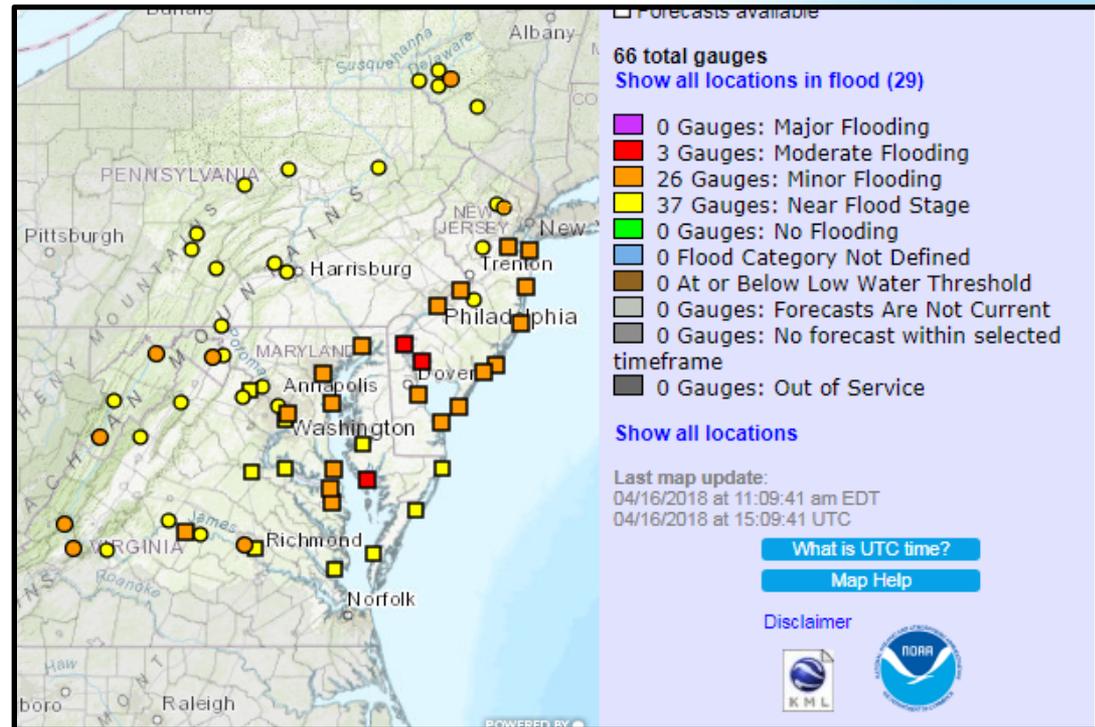


# Minor – Moderate Flooding

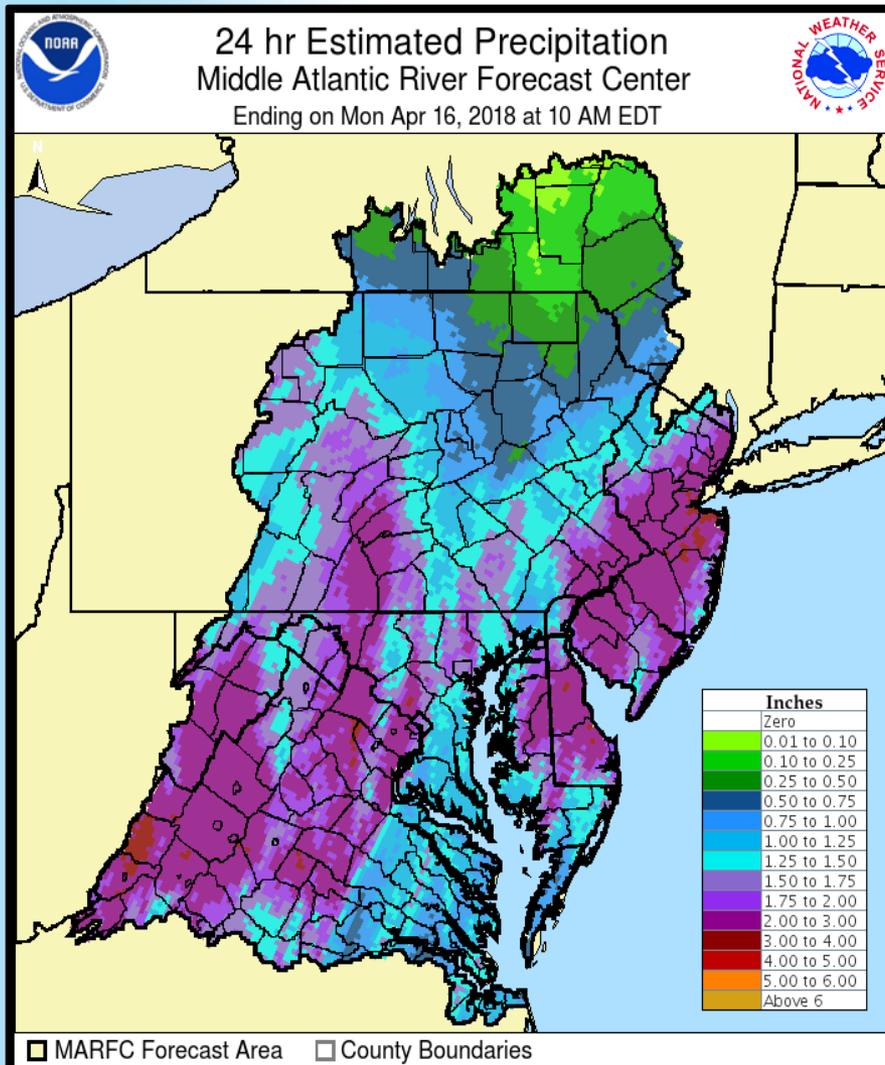
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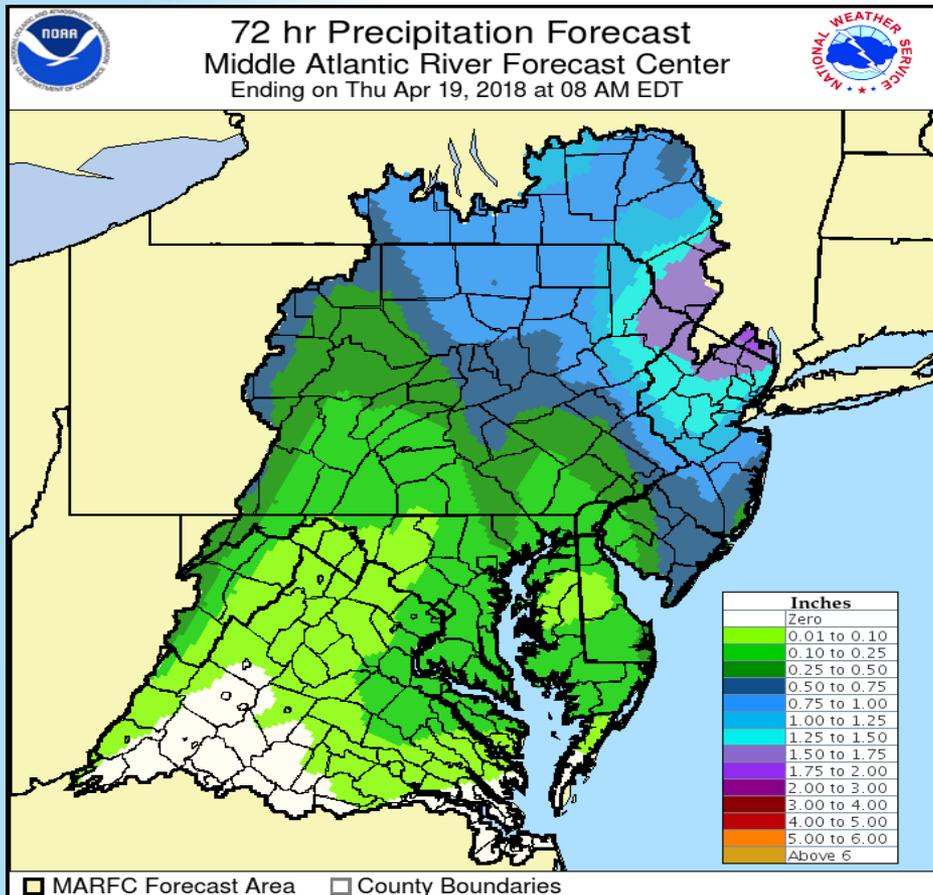
<b>HAZARD:</b>	<b>River Flooding</b>
<b>IMPACTS:</b>	Some moderate flooding is occurring in West Virginia Minor flooding is forecast for a number of other locations
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Moderate flooding began overnight at Franklin on the South Branch of the Potomac. It has crested and is now below moderate. Minor flooding is forecast in the James, Potomac, and Passaic basins
<b>TIMING:</b>	Flooding began overnight. It will continue thru Wednesday with crests likely on Tuesday
<b>NOTES:</b>	Urban and small stream flooding is also occurring in many areas. Coastal and tidal regions are also experiencing flooding as well

# Observed Precipitation



- ✓ Over 3 inches of rain fell along the Appalachians in Virginia and West Virginia
- ✓ Rain is continuing this morning with the heaviest amounts across New Jersey

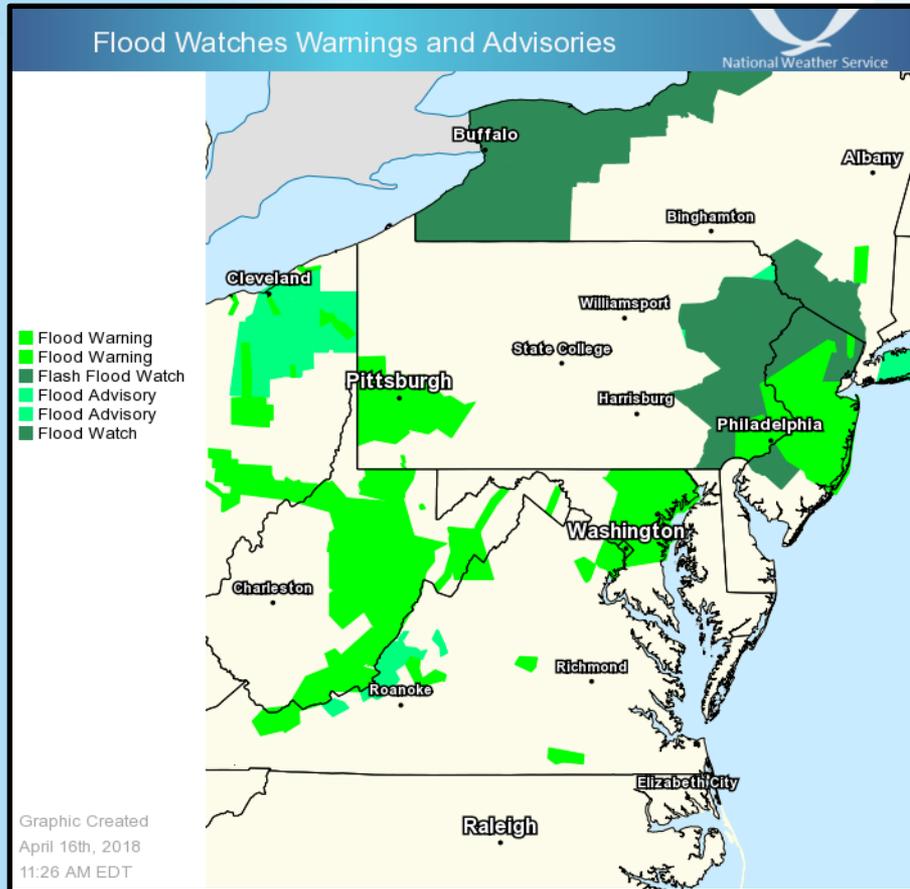
# Forecast Precipitation



- ✓ Heaviest rain will be out of the area
- ✓ Light rainfall may continue in some areas over the next day or so

MARFC Precipitation Forecasts: [https://www.weather.gov/marfc/Precipitation\\_Forecasts](https://www.weather.gov/marfc/Precipitation_Forecasts)

# Flood Statements



## Minor Flooding Forecasts

- ✓ James River – Buchanan VA
  - ✓ James River – Bremo Bluff VA
  - ✓ James River – Lick Run VA
  - ✓ James River – Richmond VA
  - ✓ Opequon Creek – Martinsburg VA
  - ✓ S Br Potomac – Franklin WV
  - ✓ S Br Potomac – Springfield WV
  - ✓ Potomac River – Washington DC
  - ✓ Potomac River – Alexandria VA
  - ✓ Passaic River – Pine Brook NJ
  - ✓ Saddle River – Lodi NJ
- ✓ Also many coastal areas are also seeing flooding from this event

Latest Forecasts: <http://water.weather.gov>

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