

DATE:

July 12, 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 11, 2016, through 0600 hours, July 12, 2016.

STATUS REPORT: (as of 0600 hours)

THREAT STATUS:

National Terrorism Advisory System:

There are no current alerts.

EOC STATUS:

Commonwealth Resource Coordination Center (CRCC) 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 0505 hours, 608 customers
Telephone Outage Reports: None

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

OPEN:

None

CLOSED:

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POLICE INCIDENT – Philadelphia, 7/11/16 – Multiple media outlets and the National Operation Center Media Center reported that Philadelphia Police are investigating a threat made against three patrol districts. The department did not elaborate on the circumstances surrounding the threat, but an officer was reportedly alerted about a threatening message on Facebook. The message said that someone would blow up three district buildings with a bomb. Authorities explained that a report was filed regarding the threats and they were taking them "seriously," but that none of the threats had been verified and that none of them were deemed to be realistic or credible at this time. In another report two people taken into custody after being caught on the roof of the Bellevue Hotel in Philadelphia with suspicious items. A Fox News 29 reporter stated the items included liquid explosives, a camera and suspicious powder. Another reporter stated smoke bombs were found. The bomb squad and Homeland Security officials were on scene investigating.

ROAD CLOSURE – Franklin County, 7/11/16 – A fatal vehicle accident closed Interstate 81 southbound near mile marker 17 in Greene Township. The roadway was closed approximately three hours for an accident investigation and cleanup.

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:	No significant events at this time.

24-hour Projected Weather Statewide:

National Weather Service, 0425 hours, 07/12/16:

High pressure will continue to build over the mid Atlantic states today; this should stifle most if not all afternoon convection. Southerly flow though will bring moister air into the area for more humid conditions. The high pressure will move eastward tonight and following this high pressure tomorrow will be a weak trough. This trough will bring the possibility of showers and thunderstorms, particularly during the afternoon and evening hours tomorrow.

High temperatures today will range from the mid to upper 80s across most of the commonwealth with low 90s possible in far western Pennsylvania. Lows tonight will range from the low 70s across southern and western Pennsylvania with upper 60s in the central, northwestern and northeastern mountains.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

None

