

WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

April 20, 2022

Severe Weather Outlook

- Wednesday kicked off with a few non-severe storms over eastern Oklahoma and Arkansas, but more powerful thunderstorms are predicted to develop Wednesday afternoon into Wednesday night.
- "As a cold front interacts with the peak heating of the day across Kansas into western Missouri and northeastern and central Oklahoma, spotty severe thunderstorms will develop," explained AccuWeather Lead Storm Warning Meteorologist William Clark.
- SEVERE T-STORMS WEDNESDAY KANSAS CITY · Localized flash flooding · Large hail Isolated tornadoes · Damaging wind gusts: WICHITA . + AccuWeather Local · SPRINGFIELD StormMax™: 75 mph FAYETTEVILLE TULSA . OKLAHOMA CITY FORT SMITH ADA
- Despite an ongoing drought in portions of the region, the rain may fall heavily enough to produce localized flash flooding, and that will be just one potential issue.
- "The main hazards with storms will likely be downpours, large hail and damaging winds, but an isolated tornado is not out of the question," said Clark.
- The severe storms will linger through the evening before waning overnight.

Wildfire Activity

<u>Arizona – Tunnel Fire (Coconino County)</u>

- Hundreds of homes near Flagstaff, Arizona, have been evacuated as a fast-moving wildfire has already destroyed at least two dozen structures and threatens hundreds more, officials said Tuesday.
- The Tunnel Fire in Arizona's Coconino County ballooned to more 6,000 acres as of Tuesday after it was first reported Sunday afternoon, officials said during a news conference. It was 0% contained by Tuesday evening.



- "The fire is rapidly moving in a northeasterly direction with the significant winds that we've experienced today," said Fire Management Officer True Brown.
- The fire is located about 14 miles northeast of Flagstaff, according to <u>InciWeb</u>, and its cause is unknown.
- An estimated 2,068 people live in the evacuation area, according to Patrice Horstman, chair of the Coconino County Board of Supervisors.
- As of late Tuesday, 766 households were evacuated in Coconino County, said Horstman.



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Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments								
State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End				
		Requested	Completed	Start-Eriu				
TX	Severe Weather March 21-TBD	15	8	3/28-TBD				

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request							
State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied /Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes			
FL	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds & Tornadoes Jan 16, 2022	2/24/2022	Pending (Appeal)	2 Counties			

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters							
Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline			
4611 LA	Hurricane	25 Parishes	232	11/29/2021			

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