

DATE:

July 5, 2016

TO:

The Honorable Tom Wolf
Governor
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

FROM:

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TIME PERIOD:

This report covers the period 0600 hours, July 4, 2016, through 0600 hours, July 5, 2016.

STATUS REPORT: (as of 0600 hours)

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
PA-Task Force 1 (PA-TF1) – Urban Search & Rescue – Mission Capable
PA-Task Force 2 (PA-TF2) - Search & Rescue - Mission Capable

INFRASTRUCTURE STATUS:

Major Road Closures: None
Power Outage Reports: As of 0540 hours, 2801 customers
Telephone Outage Reports: None

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

OPEN:

WATER RESCUE – Wayne County, 7/4/16 – A search was conducted for a 35-year-old male who was swimming next to a boat in the Paradise Point area of Lake Wallenpaupack in Paupack Township. The male went under the water and did not resurface. The search was suspended for the night and will reconvene Tuesday, July 5th.

LANDSLIDE – Allegheny County, 6/28/16 - West Carson Street is closed between Commerce Street to the West End Circle in the City of Pittsburgh. Two large boulders have been removed from the roadway. The street will remain closed due to possible instability of the hillside. A Norfolk Southern main rail line is shut down for freight trains. No passenger trains travel this route. Clean-up efforts are still in progress. The road is not expected to reopen until July 6, 2016 at the earliest.

CLOSED:

WATER RESCUE – Franklin County, 7/4/16 – A water rescue was conducted for a 21-year-old male at a private pond located at 9040 Mountain Brook Road in Chambersburg Borough. He was underwater for approximately 25 minutes. Two boats and a dive team responded. The male was located and removed from the water. The county’s coroner’s office took custody.

DISASTER DECLARATIONS:

6/2/2016 – The Commissioners of Clearfield County have issued Declarations of Disaster Emergencies for Lawrence Township, Clearfield Borough, and Clearfield County due to severe weather and flooding.

3/23/16 - The U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency announced that federal disaster aid has been made available to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to supplement commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area affected by the severe winter storm which occurred January 22-23, 2016. The designation is FEMA-4267-DR.

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:	The WV Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is at Partial Activation (Level II) for adverse weather and flooding.

24-hour Projected Weather Statewide:

National Weather Service, 0543 hours, 07/05/16:

A wave of low pressure will slide east and off the Mid-Atlantic Coast this morning. A ridge of high pressure will move in for this afternoon through Wednesday, bringing brightening skies this afternoon, along with warmer and more humid conditions.

The high temperature this afternoon will be near early July norms, ranging from the low to mid 80s over most of the state. Lows tonight will vary from the mid and upper 50s over the Northern Mountains, to near 70 degrees throughout the larger metro areas in Southern Pennsylvania.

Although an isolated afternoon thunderstorm can` t be ruled out today or Wednesday, the next chance for more numerous showers and thunderstorms should arrive Thursday afternoon and evening.

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A cold front will likely push southeast through the state early in the upcoming weekend, followed by a break in the humidity for Sunday and Monday.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

None



TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK:

