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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
Daily Summary Report

DATE:
October 12, 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., October 11, 2012 through 8:00 a.m., October 12, 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, 5:47 a.m., 10/12/12

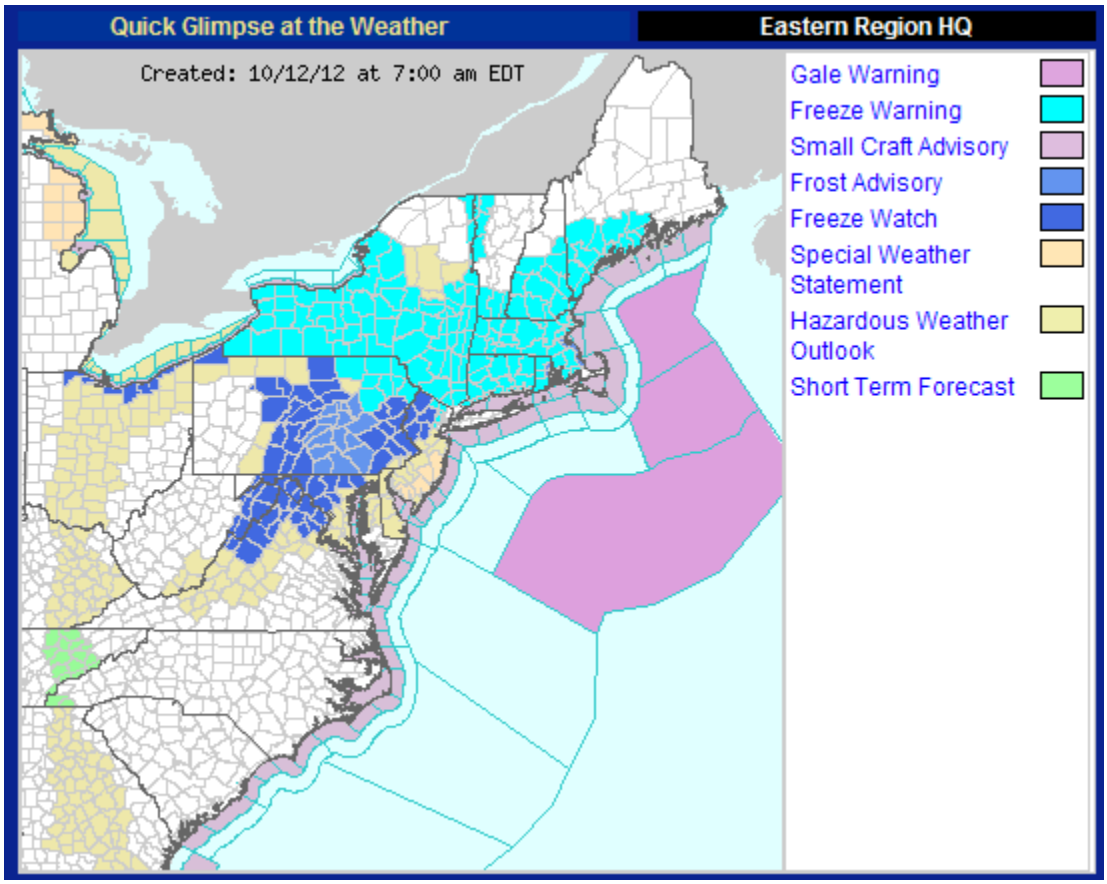
A line of showers will continue to move in from the northwest ahead of an approaching cold front. Cloudiness will gradually increase this morning ahead of the front as a cold front approaches from the northwest. Isolated showers will accompany the front mainly in the north as it crosses the state Friday.

Clear skies over the Susquehanna have lead to low temperatures which could lead to formation of frost early this morning. High pressure over the great lakes will bring a widespread frost and freeze as the temperature bottoms out below freezing for most of Pennsylvania early Saturday. A warming trend will follow over the weekend with the temperature reaching the upper 60s and lower 70s Sunday afternoon.

The high temperatures in the wake of the cold front will range from the mid 40s along the New York border to the low 60s in the southeast. Lows this evening will be in the low to mid 20s along the northern border to the upper 20s and low 30s from the central Commonwealth to the areas around Philadelphia.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

None



NOAA / SPACE WEATHER PREDICTION CENTER:

3-day Solar-Geo-Physical Forecast, 10:00 p.m., 10/11/12:

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity is expected to be low with a chance for isolated M-class activity for the forecast period (12-14 October).

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field is expected to be mostly quiet on days 1-2 (12-13 October). On day 3 (14 October) a coronal hole high speed stream is expected to move into geoeffective position causing quiet to unsettled conditions with a chance for active periods.