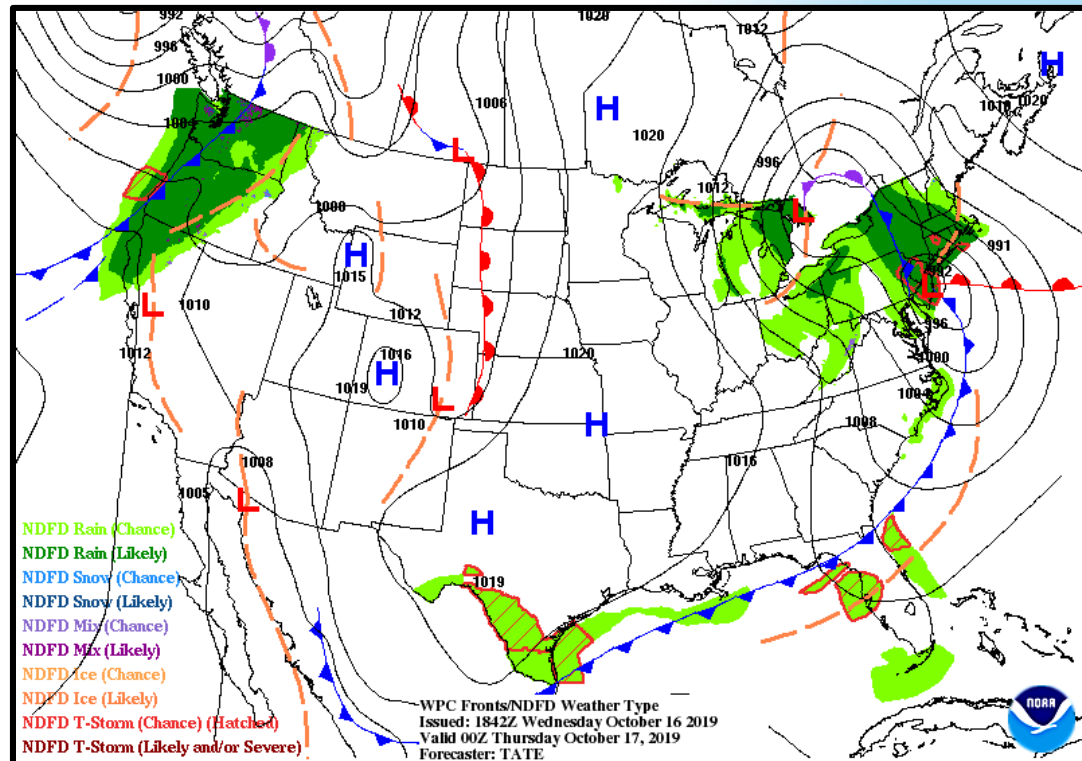


Coastal Storm to Bring Wind and Rain Tonight into Thursday

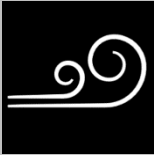



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What Has Changed?

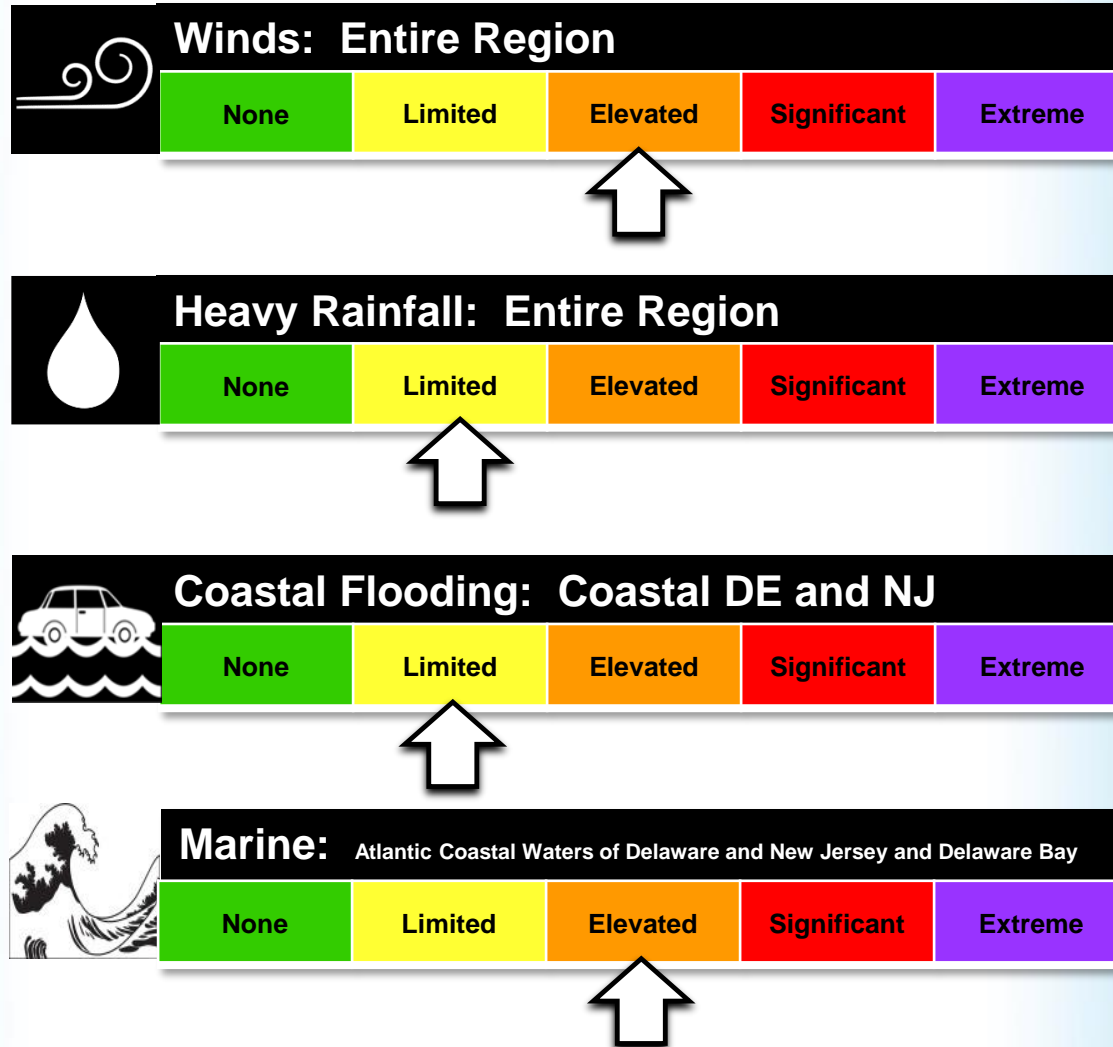
- ✓ Rainfall totals increased slightly
- ✓ Wind Advisory expanded inland



Main Points

Hazard	Impacts	Location	Timing
Strong Winds 	<p>Strong wind gusts up to 45 mph, with gusts to 50 mph along the immediate coast expected tonight and Thursday behind the storm.</p>	<p>Coastal New Jersey and Southern Delaware</p>	<p>Tonight into Thursday afternoon</p>
Heavy Rainfall 	<p>Moderate to locally heavy rainfall of 1.5-3 inches is expected. This may lead to minor localized flooding, especially in poor drainage areas.</p>	<p>Northern/Central New Jersey and across the Southern Poconos</p>	<p>Through tonight</p>
Coastal Flooding 	<p>Spotty minor flooding is possible with onshore flow</p>	<p>Tidal areas of Delaware and New Jersey</p>	<p>Around the times of high tide this morning and this evening</p>
Marine 	<p>Gale Force winds of 40 to 45 knots are expected</p>	<p>Atlantic Coastal Waters of Delaware and New Jersey, and Lower Delaware Bay</p>	<p>Tonight through Thursday night</p>

Summary of Greatest Impacts

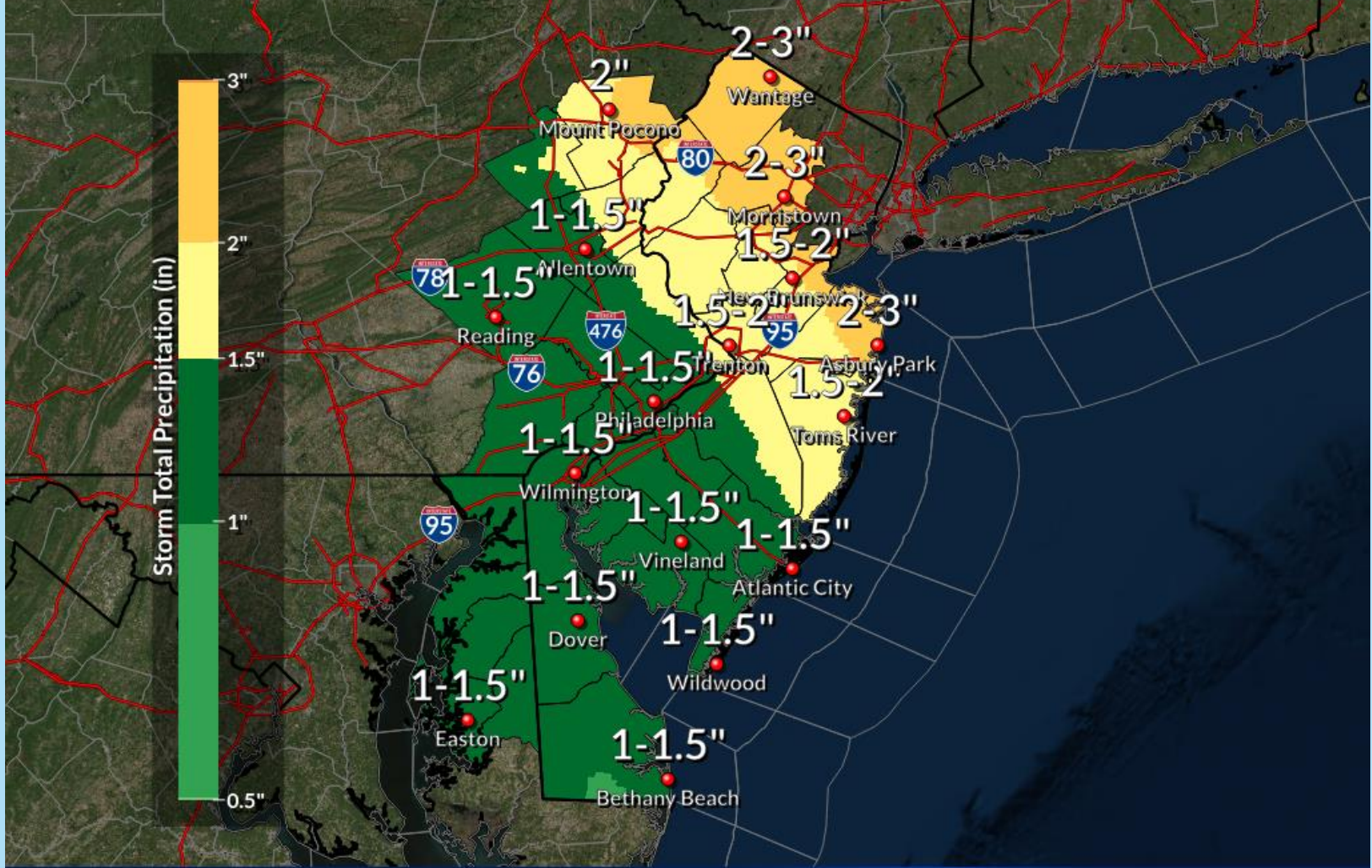


Storm Total Rainfall

Today Through Tonight

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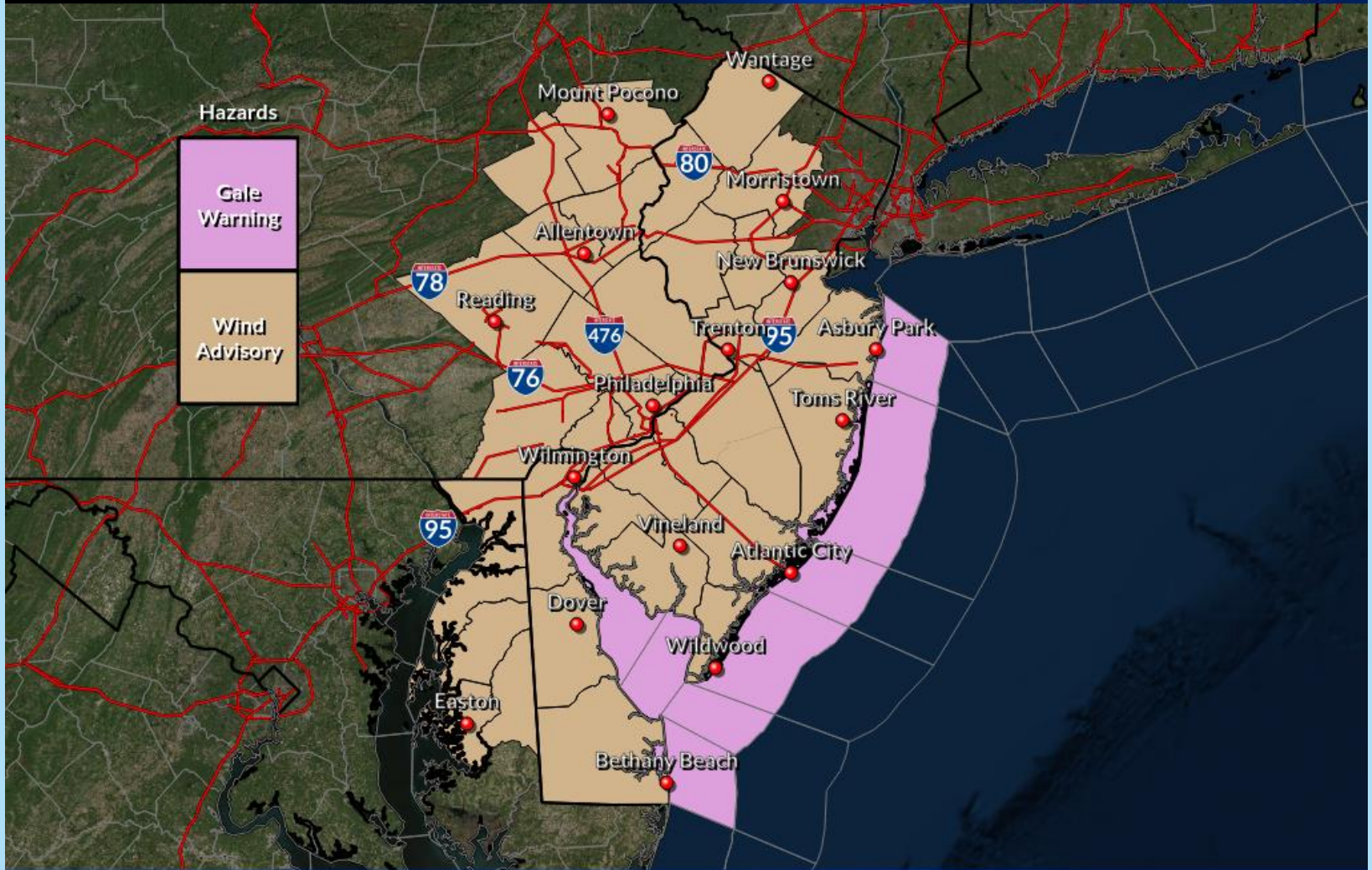
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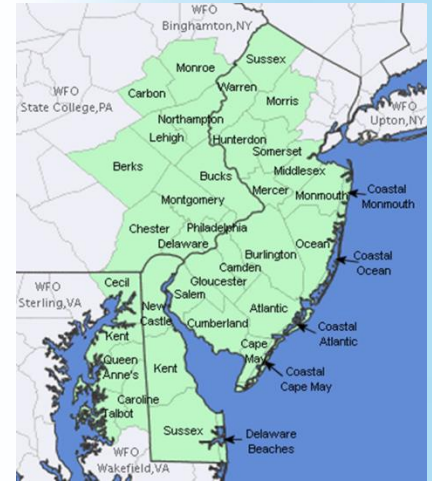
- ✓ **Strong wind** gusts are expected tonight and Thursday as the coastal low deepens and moves to our northeast. Secure outdoor items including lawn furniture. Wind Advisory is now in effect for the entire region.
- ✓ **Heavy rainfall** of 1.5-2 inches is expected with this system, with locally higher amounts to 3 inches possible. This may result in localized flooding, especially in poor drainage areas. Fallen leaves may lead to slick roads and reduce storm drain capacity.
- ✓ Spotty, minor coastal flooding is possible with the high tide this evening.
- ✓ Gale force winds of 40 to 45 knots are expected on the Atlantic coastal waters of New Jersey and Delaware, and on the Delaware Bay tonight into Thursday night.

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