

# Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

## Texas State Operations Center



### Situation Awareness Brief



Friday, December 30<sup>th</sup> 2016  
As of 0900 CST

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

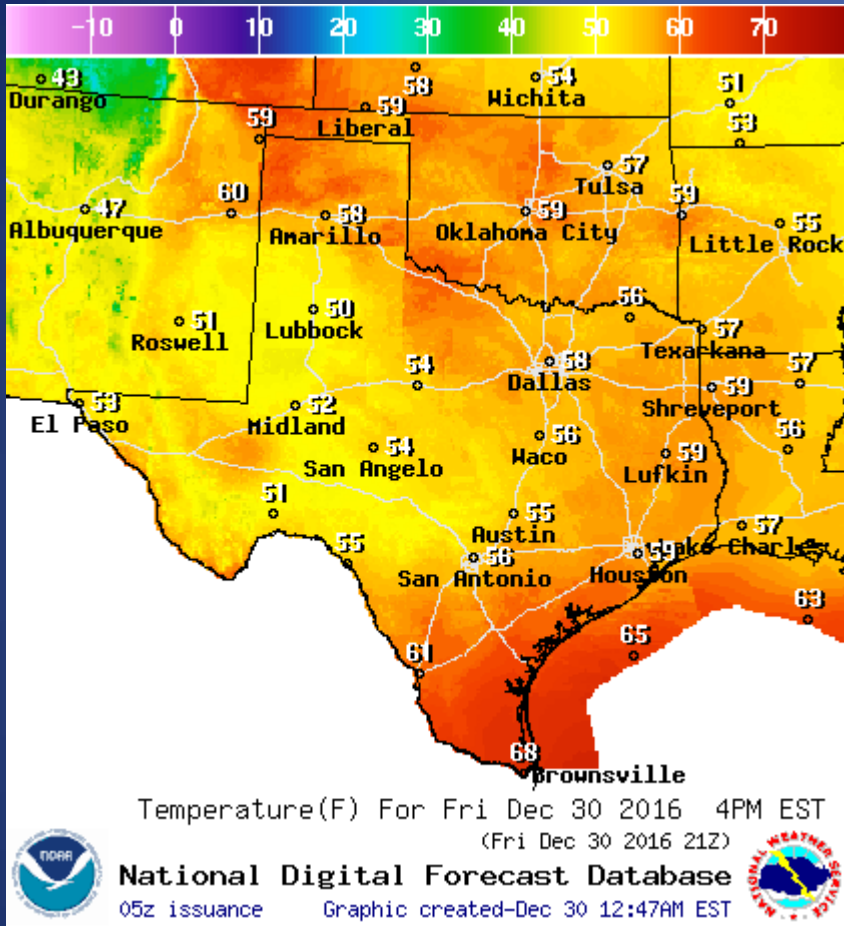
<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT / INCIDENT</b>	<b>LOCATION (City/County)</b>	<b>Final Report: Y/N</b>
12/29/16	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Wise County	N
12/29/16	Initial and Final Report of the Wildfire	Jackson County	Y
12/29/16	Update #1 to Report of the 2265 Fire	Wise County	N
12/30/16	Updated Report #2 on the 2265 Fire	Wise County	N

# Informational Products

## Distributed by the State Operations Center

<b>DATE</b>	<b>SUBJECT</b>
12/29/16	NWS Lake Charles: Weather Update: 230 pm Thu 12.29.16
12/30/16	NWS Austin/San Antonio: Public Information Statement - Highest Wind Gusts Thursday
12/30/16	NWS Corpus Christi: Public Information Statement - Wind Reports
12/30/16	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Friday, December 30, 2016 for FEMA Region 6
12/30/16	FEMA Region 6 Daily Situation Awareness Briefing

# Weather Forecast

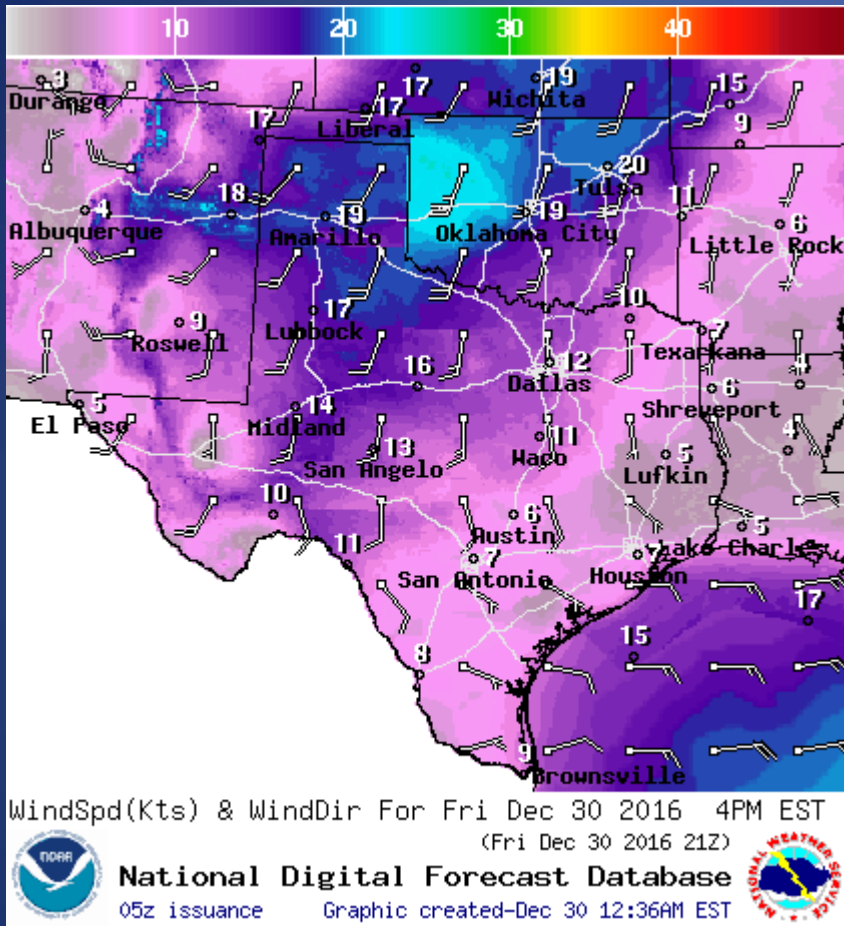


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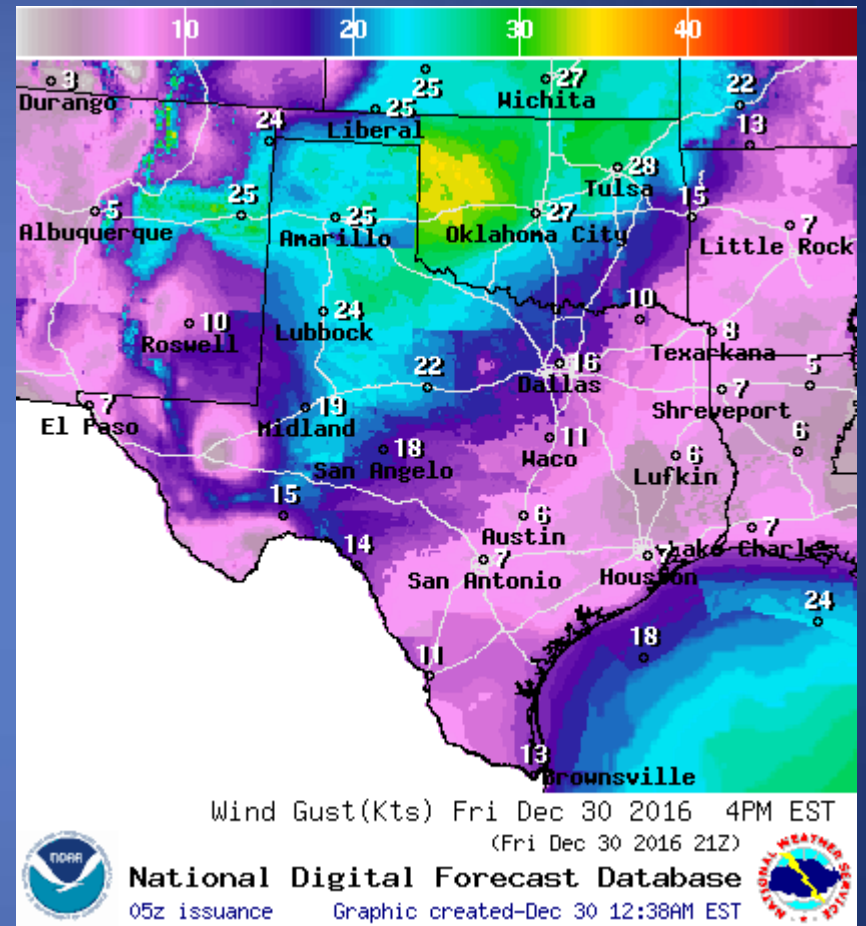


## Lows

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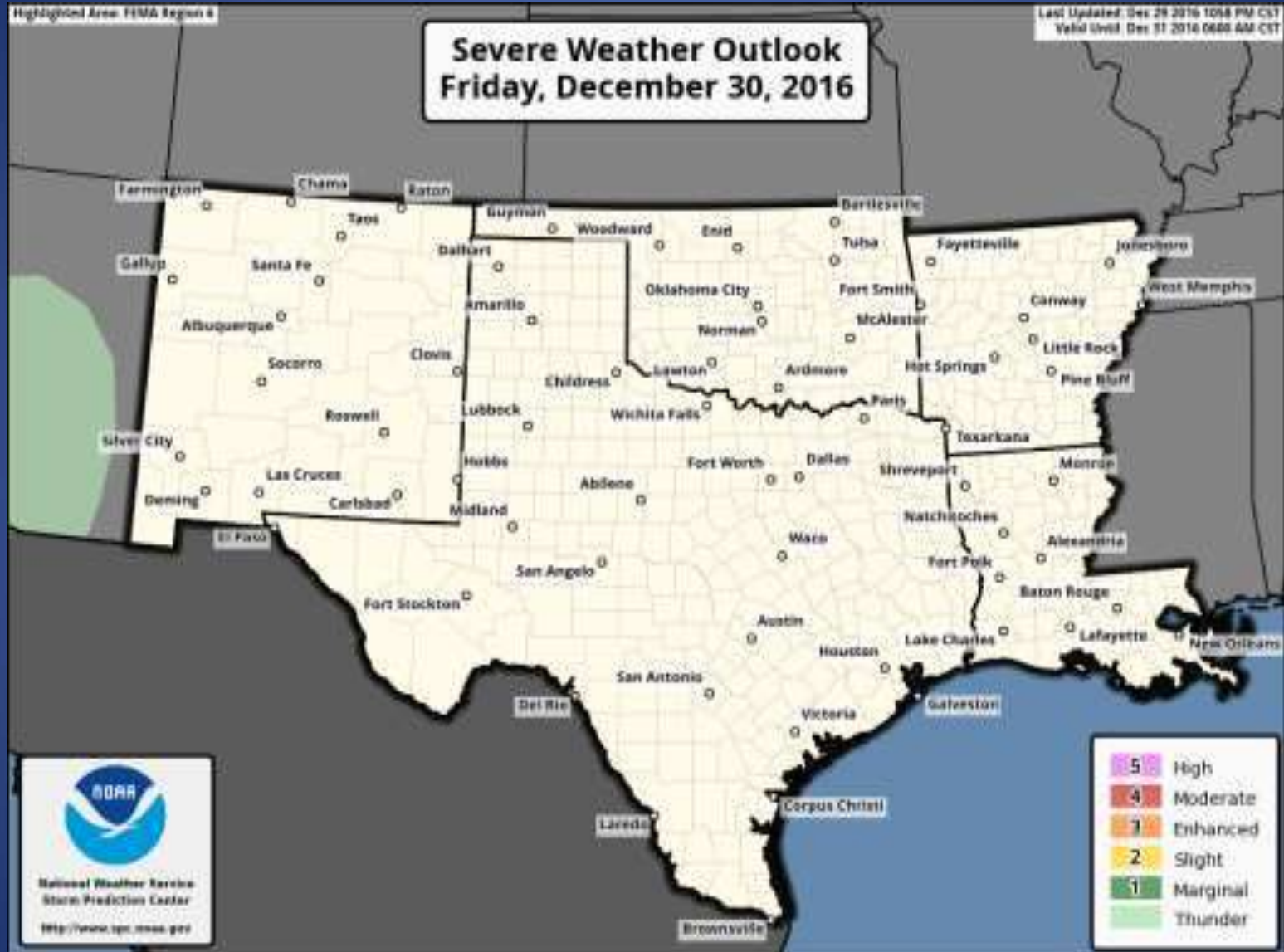


## Wind Speeds



## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather



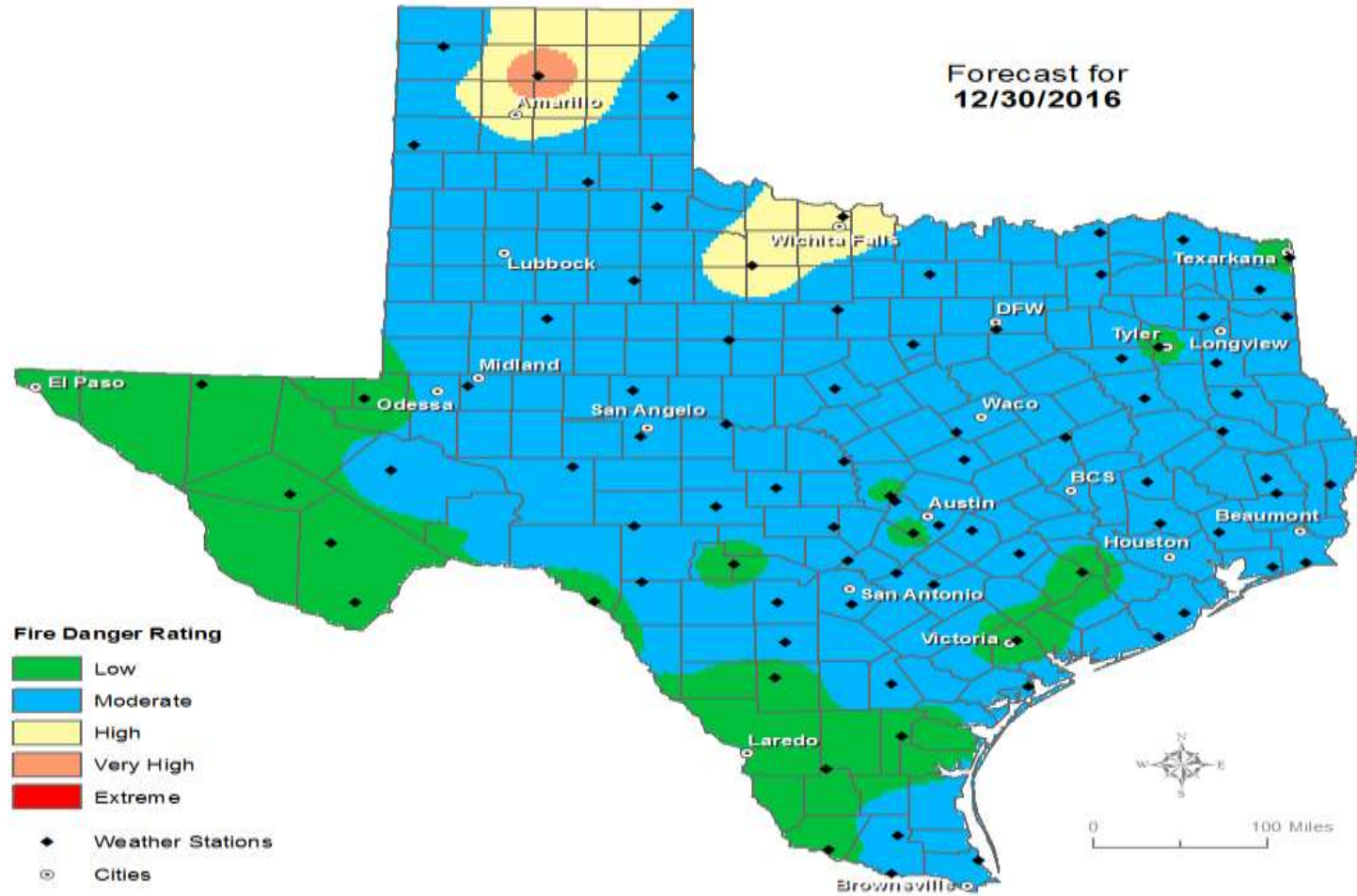
# Hazardous Weather



Today will be mostly cloudy and seasonably cool with afternoon highs in the middle and upper 50s. Southerly winds will increase between 10 and 20 mph this afternoon along with some higher gusts. The combination of breezy and dry conditions will result in an elevated grass fire threat this afternoon across the northern two thirds of the region.

# Fire Danger Forecast

## Forecast Fire Danger





# Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

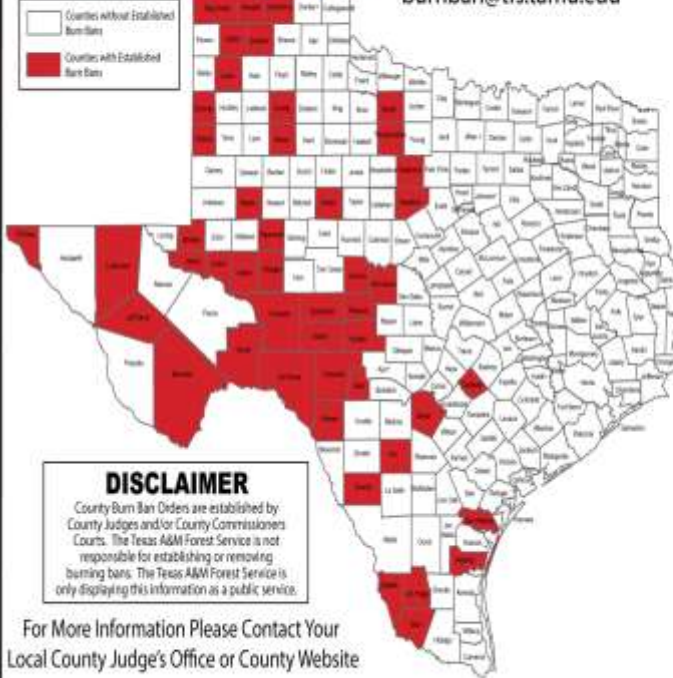
## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

December 22, 2016



Counties without Established Burn Bans  
Counties with Established Burn Bans

Email updates to:  
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



### Counties with Burn Bans: 55

- Armstrong
- Baylor\*
- Brewer
- Caldwell
- Castro
- Cochran
- Concho
- Crane
- Crockett
- Crosby
- Cubson
- Dallam
- Deaf Smith
- Dimmit
- Eastland
- Edwards
- El Paso
- Frio
- Garda
- Glasscock
- Harley
- Hutchinson
- Jeff Davis
- Jim Hogg
- Kinble
- Kinney
- Kleberg
- Lamb
- Martin
- McLulloch
- Meyland
- Muone
- Polk
- Oldham
- Potter
- Randall
- Reagan
- Real
- San Patricio
- Schleicher
- Sherman
- Starr
- Stephens
- Tarrant
- Swisher
- Terasi
- Theodore
- Upton
- Val Verde
- Ward
- Wheeler
- Winkler\*
- Yakum
- Zapata

### 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

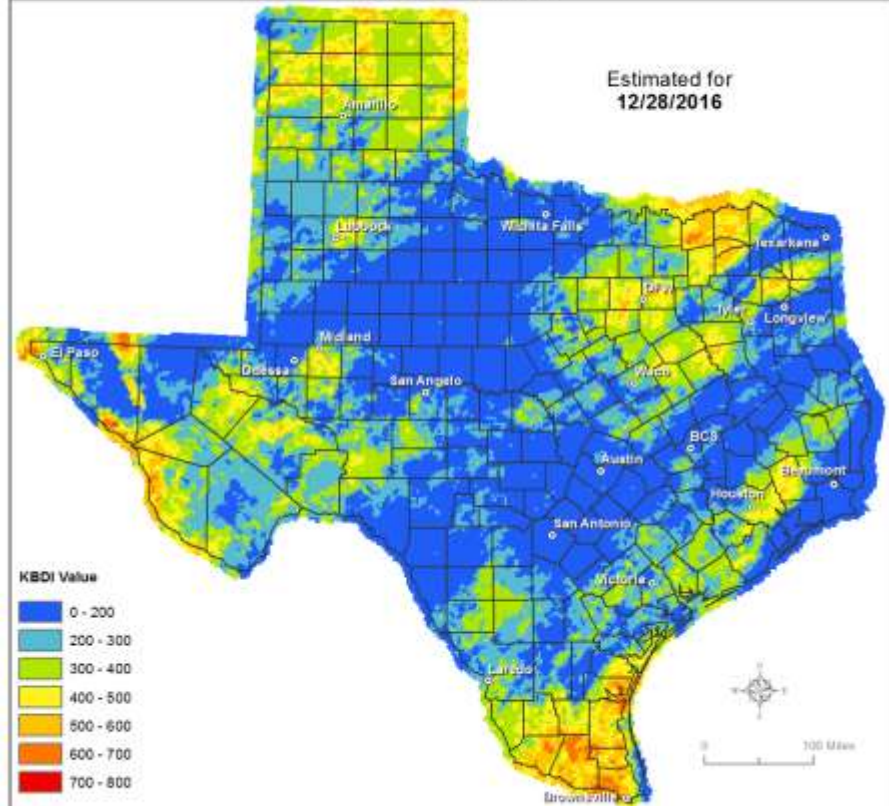
RED FLAG WARNINGS: [www.weather.gov](http://www.weather.gov)  
Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfires/BurnBan.xml>

\* Burn Bans are not always enforced by County Judges  
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## Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for  
12/28/2016



### KBDI Value

- 0 - 200
- 200 - 300
- 300 - 400
- 400 - 500
- 500 - 600
- 600 - 700
- 700 - 800



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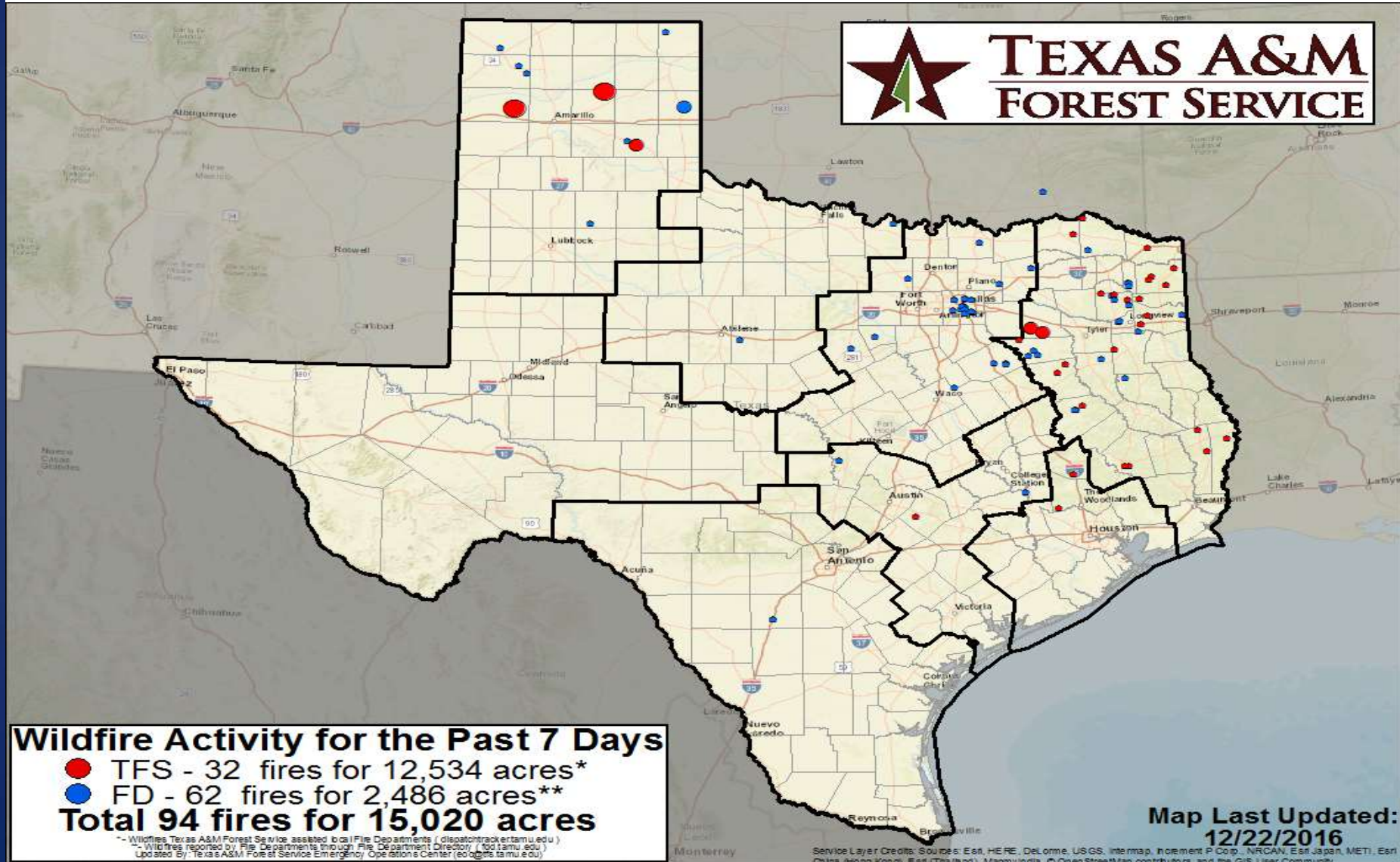


# Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
11/29/16	Grass Fire Danger Statement	Collin, Comanche, Cooke, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Eastland, Ellis, Erath, Fannin, Grayson, Hood, Hopkins, Hunt, Jack, Johnson, Kaufman, Lamar, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rains, Rockwall, Somervell, Stephens, Tarrant, Van Zandt, Wise and Young Counties
11/30/16	Grass Fire Danger Statement	Bosque, Collin, Comanche, Cooke, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Eastland, Ellis, Erath, Fannin, Grayson, Hamilton, Hill, Hood, Hopkins, Hunt, Jack, Johnson, Kaufman, Lamar, Mills, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rains, Rockwall, Somervell, Stephens, Tarrant, Van Zandt, Wise and Young Counties
12/30/16	Red Flag Warning	Archer, Baylor, Clay, Foard, Hardeman, Knox, Wichita and Wilbarger Counties

# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 752 (+1) fires and 123,013 (+5) acres destroyed this year. There are 55 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 20 (+1) counties with an average over 400.



# Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
12/29/16	01/01/17	Canton	Canton First Monday Trade Days
12/30/16	12/30/16	El Paso	Hyundai Sun Bowl