

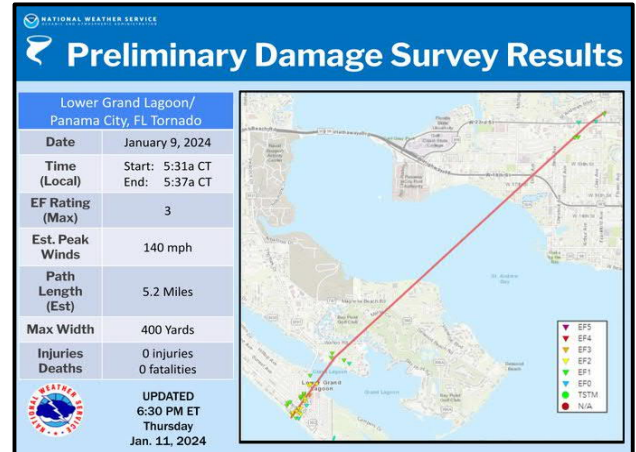
# DAILY DART

WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

January 16, 2024

## Severe Weather Activity Florida

- The entire Florida Panhandle was rocked by tornadoes last week, Panama City Beach included.
- Senator Rick Scott joined state and county officials last Friday morning to assess the damage in the area.
- The storm left numerous properties damaged or destroyed, at least five people severely injured and about 100 households displaced.
- Areas that were most damaged were the Grand Lagoon region in Panama City Beach, and Bayou George and Resota lane in northern Bay County.
- The first EF-2 began at 6:25 a.m. Central, four miles outside of Simsville in Jackson County, Florida. It was on the ground for almost 30 minutes, had a maximum width of 600 yards and traveled 16.5 miles, with winds reaching 125 mph.
- The storm injured seven people, all in an RV park. It damaged several free-standing homes and damaged or destroyed more than two dozen manufactured homes, two churches, and dozens of trees.
- Two tornadoes have been confirmed in Bay County, one currently rated as an EF-2 and one an EF-3.
- The EF-3 began in the Lower Grand Lagoon area and traveled into Panama City Beach and onto Panama City, which were also significantly damaged by Hurricane Michael.
- The EF-2 traveled from Lynn Haven to Deer Point. A marina and a condo apartment building were both badly damaged.



## Arctic Cold Outbreak

- The deadly arctic assault continues across the U.S., with more than 231 million Americans feeling below-average temperatures Monday as bitterly cold air flows in from Canada and reaches as far south as the Gulf Coast.
- And, unfortunately, the cold temperatures have turned deadly. According to a report from FOX 12 in Portland, Oregon, at least two people have died from a cold-related illness. Another three people in Milwaukee died from apparent hypothermia over the weekend, according to FOX 6 Milwaukee.
- Over 125 million Americans are under some sort of wind chill alert from the U.S.-Canada border to the U.S.-Mexico border. Most advisories stretch through Wednesday.
- The FOX Forecast Center estimated that anyone with exposed skin in Chicago, Kansas City, Denver and Wichita could get frostbite in as little as 30 minutes.



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- Over 20 cities broke their record lows on Monday, including Dallas where the record held for almost a century. Havre, Montana had the coldest wind chill of the country on Monday of 62 below.
- In all, temperatures stayed below zero for over 15 million of us.

## Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
FL	Severe Storms & Tornadoes Jan 8-12	3	0	1/16-TBD

## Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties
MI*	Severe Storms, Tornadoes & Flooding Aug 24-26	10/18/2023	Pending	9 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
4749 IL	Flooding	1 County	53	1/19/2024

## WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY

