

Weekly Weather Update

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TOP STORY:

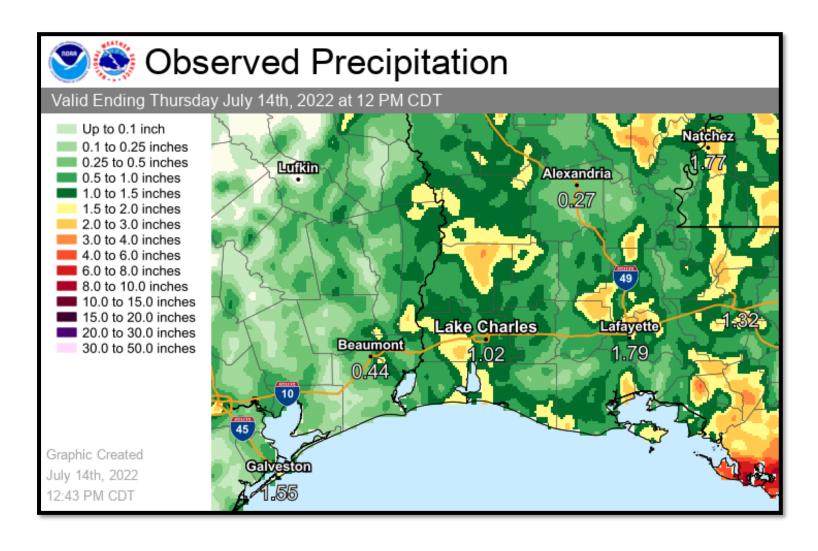
The best chance for convection will be tomorrow, with chances tapering down over the weekend. A very typical summertime pattern will continue through much of the period.

	Low Temperatures	High Temperatures	Chance For Rain	
Friday	72-75 F	89-93 F	25-65%	
Saturday	72-74 F	91-95 F	15-40%	
Sunday	73-75 F	91-95 F	15-45%	
Monday	75-77 F 75-77 F	90-94 F	25-55%	
Tuesday		91-95 F	15-35%	
Wednesday	76-78 F	92-98 F	15-30%	
Thursday	76-78 F	94-99 F	20-35%	
Normals This Time of Year	70-74 F	90-93 F	35%-50%	

Rainfall in the Past Week



A weak boundary which moved into the region this past weekend brought scattered showers and thunderstorms. Most locations saw around .50-1.50 inches of rain over the last week.

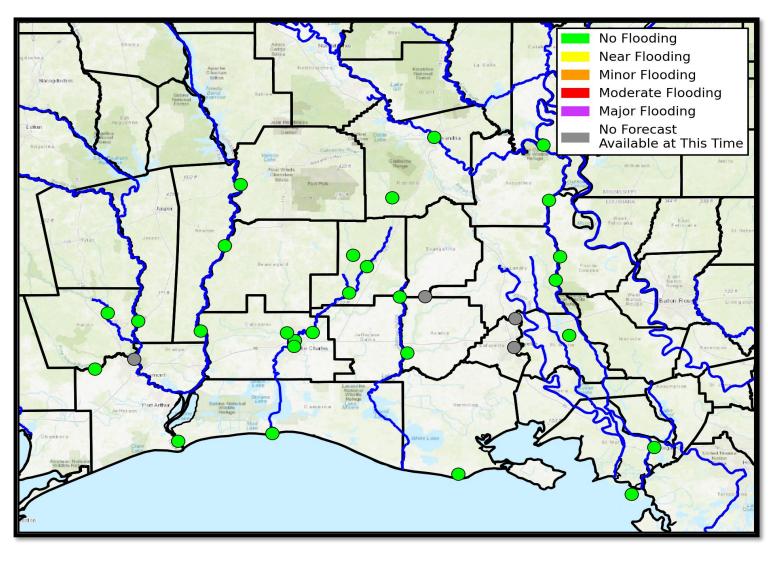




River Forecasts



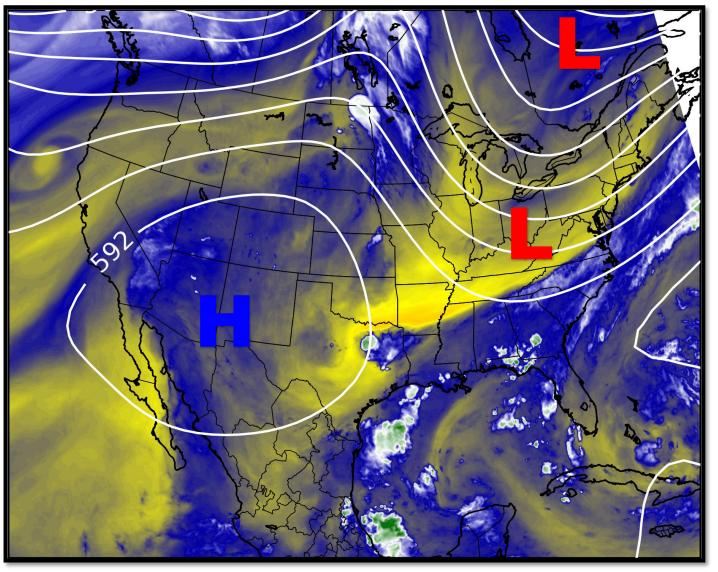
No flooding is ongoing or expected in any of our river basins over the next week.



Upper Level Steering Patterns



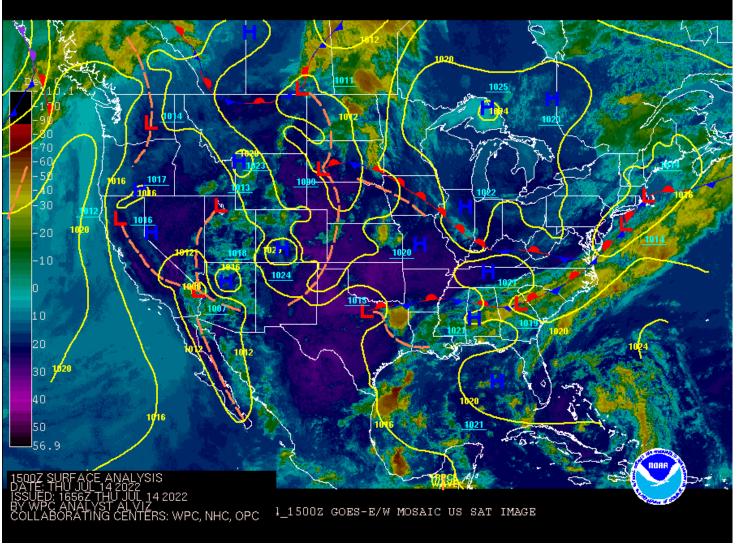
A large upper level high is located over the desert SW. A trough of low pressure is located over the Great Lakes/New England.



Surface Weather Map with Fronts



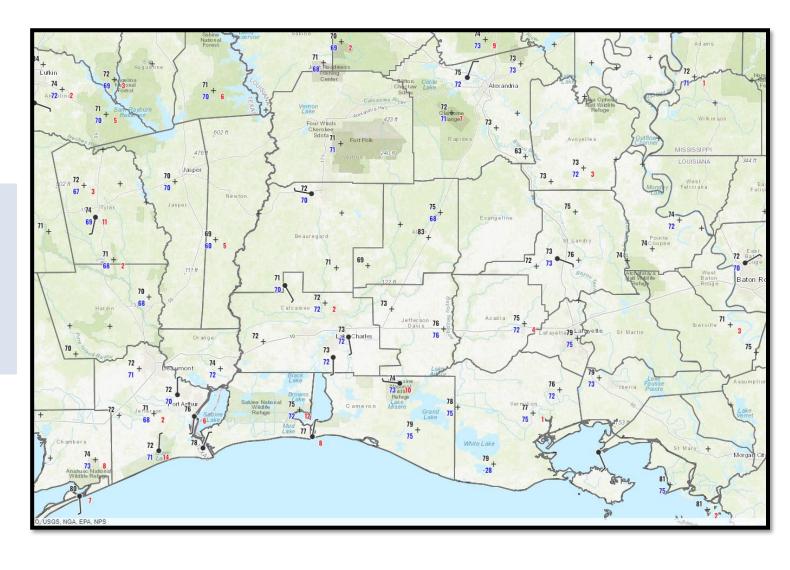
A stationary front is situated from the Ark-La-Tex to the New England Coast. Weak high pressure is over the Gulf of Mexico.



6 am Weather Observations



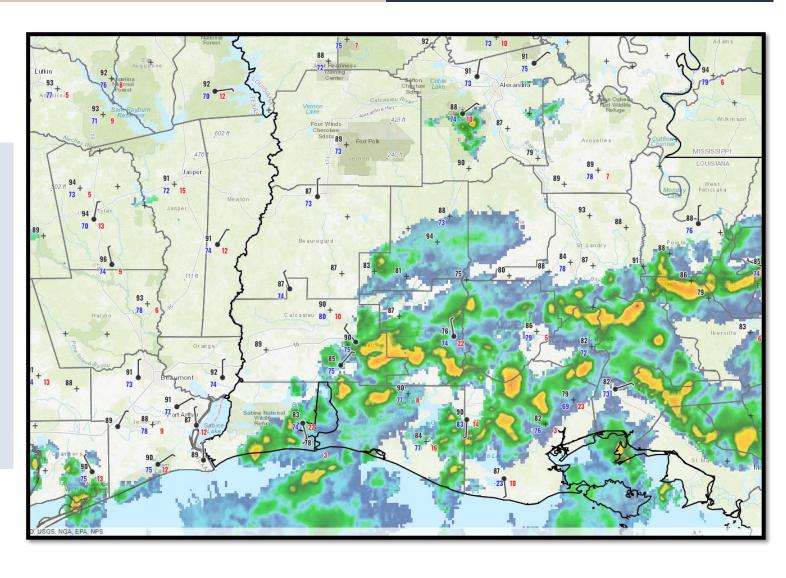
At 6AM temperatures were in the mid to upper 70s. Skies were partly cloudy and it was very humid.



2 pm Weather Observations



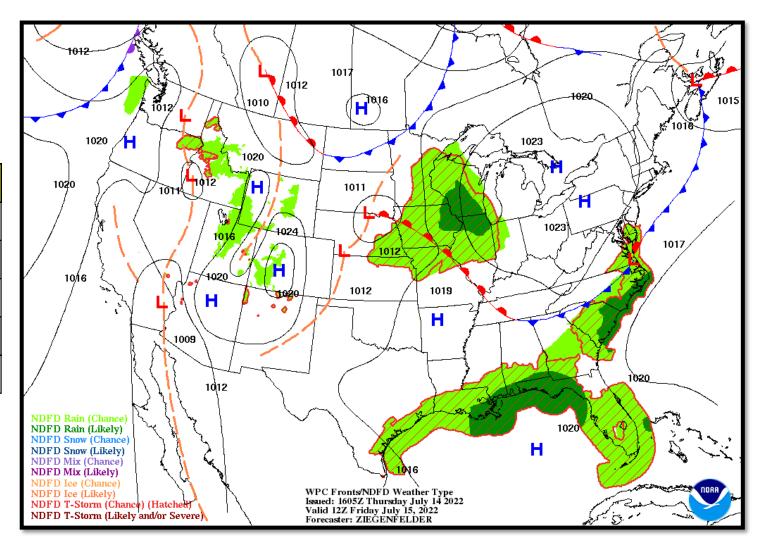
Scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorms are ongoing across the region. Cloud cover and convection is holding temperatures in the mid 80s to low 90s at most locations.



Friday, July 15, 2022



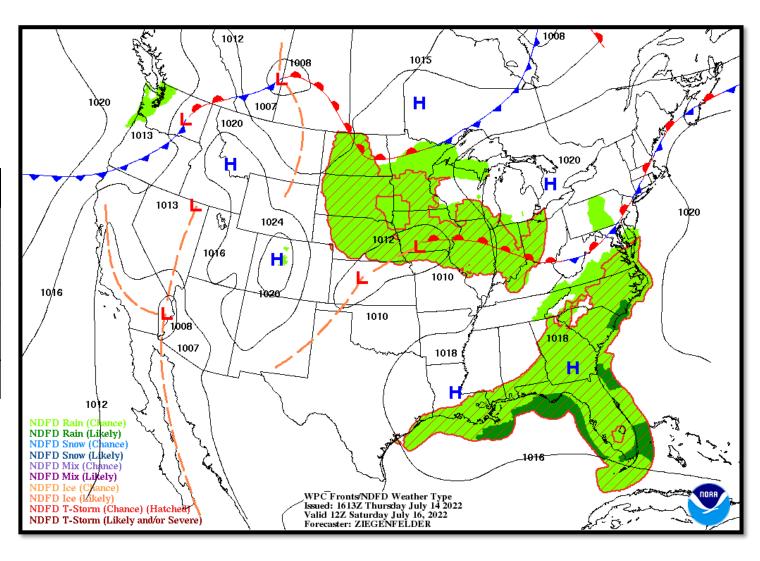
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	72-75 F		
High Temperature	89-93 F		
Wind	SE 5 mph		
Rain Chances	25-65%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Saturday, July 16, 2022



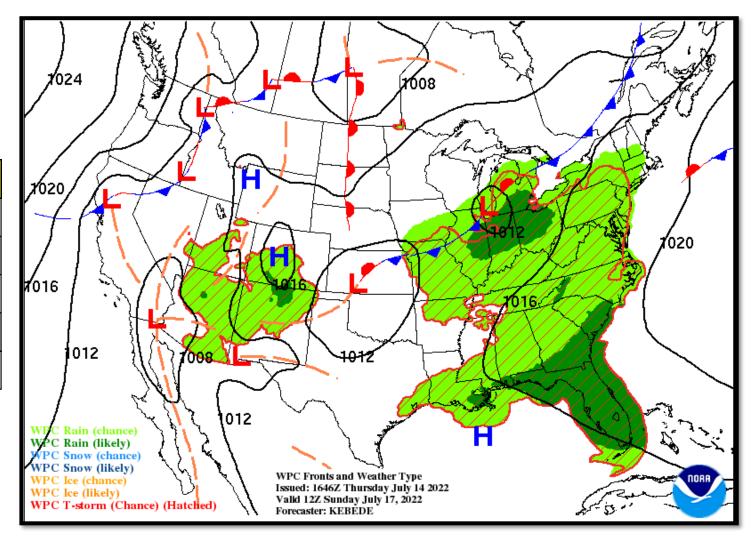
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	72-74 F		
High Temperature	91-95 F		
Wind	S 5 mph		
Rain Chances	15-40%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Sunday, July 17, 2022



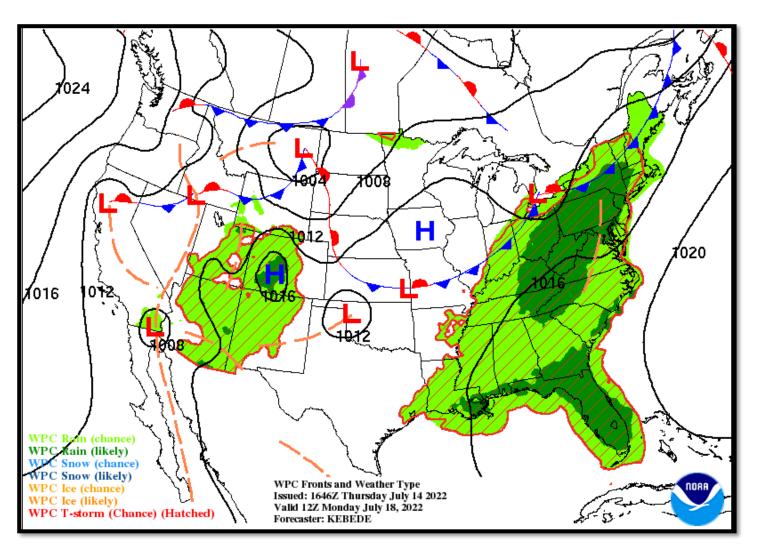
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	73-75 F		
High Temperature	91-95 F		
Wind	S 5 mph		
Rain Chances	15-45%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Monday, July 18, 2022



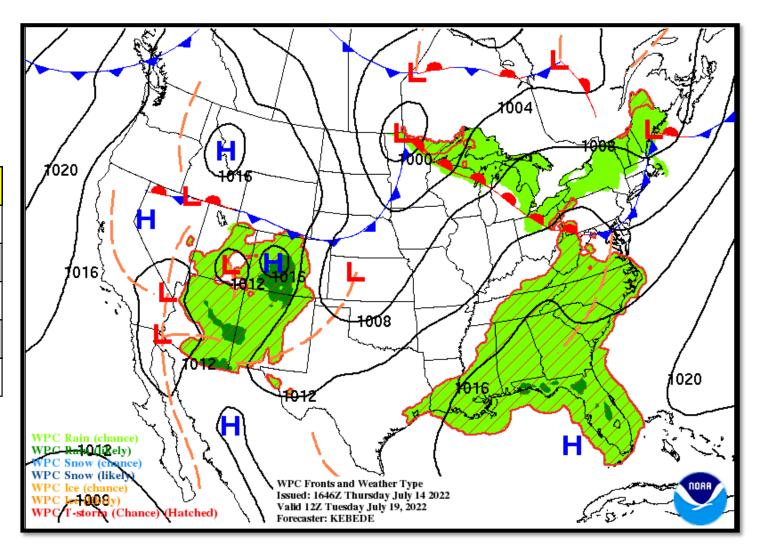
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	75-77 F		
High Temperature	90-94 F		
Wind	SSW 5-10 mph		
Rain Chances	25-55%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Tuesday, July 19, 2022



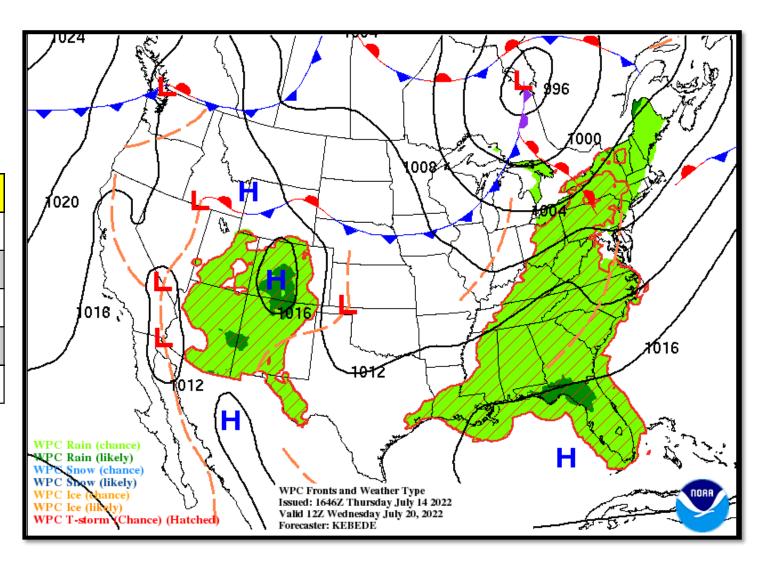
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	75-77 F		
High Temperature	91-95 F		
Wind	SSW 10 mph		
Rain Chances	15-35%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Wednesday, July 20, 2022



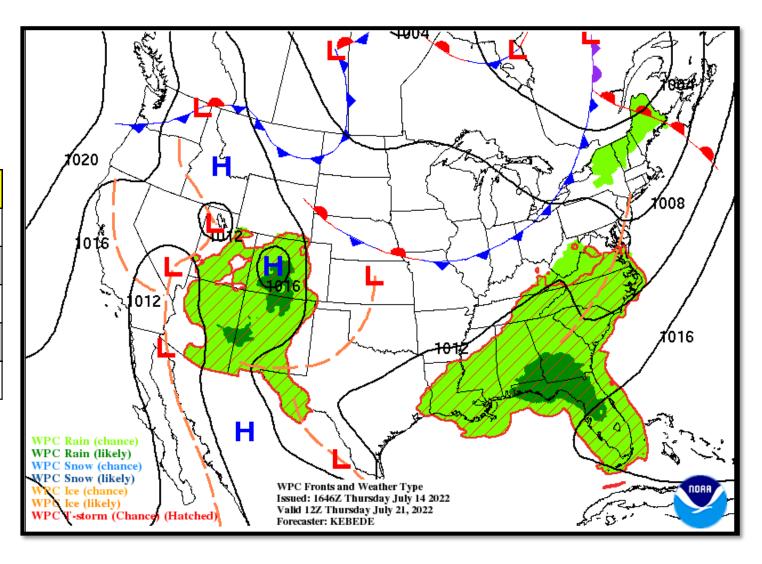
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	76-78 F		
High Temperature	92-98 F		
Wind	SW 10 mph		
Rain Chances	15-30%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Thursday, July 21, 2022



NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	76-78 F		
High Temperature	94-99 F		
Wind	SW 5-10 mph		
Rain Chances	20-35%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Weekly Weather Summary Table



Color Codes			
Except for Temperatures			

Yellow = Low Threat

Orange = Moderate Threat

Red = High Threat

Color Codes For Temperatures

Yellow=5 F above normal

Orange=10 F above normal

Red=15 F above normal

Vry Lt Blue=5 F below normal

Lt Blue=10 F below normal

Blue=15 F below normal

Weather	Friday 07/15/22	Saturday 07/16/22	Sunday 07/17/22	Monday 07/18/22	Tuesday 07/19/22	Wednesday 07/20/22	Thursday 07/21/22
Rain Total	0.10-0.50"	<0.10"	<0.10"	0.10-0.25"	<0.10"	<0.10"	<0.10"
T-Storm/ Lightning	Scattered	Isolated	Isolated	Scattered	Isolated	Isolated	Isolated
Tornado/Hail/ Dmg Wind	None						
Wind	SE 5 mph	S 5 mph	S 5 mph	SSW 5-10 mph	SSW 10 mph	SW 10 mph	SW 5-10 mph
Tides	Above Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Near Normal	Near Normal	Near Normal
Wave Height	Near: 1-2 ft Off: 2-3 ft	Near: 1-3 ft Off: 3-4 ft	Near: 1-3 ft Off: 3-4 ft				
Temperature	Low: 72-75 F	Low: 72-74 F	Low: 73-75 F	Low: 75-77 F	Low: 75-77 F	Low: 76-78 F	Low: 76-78 F
Normal Low: 70-74 F Normal High: 90-93 F	High: 89-93 F	High: 91-95 F	High: 91-95 F	High: 90-94 F	High: 91-95 F	High: 92-98 F	High: 94-99 F



Weekly Weather Summary



- An upper level ridging expanding eastward across the region will reduce rain chances over the weekend, while also increasing afternoon highs.
- Slightly better rain chances return on Monday, with a daily chance of showers and thunderstorms expected through the end of the period.
- Acadiana will see the highest chance of rain each day, while SETX will see the lowest.

