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Cal OES Internal Statewide Incident Briefing

2000 hours, October 20, 2019

LAFD CERT Teams are deployed throughout Los Angeles on 10/20/19 for immediate reporting of smoke, fire, and other potential hazards.

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National Terrorism Advisory System

NTAS
NATIONAL TERRORISM ADVISORY SYSTEM
BULLETIN

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72 Hour STAC Report

- Next Report: 10/21/19

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status			
State Operations Center	Inland Regional EOC	Coastal Regional EOC	Southern Regional EOC
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

PG&E PSPS Event 10/23/19

On 10/20/19 at 1921 hours, PG&E notified the California State Warning Center (CSWC) of their decision to activate their Emergency Operations Center (EOC) for a potential Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) event due to a projected threatening weather event in their service area.

PSPS Stage: Activating PSPS Protocols/ Potential to De-energize

On 10/20/19 at 1921 hours, PG&E notified the CSWC that they are now at PSPS stage Activating PSPS Protocols / Potential to De-energize due to a projected threatening weather event in their service area. The projected timing of the weather event and potential de-energization is forecasted by PG&E to begin Wednesday (late afternoon), 10/23/19 to Thursday (afternoon), 10/24/19.

- Potentially impacted counties: Amador, Butte, Colusa, El Dorado, Lake, Marin, Mendocino, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, San Joaquin, Solano, Sonoma, Tehama, Yolo, and Yuba Counties.
- Total Potential Circuit Impact: TBD
- Total Potential Customer Impact: TBD
- Medical Baseline Customer Impact Potential: TBD
- Critical Care Customer Impact Potential: TBD

SCE PSPS Event 10/12/19

On 10/14/19 at 1511 hours, SCE notified the CSWC of their decision to activate their Emergency Operations Center (EOC) for a potential Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) event due to a projected threatening weather event in their service area.

Re-energized Circuit

On 10/20/19 at 1927 hours, SCE notified the CSWC that the Shovel circuit in Los Angeles County was re-energized as of 10/20/19 at 1829 hours.

PSPS Stage: Initiating Re-energization Patrols

On 10/20/19 at 1927 hours, SCE notified CSWC SCE is now at PSPS Stage, Initiating Re-energization Patrols, for portions of San Bernardino County.

- Impacted Counties: San Bernardino County (Removed Los Angeles County)
- Total Circuit Impact: 1 circuit (-1)
- Total Customer Impact: 10 customers (-56)
- Medical Baseline Customer Impact: 0 customers (no change)
- Critical Care Customer Impact: 0 customers (no change)
- Estimated Time of Restoration: TBD (no change)

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SCE PSPS Event 10/12/19 (Continued)

PSPS Stage: Activating PSPS Protocols/ Potential to De-energize
SCE remains at PSPS Stage, Activating PSPS Protocols / Potential to De-energize, due to a threatening weather event in portions of Santa Barbara, Ventura, San Bernardino, Los Angeles, Kern, and Riverside Counties. Projected timing of weather event: 10/20/19 at 0900 hours until 10/25/19 at 0000 hours.

- Potentially Impacted Counties: Santa Barbara, Ventura, San Bernardino Los Angeles, Kern, and Riverside Counties
- Total Potential Circuit Impact: 44 circuits
- Total Potential Customer Impact: 37,634 customers
- Total Potential Medical Baseline Customer Impact: 346 customers
- Total Potential Critical Care Customer Impact: 57 customers

SDG&E PSPS Event 10/20/19
On 10/17/19 at 1641 hours, SDG&E notified the CSWC of their decision to activate their PSPS Protocols / Potential to De-energize for a potential PSPS event due to a projected threatening weather event in their service area.

PSPS Stage: Activating PSPS Protocols/ Potential to De-energize

- Projected timing of weather event: 10/20/19 through 10/22/19
- Potentially Impacted Counties: San Diego County
- Total Potential Areas Impacted: 6 areas
- Total Potential Customer Impact: 1,032 customers
- Total Potential Medical Baseline Customer Impact: 57 customers

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Fire Activity slide
- See PSPS information

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See Fire Activity slide
- See PSPS information

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels		
National	**Northern California**	**Southern California**
Preparedness Level 1	**Preparedness Level 2**	**Preparedness Level 3**
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	**Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2**

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2019-FIRE-6117: 24 hour infrared flight imagery, fire perimeter mapping, and persistent overhead multi-spectral situation awareness capability, with all support personnel, equipment, and material for 2 viewing locations – one at northern operations and one at southern operations.

- 1 MQ-9 PREFERRED

Statewide Fire Map

Click here for a link to the current Statewide Fire Map (updated weekdays at 0800 hours).

Pre-Position of Fire Resources

OES Region I

- **Los Angeles County (XLB):** CA-OES-190071 – 1 Local Government Type 1 Strike Team (5 Type I Engines) staged at Santa Clarita. 1 Dispatcher. Start time: 10/18/19 at 0800 hours.
- **Ventura County (XVI):** CA-OES-190073 – 1 Type 1 Crew split and staged in Camarillo and East Semi Valley. 1 Engine TF (4 Type 1 Engines, 1 Type III Engine), 1 Dispatcher. Start time: 10/19/19, 0800 hours.
- **Santa Barbara County (XSB):** CA-OES-190077- 1 Local Government Type III Strike Team (5 Type III Engines). Start time: 10/20/19, 0800 hours.
- **Orange County (XOR):** CA-OES-190075 – 1 Type III Strike Team (5 Type III Engines), 1 Dispatcher. Start time: 10/20/19, 0800 hours.
- **OESH (Orange County):** CA-OES-190076 – 1 Type 1 OES Strike Team (5 Type I OES Engines). Start time: 10/20/19, 0800 hours.

OES Region VI

- **San Diego County (XSD):** CA-OES-190074 – 1 OES Type III Strike Team (5 Type III Engines) staged in Escondido, 1 Type II Helicopter located in San Diego, 1 Chief Officer at ECC. Start time: 10/20/19, 0800 hours.

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES INLAND REGION

Caples, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado County

Location: Caples Creek, 4 Miles Northwest from Kirkwood
Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, El Dorado National Forest
Per Cal OES Fire Duty Chief and ICS-209s as of 10/20/19 at 2016 hours:

- 3,434 acres, 68% contained
- Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering
- Federal old growth trees are threatened
- Threat to major municipal watershed
- Road, trail and area closures in effect
- Heavy Demobilization of resources planned for 10/20/19
- Transition to ICT4 tentatively planned for 10/21/19

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

Saddle Ridge, Vegetation Fire, Los Angeles County

Location: Saddle Ridge Rd., Sylmar
Jurisdiction: Local DPA, SRA/LRA/FRA, Los Angeles City Fire/ Los Angeles County Fire/ Angeles National Forest, Contract County
Per Cal OES Fire Duty Chief and ICS-209s as of 10/20/19 at 2016 hours:

- 8,799 acres, grass and brush, 83% contained
- Crews continue to improve, reinforce and strengthen control line
- Continued fire suppression repair
- Continued commitment of CAL FIRE Agency Rep
- Continued commitment of CAL FIRE ground resources

FMAG

- FMAG approved by FEMA on 10/11/19 at 0301 hours.
    - FEMA-5293-FM-CA

Local Assistance Center (LAC)

- Located at the Sylmar Recreation Center
    - Open 10/17/19 to 10/26/19
    - Hours of Operation:
        - Monday through Friday, 0930 hours to 1900 hours
        - Saturday and Sunday, 0800 hours to 1600 hours
    - Address: 13109 Borden Ave., Sylmar, CA 91342
    - Visit www.ermegency.lacity.org for more information

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

Saddle Ridge, Vegetation Fire, Los Angeles County (Continued)

Proclamations

- The Governor of California declared a State of Emergency in Los Angeles and Riverside Counties due to ongoing wildfires. Please click here to read the proclamation.
- The County of Los Angeles has submitted a Proclamation of a Local Emergency.
- The City of Los Angeles has submitted a Proclamation of a Local Emergency.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	**Central California**	**Southern California**
No Lifeline Route Closures	**No Lifeline Route Closures**	**No Lifeline Route Closures**

Lifeline Routes:
- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:
- Click here for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:
- There are no wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:
- There are no emergency center activations.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)
http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr

Click on the Caltrans Logo to check current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for current Hwy. conditions.

CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	**Central California**	**Southern California**
No 911 Outages	**No 911 Outages**	**No 911 Outages**

9-1-1 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations

- None reported.

Service Interruptions

- None reported.

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WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- High Risk for significant fire potential due to gusty N-NE wind, low relative humidity (RH), and dry fuels for the Sacramento Valley-Foothills & Diablo Mountains on Monday.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Red Flag Warnings remain in effect through tonight for portions of LA/Ventura/SBA county mountains, SBA south coast, and Santa Clarita/San Fernando Valleys due to gusty northerly winds and lowering humidities.
- Very strong north winds will cause extreme fire behavior on any new ignitions from Santa Barbara County to the western half of Los Angeles County today. However, humidity in this area will be on the high side so the chance of a new ignition will be fairly low.
- The large fire threat will increase late this week across Southern California as the warm and dry conditions combine with gusty offshore winds.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

- http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

10/20/19 - 10/26/19

Sunday

- Gusty North winds for some areas near the coast of Southern Region through Sunday with gusts 50-75 mph
    - Areas of critical fire weather conditions expected
    - Potential for wind damage, power outages and downed power lines

Monday-Tuesday

- Weak to moderate Santa Ana wind event with northeast winds expected for portions of Southern Region Sunday night through Tuesday.
    - Much weaker than last week's event with gusts between 25 and 40 mph
    - Elevated to periods of briefly critical fire weather conditions possible over portions of the Southern Region during this period
- Potential for heat related health impacts for those portions of the population in some coastal locations in Southern Region that are especially sensitive to heat and without adequate hydration due to the very warm temperatures in the areas of offshore flow Monday-Tuesday
- Locally moderate to gusty offshore winds across portions of Coastal Region Monday and Tuesday along with dry humidity values will slightly elevate fire weather concerns

Wednesday-Friday

- Gusty north to northeast winds and dry conditions for portions of Coastal and Inland Regions around the middle of next week, peaking Wednesday Night and Thursday Morning will likely create periods of critical fire weather conditions
- Another Santa Ana wind event will develop for portions of Southern Region Thursday into Friday and may increase fire weather concerns

Saturday

- No significant weather or water concerns anticipated at this time

CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

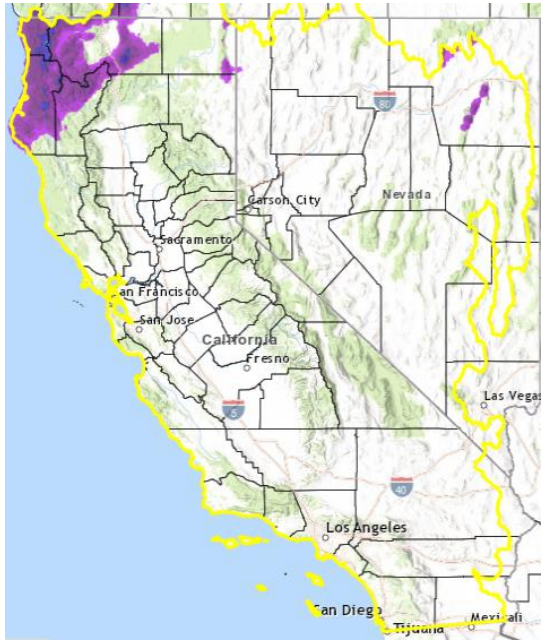
10/20/19 - 10/26/19

Hazards / Day	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern	Southern	Southern	Inland/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal	Southern	
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern	Southern/ Coastal	Southern/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal	Southern	
Heat Risk		Southern	Southern				
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Extreme Cold							

No Impacts | Minimal Impacts | Moderate Impacts | Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

10/20/19 - 10/25/19



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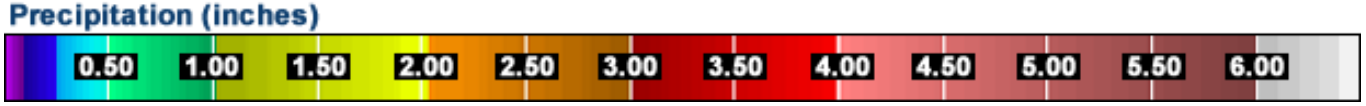
Monday-Friday



WEATHER OUTLOOK

10/25/19 - 11/02/19

6-10 Day Outlook (October 25 – October 29)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation for the southern part of CA, with below normal precipitation favored for the northern and central portions of the state

8-14 Day Outlook (October 27 – November 2)

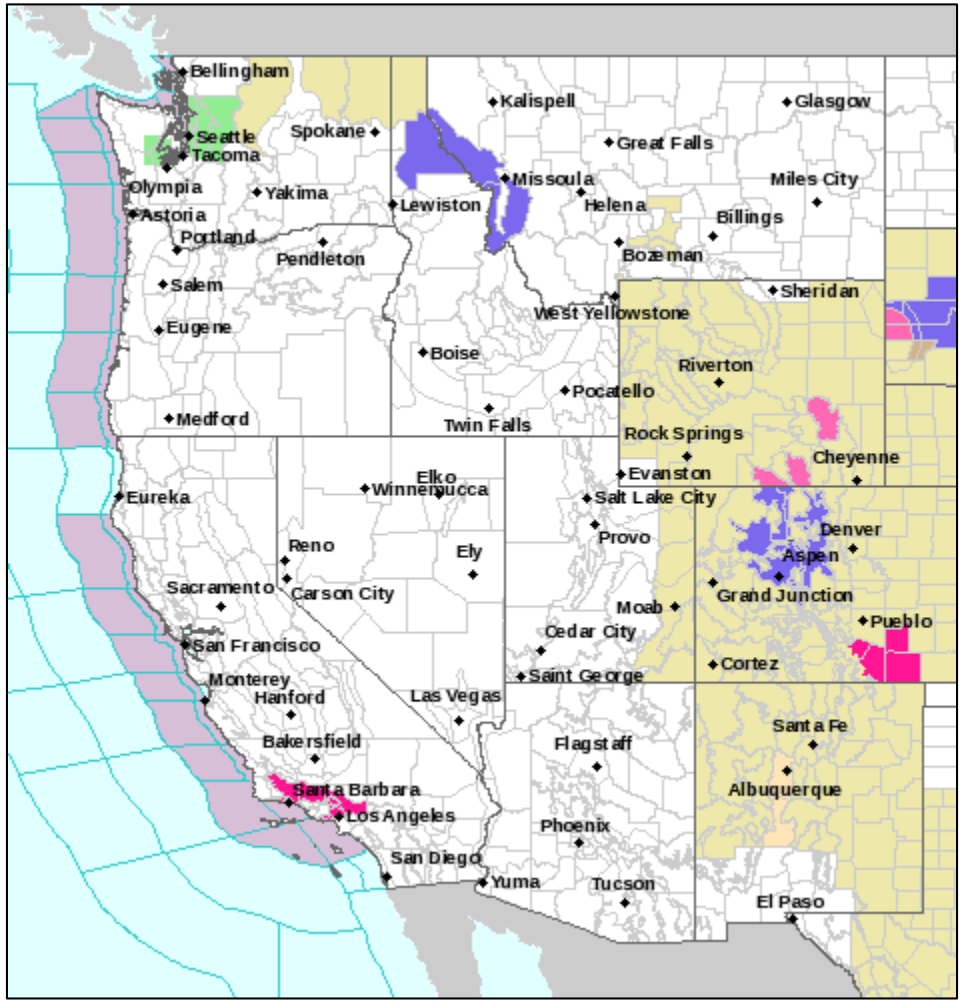
Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored for much of Coastal and Inland Regions, with Near Normal temperatures favored for most of Southern Region

Precipitation

- Most of the state has a leaning toward below normal precipitation, with near normal conditions favored only in extreme southeast CA

WEATHER MAP



- Winter Storm Warning
- Red Flag Warning
- Winter Weather Advisory
- Small Craft Advisory For Rough Bar
- Small Craft Advisory
- Wind Advisory
- Special Weather Statement
- Hazardous Weather Outlook
- Hydrologic Outlook
- Short Term Forecast

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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-5883, 09/26/19, 1330 hours:** Fresno County requested two HRD K-9 teams to assist with an older case of a missing person. The state K-9 Coordinator was notified and working on resources for this weekend 9-28/29. Recourses are to meet at Trimmer Springs Rd in the area of UTM coordinates 11S 0314967, 4081331. **Update, 09/27/19:** Fresno County requesting 20 type II searchers for 9/28/19-09/29/29. **Update:** Fresno County extending the search efforts through Wednesday, continuing with 20 type II searchers. **Update:** Fresno County has extended their request for HRD K-9's through Friday. **Update, 10/07/19:** Fresno SO planning for additional SAR resources for a continued search. **Update, 10/11/19:** Fresno SO confirmed their search was still active and estimated it would continue for at least the next week. **Update, 10/14/19, 2000 hours:** Santa Barbara SO advised the mission was not attempted today and may be pushed back to 10/15/19. **Update:** A three day search is scheduled for 10/19 through 10/21. **Update, 10/18/19:** The following agencies have committed resources for the 3-day search effort beginning today - Marin SO, Riverside SO, San Benito SO, LASD Sierra Madre SAR, San Diego SO, San Luis Obispo SO, Trinity SO, Contra Costa SO, San Mateo SO Bay Area Mountain Rescue Unit and Yolo SO. In addition to the above, 6 HRD dogs from out of region have committed to assist. **MISSION ONGOING**

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Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- None reported.

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