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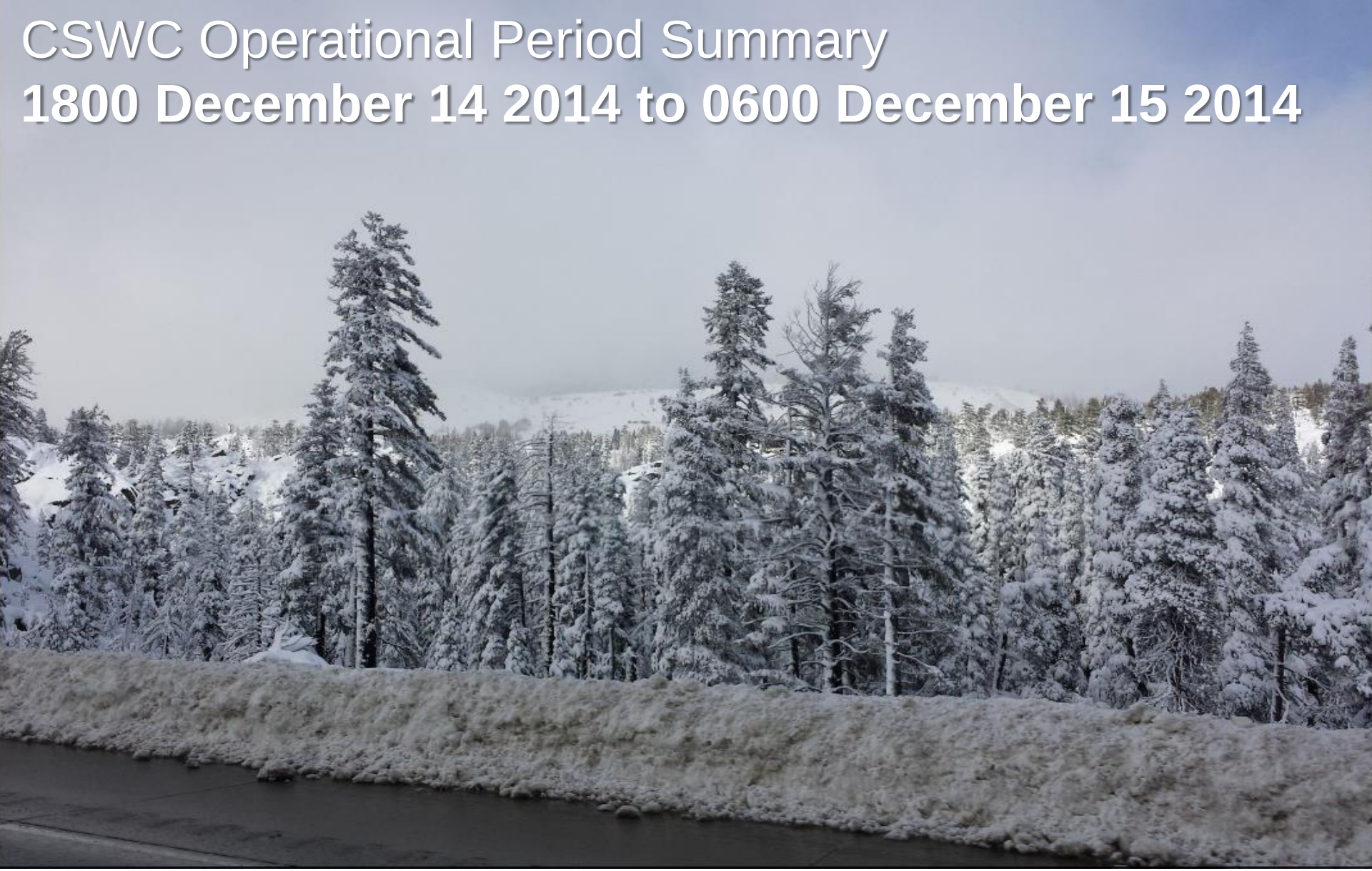

View of Sierra Snow on 12/12/14

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern

More rain to impact California through Wednesday. Possible moderate to heavy rainfall today, especially for Monterey and Santa Cruz Counties, could potentially result in local flooding and debris flows. Rain will be heaviest in the hills however minor urban flooding is possible as well.

Coastal Region

- Steady rain during the day today.
- Another period of steady rain Tuesday afternoon.
- Showers continue, particularly in the North Bay, through Wednesday.
- Another storm likely at the end of the week.
- Rainfall totals through Wednesday:
    - North Bay: 1 - 2 inches
    - Other urban locations: 0.75 - 1.5 inches
    - Coastal mountains: up to 4 inches.

- Flash Flood Watch in effect through this afternoon for coastal Monterey County including the following areas: Santa Lucia Mountains and Los Padres National Forest. This includes Highway 1 south of Carmel to the San Luis Obispo County Line.

Inland Region

- Periods of rain and mountain snow through Wednesday with the heaviest expected late tonight into early Tuesday.
- Snow levels generally around 3,500-4,500 feet; storm total accumulations of around a foot possible at Sierra pass levels by Wednesday.
- Snow will bring slippery roads at times, generally above 4000 feet.
- Travel delays possible; slick roads with ponding of water on roads at times.
- Rainfall totals through Wednesday:
    - Valley: 0.75-1.00 inches
    - Foothills/Mountains: 1.00-2.50 inches

Southern Region

- Minor threat of roadway flooding and mud and debris flow in and near the recent burn areas, such as the Colby, Springs, and Powerhouse burn areas.
- Gusty south winds may create dangerous cross-winds on area roads, especially in the mountains and the Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo County foothills.
- Travel on higher elevation roads will be impacted due to snowfall near/above 5,000’

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern - Coastal Region

Rain Returns

Rainfall:

North Bay: 1 – 2 inches
Urban Areas: 0.75 – 1.5 inches
Coastal Mountains: up to 4 inches

Winds:

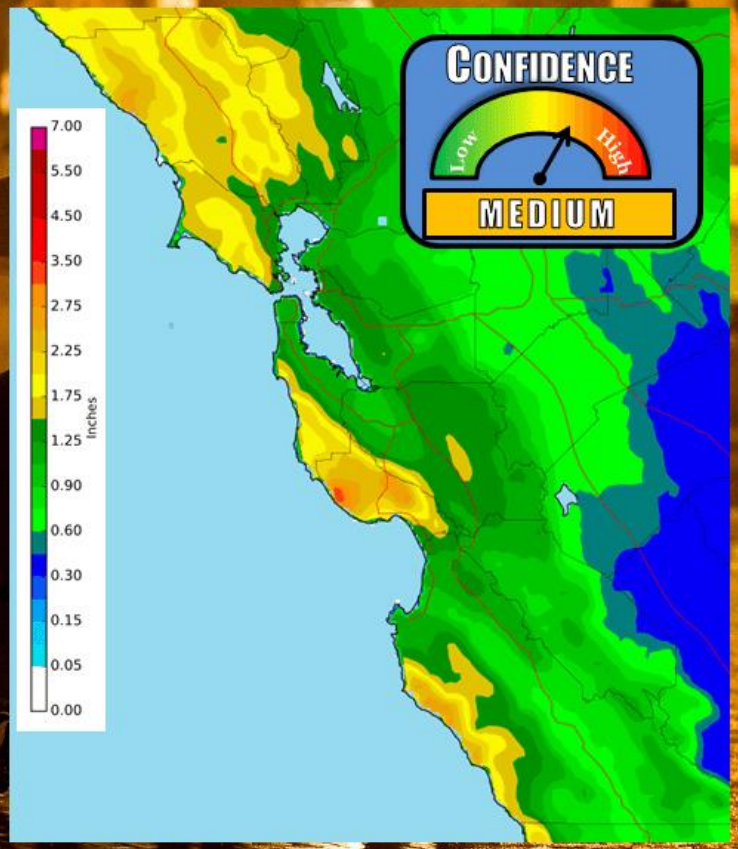
Urban areas: gusts to 30 MPH
Higher elevations: gusts to 50 MPH
Coastal areas: gusts to 40 MPH

Timing:

Heaviest on Monday, rain showers continue through Wednesday

What to Expect:

- Wet commute Monday
- Minor urban and small stream flooding
- Possible mud/rock slides



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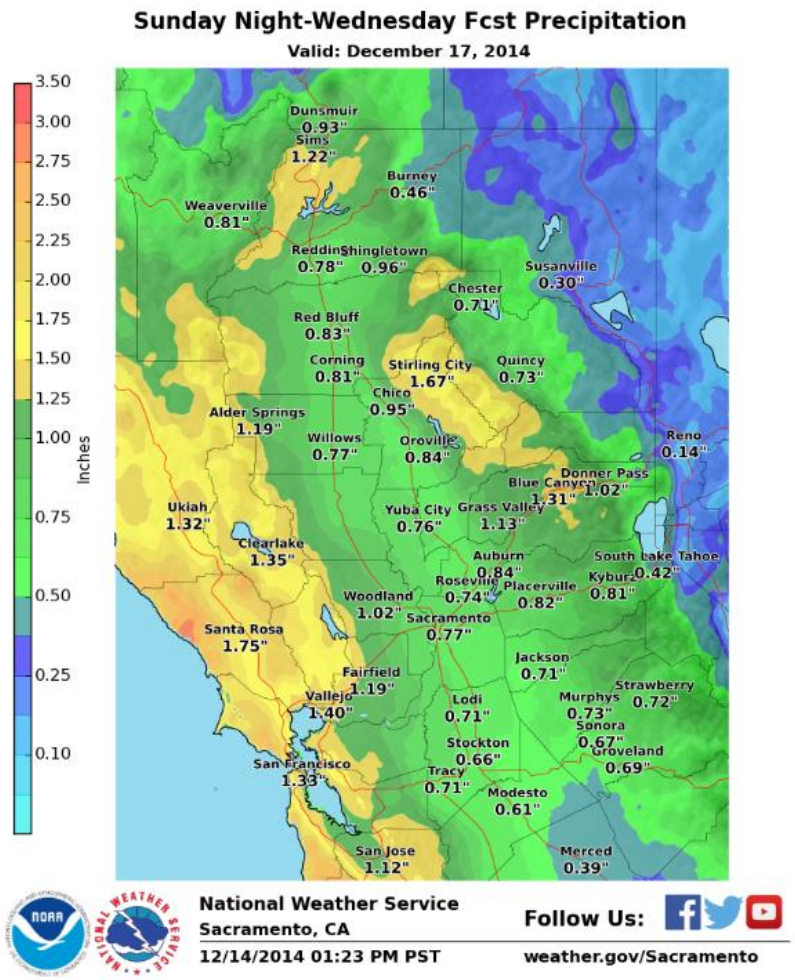
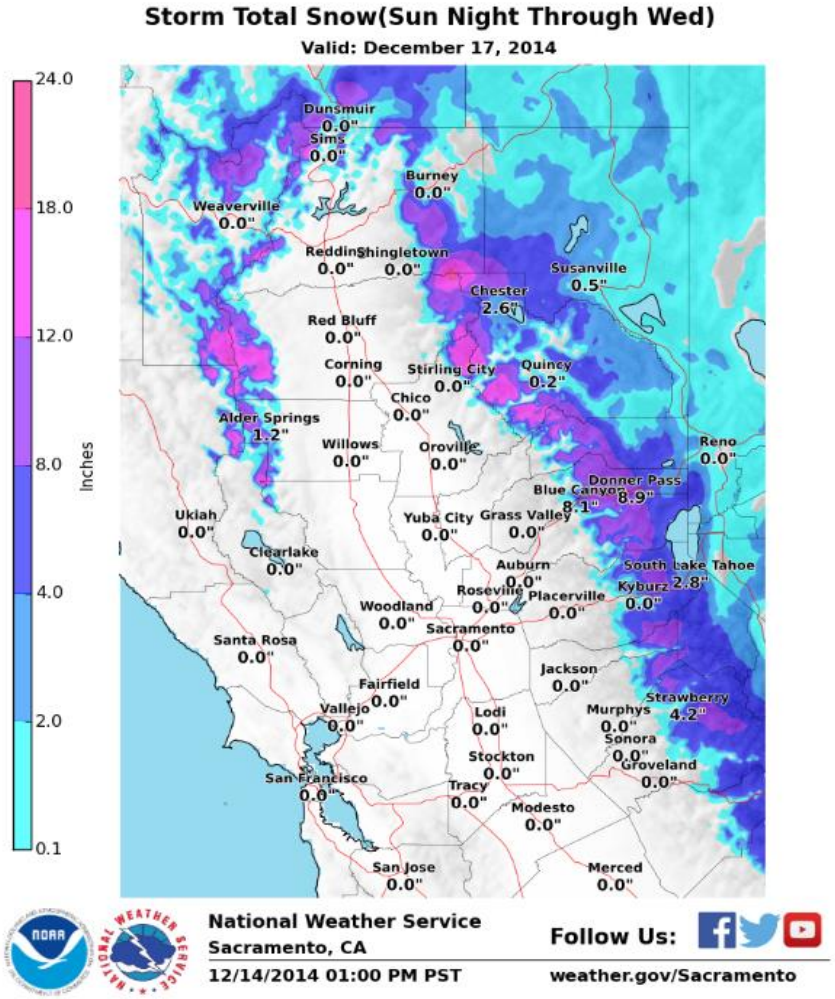
SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern - **Inland Region**





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SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern - **Southern Region**

Two Storms to Affect Southwest California Monday - Wednesday

Storm Details:

- First storm late Mon & Mon night
  - 0.25" to 0.75"
  - Locally up to 1.00" NW SLO foothills
- Second Storm Tue into Wed
  - 0.50" to 1.00" coast & valleys
  - 1.00' to 2.00" mountains & foothills

Gusty South Winds Mon –Mon night:

- Gusts up to 40 mph mountains
- Gusts up to 35 mph Central Coast & SLO/SBA Valleys

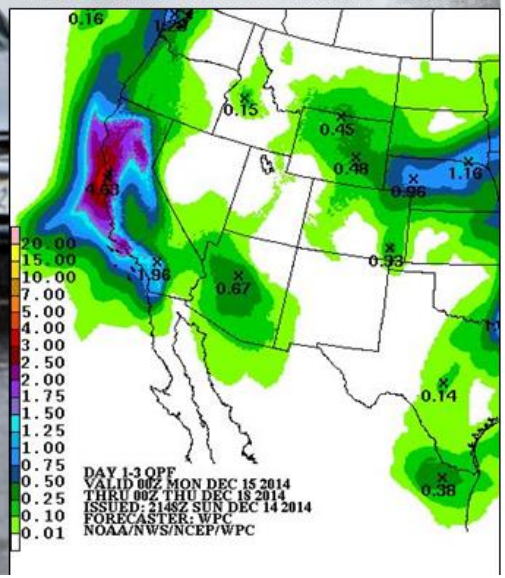
Snow Levels:

- 6,000 – 7,000' Monday
- 5,500 ' Tue falling to 5,000' by Tue Night
- Locally lower snowfall possible

Potential impacts:

- Isolated thunderstorms possible
- winter driving conditions above 5,000'
- Slick roadways; local ponding of water on roadways & low-lying areas
- Debris flows possible near recent burn areas

NWS WPC Rainfall forecast 4 PM Sun - 4 PM Wed



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

2014 Statewide December Winter Storms

Cal OES Inland Region

Cal OES Inland Region and Recovery continues to work closely with all impacted operational areas to assess the impacts, losses, and costs of the December Winter Storm.

Activations

- None

Emergency Management

- No unmet needs at this time

Evacuations/Shelters

- American Red Cross reports California has received a National DR (Disaster Response) which will allow volunteers from out of state to assist in California.

Tehama County

- American Red Cross (ARC) is distributing 'Clean up Kits' from behind the Tehama County Sheriff's Office to help people return to their homes, Home Depot has donated the items.

Roads

Tehama County

- Due to wet conditions, Highway 99 may experience intermittent closures

Proclamations

- Tehama County proclaimed a local emergency on 12/9/14 due to impacts from storms that struck during the first week of December and anticipated impacts from storms forecasted for 12/10-12/12/14.

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SITUATION SUMMARY

2014 Statewide December Winter Storms

Cal OES Coastal Region

Cal OES Coastal Region and Recovery continues to work closely with all impacted operational areas to assess the impacts, losses, and costs of the December Winter Storm.

Activations

- None

Evacuations

Marin County:

- 288 Evacuations reported at the Novato Mobile Home Park.

San Mateo County

- Two mobile home parks evacuated in Redwood City and Belmont

Shelters

San Mateo County

- Red Cross opened a shelter at San Mateo College located at 1700 West Hillsdale Blvd, San Mateo. Population: 57

Proclamations

- Lake County: A Proclamation from Lake County has been received proclaiming the existence of a local emergency due to the December Storm Event. No requests for state assistance.

- Sonoma County: A Proclamation from Lake County has been received proclaiming the existence of a local emergency due to the December Storm Event. No requests for state assistance.

Recovery

- Coastal Region is working with Lake, Monterey, San Mateo, Sonoma and the City and County of San Francisco to complete their Initial Damage Estimate process.

Missions:

- **2014-CREOC-8008** – San Mateo County requests 4 State Housing and Community Development evaluators to assist the County with assessing the impacts of the flood on 80 mobile homes. The County has not proclaimed yet.

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SITUATION SUMMARY

2014 Statewide December Winter Storms

Cal OES Southern Region

Cal OES Southern Region and Recovery continues to work closely with all impacted operational areas to assess the impacts, losses, and costs of the December Winter Storm.

Evacuations

- Riverside County: Mandatory Evacuations for San Jacinto / Hemet Valley – 1-apartment complex, 10 units and Hemecinto Sholom/Temple Beth Am. The evacuation order will remain in effect until the situation can be reevaluated on Monday morning, 12/15/14.

Shelters

- None

Emergency Management

- No unmet needs at this time

Access and Functional Needs:

There are no unmet needs or requests for assistance.

Recovery

- Building damage assessments due to mudslides completed on 12/13/14.

  Ventura County, Camarillo:

  - 10 red tagged
  - 3 yellow tagged
  - 3 green tagged

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WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:
A cool, cloudy, and moist pattern will persist through most the week as a series of weather systems impact the region.

San Francisco Weather:
The forecast area will have rain through most of the day today with possible minor urban and small stream flooding. Rain will change to showers during the evening hours and continue into Tuesday. Another system will bring more rain to the region for Tuesday afternoon into Tuesday night. Showers will linger on Wednesday. A third and final system will bring rain on Friday.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:
Periods of valley rain and mountain snow through midweek as several weather systems move through the area. Brief drying expected Thursday, and then another system is forecast to bring a return of showers on Friday.

Hanford Weather:
An approaching storm system will begin spreading rain and mountain snow across Central California on Monday with unsettled weather continuing through Wednesday night. There will be a brief break on Thursday before another chance of precipitation begins Friday and continues into the weekend.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

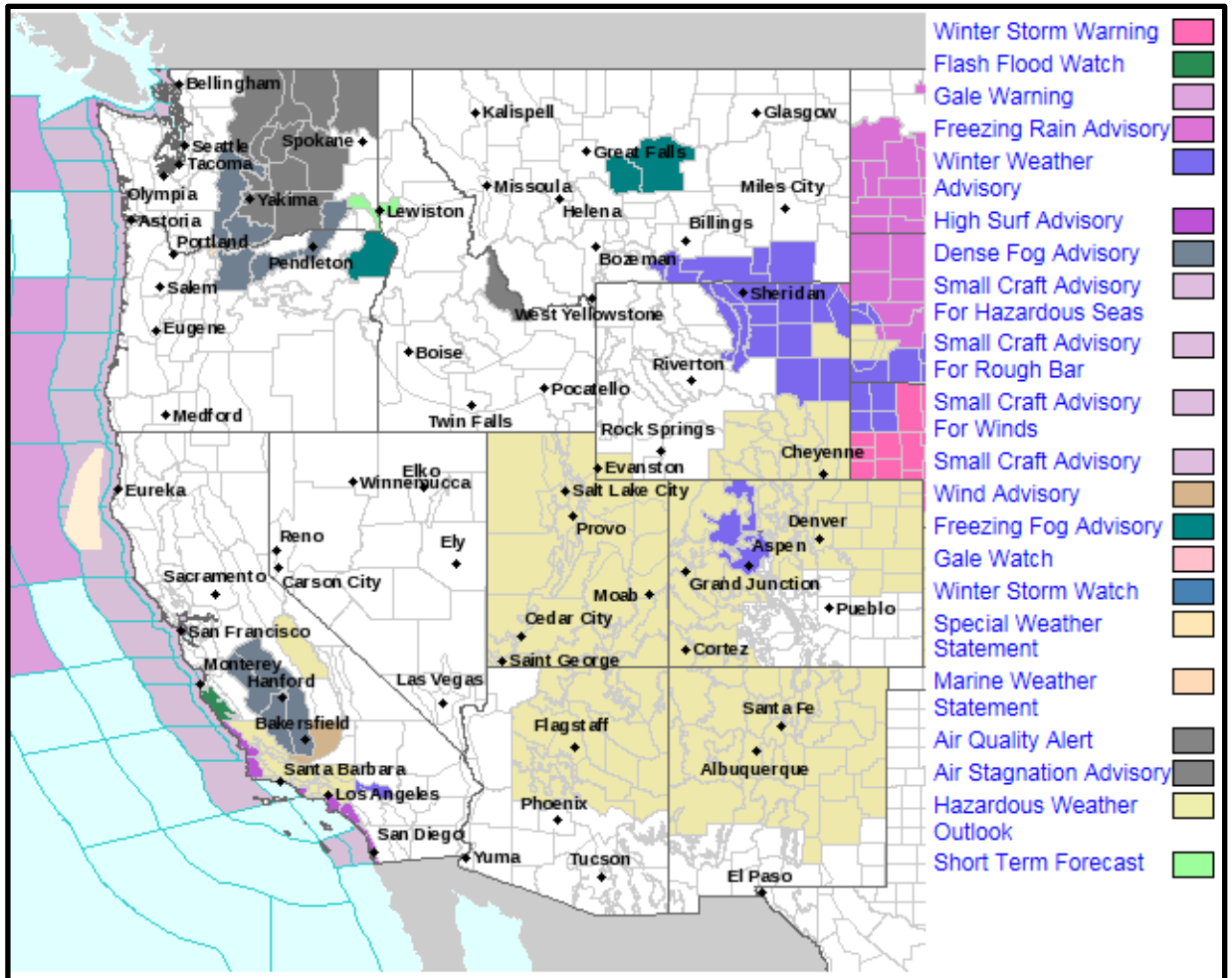
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:
A cold front will bring rain and mountain snow to the area today through tonight. Showers will linger Tuesday with another cold front bringing more rain and mountain snow to the region Tuesday night into Wednesday. A slight chance of thunderstorms can be expected at times through Wednesday. Thursday will be dry before unsettled weather with additional shower activity returns Friday and Saturday as several disturbances brush the area. Temperatures will remain below normal through the period.

Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:
The forecast area will have increasing high clouds with slightly below seasonal temperature today. For tonight into early Thursday, a low pressure system near the California coast will bring periods of light to occasionally moderate precipitation at times. This first round of precipitation is expected for late tonight into Tuesday with a second round for late Tuesday night into Wednesday. A few showers could linger into early Thursday. Friday will be dry and a little warmer. Slightly cooler with small chances for mainly light precipitation for Saturday into Sunday followed by warming with offshore flow for early next week.

Southeast California Weather:
Near normal temperatures can be expected today along with a mix of sunshine and high clouds. A series of low pressure systems will lead to a gradual increase in chances for precipitation over the next few days. The first two systems will be weak with only slight chances anticipated from late tonight through Tuesday night. A third and stronger system will move through the region Wednesday and Thursday for a significant increase in rain chances. There will be a break in weather systems Friday with another system possibly affecting the region over the weekend.

STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California
Preparedness Level **1,** Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **1**

Southern California
Preparedness Level **2,** Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **2**

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential
http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential
http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings
http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

NWS California River Forecast Center:
http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Recovery Activities

Public Assistance

- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal. The EO also provides the ability for nonprofit organizations to seek reimbursement for extraordinary activities through the State Private Nonprofit Organizations Assistance Program. As of 12/05/14, all debris removal operations are complete.
- On 10/28/14, the City of Weed reestablished water pressure to its downtown area; however, the water storage capacity for fire suppression is still lacking. The City expects water storage to be restored by 12/31/14, or sooner if the weather permits.
- Individual Assistance
- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. The application deadline for property damage was 12/01/14. The deadline to return economic injury applications is 07/01/15.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery Group (LTRG) meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group. Individuals needing assistance should be directed to the Family & Community Resource Center of Weed located at 260 Main Street, Weed. Funding organizations will assist with unmet needs through the case management process. The VAL continues to work with the Weed LTRG in identifying resources and gaps in services.
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at http://www.siskiyous.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf. Additional information on recovery efforts can be found at https://weed.recovers.org/.
- Non-perishable food donations are being accepted at 310 Boles Street.

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RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters recover from the earthquake.
- As a result of President Obama's major disaster declaration, the U.S. Small Business Administration declared Napa and Solano counties, making residents and business owners eligible to apply for low-interested physical loss disaster loans. This declaration also made available low-interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) for businesses to apply in the primary counties of Napa and Solano, as well as the contiguous counties of Contra Costa, Lake, Sacramento, Sonoma, and Yolo.

Recovery Activities

Public Assistance

- RPA: 62 RPAs were received and 10 have withdrawn for a total of 52 RPAs submitted to FEMA.
- Kickoff Meeting: 49 Kickoff Meetings have been completed; leaving 2 remaining to be scheduled once through FEMA's review queue. It is currently anticipated all kickoff meetings will be complete by 12/17/2014.
- PW: 250 PWs are anticipated to be written as a result of the Napa Earthquake. Currently, 75 PWs are drafted, 23 PWs have been entered into the federal database system, 13 of which have been obligated.

Individual Assistance

- The FEMA and State VAL continue to work with nonprofit organizations in Napa County regarding Long Term Recovery efforts.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. The Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG), a long term recovery group, has formed and has established by-laws and elected an Executive Board. United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) will provide case management training to local organizations in Napa and Solano counties.
- Assistance Centers – The County and City of Napa: Local Assistance Center (LAC) opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). On 10/29/14, FEMA and SBA provided representatives in the Napa LAC. The operational hours for the LAC are Monday - Friday 9 AM to 6 PM; Saturdays9 AM to 4 PM; Sundays closed. **NOTE:** Due to the upcoming storms, the Napa LAC will operate on limited hours (11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.) on 12/11/14. In addition, the LAC will be closed on 12/24, 12/25, and 12/26 and will open on 12/27 and 12/29/14.
- The Disaster Recovery Center located at 1155 Capitol Street in the City of Vallejo officially closed at 6 p.m. on 11/25/14, and on Monday, 12/01/14, SBA opened a Disaster Loan Outreach Center (DLOC) at the John F. Kennedy Library, 505 Santa Clara Street, 3rd Floor, Vallejo. The operational hours for the DLOC are Monday – Thursday 10 AM to 6PM; Fridays 10 AM to 5 PM.
- Both the LAC and DLOC are open until further notice.

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CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.

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CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-8004 12/13/14, 1600 hours,** San Mateo County Sheriff's Department (SMSD) is requesting resources to locate the remains of a possible homicide victim. SBPD located partial remains on 12/13/14 and is requesting four C-1 search dog teams (cadaver) to assist in locating any further remains. This search occurred at 0800 hours on 12/14/14. The Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating the search dog response. **Mission Ongoing.**

- **2014-LAW-7782 12/09/14, 1500 hours,** San Bernardino SO is requesting assistance from the Los Angeles Sheriff's Department cave/mine team to assist in a search on 12/14/14 for the remains of an infant. Details of the search effort are Law Enforcement Sensitive and considered confidential at this time. **Mission Ongoing.**

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