

# DAILY DART

WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

March 20, 2026

## Severe Weather & Flooding Hawaii

- Another Kona Low is impacting Hawaii, bringing additional rain and gusty winds to the island.
- This comes after an initial storm caused torrential rain and hurricane-force winds, leading to flash flooding around the Aloha State and blizzard conditions in the mountains.
- The storm resulted in widespread road closures, downed power lines and property damage from flooding, landslides and sinkholes.
- The upcoming Kona Low is expected to be relatively mundane compared to last week's powerful storm.
- Over 4 feet of rain fell across Hawaii last weekend and into early this week, and the flood risk will increase again this weekend.
- Currently, atmospheric moisture and a weak dip in the jet stream remains over the region, causing light winds and occasional showers.
- As the storm begins to form west of the islands, it will tap into the moisture and deliver periods of heavy rain and flash flooding through early next week.
- Into this weekend and early next week, another widespread 3 to 5 inches of rain is expected across almost all the islands. Higher amounts of 8 to 12 inches of rain are possible in higher elevations, with localized amounts of over a foot possible, according to the FOX Forecast Center.
- Some areas, including Maui, have already experienced more than 50 inches of rainfall and over 135 mph wind gusts in less than a week.
- While it is too early to determine which islands will be most impacted, saturated soils and elevated waterways from recent rains will maintain a statewide risk of life-threatening flash flooding.



## Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
MI	Severe Weather & Tornadoes March 6, 2026	3	3	3/16 - 3/19

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## Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

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			

## WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY

