

# DAILY DART

WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

March 24, 2026

## Severe Storm Threat Ohio Valley

- Another round of severe storms is expected to develop across the East later this week, bringing heavy rain, damaging wind, and thunderstorms to much of the region, followed by a frigid cold front that could impact millions.
- The main risks for most areas are damaging winds and hail, with more than 20 million people under this severe storm risk.
- Storms will begin late Thursday, as a strengthening dip in the jet stream over eastern Canada drives the cold front through the Great Lakes and into the Ohio Valley.
- Severe storms are most likely in areas with favorable conditions, including Cleveland, Indianapolis, and St. Louis, according to the FOX Forecast Center.
- Tornadoes are not the primary threat but could occur, mainly in Indiana and Illinois.
- By Friday, the front is forecast to move through the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic, triggering a line of severe storms. But the overall severity depends on how much heat develops throughout the day.
- The FOX Forecast Center said the primary threats will be damaging wind gusts and pockets of heavy rain.
- As the front pushes south into the Southeast by Saturday, thunderstorms may linger, although they are expected to weaken.



*This graphic shows the severe weather threat outlook for Thursday and indicates past severe weather reports for the month. (FOX Weather)*

## Flooding Activity

### Hawaii

- The worst flooding to hit Hawaii in two decades has swept homes off their foundations, floated cars out of driveways and left floors, walls and counters covered in thick, reddish volcanic mud.
- Authorities said hundreds of homes had been damaged, along with some schools and a hospital.
- On Monday, new downpours set off a fresh round of flooding on Oahu's south side while residents on the island's North Shore cleaned up and assessed the destruction from last week's torrents.
- No deaths have been reported, but more than 230 people had to be rescued.
- The National Weather Service said showers and thunderstorms were expected to wane but the Big Island remained under a flash flood watch.

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- Parts of Oahu received 8 to 12 inches, the National Weather Service said. That was on top of another recent storm that had dumped vast amounts days earlier.
- Kaala, the island's highest peak, got nearly 16 inches late last week, on top of 26.6 inches between March 10 and 16.
- Oahu Emergency Management received more than 400 reports of damaged or destroyed homes from Friday's floods.

## Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
HI	Kona Low Mar 10-16	3	0	3/23 - TBD

## Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Requests

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
IL*	Severe Storms and Flooding July 25 - 28, 2025 (Appeal)	11/21/2025	Pending	3 Counties
WA	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides/Mudslides. Dec 5-22, 2025	1/21/2026	Pending	10 Counties
TN	Severe Winter Storm Jan 22 & continuing	1/28/2026	Pending	23 Counties
MS	Severe Winter Storm Jan 23-27, 2026	2/3/2026	Pending	36 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
	N/A			

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## WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY

