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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
Daily Summary Report

DATE:
September 14, 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., September 13, 2012 through 8:00 a.m., September 14, 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, 4:36 a.m., 9/14/12

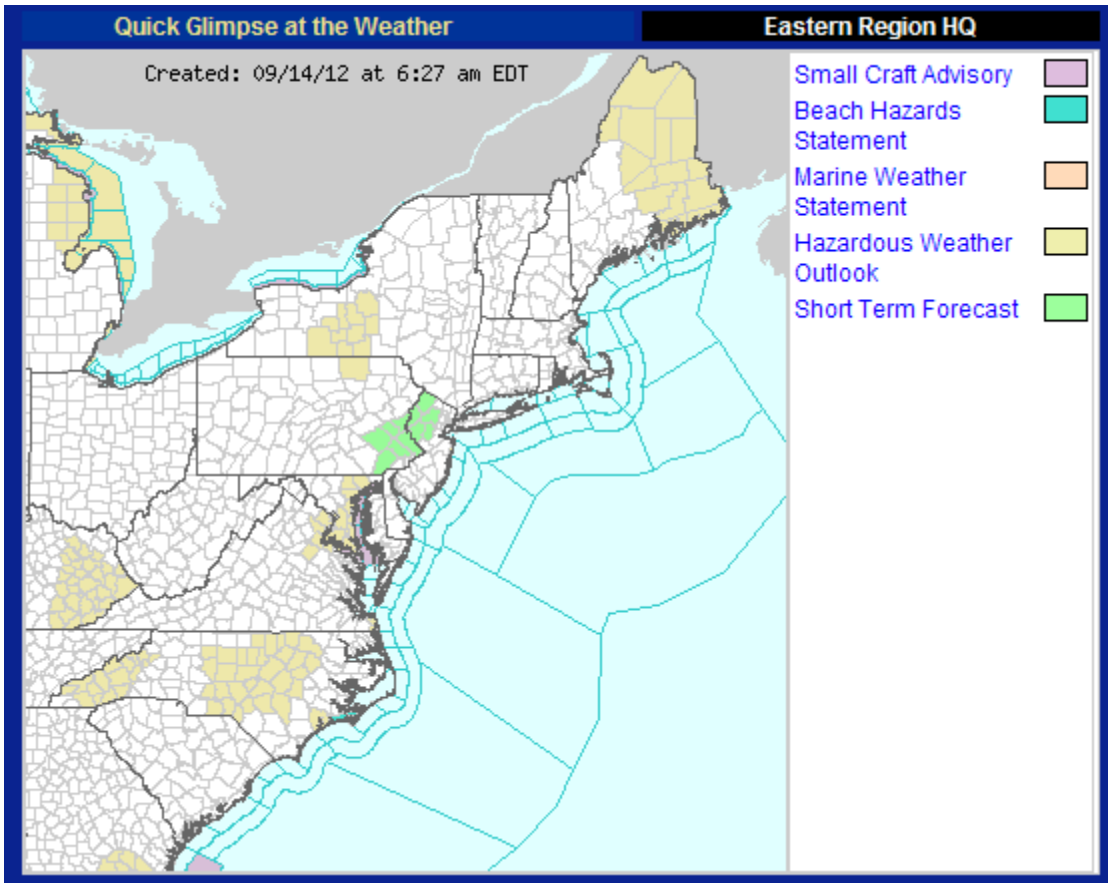
A few high clouds were across the Keystone State overnight. Early morning temperatures were mainly in the 50s, but in the 60s across the far western portion of the state. Partly to mostly sunny skies will give way to overcast skies this afternoon and tonight along with a chance of showers and perhaps an isolated thunderstorm, as a cold front over the central Great Lakes early today moves across the region late today. High temperatures will range from the mid to upper 70s across the mountains to the lower 80s across the southeast.

The cold front will push east of Pennsylvania tonight and skies will become partly to mostly sunny on Saturday as high pressure builds southeast from the northern plains. It will be cooler with morning lows in the mid to upper 40s across the mountains to the lower to mid 50s across central and eastern areas of the Keystone State. High temperatures on Saturday will range from the mid 60s across the northern part of Pennsylvania to the lower 70s across the southeast.

The combination of clear skies and light winds will result in a cold night across Pennsylvania Saturday night. Lows early Sunday morning will range from the mid 30s across the northwestern mountains to the 40s elsewhere. Patchy frost will be possible across the northwestern mountains. Temperatures will moderate on Sunday and Monday as the high moves off the East Coast.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

There are no active watches or warnings.



NOAA / SPACE WEATHER PREDICTION CENTER:

3-day Solar-Geo-Physical Forecast, 10:00 p.m., 9/13/12:

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity is expected to be low with a slight chance for M-class flares for the next three days (14-16 September), mainly from Region 1569.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field is expected to be quiet on day one (14 September). Quiet to unsettled conditions are expected on day two (15 September) due to effects from another CH HSS. Activity is expected to increase to unsettled levels on day three (16 September) with a chance for active periods due the arrival of the CME associated with today's filament eruption.