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WSP USA FIELD SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

July 9, 2026

Flash Flood Threat The Heartland

- By the end of the week, a front will become the focus for increasing showers and thunderstorms from the Heartland, as well as the Northeast.
- This slow-moving front brings a resurgence of rain and flood risks to 30 million Americans.
- This system is set to target communities where soils are already completely saturated from recent torrential downpours at the end of June.
- The front will continue to move southeast as stronger southerly flow develops ahead of it, with storm coverage expected to increase across the Mississippi Valley on Thursday before expanding into the Ohio and Tennessee Valleys on Friday.
- Abundant moisture and high instability ahead of the front will support multiple rounds of heavy rain-producing thunderstorms through Sunday.
- A level 2 out of 4 flash flood threat is in place Thursday across portions of the Mississippi River Valley, including Western Kentucky, southern Illinois and parts of eastern Missouri.
- By Friday, the threat shifts just ever so slightly to the east, where a Level 2 flash flood risk is once again in place from Friday through early Sunday across portions of southwestern Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, and West Virginia.
- According to the FOX Forecast Center, the threat into Friday could be upgraded to a Level 3 out of 4 if the forecast holds for slow-moving storms tracking over the same areas.
- Widespread rainfall totals of 1 to 2 inches are expected from southern and central Missouri eastward into West Virginia and northern Tennessee, with up to 3 inches possible across southern Indiana, Kentucky, and Tennessee.
- Beyond widespread totals, localized amounts exceeding 3 to 5 inches are possible where storms repeatedly track over the same areas.
- While the heaviest and most impactful rainfall is expected across the Ohio and Tennessee Valleys, scattered showers and thunderstorms will also accompany the front across the Northeast through the end of the week—mainly on Friday.



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Tropical Activity – Pacific

Disturbance 1

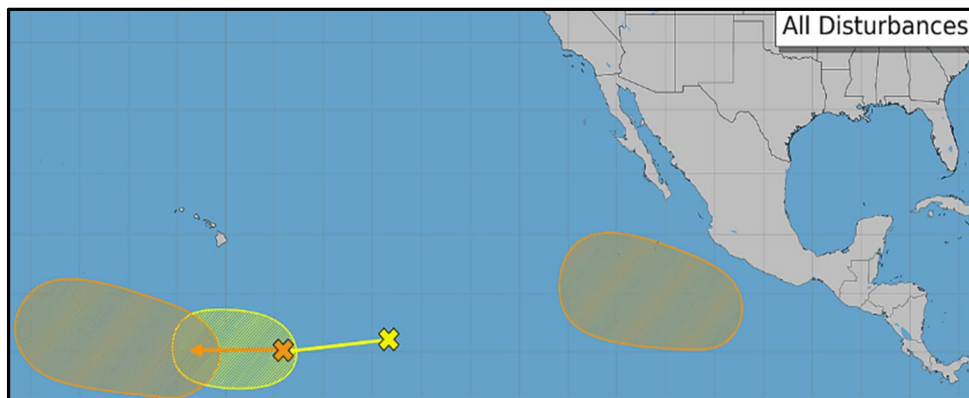
- Located SE of the Hawaiian Islands moving W to WNW.
- Environmental conditions appear favorable for gradual development.
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (20%)
- Formation chance through 7 days: Med (60%)

Disturbance 2

- Located offshore of Southwestern Mexico moving W to NW.
- Environmental conditions appear favorable for gradual development.
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (0%)
- Formation chance through 7 days: Med (60%)

Disturbance 3

- Located SE of the Hawaiian Islands moving W to WSW.
- Environmental conditions appear favorable for slow development this weekend into early next week.
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (0%)
- Formation chance through 7 days: Low (30%)



Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
KY	Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Hail, Flooding and Landslides June 18-27	7	0	7/6 - TBD

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Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Requests

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
MI	Severe Storms and Tornadoes – Appeal March 6, 2026	4/1/2026	Pending	3 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
4899 – MS	Severe Winter Storm	36 Counties	82	6/10/2026
4909 – HI	Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides/Mud-slides	3 Counties	78	6/14/2026
4922 – MS	Severe Storm & Tornadoes	5 Counties	2	8/31/2026

WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY

