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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
Daily Summary Report

DATE:
August 3, 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., August 2, 2012 through 8:00 a.m., August 3, 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: None
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: None

OPEN:

None

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:

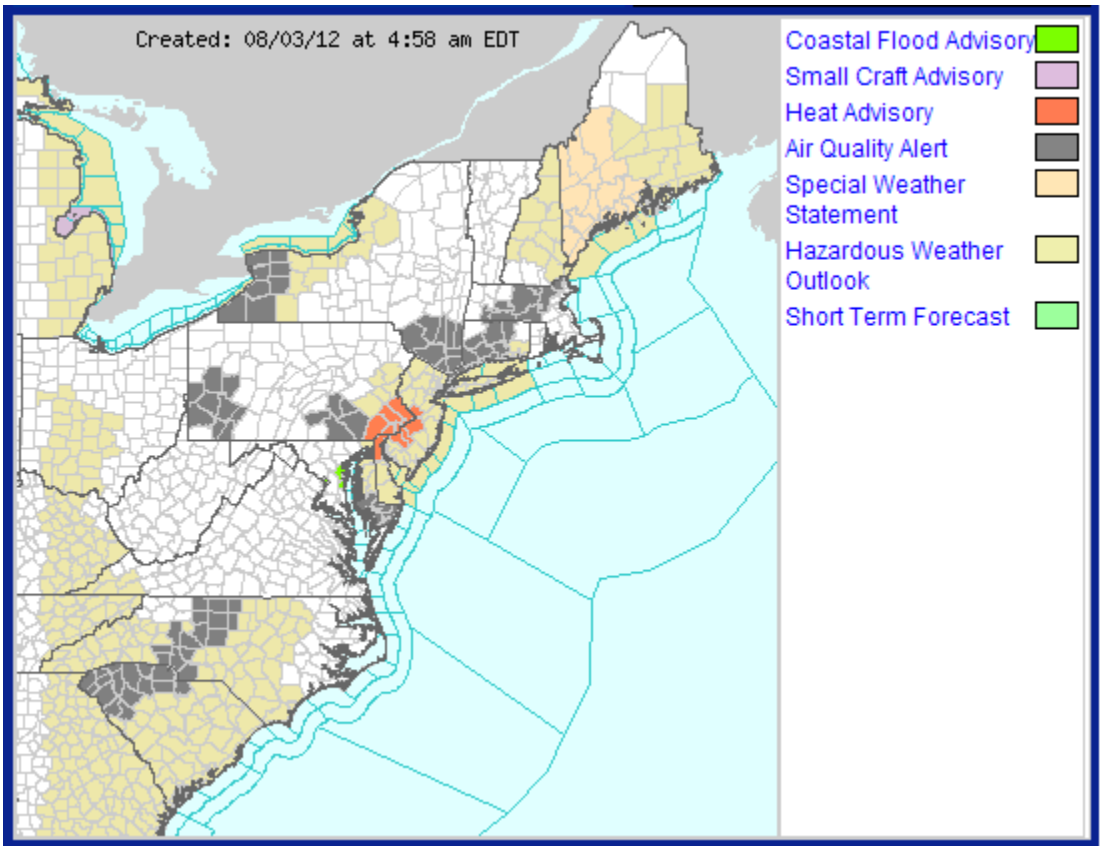
National Weather Service, 5:00 a.m., 8/3/12

Fair skies prevailed across the region overnight as weak high pressure remained along the Mid Atlantic coastal region. Some mid level clouds associated with the remnants of an old frontal boundary streamed across western and central portions of the state while the southeast remained mostly clear. Those clear skies allowed areas of fog to form over the Piedmont region with visibilities ranging between 2 and 5 miles early today. Early morning temperatures ranged from the lower 60s in the north to the lower to middle 70s over the far southeast. Winds were light.

Another mostly sunny day is in store to close out the week with highs ranging from the upper 80s across the Alleghenies to the mid 90s in the southeast. Some clouds will build during the afternoon yielding a slight chance of an afternoon shower or thunderstorm. Southwest flow will continue to increase this weekend bringing increasing heat and humidity and a better chance of showers and thunderstorms by Sunday.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

Heat advisories have been issued for southeast Pennsylvania until 8:00 p.m., 8/3/12.



NOAA / SPACE WEATHER PREDICTION CENTER:

3-day Solar-Geo-Physical Forecast, 10:00 p.m., 8/2/12:

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity is expected to continue at low levels with a chance for an isolated M-class flare.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Geomagnetic activity is expected to be quiet to unsettled on day 1 (03 August) followed by mostly quiet levels on days 2 and 3 (04-05 August).