

# DAILY DART

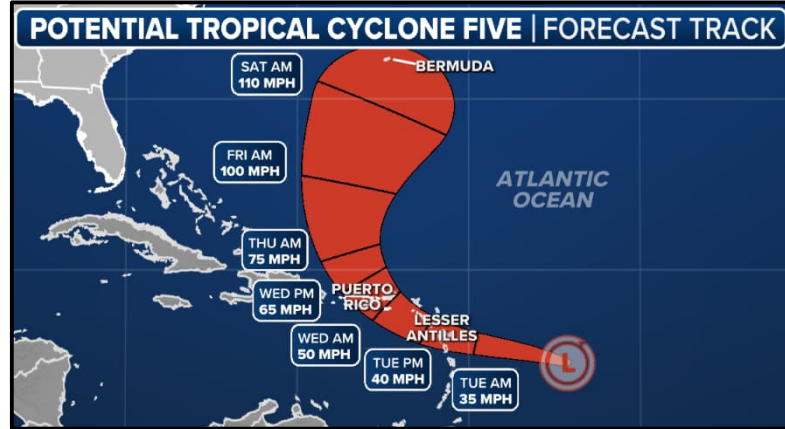
WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

August 12, 2024

## Tropical Activity

### Atlantic – Potential Tropical Cyclone

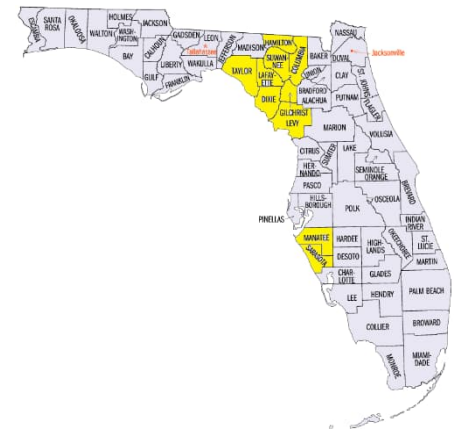
- Tropical Storm Warnings are now in effect for portions of the Leeward Islands as Potential Tropical Cyclone Five, which forecasters say will likely become Tropical Storm Ernesto by Tuesday, continues to barrel toward the Caribbean islands.
- The NHC said the system is likely to become Tropical Storm Ernesto, and additional watches and warnings may also be issued.
- According to the NHC, Potential Tropical Cyclone Five is located over the Central Tropical Atlantic and is moving toward the west near 25 mph.
- The NHC says a west to west-northwest motion is expected with some decrease in forward speed over the next few days.
- Tropical Storm Watches remain in effect for several areas, including the U.S. territories of Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands, however some alerts have been upgraded to Tropical Storm Warnings.



## Declaration Activity

### DR-4806 – Florida

- On August 10<sup>th</sup>, President Joseph R. Biden, Jr. declared that a major disaster exists in the State of Florida and ordered Federal aid to supplement State, tribal, and local recovery efforts in the areas affected by Hurricane Debby beginning on August 1, 2024, and continuing.
- The President's action makes Federal funding available to affected individuals in the counties of Columbia, Dixie, Gilchrist, Hamilton, Lafayette, Levy, Manatee, Sarasota, Suwannee, and Taylor.
- Tropical Storm Debby drenched Florida on Monday August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.
- The slow-moving storm plowed into Florida's Gulf Coast around 7 a.m. (1100 GMT) on Monday morning as a Category 1 hurricane, making landfall near Steinhatchee about 70 miles (115 km) southeast of Tallahassee, the National Hurricane Center said.
- The storm carried hurricane-force winds of up to 80 mph (130 kph) when it struck in the Big Bend region - where the state's Panhandle meets its main north-south Peninsula - but speeds ebbed as Debby pushed over land.



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## Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

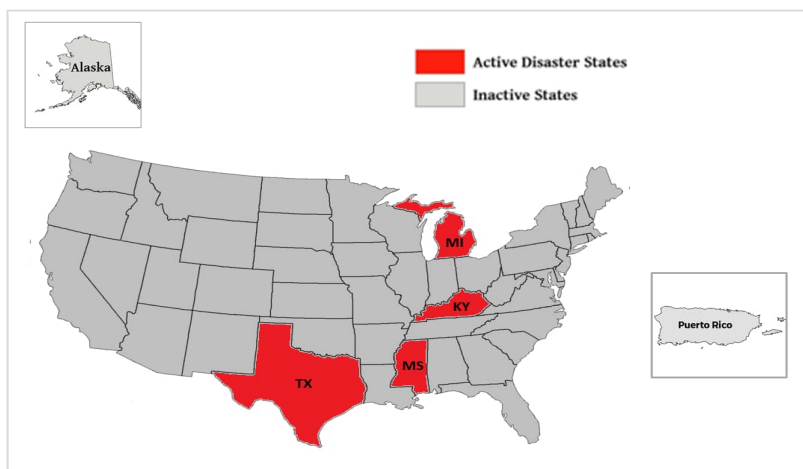
State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
SD	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding Jun 16-Jul 8	July 26	Pending	9 Counties
VT*	Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides/Mudslides Jul 9-11	August 2	Pending	7 Counties

\*Award of task order to contractor pending

## WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4757 MI	Flooding	9 Counties	181	5/8/2024
4781 TX	Severe Storms & Flooding	40 Counties	84	8/15/2024
4790 MS	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	6 Counties	61	8/09/2024
4798 TX	Hurricane Beryl	15 Counties	29	9/10/2024
4804 KY	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds, Tornadoes, Landslides/ Mudslides	15 Counties	18	9/23/2024

## WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY



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