



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



September 2006

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TEXAS, North

TXZ091>095-100>107-115>123-129>135-141>148-156>162-174>175 Montague - Cooke - Grayson - Fannin - Lamar - Young - Jack - Wise - Denton - Collin - Hunt - Delta - Hopkins - Stephens - Palo Pinto - Parker - Tarrant - Dallas - Rockwall - Kaufman - Van Zandt - Rains - Eastland - Erath - Hood - Somervell - Johnson - Ellis - Henderson - Comanche - Mills - Hamilton - Bosque - Hill - Navarro - Freestone - Anderson - Lampasas - Coryell - Bell - McLennan - Falls - Limestone - Leon - Milam - Robertson

01 0000CST 0 0 80M Drought
30 2359CST

Drought conditions this month have improved as a whole across Texas, but north Texas remained in the extreme and exceptional categories (D3 and D4) according to the U.S. Drought Monitor. Despite several rainfall events this month, water deficits continued to be quite high. It will take several more months of normal to above normal precipitation to make up for the lost rainfall incurred over the last 18 months. Most lakes and reservoirs in north Texas continued to be below conservation pool, with several more than 5 feet below. Water restrictions remained in effect in almost every community. High summertime water usage combined with higher evaporation rates during the summertime months continued to deplete water resources, even as above normal precipitation was recorded for the month of September at Dallas/Fort Worth. Disaster declarations remained in place for Comanche, Collin, Hood, and Parker Counties.

Crops continued to suffer during September. Cotton was especially hard hit, suffering over a billion dollars in losses for the year statewide. Other crops, such as soybeans, corn, and sorghum were also decimated. Hay continued to cost more than twice its usual cost...as pastures did not offer enough sustenance for cattle. The selling of cattle continued as ranchers could not afford to feed them. In fact, the cattle stock has dwindled so much that repercussions may be felt for several years.

Even though rains this month increased the moisture available to vegetation, which helped to lower the fire threat, frequent cold fronts brought dry air and gusty north winds. These two factors greatly increased the wildfire potential, and burn bans remained in place for almost every north Texas county.

Dallas County

Coppell

11 1340CST 0 0 60K Lightning

Lightning struck a house on the 300 block of Still Forest. The lightning destroyed all the wiring in the house, also damaging the roof, insulation, sheetrock, and carpet. The Fire Marshall estimated damages at \$60,000.

Dallas County

Lancaster to Seagoville

11 1505CST 0 0 200K Thunderstorm Wind (ES78)
1520CST

Four mobile homes and two homes under construction were damaged one mile west of Seagoville. In addition, trees were uprooted and power lines downed throughout the county. Damage was reported along the North Central Expressway in northeast Dallas; in an area encompassed by Interstate 35 East to the north, Loop 12 to the west, and Interstate 30 to the south. Similar damage was also reported in the southern part of the county. Power was knocked out to about 4,500 customers.

Hunt County

Wolfe City

11 1825CST 0 0 Flood
2025CST

Minor flooding occurred on secondary roads in the northern part of the county.

Tarrant County

Keller

11 1830CST 0 0 Flood
2030CST

Minor street flooding was reported in Keller.



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TEXAS, North

Dallas County

Coppell

11 1840CST **0 0 5K** **Lightning**
 Lightning struck near a residential pool on the 400 block of Chelsea Bay. Firefighters found smoking breakers and the pool equipment inoperable.

Collin County

Frisco

17 0430CST **0 0 5K** **Thunderstorm Wind (ES50)**
 Trees and power lines down on Main Street in town.

Bosque County

Countywide

17 1544CST **0 0** **Flood**
1700CST
 Runoff from earlier showers and thunderstorms flooded roads and ditches.

Kaufman County

Terrell

17 1619CST **0 0** **Flood**
1800CST
 Runoff from earlier showers and thunderstorms flooded roads and ditches.

Fannin County

Randolph

17 1634CST **0 0** **Flood**
1800CST
 Water over highways 121 and 11 was reported. Roads were passable.

Milam County

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17 2200CST **0 0 100K** **Lightning**
 Lightning struck a tree, bounced off of a propane tank and struck a house on Highway 77. The kitchen, hallway, and attic suffered the most damage from the fire. The house was considered a total loss.