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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
Daily Summary Report

DATE:
June 30, 2012

TO:
The Honorable Tom Corbett
Governor
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

FROM:
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TIME PERIOD:

This report covers the period 8:00 a.m., June 29, 2012 through 8:00 a.m., June 30, 2012.

STATUS REPORT: (as of 8:00 a.m.)

THREAT STATUS:

National Terrorism Advisory System:

There are no current alerts.

EOC STATUS:

State EOC Activation: Level 4 (Steady State)
County EOC Activations: None

CAPABILITIES STATUS:

PA All-Hazards Type-3 Incident Management Team – Mission Capable

INFRASTRUCTURE STATUS:

Major Road Closures: None
Telephone Outage Reports: None
Power Outage Reports: **32,500 Customers Statewide – Weather Related**

OPEN:

POWER OUTAGES / ADVERSE WEATHER – statewide, 6/29/12 – For a second consecutive day severe thunderstorms crossed the state producing hail, high winds and lightning. No injuries, significant flooding or structural damages were reported. At the height of the storm approximately 55,000 Pennsylvania residents were without power. As of 6:30 a.m., 6/30/12, approximately 32,500 customers remain without service. Utility crews are on scene; no restoration times were reported.

CLOSED:

None

DISASTER DECLARATIONS:

None

CONTIGUOUS STATE EVENTS OF POTENTIAL INTEREST TO PENNSYLVANIA:

Delaware: No significant events at this time.
Maryland: No significant events at this time.
New Jersey: No significant events at this time.
New York: No significant events at this time.
Ohio: No significant events at this time.
West Virginia: No significant events at this time.

WEATHER:

24-hour Projected Weather Statewide:

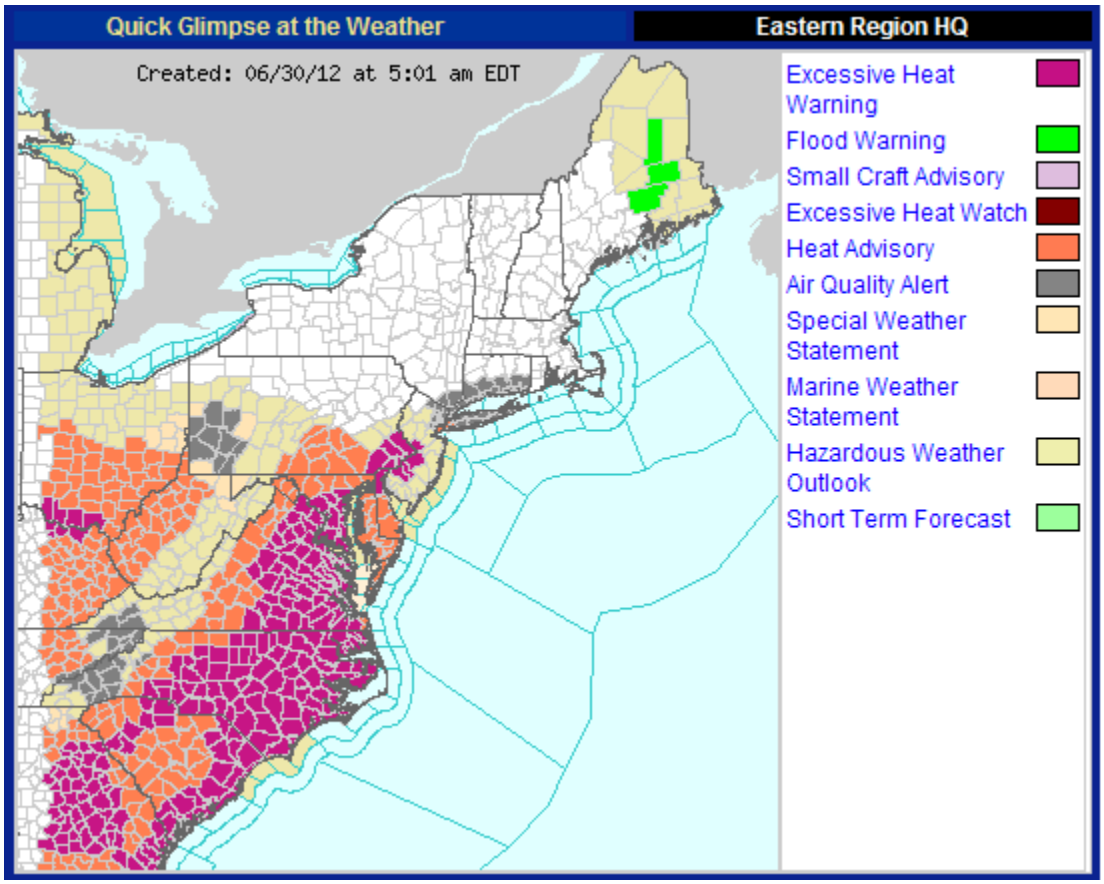
National Weather Service, 5:58 a.m., 6/30/12

A very warm and humid weekend is in store as Pennsylvania is located on the northern edge of a ridge of high pressure that is producing record heat across the southeastern United States. Today will be hot and humid though there is a chance for mainly afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms with high temperatures ranging from the upper 80s across the higher terrain of northern and western Pennsylvania to the mid 90s in the far southeast.

Temperatures Saturday night will range from the upper 50s to low 60s along the New York border mid 60s through central Pennsylvania and low to mid 70s in the southeastern portion of the Commonwealth. Expect more of the same for Sunday with warm temperatures and a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms through the afternoon and evening.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

A series of excessive heat warnings and heat advisories are in effect across the Commonwealth.



NOAA / SPACE WEATHER PREDICTION CENTER:

3-day Solar-Geo-Physical Forecast, 10:00 p.m., 6/29/12:

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity is expected to be low with a chance for M-class activity for the next three days (30 June-02 July).

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field is expected to be quiet to unsettled on day one (30 June) with a chance for active levels due to the arrival of a co-rotating interaction region (CIR) in advance of a recurrent coronal hole high speed stream (CH HSS). Field activity is expected to increase to unsettled to active levels on days two and three (01-02 July) with a chance for minor storm levels due to CH HSS effects.