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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
Daily Summary Report

DATE:
October 22, 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 21, 2012 through 8:00 a.m., October 22, 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:

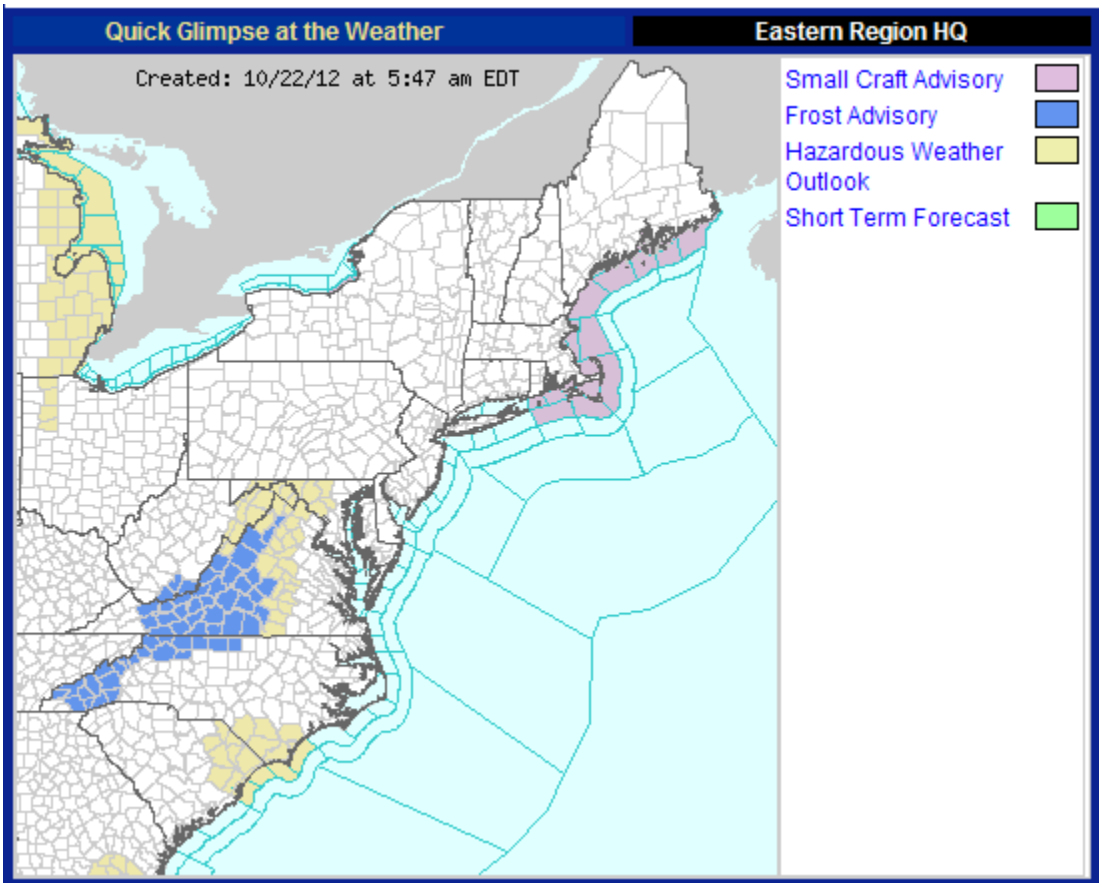
National Weather Service, 5:33 a.m., 10/22/12

The temperature in Pennsylvania will be above normal this week. High pressure centered over the southern Appalachians this morning will drift slightly to the east and lead to sunny and dry weather today. A warm front will move into northern Pennsylvania late tonight. This will lead to some showers and perhaps a thunderstorm for late tonight and Tuesday mainly over the north.

The high temperature today will vary from 60 degrees in the Poconos to around or slightly above 70 degrees in the valleys of the south. Low temperatures tonight will be kept mild as clouds spread across the state. Expect lows in the mid 40s in the northeastern mountains and mid 50s over the western third of the Commonwealth. Those lows will be 5 to 15 degrees above normal for late October. Temperatures on Tuesday afternoon will rise into the mid and upper 60s in the northern mountains and mid 70s along the southern border.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

None



NOAA / SPACE WEATHER PREDICTION CENTER:

3-day Solar-Geo-Physical Forecast, 10:00 p.m., 10/21/12:

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity is expected to be low for the next three days (22-24 October) with isolated M-class flares likely.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field is expected to be quiet to unsettled on days 1 and 2 (22-23 October) due to the effects of a coronal hole high speed stream (CH HSS). Conditions are expected to return to quiet levels by day 3 (24 October) as the effects from the CH HSS begin to wane.