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WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

November 30, 2023

Severe Weather Outlook

- Millions of people from southeastern Texas, including the Houston metro area, to southwestern Louisiana will be on alert for severe weather Thursday as conditions are favorable for the development of tornadoes, damaging wind gusts and hail during the day and into the evening hours.
- NOAA's Storm Prediction Center (SPC) has placed an area of southeastern Texas in a Level 3 out of 5 on its thunderstorm risk scale, putting more than 5.8 million people in cities like Houston, Pasadena, Sugar Land, The Woodlands and Missouri City at a higher risk of seeing severe thunderstorms.
- Texas Gov. Greg Abbott on Wednesday said he directed the Texas Department of Emergency Management to prepare emergency resources ahead of the severe weather expected on Thursday.
- An additional 1.6 million people in the surrounding area are in a Level 2 out of 5 on the risk scale, and that includes the cities of Galveston, Beaumont, College Station, Bryan and Port Arthur in Texas, and Lake Charles in Louisiana.
- Tornadoes will be possible from southeastern Texas to southwestern Louisiana along the Gulf Coast. However, the higher risk for tornadoes includes the Houston area.



Disaster Update

DR-4749 Illinois

- Disaster Survivor Assistance (DSA) crews from FEMA are going door-to-door in south suburban neighborhoods of Cook County, helping residents affected by the September 17-18 storms and flooding navigate the federal assistance process.
- Crews have started in Calumet City, Dolton, and Riverdale, with plans to move to other impacted communities in the weeks ahead.
- These crews will be visiting homes, businesses, and nonprofit organizations in affected areas to help residents register for assistance, identify, and address immediate and emerging needs, and make referrals to other local, state, and voluntary agencies for additional support.

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Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties
OH	Train Derailment Feb 3-8, 2023	7/3/2023	Pending	1 County
WA	Wildfires Aug 18-25	10/4/2023	Pending	1 County
MI*	Severe Storms, Tornadoes & Flooding Aug 24-26	10/18/2023	Pending	9 Counties
WV	Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides & Mudslides Aug 28-30	10/25/2023	Pending	5 Counties
PA	Severe Storms & Flooding Sep 9-10	11/8/2023	Pending	1 County
RI	Severe Storms, Flooding & Tornadoes Sep 10-13	11/8/2023	Pending	1 County

*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
4724 HI	Wildfires	1 County	108	12/9/2023
4734 FL	Hurricane Idalia	18 Counties	90	11/29/2023
4749 IL	Flooding	1 County	6	1/19/2024

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