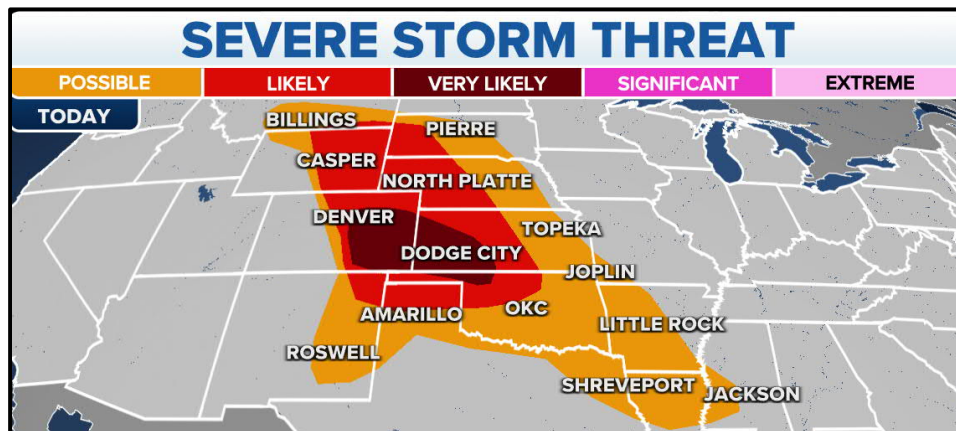


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Severe Weather Outlook

- Severe storms capable of producing huge hail, destructive winds and tornadoes are expected across much of the Plains on Thursday.
- Hail larger than 2 inches and 75-plus mph wind gusts are most likely from eastern Colorado through western Kansas and far northwestern Oklahoma, though severe storms with gusty winds and hail are possible from Montana southeastward to Mississippi.
- NOAA's Storm Prediction Center (SPC) has highlighted an area covering nearly 2.6 million people across eastern Colorado, western Kansas and far northwestern Oklahoma for a level 3 out of 5 on the severe thunderstorm risk scale.
- Cities facing this higher risk include Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo in Colorado and Garden City and Liberal in Kansas.
- The FOX Forecast Center said the tornado threat will be the highest throughout a large section of eastern Colorado, where atmospheric conditions will allow a few afternoon and evening supercells to become tornadic.



Severe Weather Activity

Tennessee (June 25-26)

- Congressman Steve Cohen is calling on Tennessee Governor Bill Lee to seek disaster assistance for Shelby County following the severe thunderstorms that left widespread damage across the area. Cohen said the storms caused \$25 million in damage and power outages.
- The 80-90 mph winds that gusted through Memphis and Shelby County left trees uprooted, entire rows of power lines toppled over and 122,000 MLGW customers without power.
- Just fewer than 28,000 of those customers were still without power on Wednesday, June 28 hours before an Excessive Heat Warning went into place for Memphis and the Mid-South with temperatures expected to top 100 degrees.
- Cohen said Memphis, Lights, Gas and Water suffered \$11 million in damage, the City of Millington suffered \$5 million in damage and the City of Bartlett had \$4 million in damage done by the storm.

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Flooding & Ice Jam Activity

Alaska (May 13-June 3)

- Flooding across Alaska has inundated scores of homes, with several of them knocked from their foundations by large ice chunks and shut one of the state's few east-west highways down to one lane.
- Ice jams on the Yukon and Kuskokwim rivers caused most of the damage through a large swath of Alaska, while a quick melt of the snowpack caused Moose Creek to overflow near Glennallen, causing delays for motorists on the Glenn Highway which connects Anchorage to points east, including Canada.
- Along the Yukon River in the eastern portion of the state, 15 homes in the community of Circle were flooded and at least three were pushed off their foundations, emergency management officials said.
- Flooding concerns were reported in two other Yukon River communities, including two inundated homes in Eagle and more in Fort Yukon.
- Along the Kuskokwim River in southwest Alaska, multiple homes were flooded and at least four dislodged from their foundations in Crooked Creek. At least two homes in Red Devil, another Kuskokwim River community, also flooded.
- Governor Mike Dunleavy issued a disaster declaration on May 15, 2023, for Alaska Gateway Regional Education Attendance Area (REAA) - City and Native Village of Eagle, Yukon Flats REAA - Circle, Kuspuk REAA - Crooked Creek, and Copper River REAA – Glennallen.

Declaration Request

Ohio – Train Derailment

- Monday, Gov. Mike DeWine requested that President Biden issue a major presidential disaster declaration in relation to the Norfolk Southern train derailment and release of hazardous chemicals that happened Feb. 3 in East Palestine.
- Residents in the town have been fighting to get more government assistance, and Monday marked a deadline set by the Federal Emergency Management Agency for DeWine to request a presidential disaster declaration.
- While DeWine acknowledged there has been no unmet needs reported to the state, he said long-term health implications are still unknown. He also cited economic impacts of declining property values and loss of business.
- Months after the derailment, many residents claim they are still sick, diagnosed with chemicals in their systems. The town has repeatedly asked for federal help and demanded DeWine issue a disaster declaration.
- Governor is requesting individual and public assistance for Columbiana.



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Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
MS	Tornadoes, Thunderstorms & Straight-line Winds	2	0	7/6-TBD
AK	Spring Flooding	4	0	7/10-TBD
TN	Severe Storms, Tornadoes & Straight-line Winds	1	0	7/11-TBD

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
OH	Train Derailment Feb 3-8, 2023	7/3/2023	Pending	1 County

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4671 PR	Hurricane Fiona	78 Municipalities	286	11/21/2022
4709 FL	Flood	1 County	62	6/27/2023

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