

**DATE:**

October 03, 2016

**TO:**

The Honorable Tom Wolf  
Governor  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

**FROM:**

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**TIME PERIOD:**

This report covers the period 0600 hours, October 02, 2016, through 0600 hours, October 03, 2016.

**STATUS REPORT:** (as of 0600 hours)

**THREAT STATUS:**

**National Terrorism Advisory System:**

There are no current alerts.

**CRCC 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 0559 hours – 349 customers  
**Telephone Outage Reports:** None

**SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:**

**OPEN:**

**WATER MAIN BREAK – Erie County, 10/1/16** – A water main break occurred in the city of Corry, bringing their reservoir down 10 percent. A boil water advisory and conserve water notice are still in effect. Crawford County OEM delivered a water buffalo of non-potable water for residents. The city of Corry is coordinating with the Salvation Army for bottled

water needs of residents. Porta ponds have been set up at both Corry Hospital and Corry Manor to provide water for flushing toilets. For firefighting, the city has a plan in place to bring tankers in from nearby municipalities. Corry's EOC was activated for a day to coordinate efforts in the city, but has since demobilized. The break has been located and isolated. A 10 foot section of an eight inch main was replaced. Schools in the Corry School District will be closed and Corry Hospital cancelled all elective surgeries today. Restaurants will remain closed until the Health Department authorizes reopening. Wegmans donated four pallets of drinking water when an unmet need for additional drinking water was identified.

**WATER MAIN BREAK / GAS LEAK – Northampton County, 9/30/16** – A water main break and gas leak occurred due to a large sinkhole on the 700 block of North New Street in Bethlehem City. PPL shut off power to more than 4,000 homes in the area for several hours. Residents on both sides of the block of North New Street between Garrison Street and North Street were evacuated. The evacuation affected an estimated 100 residents and 100 employees of local businesses. Most residents have been allowed to reoccupy their homes. The American Red Cross is providing shelter to about two dozen residents. At least three homes have been condemned and more are being evaluated. Engineers are also evaluating the area for additional hollow spots under the ground. The 700 block of North New Street remains without water and gas service. All residents except those whose properties have been condemned were allowed to return to their homes. The estimated date of repairs being completed is 10/04/2016.

**ADVERSE WEATHER – Fayette County, 8/28/16** – Heavy rains caused flood damage to residences and businesses in several areas in Fayette County. Most of the flooding occurred in the area of Connellsville. Monetary and material donations continue to be received by Connellsville Area Community Ministries for victims. A distribution center has been opened in the closed East Side Fire Station for distribution of the donated items. The Small Business Administration (SBA) has approved Fayette County a disaster area effective 9/20/16. The SBA has established a Disaster Loan Outreach Center (DLOC) at the Fayette EMS base in Connellsville which opened on 9/22/16 at 10 a.m. The Greater Connellsville Flood Recovery Center will open on 10/3/16 at 202 North Pittsburgh Street in Connellsville City.

**CLOSED:**

**MISSING JUVENILE – Mercer County, 10/2/16** – The Hermitage Police reported a male juvenile was missing from his home at 1631 Sandy Lane in Hermitage City. The juvenile was safely located after approximately seven hours.

**SUSPICIOUS PACKAGE – York County, 10/1/16** – The Hobby Lobby and surrounding parking lot in Penn Township were evacuated for about four hours on Saturday when an abandoned suitcase was found. Social media reported that a PSP bomb technician responded to the scene. The suitcase was x-rayed with nothing suspicious found inside so the all clear was given.

**DISASTER DECLARATIONS:**

9/20/16 - The U.S. Small Business Administration issued SBA disaster declarations (#14857 and #14858) for Fayette, Greene, Somerset, Westmoreland and Washington counties for damages during the flash flooding event on 8/28/16. The effective date is 9/20/16 and termination date for applications is 11/21/16. Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) application termination date is 6/20/17.

8/30/16 – The County of Fayette issued a Declaration of Disaster for the county due to the impact from the severe weather.

8/29/16 – The Supervisors of Connellsville Township issued a Declaration of Disaster for the Township due to the impact of severe weather.

8/29/16 – The Township Council Members of Fairfield Township issued a Declaration of Disaster for the Township due to impacts from flooding.

8/28/16 – The Township Supervisors of Donegal Township issued a Declaration of Disaster for the Township due to impacts from heavy rains/flooding.

8/17/16 – The Borough Council Members of Donora Borough issued a Declaration of Disaster for the borough, due to severe weather.

8/10/2016 – The Borough Council Members of Albion Borough issued a Declaration of Disaster Emergency for the borough, due to a drought/water emergency.

7/25/2016 – The Mayor of Dunmore Borough issued a Declaration of Disaster Emergency for the borough, due to severe weather.

7/19/2016 – The U.S. Small Business Administration issued a SBA disaster declaration for Fayette, Greene, Somerset, Washington and Westmoreland counties for damages during the flooding event on June 17, 2016. The effective date is 7/19/16 and termination date for applications for Disaster Home Loans and Disaster Business Loans has passed. Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) application termination date is 4/19/17.

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:**

<b>Delaware:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>Maryland:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>New Jersey:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>New York:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>Ohio:</b>	No significant events at this time.
<b>West Virginia:</b>	No significant events at this time.

**24-hour Projected Weather Statewide:**

**National Weather Service, 0551 hours, 10/03/16**

Patchy dense fog is possible early today throughout the south-central valleys. Otherwise, skies will be partly to mostly cloudy with a brief shower possible in a few spots across the northern mountains, as a weakening upper low slides by across New York State.

Temperatures to start the day will range from the upper 40s to lower 50s over the mountains of northern and western PA, to around 60 degrees in the lower Susquehanna River Valley.

The late morning and afternoon hours today will feature partly sunny skies with just a slight chance of a shower, primarily across northern and eastern Pennsylvania. High temperatures this afternoon will range from the low to mid-60s across the northern mountains and Laurel Highlands, to the mid-70s in the Philadelphia area.

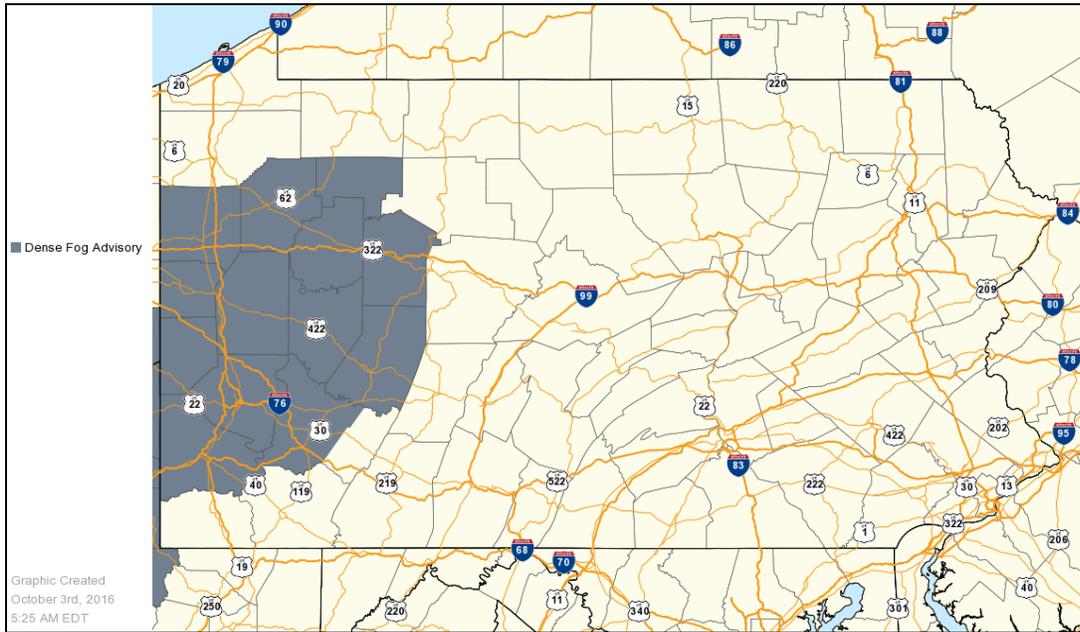
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Looking ahead for Tuesday into Wednesday, surface high pressure centered across the New England state will help to create a fairly deep easterly flow off the Atlantic. This will bring clouds and a chance for a few showers or patchy drizzle back into southern and eastern Pennsylvania, while far western Pennsylvania sees sunshine and warmer temperatures.

### WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

None



### TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK:

