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## Severe Storm & Flood Activity Pacific Northwest

- An overnight storm left a wake of disruptions in Southwest Washington and the Portland metro area Wednesday, with numerous power outages and landslides impeding traffic in Clark County and into the Columbia River Gorge and toward the Oregon Coast.
- The National Weather Service in Portland is combing through hundreds of reports from across its coverage area, which stretches from the coasts of Southwest Washington and Northwest Oregon to east of the Cascade Range.



- A 71-mph gust recorded at the Spokane International Airport makes the 2021 windstorm as strong as the historic storm in 2015 that led Washington Gov. Jay Inslee to declare a state of emergency.
- Two people were killed by fallen trees during Wednesday's storm.
- Widespread damage has also been reported throughout the Inland Northwest and tens of thousands of people in Spokane and North Idaho are without power after the storm.
- In Oregon, Dodson residents were told to evacuate after the National Weather Service issued a flash flood warning Wednesday morning.
- A landslide was triggered by the wind and rainstorm made worse by recent heavy rainfall.
- Rescuers in Oregon were searching through mud as deep as 10 feet for a person who was believed to have been swept away by debris flow.
- The National Weather Service in Portland said several rivers were at or above flood stage.
- Washington has more than 120,000 outages and Oregon has more than 19,000 customers without power as of about 7am PST, according to poweroutage.us.

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request 1/14/2021							
State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied /Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes			
WA	Wildfires & Straight-Line Winds Sept 6 & continuing	9/16/2020	Pending	1 County			
СО	Wildfires September 6-November 5	12/21/2020	Pending	3 Counties			



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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	135	11/27/2020			
4562 OR	Wildfires	8 Counties	119	11/30/2020			

## WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY

