

# DAILY DART

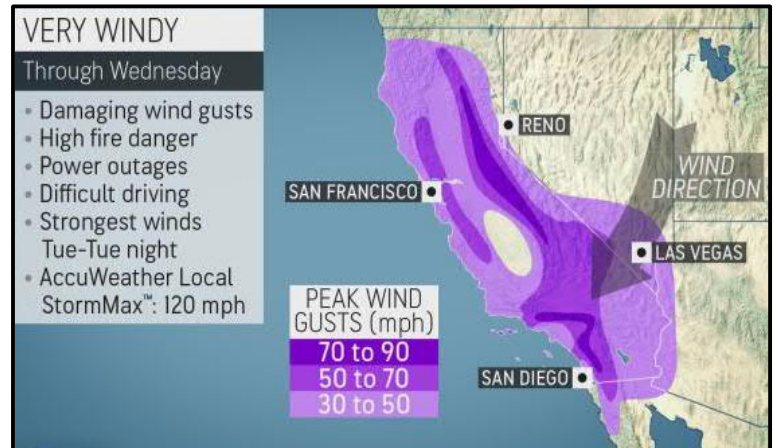
WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

January 20, 2021

## Wildfire Activity

### California

- Firefighters gained the upper hand on several wildfires fueled by powerful winds that toppled trees and knocked out power across parts of California.
- The National Weather Service had issued a red flag warning for Los Angeles, Ventura Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo counties through Tuesday night.
- NWS offices in California had received more than 100 reports of wind damage.
- More than 180,000 homes and businesses were without power as of 2:00 a.m. Wednesday PST, according to poweroutage.us. That was down from more than 270,000 on Tuesday.
- In addition to outages caused by the weather, Pacific Gas & Electric had warned it would cut power to about 5,465 customers in portions of Fresno, Kern, Madera, Mariposa, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Tulare counties early Tuesday to reduce the risk of catastrophic wildfires.
- Southern California Edison said it had shut off power to 29,000 customers and was considering shutoffs for another may shut off power to another 269,000 customers to lessen fire danger.
- Cal Fire's San Mateo/Santa Cruz Unit said it had responded to at least 10 vegetation fires across San Mateo and Santa Cruz counties overnight.
- More high winds are expected throughout into Wednesday, forecasters said.
- High wind warnings and advisories continue across much of California, where wind gusts may reach 70 to 80 mph at higher elevations and 50 to 70 mph in valleys and along the coast, the National Weather Service said.



## Flooding & Landslide Activity

### Alaska

- Gov. Mike Dunleavy declared a disaster after a severe December storm swept through Southeast Alaska.
- Last month, heavy rainfall caused destructive landslides, mudslides and flooding in communities throughout Southeast Alaska. Several homes were destroyed and two residents were killed in Haines.
- On Dec. 29, the governor amended the disaster declaration to include assistance for individuals and families who suffered damages and expenses related to the storm.
- Jeremy Zidek, a spokesman for the state Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management said the funding is provided in grants.

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- The state's disaster assistance for individuals is available for residents of Haines, Skagway, Juneau, Wrangell, Petersburg, Sitka, Ketchikan, Annette Island and Chatham.
- The state is seeking disaster assistance from the federal government as well.

### Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

| State | Event  | Number of Counties for IA |           | Start-End |
|-------|--|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|       |  | Requested                 | Completed |           |
| AK    | Storm, Flooding & Landslides<br>Nov 30 - Dec 2, 2020 | 10                        | 0         | 1/19-TBD  |

### Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request 1/20/2021

| State | Event  | Date Submitted | Approved/Denied /Pending | Number of Counties/Tribes |
|-------|--|----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| WA    | Wildfires & Straight-Line Winds<br>Sept 6 & continuing | 9/16/2020      | Pending                  | 1 County                  |

### WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

| Disaster Number and State | Disaster Type | Number of Counties Declared | Days Since Launch | Registration Deadline |
|---------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 4559 LA                   | Hurricane     | 21 Parishes                 | 141               | 11/27/2020            |

### WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY

