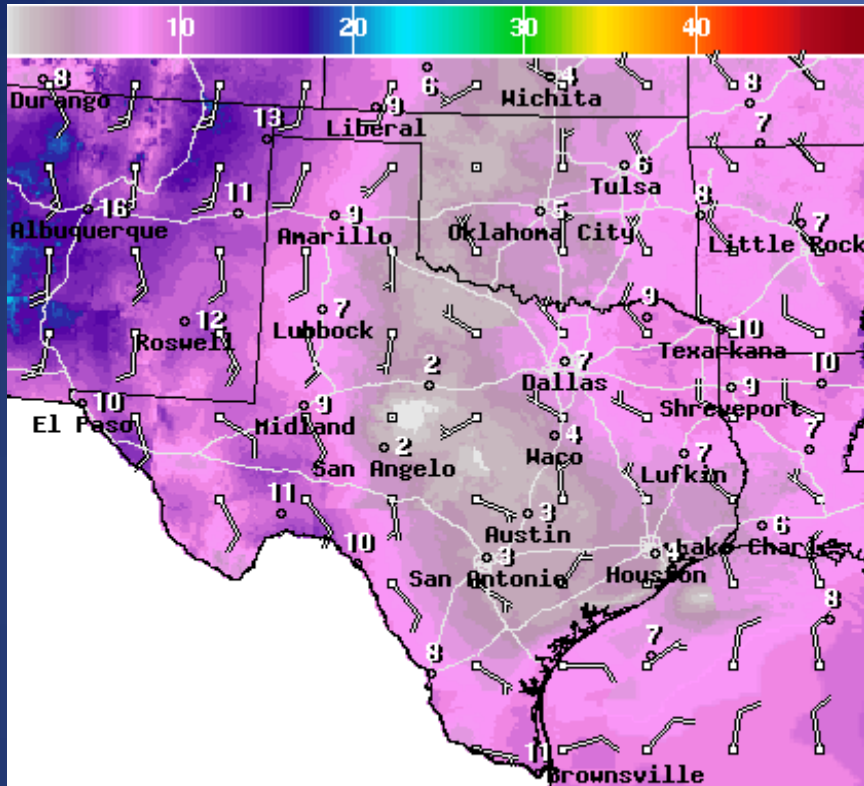


Highs



Lows

Weather Forecast



WindSpd(Kts) & WindDir For Thu Mar 21 2019 5PM EDT
(Thu Mar 21 2019 21Z)

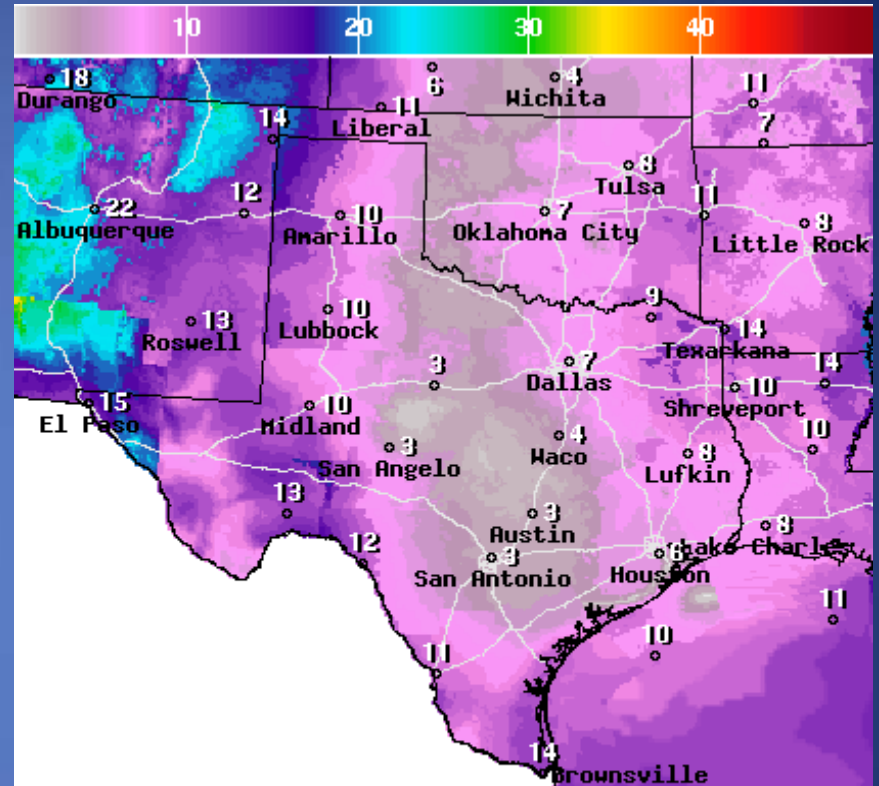


National Digital Forecast Database

05z issuance Graphic created-Mar 21 1:18AM EDT



Wind Speeds



Wind Gust(Kts) Thu Mar 21 2019 5PM EDT
(Thu Mar 21 2019 21Z)



National Digital Forecast Database

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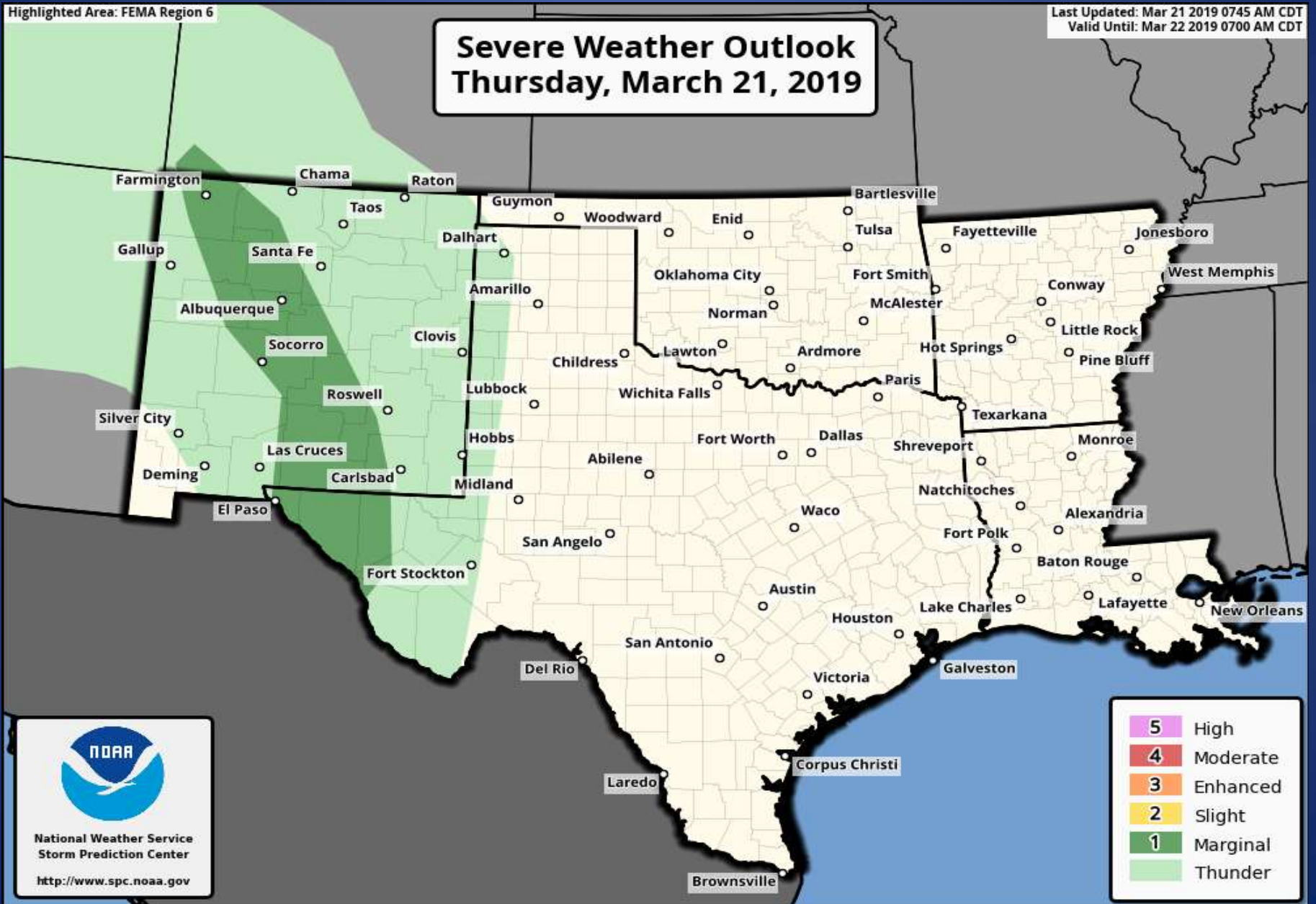
Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: Mar 21 2019 0745 AM CDT
Valid Until: Mar 22 2019 0700 AM CDT

Severe Weather Outlook Thursday, March 21, 2019



National Weather Service
Storm Prediction Center

<http://www.spc.noaa.gov>

5	High
4	Moderate
3	Enhanced
2	Slight
1	Marginal
	Thunder

Hazardous Weather

Showers, Storms Likely Friday

Weather Forecast Office

Amarillo, TX



A Couple Afternoon Storms Could be Severe

Issued Mar 21, 2019 3:53 AM CDT

- Showers and storms are likely across the Panhandles Friday

- A couple storms during the afternoon could be severe

- Hail and would be the main threat with any severe storms that develop



NWSAmarillo

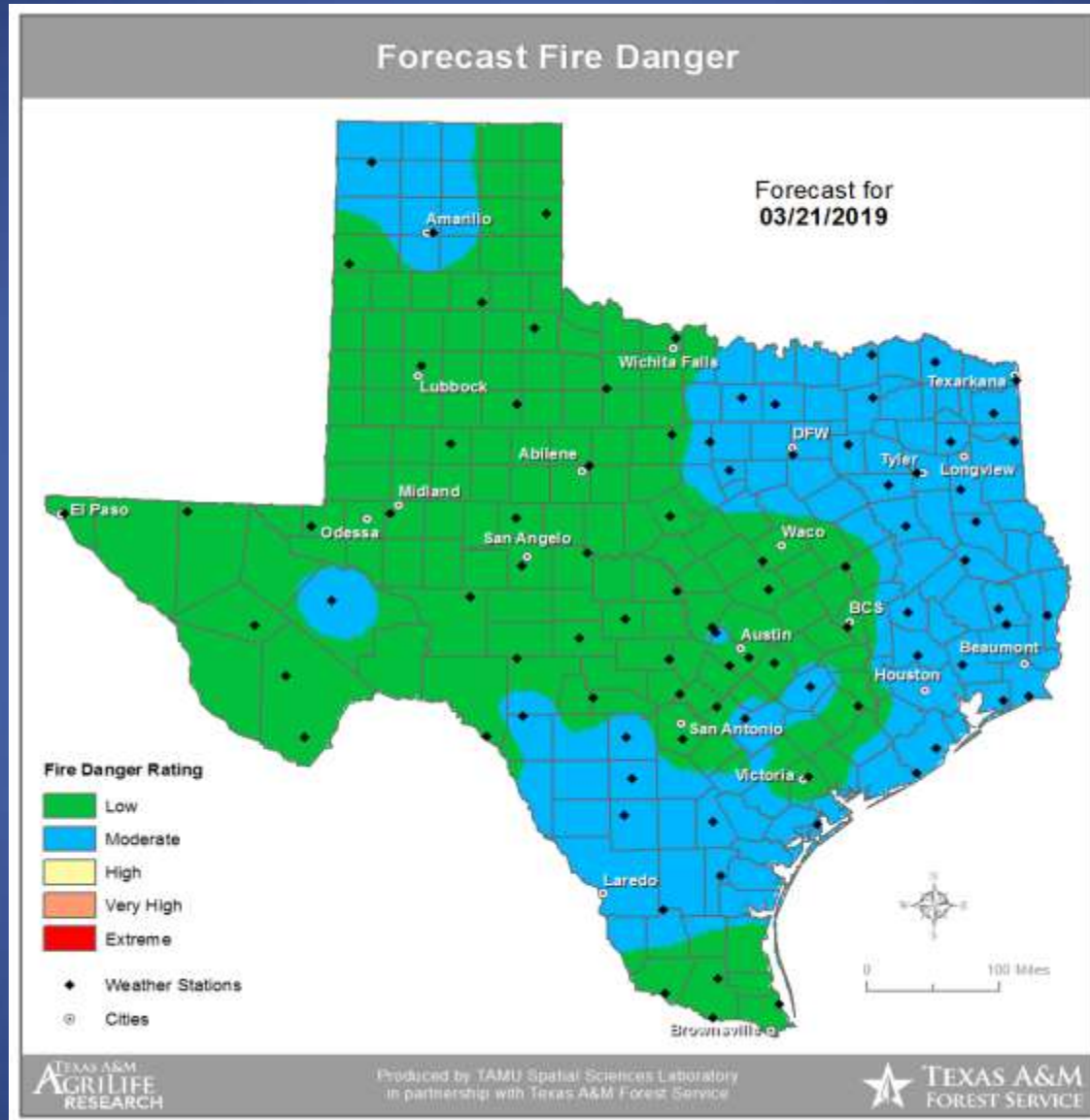
weather.gov/ama

Showers and storms are likely across the Panhandles Friday., with the greatest chance of rain across the eastern Panhandles. A couple of the storms during the afternoon could be severe, with hail being the main threat with any severe storms that manage to develop. While rain is more likely across the eastern Panhandles, the central Texas Panhandle has the better chance of getting a severe thunderstorm

Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
03/20/19	Flood Warning	Sabine River Affecting Newton and Orange Counties

Fire Danger Forecast



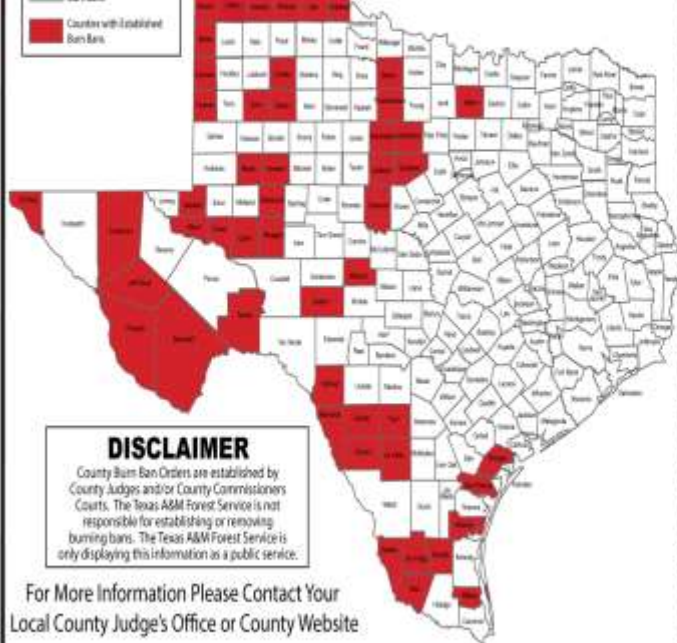
Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

March 19, 2019



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



DISCLAIMER

County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

For More Information Please Contact Your Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov

Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfire/BurnBan.xml>

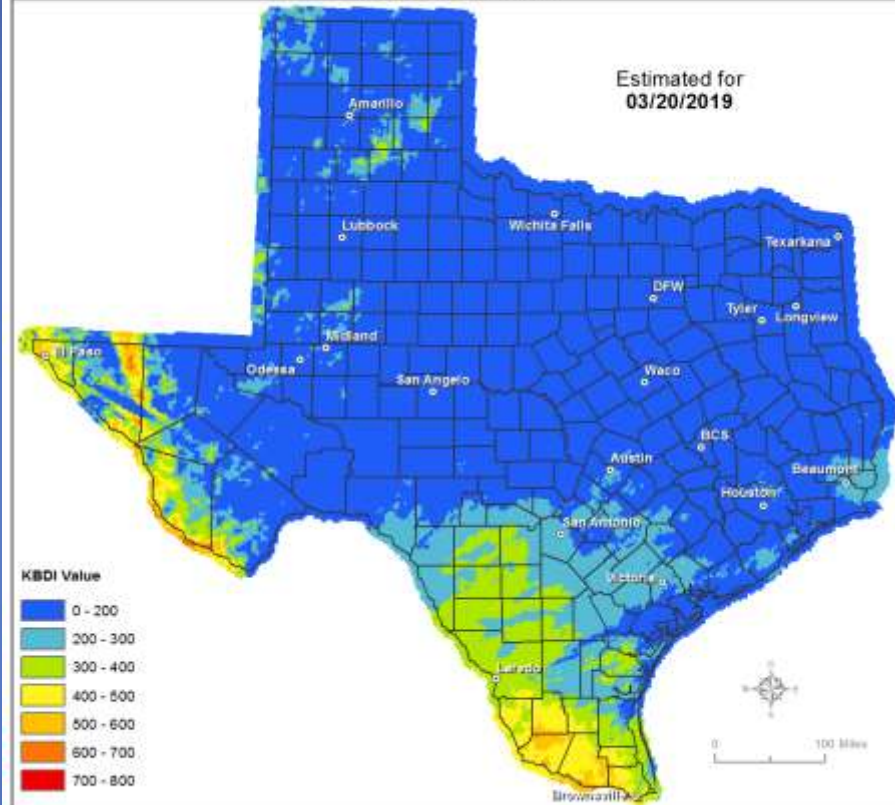
Counties with Burn Bans: 61

- Andrews
- Bailey
- Baylor*
- Brewster
- Briscoe
- Brooks
- Callahan
- Castro
- Childress
- Cochran
- Collier
- Crane
- Crosby
- Culberson
- Deaf Smith
- Dewitt
- Dawley
- Eastland
- El Paso
- Faith*
- Garza
- Glasscock
- Gray
- Hall
- Hempshall
- Howard
- Jeff Davis
- Jim Hogg
- Kinney*
- Mebert
- La Salle
- Lipscomb
- Lynn
- Martin
- Maverick
- Mesard
- Oldham
- Panther
- Parmer
- Presidio
- Randall
- Reagan
- Refugio
- San Patricio
- Shackelford
- Sherman
- Star
- Stephens
- Sutton
- Sweeth
- Terrill
- Throckmorton
- Upton
- Ward
- Wheeler
- Wilacy
- Winkler*
- Wise*
- Yakam
- Zapata
- Zavala

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
03/20/2019



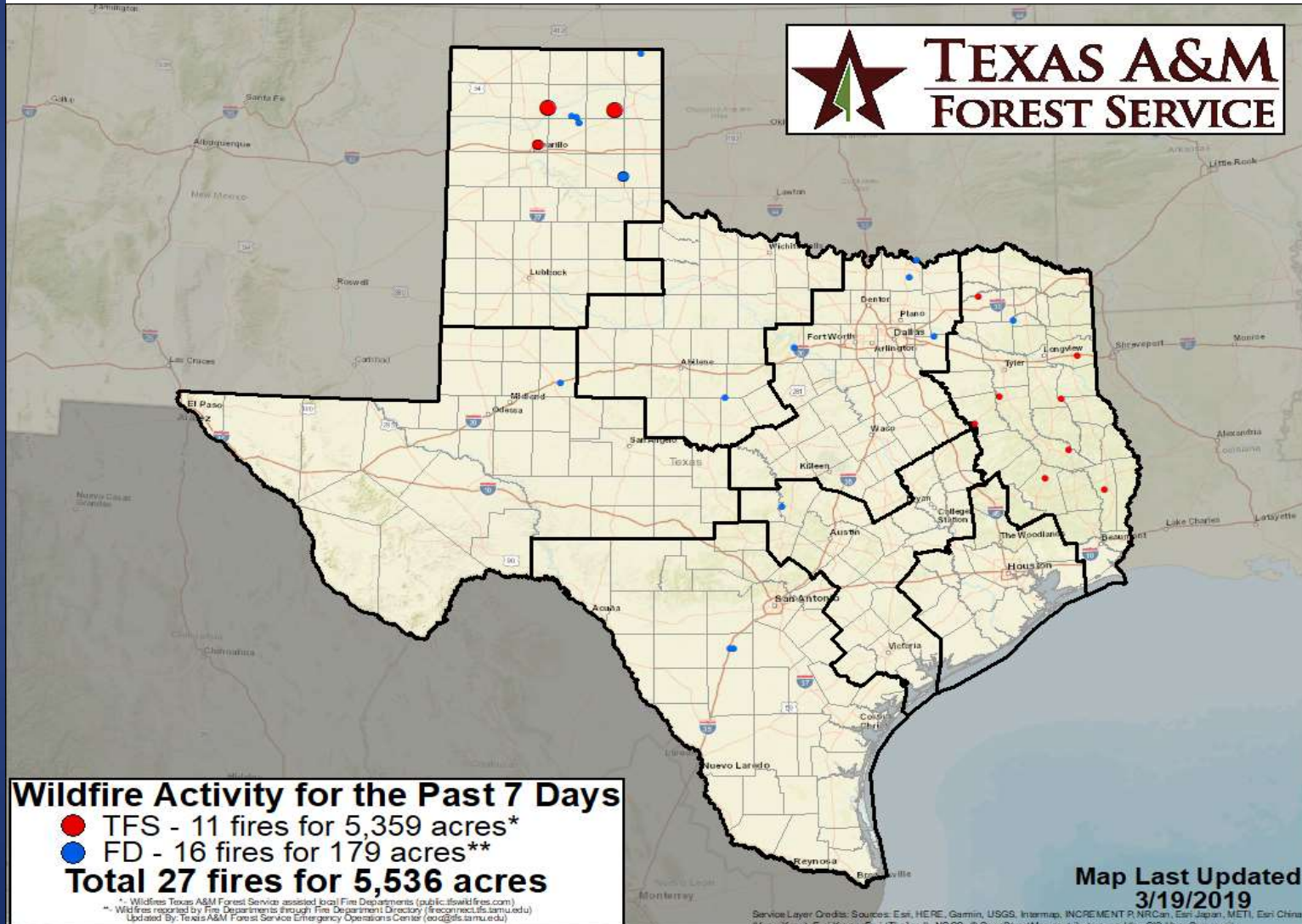
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FOREST SERVICE

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 40 (+4) fires and 16,358 (+19) acres destroyed this year. There are 61 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 6 (no change) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
03/06/19	05/01/19	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Austin
03/18/19	03/22/19	NFPA 472 HazMat Technician - Pro-Board Certification	H-501	Canyon Lake
03/19/19	03/21/19	Public Safety WMD Response - Sampling Techniques and Guidelines	PER-222	Conroe
03/19/19	03/21/19	Wide Area Search	PER-213	Escobares
03/19/19	03/21/19	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Waco
03/19/19	03/21/19	Basic Public Information Officer Course(G290)/Public Information Officer Awareness Course(G289)/JIS/JIC Planning for Tribal, State, and Local PIOs(G291)	G-290/G-289/G-291	Dickinson
03/19/19	03/22/19	NFPA 1006 2013 Edition Confined Space Rescue Levels I and II Training (Pro-Board Certificates)	H-503	Weslaco
03/20/19	03/21/19	Sport and Special Event Evacuation Training and Exercise	MGT-412	Arlington

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03/20/19	03/22/19	Basic Public Information Officer Course(G290)/Public Information Officer Awareness Course(G289)/JIS/JIC Planning for Tribal, State, and Local PIOs(G291)	G-290/ G-289/ G-291	Abilene
03/21/19	03/21/19	Site Protection through Observational Techniques (SPOT)	AWR-219	San Antonio
03/21/19	03/21/19	Texas Public Officials Workshop	G-200	Madisonville

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
03/21/19	03/21/19	North Central Texas Council of Governments/Arlington	Functional: Regional Emergency Operations Center Exercise
03/21/19	03/21/19	Fort Worth OEM/Fort Worth	Tabletop: 2019 Mayfest Tabletop
03/21/19	03/21/19	City of Houston OEM	Tabletop: EPIP Tabletop Exercise
03/22/19	03/22/19	NCTTRAC Healthcare Coalition/ Arlington	Tabletop/Functional: HCC-E 2019Coalition Surge Test
03/22/19	03/22/19	City of Lewisville	Full-scale: Active Shooter
03/22/19	03/27/19	USNORTHCOM/ Grapevine	Workshop: Annual Joint DSCA Preparedness Workshop

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
01/08/19	05/27/19	Austin	86 th Texas Legislature
03/09/19	03/24/19	South Padre Island	City of South Padre Island 2019 Spring Break
03/16/19	03/30/19	Austin	Austin Livestock Show and Rodeo
03/21/19	03/21/19	Beaumont	South Texas State Fair