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Tennessee Severe Storms

- In late March, severe storms in Tennessee brought high-speed winds, hail, tornadoes, and flooding that caused damage across the state. These storms devastated homes and businesses, caused widespread power outages and flooding, damaged roads, and created conditions for greater flood impacts. At least seven Tennesseans lost their lives.
- President Joe Biden declared on Saturday that a "major disaster" exists in Tennessee, and has approved federal funding to help the state and local recovery efforts in areas impacted by severe storms, tornadoes and flooding from March 25 through April 3.
- The action makes federal funding available to people impacted in the counties of Davidson, Williamson and Wilson.



- Tennessee counties are reporting more than \$23 million in damage from what's being called "the worst flash flooding event since the 2010 floods."
- According to the news release, additional designations may be made at a later date if requested by the state and warranted by the results of further damage assessments.

Tropical Storm Andres

- Tropical Storm Andres became the first named tropical system of 2021 in the Western Hemisphere on Sunday, setting a new record for earliest formation in the East Pacific and arriving days before the official start of hurricane season.
- AccuWeather meteorologists were monitoring a disorganized area of low pressure a few hundred



miles south of the Gulf of Tehuantepec much of last week over the anomalously warm water for

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this time of year. This low pressure then developed into a tropical depression on the morning of Sunday, May 9.

- According to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), the average date for the first named storm of the season in the East Pacific is June 10.
- It is expected to lose wind intensity due to cooler ocean waters, as well as increasing southwesterly wind shear.
- The storm is not expected to make landfall.

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request						
State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied /Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes		
WV	Severe Storms & Flooding Feb 27 - March 4	4/30/2021	Pending	4 Counties		

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters						
Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline		
4586 TX	Severe Ice Storm	126 Counties	74	5/20/2021		
4595 KY	Severe Storms & Flooding	9 Counties	6	6/23/2021		

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