

# Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

## Texas State Operations Center



### Situation Awareness Brief



Monday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> 2017  
As of 0900 CST

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

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01/22/17	Initial Report of Wildfires	Refugio County	N
01/22/17	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Goliad County	N
01/22/17	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Clay County	N
01/22/17	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Jim Hogg County	N
01/22/17	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Brooks County	N
01/22/17	Final Report of Wildfires	Refugio County	Y
01/22/17	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Alice/Jim Wells	N
01/22/17	Update to the Report of the Dorsey Wildfire	Clay County	N
01/22/17	Initial Report of the Saint Paul 798 Wildfire	San Patricio County	N
01/22/17	Update to the Report of the Fair Wildfire	Alice/Jim Wells	N
01/22/17	Initial and Final report of a Wildfire	Refugio County	Y
01/22/17	Update to the Report of the Hopper Wildfire	Brooks County	N
01/22/17	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Jim Hogg County	N

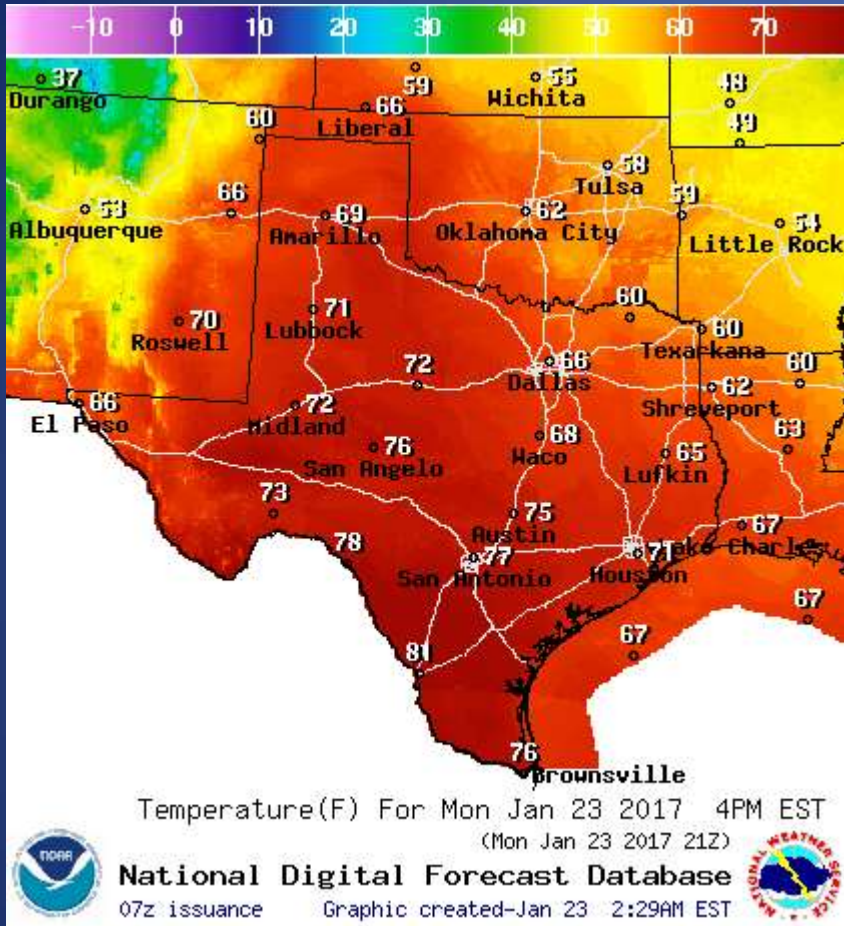
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01/22/17	Initial and Final report of Multiple Fires	Kleberg County	Y
01/22/17	Final Report of a Wildfire	Jim Hogg County	Y
01/23/17	Silver Alert Request from the East Mountain Police Department	East Mountain/Upshur	Y

## Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
01/22/17	NWS Corpus Christi: Morning South Texas Storm Update
01/22/17	NWS Houston/Galveston- Public Information Statement- Wind Report
01/22/17	NWS Austin/San Antonio Public Information Statement
01/22/17	NWS Corpus Christi Public Information Statement
01/22/17	NWS Austin/San Antonio Public Information Statement Peak Wind Reports in the Last 24 Hours
01/23/17	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Monday, January 23, 2017 for FEMA Region 6

# Weather Forecast

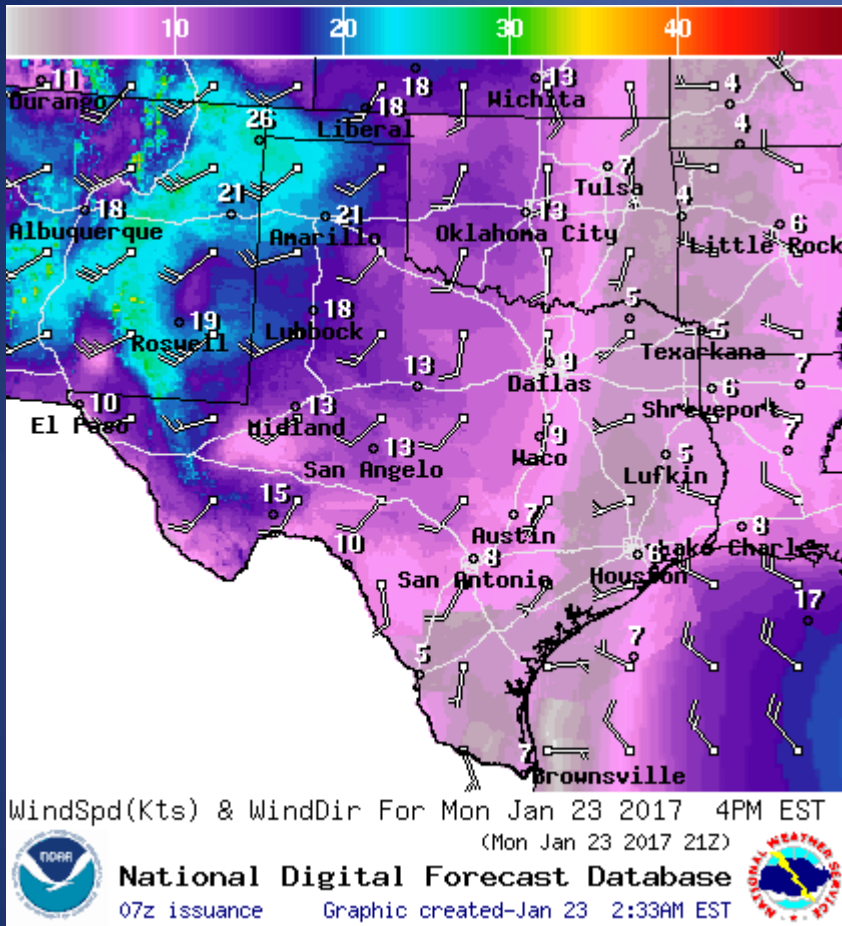


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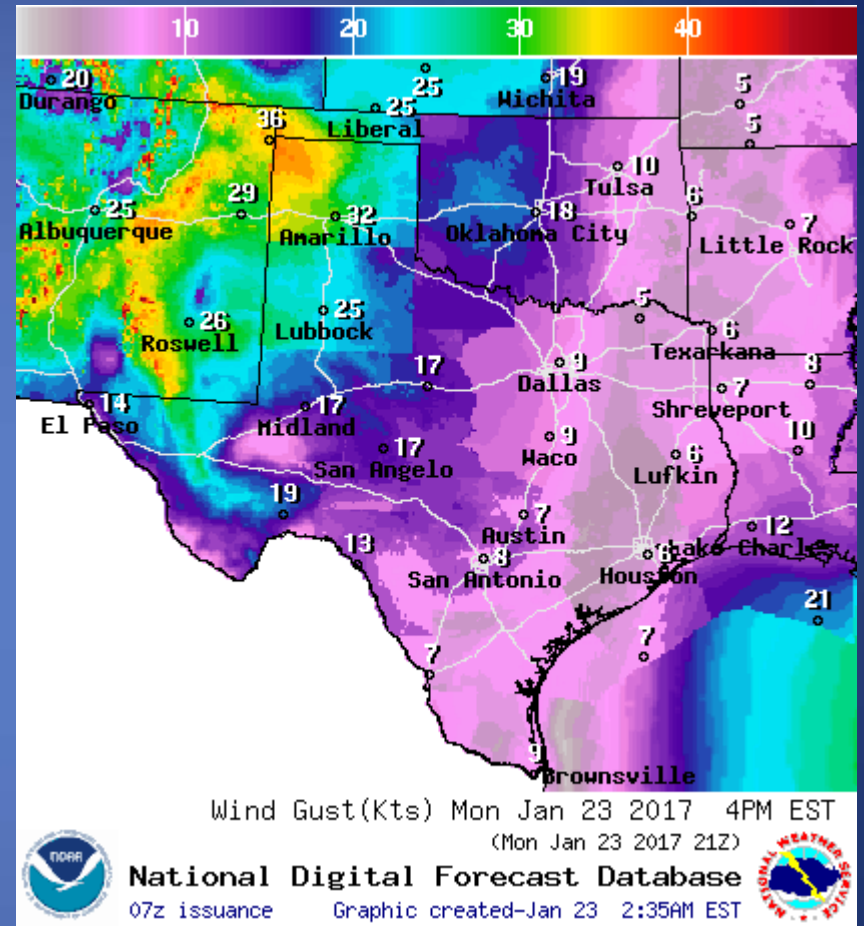


Lows

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## Wind Speeds



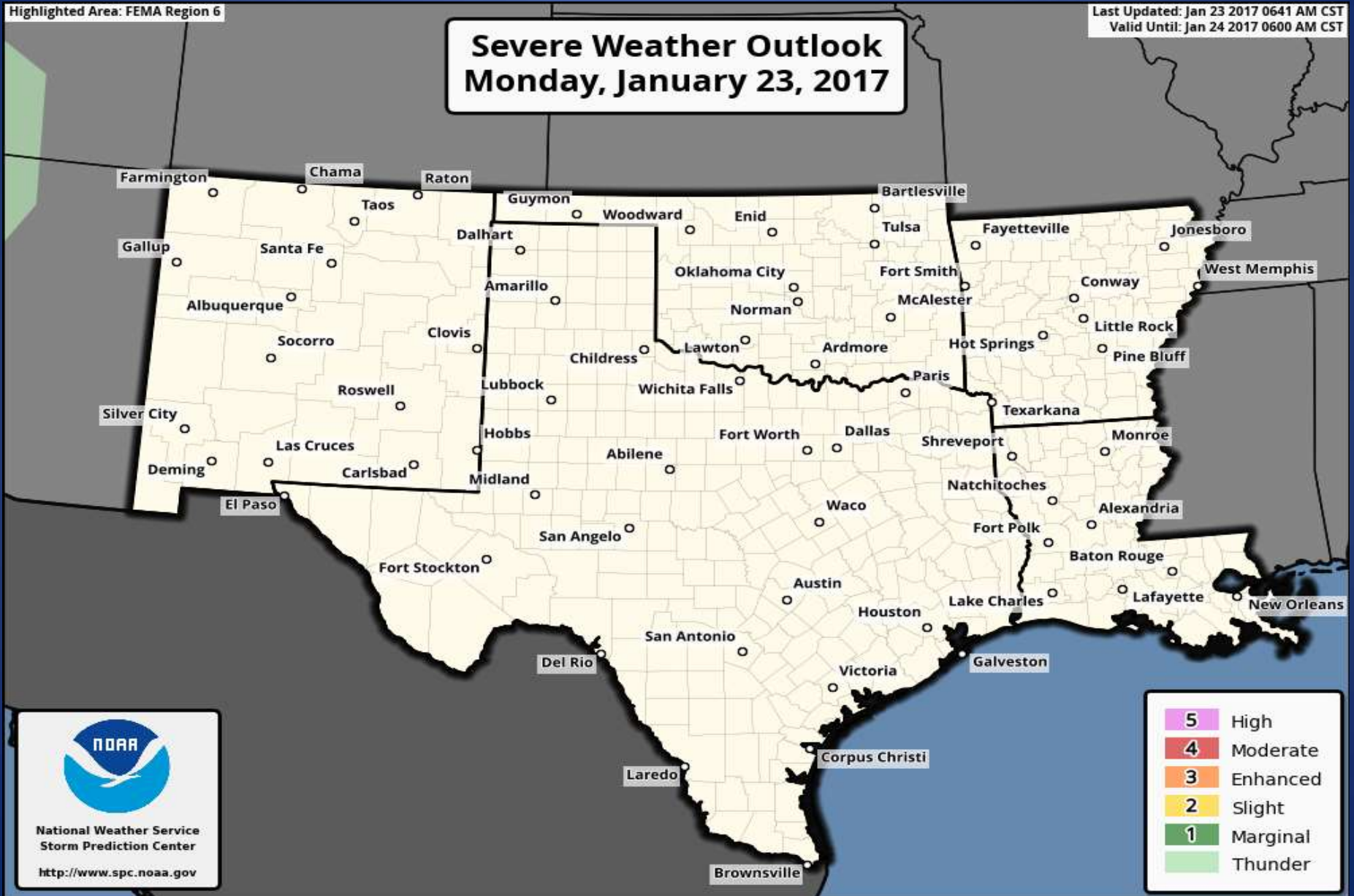
## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: Jan 23 2017 0641 AM CST  
Valid Until: Jan 24 2017 0600 AM CST

## Severe Weather Outlook Monday, January 23, 2017



National Weather Service  
Storm Prediction Center

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

# Hazardous Weather

## High Wind Watch

Tuesday Afternoon

Weather Forecast Office  
Midland/Odessa TX

Issued January 23, 2017 3:40 AM CDT



High Winds expected across the Guadalupe Mountains.

- + Winds... Southwest 35-45 mph
- + Gusts... near 65 mph

- + Winds could make for difficult driving conditions.

- + Motorists driving high profile vehicles such as campers, vans and tractor trailers should exercise caution.

High winds are expected across the Guadalupe Mountains Tuesday afternoon. Remember - strong winds will make for difficult driving conditions, especially for high profile vehicles. Drive with caution!

# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

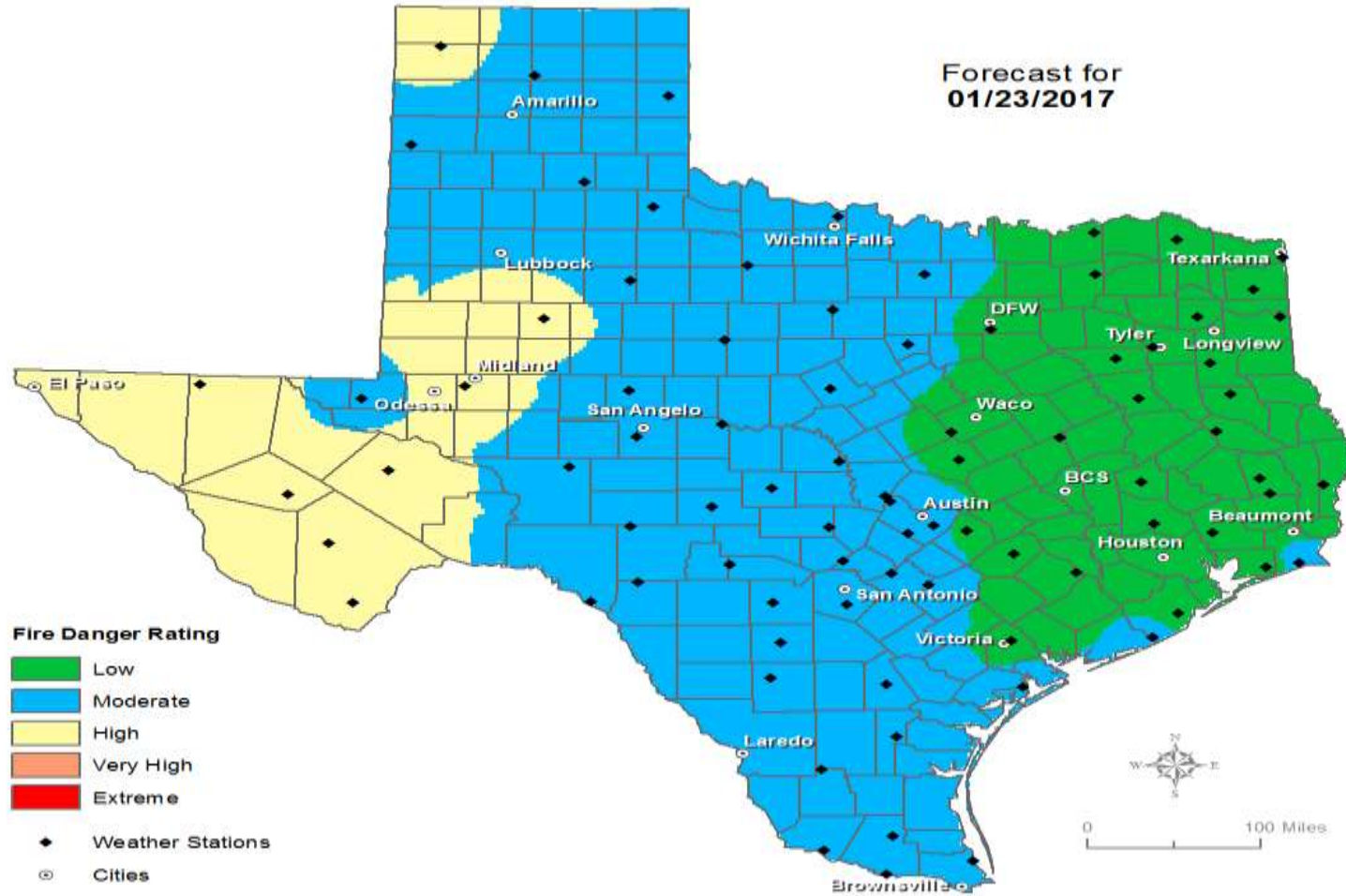
<b>DATE</b>	<b>WARNING TYPE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
01/22/17	Flood Warning Continues	Attoyac Bayou Near Chireno affecting Nacogdoches, Rusk, San Augustine and Shelby Counties; Guadalupe River Near Bloomington affecting Calhoun, Refugio and Victoria Counties; Sabine River Near Deweyville affecting Newton and Orange Counties
01/22/17	Flood Warning Extended	Neches River Near Diboll affecting Angelina, Houston, Polk, Trinity and Tyler Counties; Pine Island Bayou Near Sour Lake affecting Hardin and Jefferson Counties; Sabine River Near Mineola affecting Smith and Wood Counties; San Bernard River Near Boling affecting Austin, Brazoria, Fort Bend and Wharton Counties; San Bernard River Near Sweeny affecting Brazoria County
01/22/17	Hydrologic Statement	Guadalupe River at Victoria affecting Victoria County; Nueces River Near Bluntzer affecting Jim Wells, Nueces and San Patricio Counties



# Fire Danger Forecast

## Forecast Fire Danger

Forecast for  
01/23/2017



# Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

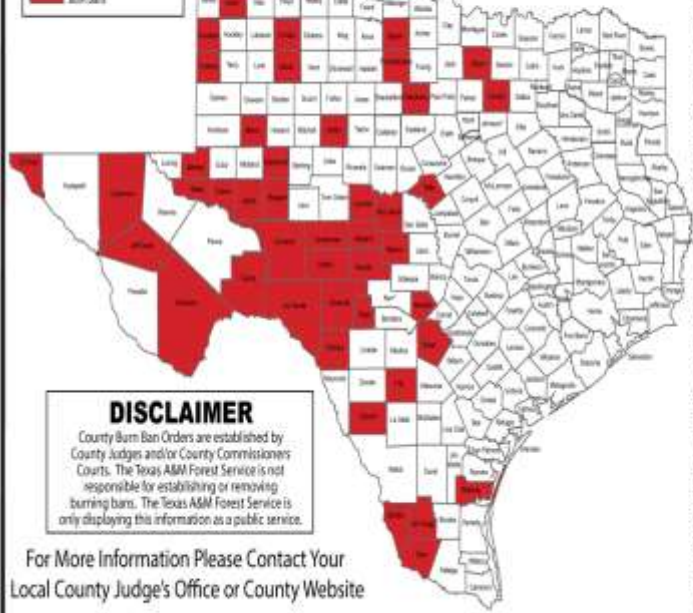
## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

January 23, 2017



Email updates to:  
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu

Counties without Established Burn Bans  
 Counties with Established Burn Bans



### Counties with Burn Bans: 55

- Armstrong
- Baylor\*
- Brewer
- Castro
- Cochran
- Comanche
- Concho
- Clare
- Crockett
- Crosby
- Callahan
- Dallas
- Dimmit
- Donley\*
- Edwards
- El Paso
- Frio
- Garza
- Glasscock
- Hartley
- Hutchinson
- Jeff Davis
- Jim Hogg
- Kimball
- Kimble
- Kinney
- Kleberg
- Land
- Martin
- Mason
- McCluskey
- Morland
- Mills
- Nolan
- Potter
- Randall
- Reagan
- Real
- Schleicher
- Star
- Stephens
- Sutton
- Swisher
- Tarrant
- Terrell
- Theodore
- Upton
- Val Verde
- Ward
- Wheeler
- Wilder\*
- Wise
- Wookam
- 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.

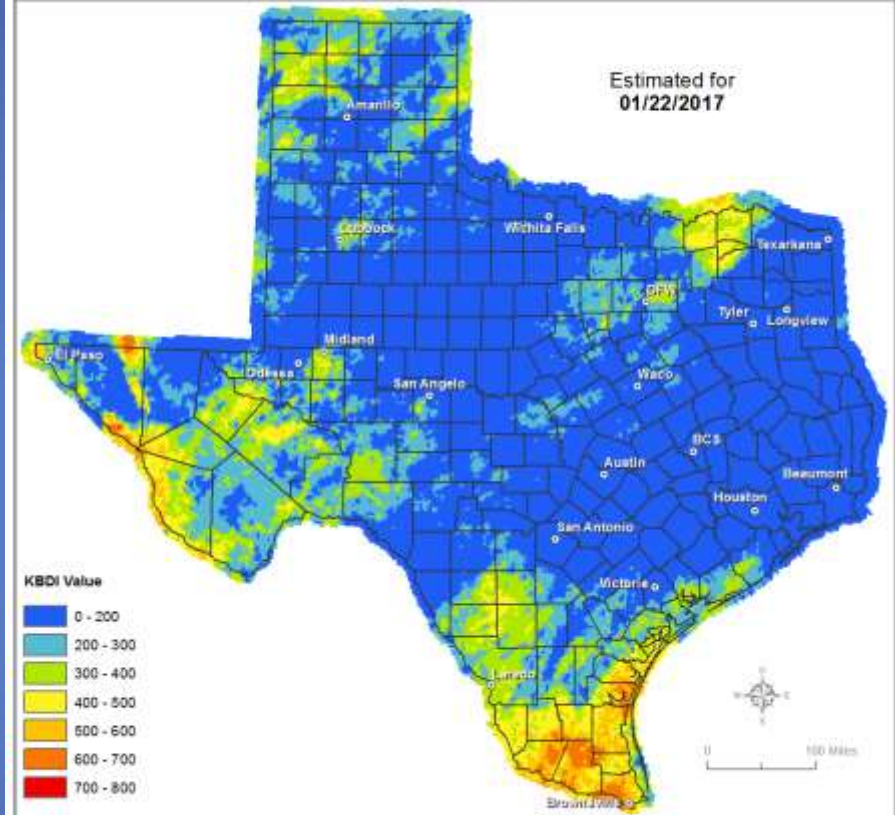
For More Information Please Contact Your Local County Judge's Office or County Website

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

## Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for  
01/22/2017



**KBDI Value**

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



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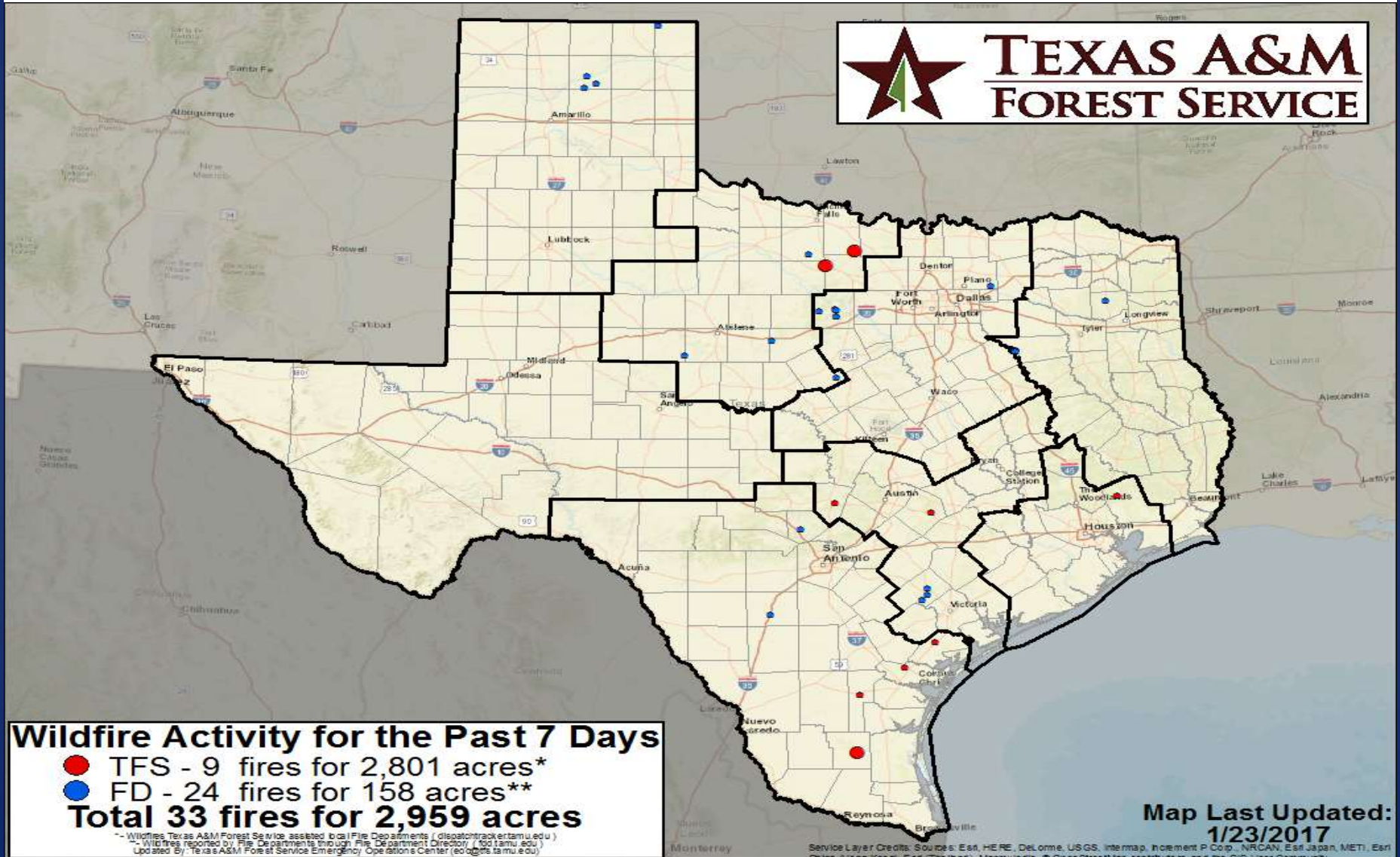


# Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
01/22/17	Red Flag Warning	Austin, Burleson, Colorado, Jackson, Matagorda, Washington and Wharton Counties
01/22/17	Red Flag Warning Remains in Effect	Zapata, Jim Hogg, Brooks, Kenedy, Starr, Hidalgo, Willacy, Cameron, Llano, Burnet, Williamson, Val Verde, Edwards, Real, Kerr, Bandera, Gillespie Kendall, Blanco, Hays, Travis, Bastrop, Lee, Kinney, Uvalde, Medina Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Caldwell, Fayette, Maverick, Zavala, Frio, Atascosa, Wilson, Karnes, Gonzales, De Witt, Lavaca, Dimmit, La Salle, McMullen, Live Oak, Bee, Goliad, Victoria, Webb, Duval, Jim Wells, Kleberg, Nueces, San Patricio, Aransas, Refugio and Calhoun Counties
01/23/17	Fire Danger Statement	Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Hartley, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Oldham, Moore, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Terry and Yoakum Counties

# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 40 (no change) fires and 1,579 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 55 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 12 (+1) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
01/21/17	01/28/17	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Laredo
01/21/17	01/29/17	Confined Space Rescue	H-304	Coupland
01/23/17	01/23/17	Texas Public Officials Workshop	G-200	Georgetown
01/23/17	01/25/17	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	ICS-300	Katy
01/23/17	01/25/17	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Fort Worth
01/23/17	02/03/17	NFA Chemistry for Emergency Response	H-402	New Braunfels

# Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
01/23/17	01/23/17	Coastal Bend COG/ Corpus Christi	Workshop: NDOW Response Manager Training/Exercise