DAILY PREPAREDNESS BRIEF

Household Edition -- Tuesday, 10 November 2026

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⚠ PREPAREDNESS CONDITION 3 -- BROWN SKY -- INCIDENT PROBABLE ⚠

Tuesday, 10 November 2026 | PREP-CON 3 BROWN SKY, HELD | WX-CON: stand-down | SWX-CON: stand-down

THE ONE THING TODAY

OHIO AND TENNESSEE VALLEYS: STORMS WEDNESDAY EVENING

Storms with a few damaging wind gusts are possible late Wednesday afternoon and evening near where the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers meet, spreading into southern Indiana, western Kentucky and northern Tennessee. Keep phone alerts on and tie down loose outdoor items before evening.

IF YOU RUN SERVERS OR SMALL-OFFICE GEAR: a newly exploited OpenSSH flaw affects Alpine Linux and similar systems; update to OpenSSH 10.6p2 or turn off password login over SSH.

SINCE OUR LAST BRIEF: President Trump called the Iran war "effectively over" militarily, missiles aimed at Riyadh were shot down, the South Texas rain ended, and regular gas fell below $4.

WEATHER -- QUIET TODAY, STORMS WEDNESDAY

The South Texas rain is over and no severe weather is expected today. Wednesday evening brings a small chance of damaging gusts in the lower Ohio and western Tennessee Valleys. More heavy rain is possible on the Texas coast and in the Hill Country on Saturday.

SCAM ALERT -- FAKE FLOOD RELIEF

After the floods in Georgia, Tennessee and Texas, expect fake relief offers and fake contractors. Real FEMA help is free: never pay a fee or give a gift card or bank password, and apply only through disasterassistance.gov or your county.

WEATHER RADIO -- 19 STATIONS DOWN OR DEGRADED

19 transmitters are off the air or degraded across 12 states. Del Rio, Texas is newly off the air; if you live there, rely on phone alerts and local media. None is in a storm risk area today.

STATION	FREQUENCY	STATUS
Kotzebue, AK	162.550 MHz	Degraded
Nome, AK	162.550 MHz	Out of service
Valdez, AK	162.550 MHz	Out of service
Baxley, GA	162.525 MHz	Out of service
Kauai, HI	162.400 MHz	Out of service
Hillsboro, IL	162.425 MHz	Out of service
Marion, IN	162.450 MHz	Out of service
Gem, KS	162.400 MHz	Out of service
Ulysses, KS	162.450 MHz	Out of service
Gunflint Lake, MN	162.525 MHz	Out of service

Waubun, MN	162.450 MHz	Out of service
Artesia, NM	162.425 MHz	Out of service
Carlsbad, NM	162.475 MHz	Out of service
Roswell, NM	162.450 MHz	Out of service
Owyhee, NV	162.450 MHz	Degraded
Tonopah, NV	162.400 MHz	Out of service
Albany, NY	162.550 MHz	Out of service
Shelbyville, TN	162.475 MHz	Out of service
Del Rio, TX	162.400 MHz	Out of service

FIRES -- QUIET NATIONWIDE

Fire activity is light, with no new large fires. The fire west of Buffalo, Wyoming is still threatening homes.

HEALTH -- EBOLA COUNT RISING

The CDC now counts 10,879 confirmed Ebola cases in Congo (as of November 6), up 138 in two days. There are still no US cases.

GAS PRICES -- UNDER $4

The national average for regular gas is $3.98, down 3 cents since Monday and 17 cents in a week. Diesel is $6.16.

WHAT TODAY'S IRAN NEWS MEANS FOR YOU

After meeting Qatar's prime minister, President Trump said the war is "effectively over" militarily and new strikes are "quite unlikely", but the US Navy blockade stays. Secretary of State Rubio says talks have made "no progress". There is no credible threat to US soil.

Gas prices: Oil is about $91 a barrel. Regular is $3.98 and diesel $6.16.

Travel: Saudi Arabia shot down missiles aimed at Riyadh again on Tuesday; no damage was reported. Air India has suspended Saudi flights to November 14. Check State Department advisories before any Middle East trip.

At home: For American families the Iran conflict still shows up mainly at the gas pump, not as a safety threat.

PREPAREDNESS CHECKLIST -- TODAY'S PRIORITIES

OHIO AND TENNESSEE VALLEYS -- BEFORE WEDNESDAY EVENING

- ☐ Tie down or bring in patio furniture, trash cans and decorations
- ☐ Keep phone weather alerts on Wednesday evening
- ☐ Charge phones and flashlights in case the power goes out
- ☐ Texas: if your home flooded, photograph damage before you clean up
- ☐ Check on neighbors, especially older adults living alone

PHONES, COMPUTERS AND WEBSITES -- THIS WEEK

- ☐ Small businesses: update SonicWall firewalls and turn on two-step login; IT staff: update OpenSSH on Alpine Linux
- ☐ Update iPhones, iPads and Macs to the latest version

GENERAL TUESDAY PREPAREDNESS

- ☐ Check that your weather radio still receives a station
- ☐ Ham and HF operators: expect short daytime fadeouts from solar flares

☐ Ignore texts or emails asking you to "verify" your voter registration

CONDITION SUMMARY

PREP-CON 3 BROWN SKY	Incident Probable, held. Tension overseas remains high, with no credible threat to US soil.
WX-CON -- Stand-Down	Lowered: no severe weather today. A small chance of damaging gusts Wednesday evening in the lower Ohio and western Tennessee Valleys.
SWX-CON -- Stand-Down	Quiet; no storm is expected through Thursday.
COMCON 4 Increased Vigilance	19 weather radio transmitters are down or degraded across 12 states (table above); none is in a storm risk area.

RESOURCES

Emergency preparedness planning: fortunefavorstheprepared.com
Daily Threat Report (practitioner): fortunefavorstheprepared.com/dtr
National Hurricane Center: nhc.noaa.gov
Disaster assistance: disasterassistance.gov
Flood safety: weather.gov/safety/flood
NOAA Space Weather Center: swpc.noaa.gov
CDC Ebola updates: cdc.gov/ebola
American Red Cross disaster welfare: redcross.org

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Ready Trainer: fortunefavorstheprepared.com/product/sw-rt/
Both together (bundle): fortunefavorstheprepared.com/product/bn-rlrt/
New and free: Where to Start Being Prepared, our one-page beginner guide: fortunefavorstheprepared.com/pillars/
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