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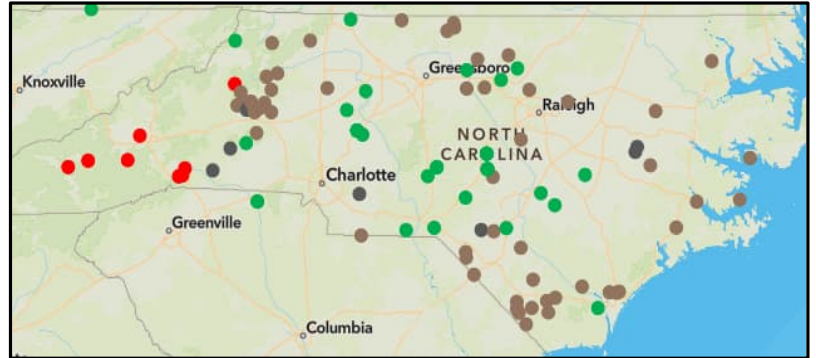
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Wildfire Activity

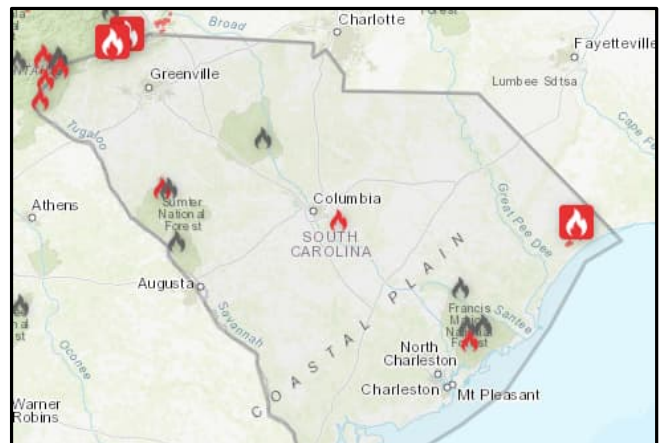
North Carolina

- The Black Cove Complex burning Thursday in western North Carolina is now the "highest priority fire in the U.S.," the state Forest Service said.
- Currently, the Black Cove Complex Fire has burned 6,482 acres and is 11% contained.
- 476 personnel from North Carolina and other states across the nation are supporting this incident.
- Officials have evacuated residents from over 250 homes in the northwestern reaches of Polk County.
- The National Weather Service issued a Red Flag Warning for the mountains of Polk and Henderson counties, indicating the potential for severe fire behavior and the possibility of rapid fire spread.
- Governor Josh Stein declared another State of Emergency for western North Carolina Wednesday.



South Carolina

- The fires at the Table Rock State Park in Pickens County and Persimmon Ridge in northern Greenville County have been burning for six days.
- According to the South Carolina Forestry Commission, a new round of evacuations and rapid expansion of both wildfires occurred on Wednesday for the second straight day.
- The Table Rock Fire nearly doubled in size Wednesday, measuring 4,556 acres.
- The Persimmon Ridge Fire grew to 1,553 acres Wednesday.
- Wind gusts dramatically increased fire activity, resulting in greater visible fire intensity and much more smoke, according to a press release from the South Carolina Forestry Commission.
- Hurricane Helene's abundant downed timber remains dry due to the lack of significant rain, contributing significantly to extreme fire behavior on Wednesday.
- Greenville County Emergency Management Division issued mandatory evacuations for over 50 communities along the Pickens and Greenville County borders Wednesday night.



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Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
VA*	Severe Storms, Tornadoes & Flooding	2/16/2025	Pending	11 Counties
TN*	Severe Storms, Tornadoes & Flooding	3/18/2025	Pending	2 Counties
AR	Severe Storms, Tornadoes & Flooding	3/21/2025	Pending	9 Counties
OK	Wildfires and Straight-line Winds	3/21/2025	Pending	7 Counties

*Award of task order to contractor pending

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
MS	Tornadoes, Thunderstorms & Flash Flooding Mar 14-15	12	12	3/24-3/26

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4781 TX	Severe Storms & Flooding	40 Counties	9	8/15/2024
4819 IL	Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-Line Winds & Flooding	7 Counties	9	12/13/2024
4827 NC	Tropical Storm Helene	25 Counties	177	4/07/2025
4828 FL	Hurricane Helene	31 Counties	7	1/07/2025
4829 SC	Hurricane Helene	13 Counties	176	1/28/2025
4830 GA	Hurricane Helene	41 Counties	176	2/07/2025
4834 FL	Hurricane Milton	34 Counties	165	1/07/2025
4860 KY	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	14 Counties	29	4/25/2025

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