



NWS Seattle Weather Briefing

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What's Changed?

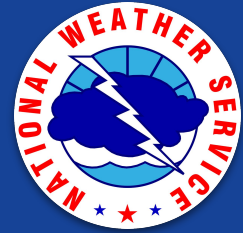
Changes Since the Last Briefing

- **Increased confidence in the peak of the heat event occurring Sunday-Monday, then gradually decreasing beginning Tuesday.**



Key Points

- **Significantly warmer temperatures across the region over the weekend into early next week - warmest days Sunday and Monday.**
 - There is a very high 90-100% chance of widespread Moderate (orange) HeatRisk across much of western Washington Saturday through Monday.
 - Favored areas such as urban heat islands and mountain valleys will flirt with Major (red) HeatRisk (20-40% probability)
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Weather Risk Outlook

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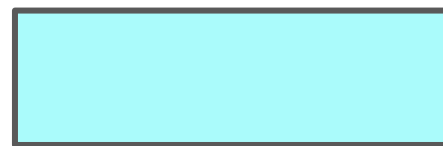
	Saturday, Jun 13	Sunday, Jun 14	Monday, Jun 15	Tuesday, Jun 16	Wednesday, Jun 17	Thursday, Jun 18	Friday, Jun 19
Mountains <i>Cascades & Olympics above 1500 feet</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Little to None	Little to None	Little to None	Little to None
Cascade Foothills & Valleys <i>Including Darrington, Sultan, North Bend, Enumclaw, Eatonville</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat
San Juans & W Whatcom County <i>Including Bellingham, Sumas, and the San Juans</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat
Strait to Western Skagit County <i>Including Port Angeles, Port Townsend, Whidbey Island, Camano Island, and Mt. Vernon</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat
Greater Seattle Metro Area <i>Including, Seattle, Everett, Tacoma, Bellevue, Bremerton</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat
Chehalis Valley & South Sound <i>Including Olympia, Shelton, Chehalis, Elma</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat
Hood Canal <i>Including Hoodspert, Quilcene, Belfair</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat	Heat
Pacific Coast <i>Including Neah Bay, Forks, Taholah, and Grays Harbor</i>	Heat	Heat	Heat	Little to None	Little to None	Little to None	Little to None

Risk Levels	Little to None	Minor	Moderate	Major	Extreme
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Weather Risk Outlook Area Key

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Cascades & Olympics above 1500 feet



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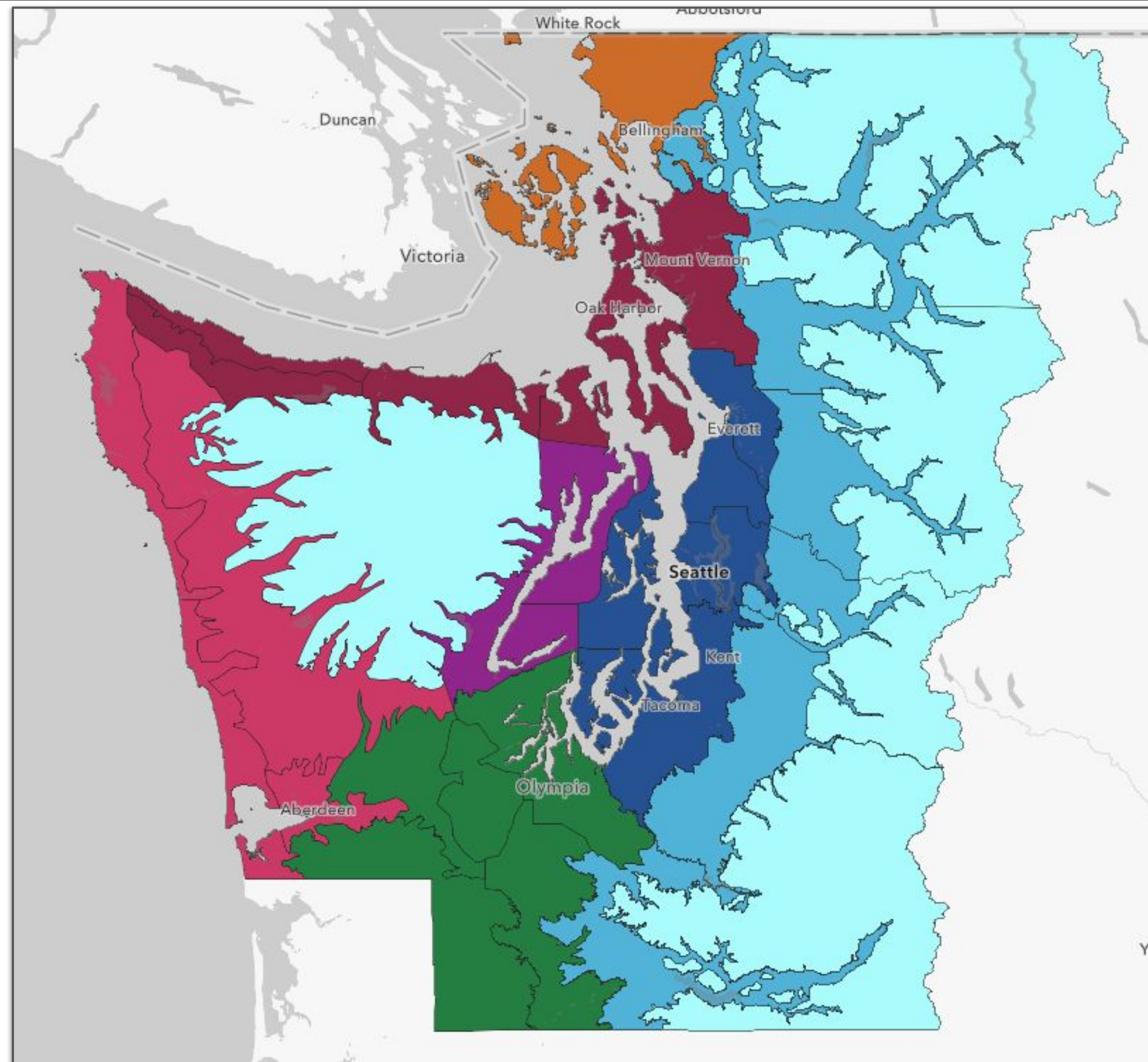
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San Juans & Western Whatcom County

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SATURDAY



Saturday: HeatRisk & Highs

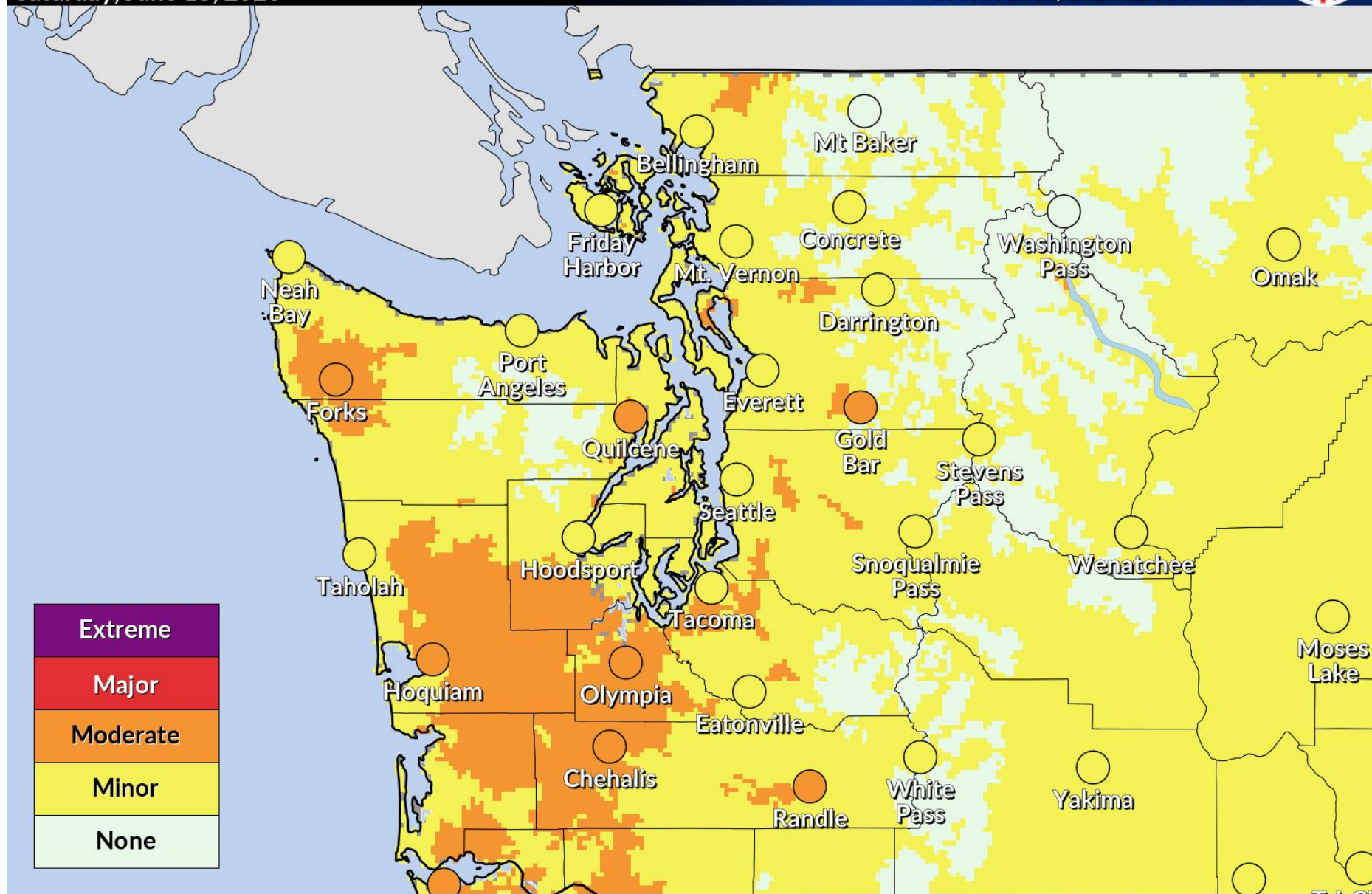
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NOAA/NWS HeatRisk

Saturday, June 13, 2026

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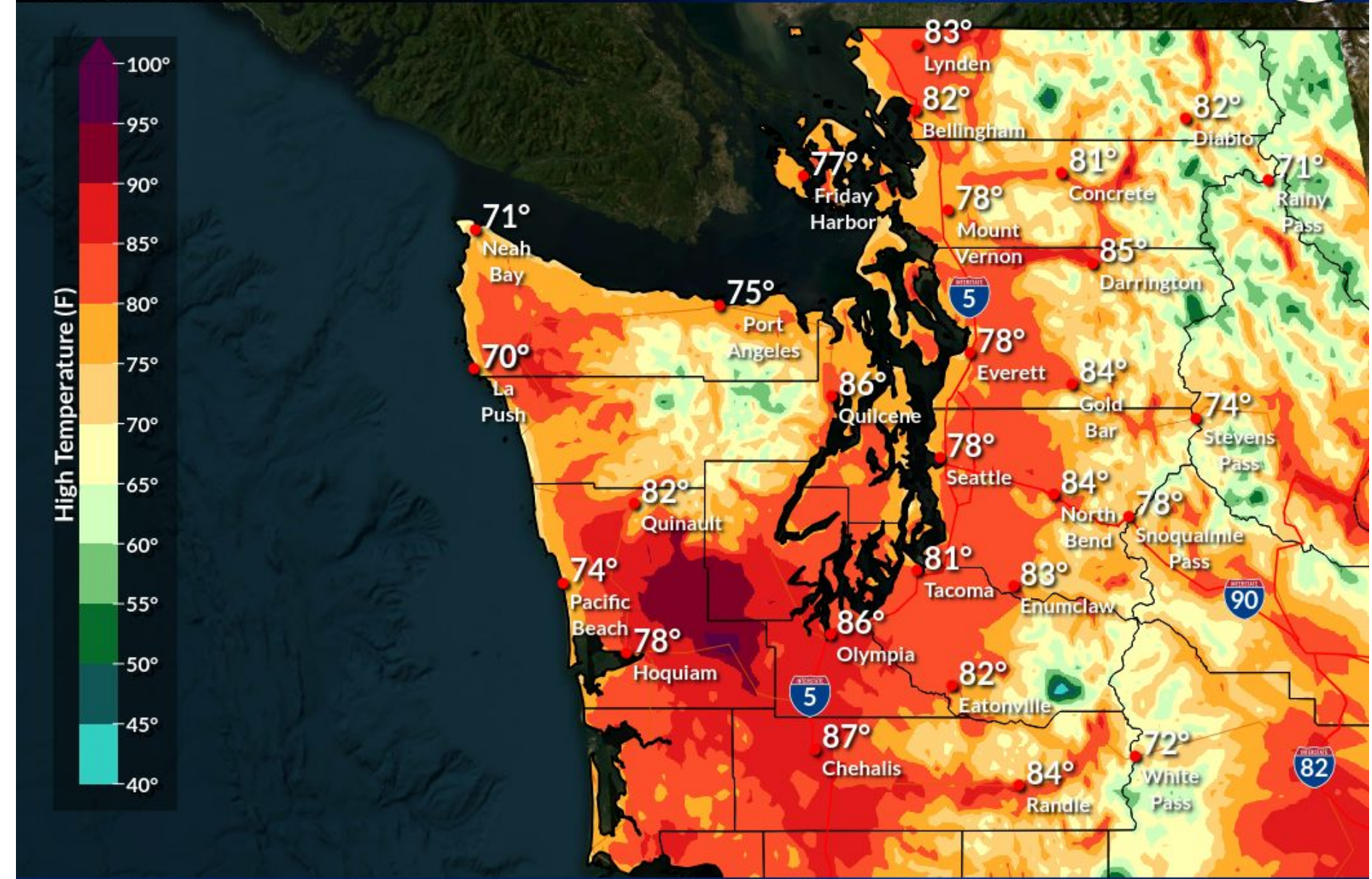
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Official Forecast: Highs Saturday, June 13

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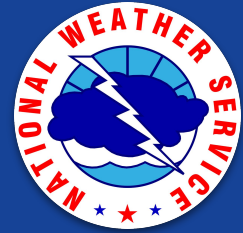
HeatRisk will begin to increase on Saturday for portions of the southwest interior as temperatures warm into the 80s.

The National Weather Service (NWS) HeatRisk forecast provides a color and numeric value that places forecast for a location into a level of heat concern.

[Latest Forecast & More Information](#)



SUNDAY - MONDAY



Sunday & Monday: HeatRisk

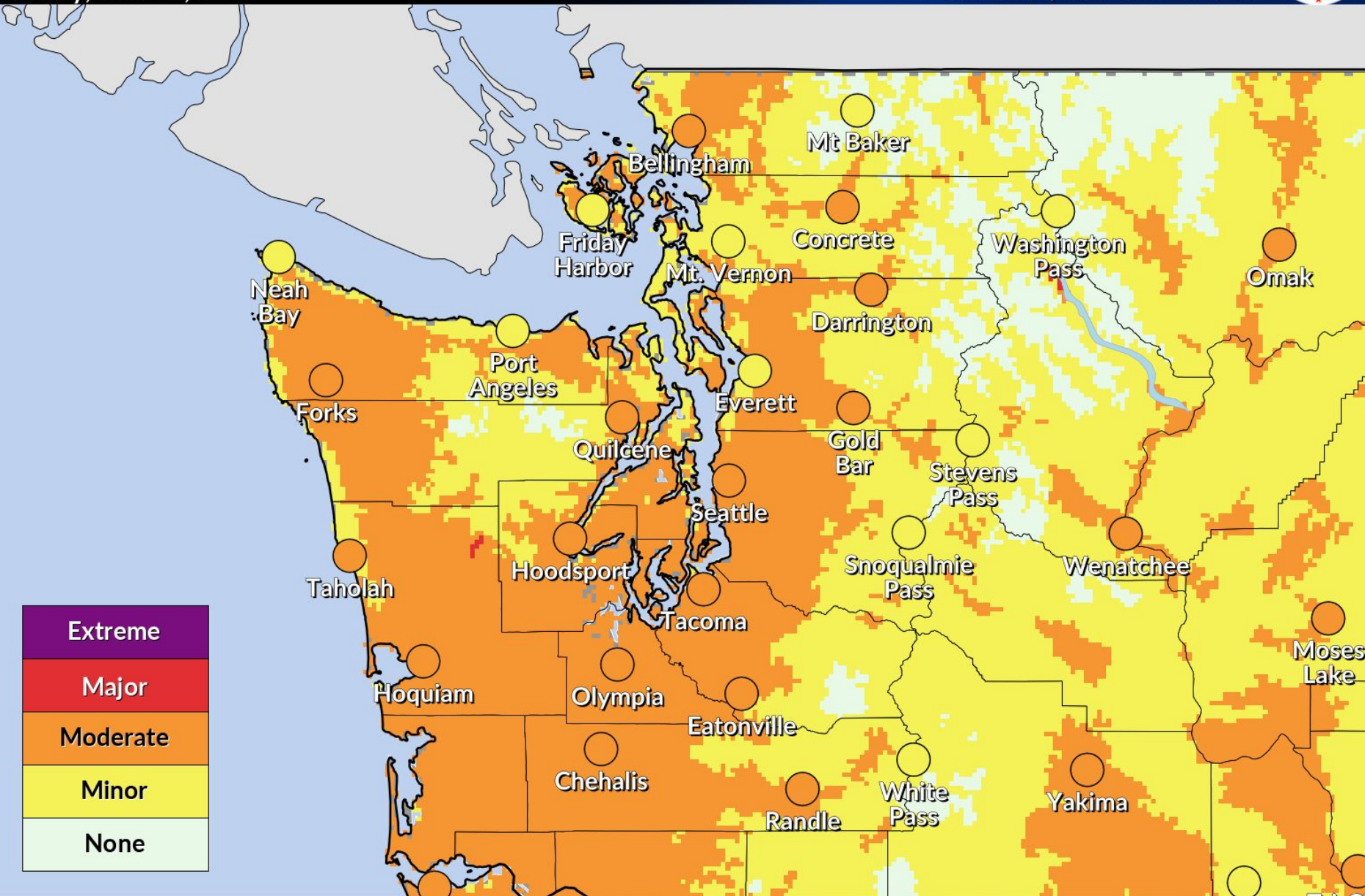
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NOAA/NWS HeatRisk

Sunday, June 14, 2026

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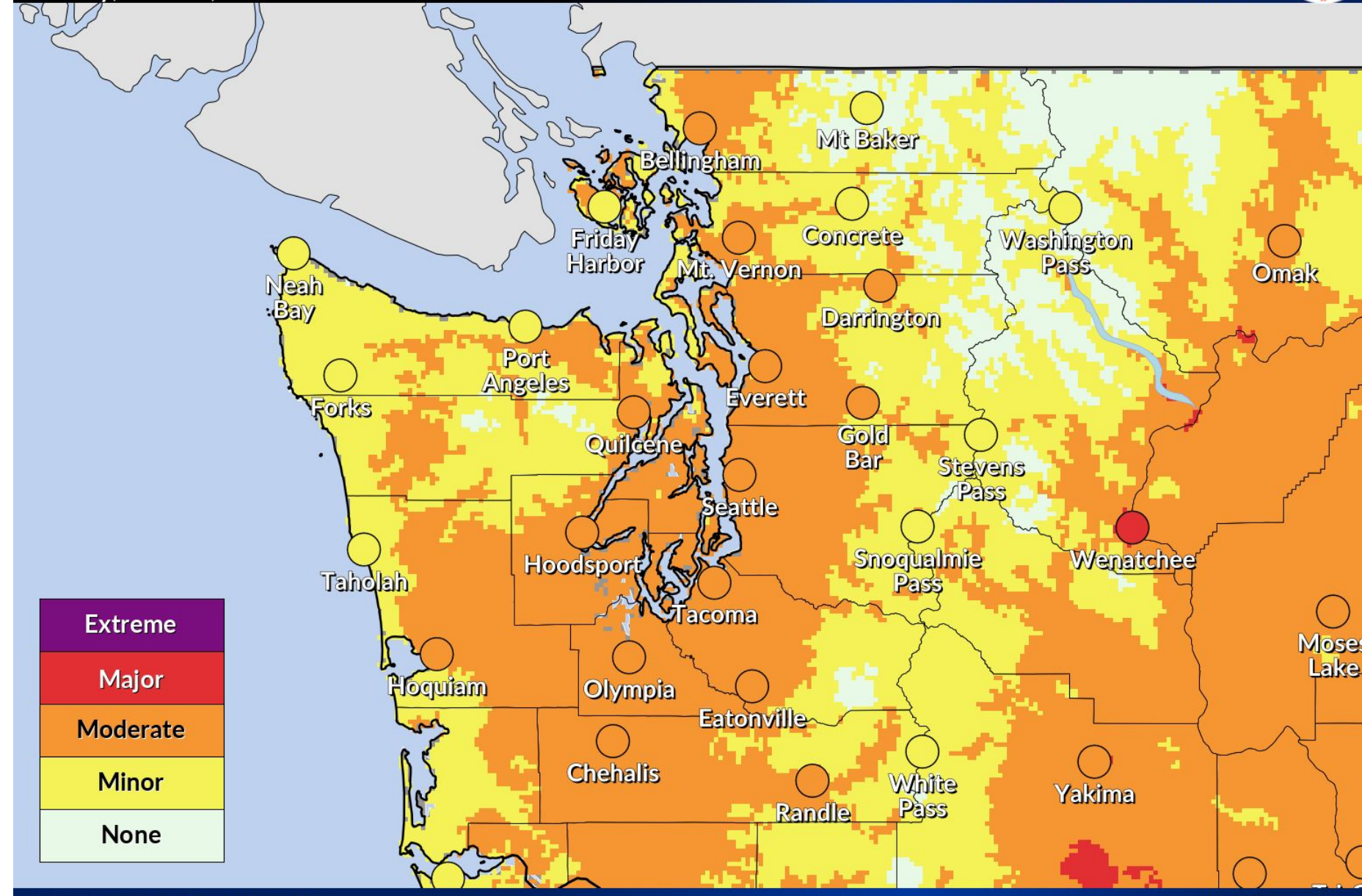
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NOAA/NWS HeatRisk

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HeatRisk is expected to peak across western Washington Sunday and Monday. Widespread Moderate (orange) HeatRisk is expected with isolated favored areas (e.g. urban heat islands) flirting with Major (red) HeatRisk. Increasing west winds will bring heat levels down on Tuesday and beyond.

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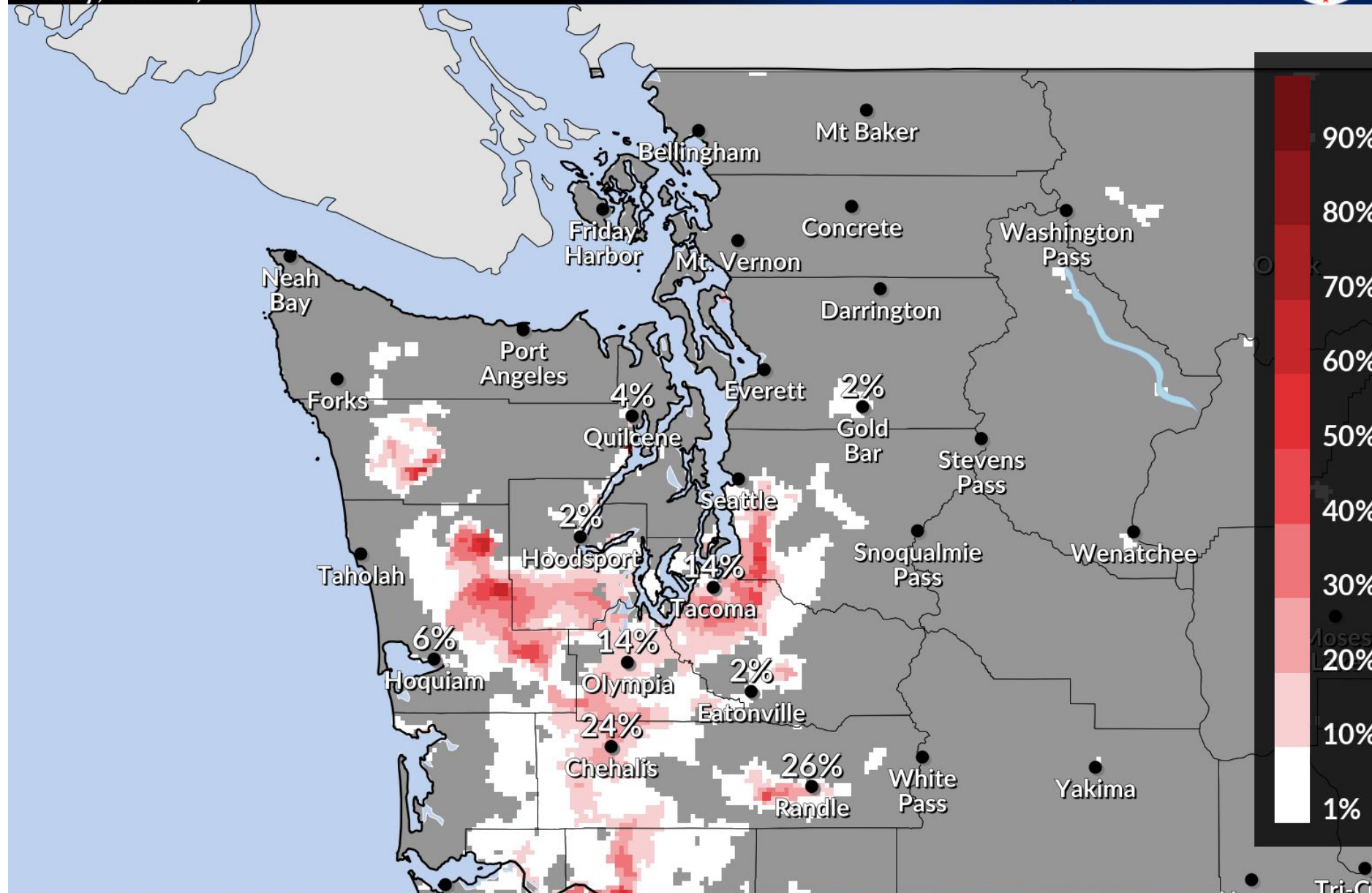
Sunday & Monday: Probability of **Major** HeatRisk

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Probability of Major or Higher HeatRisk

Sunday, June 14, 2026

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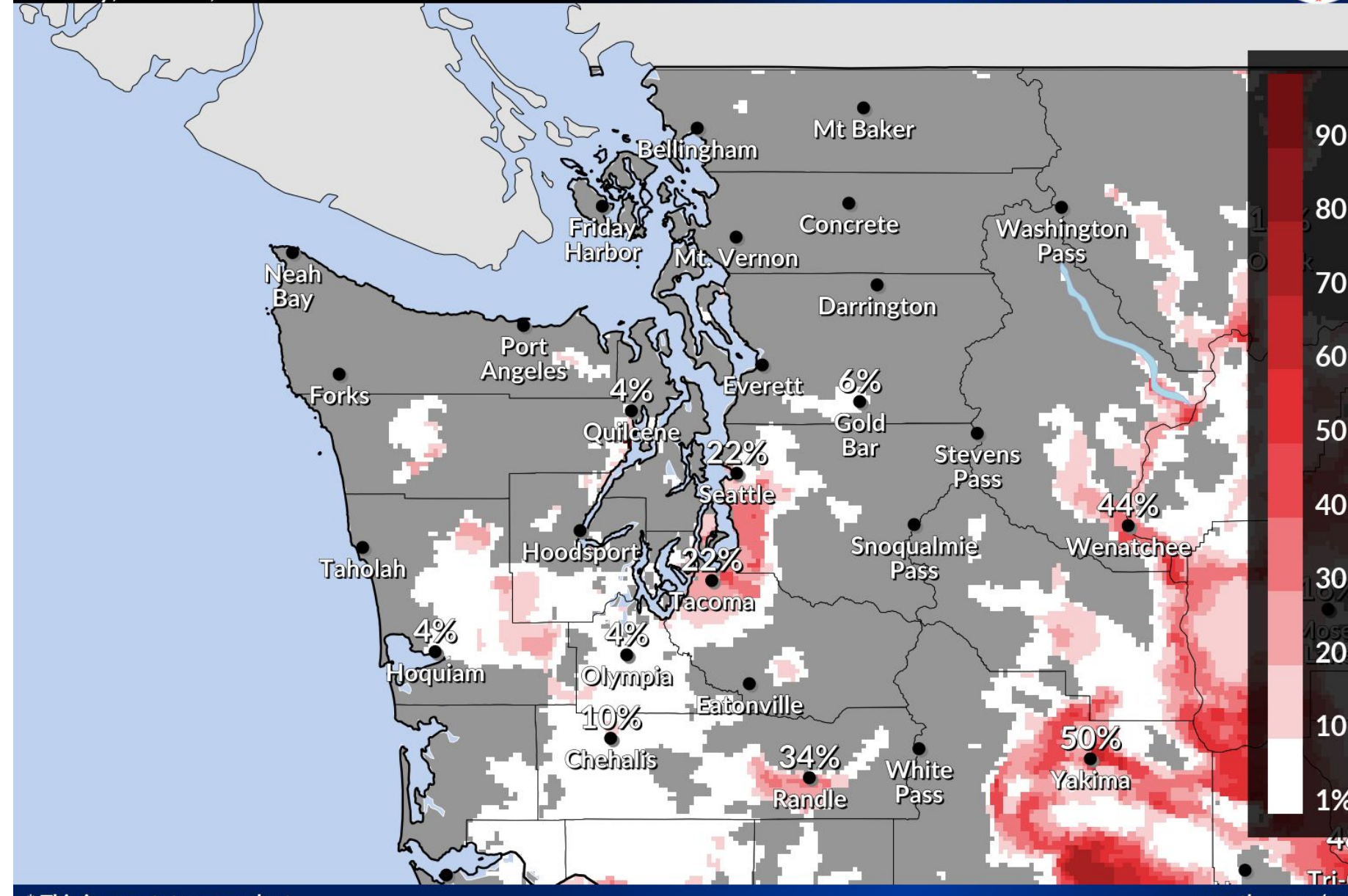
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Probability of Major or Higher HeatRisk

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The probability of Major (red) HeatRisk will peak Sunday (across SW WA) and Monday (in the central/southern Puget Sound) across western Washington. Increasing west winds will keep probabilities for Major (red) HeatRisk very low (less than 10%) on Tuesday.

The National Weather Service (NWS) prototype probabilistic HeatRisk forecast provides a color and percentage to identify the probability for a specific location to be in a specific level of HeatRisk. Probabilistic HeatRisk provides a broader understanding of the range of potential outcomes when it comes to heat-related impacts.

[Probabilistic HeatRisk: Latest Forecast & More Information](#)



Sunday & Monday: High Temperatures

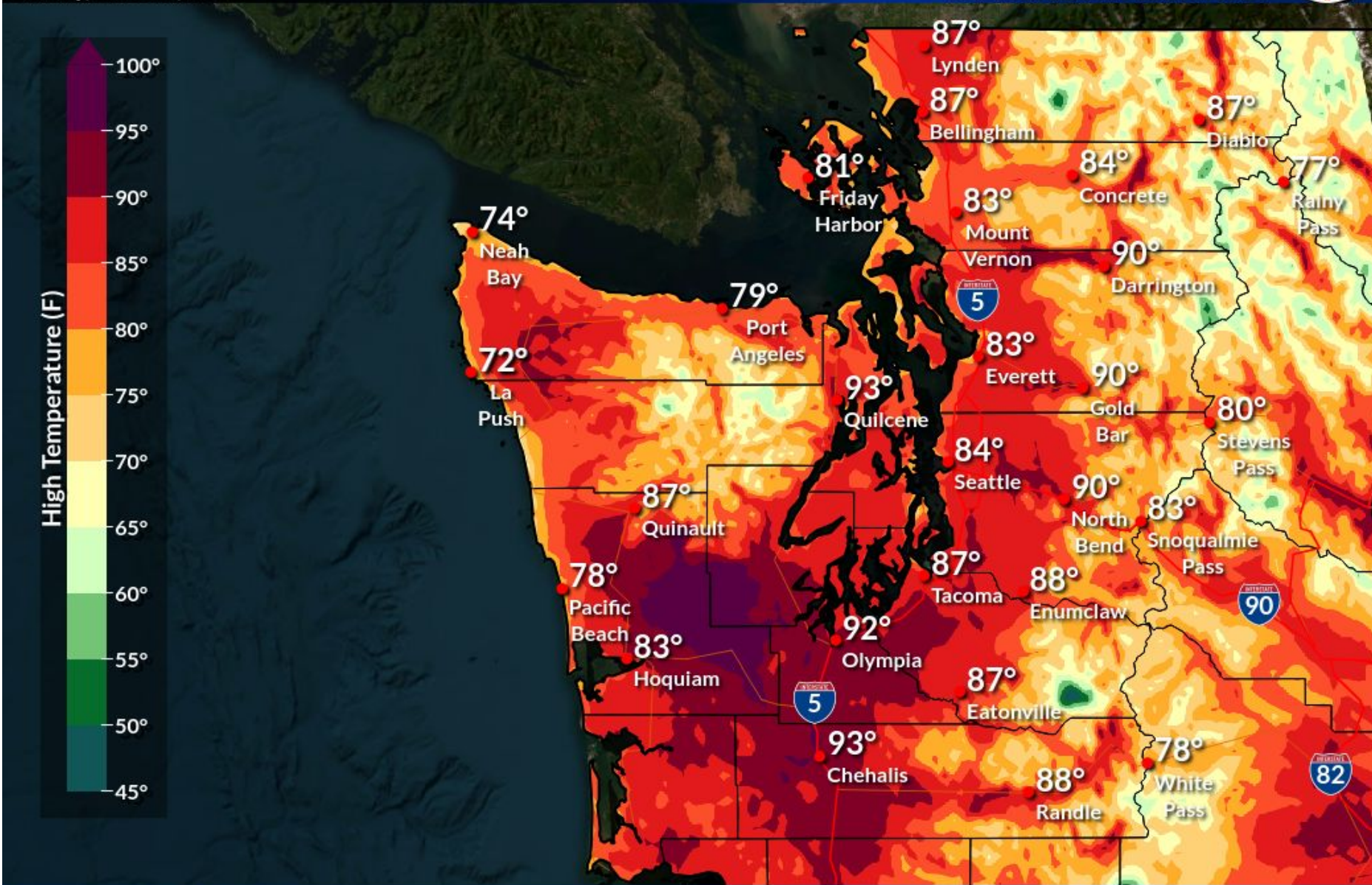
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Official Forecast: Highs Sunday, June 14

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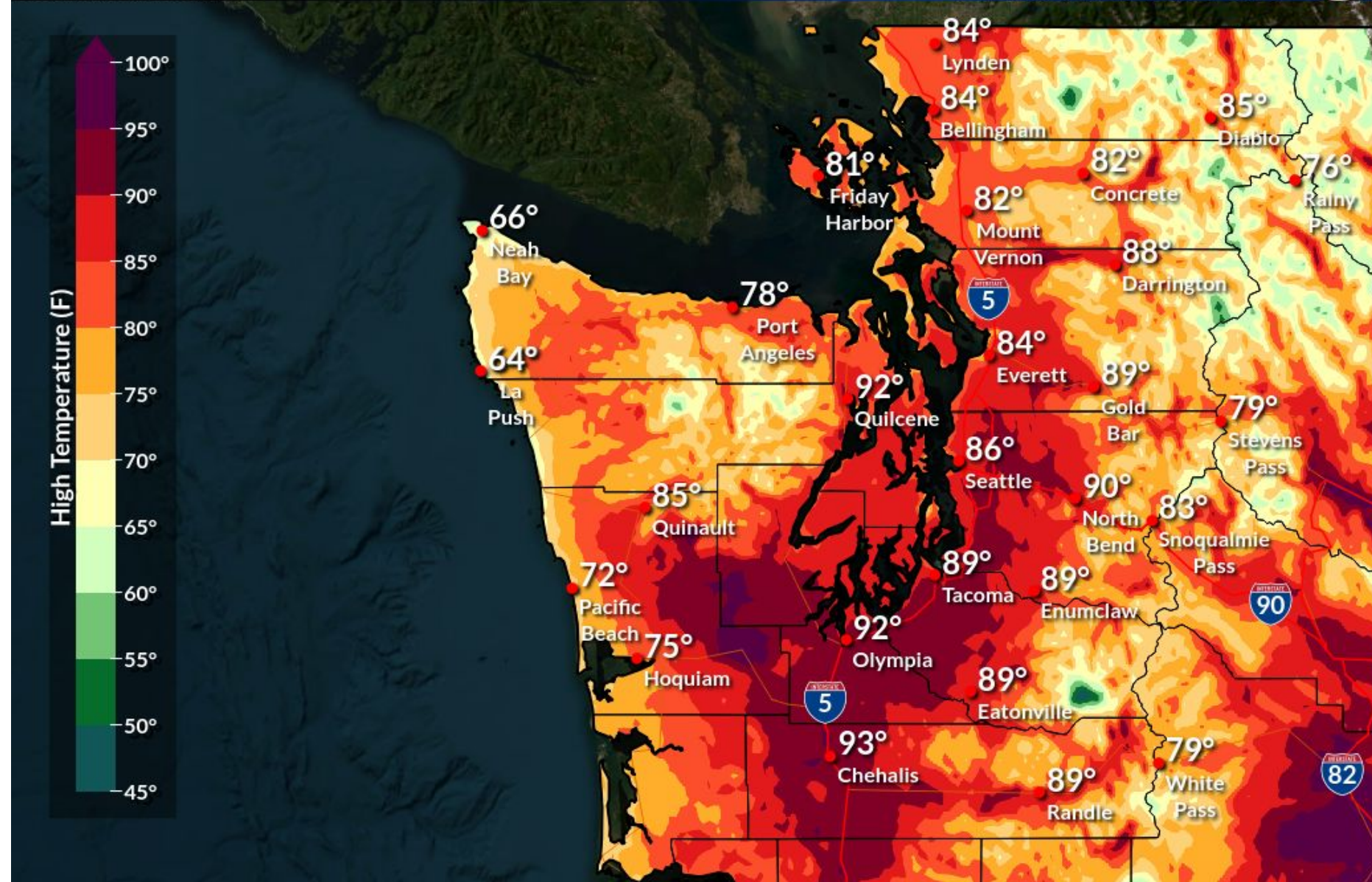
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Official Forecast: Highs Monday, June 15

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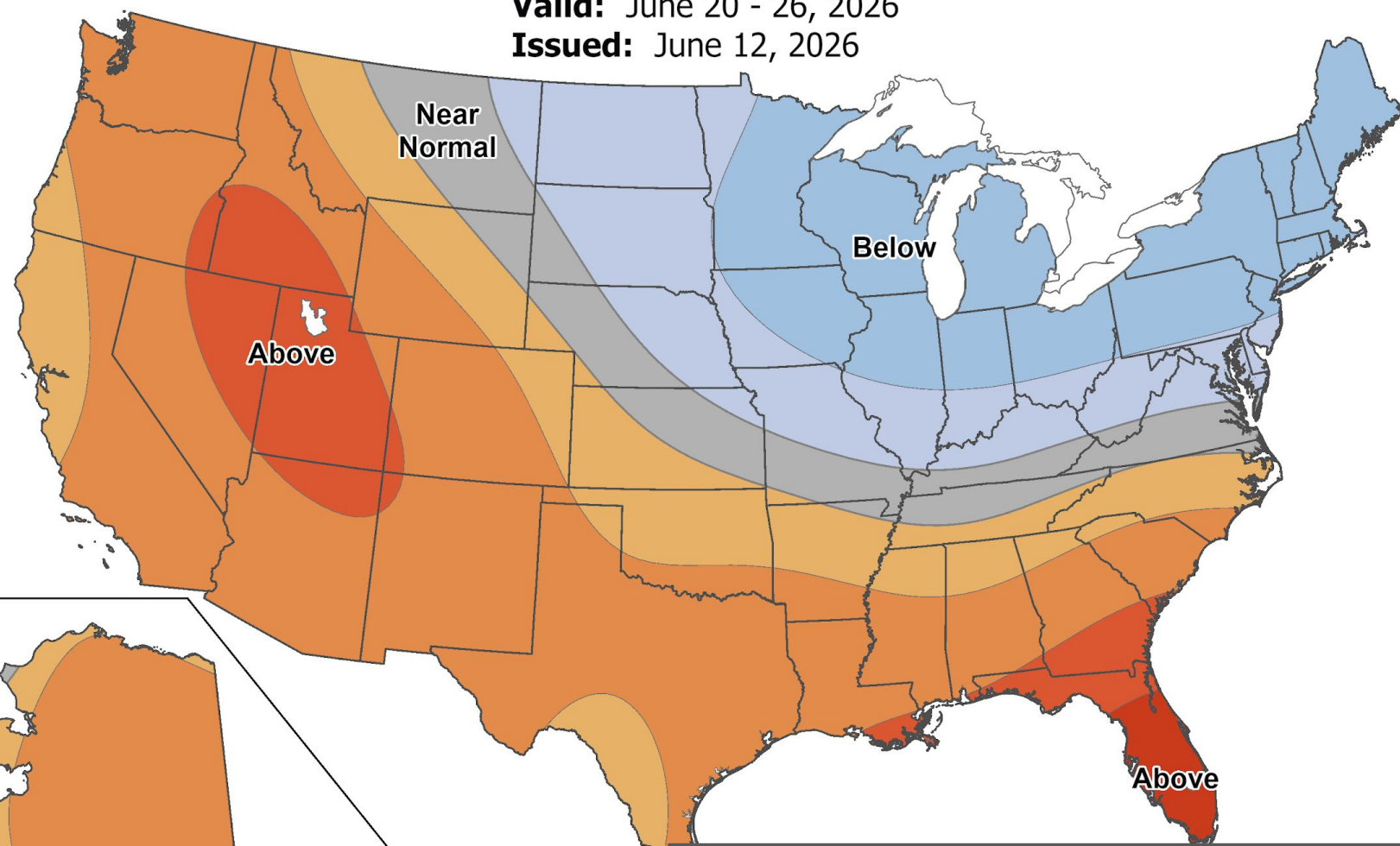
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Daytime high temperatures are expected to peak across western Washington Sunday (along the coast) and Monday (elsewhere). Overnight lows will likely peak Monday night in most areas. However, increasing west winds will keep high temperatures a little cooler for Tuesday.

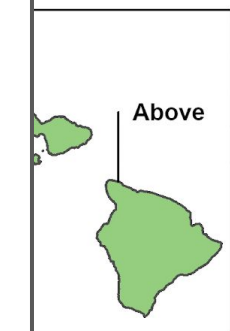
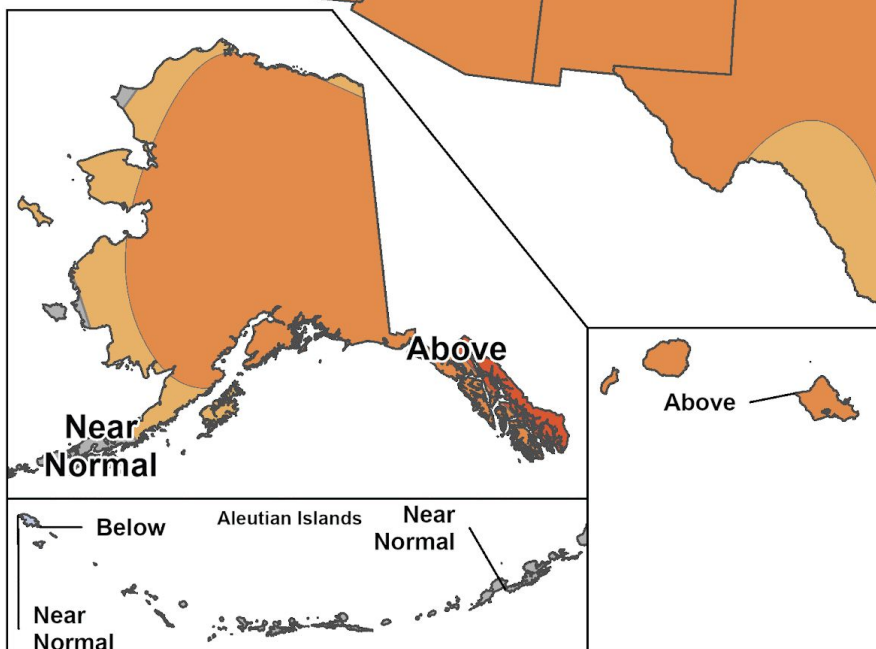
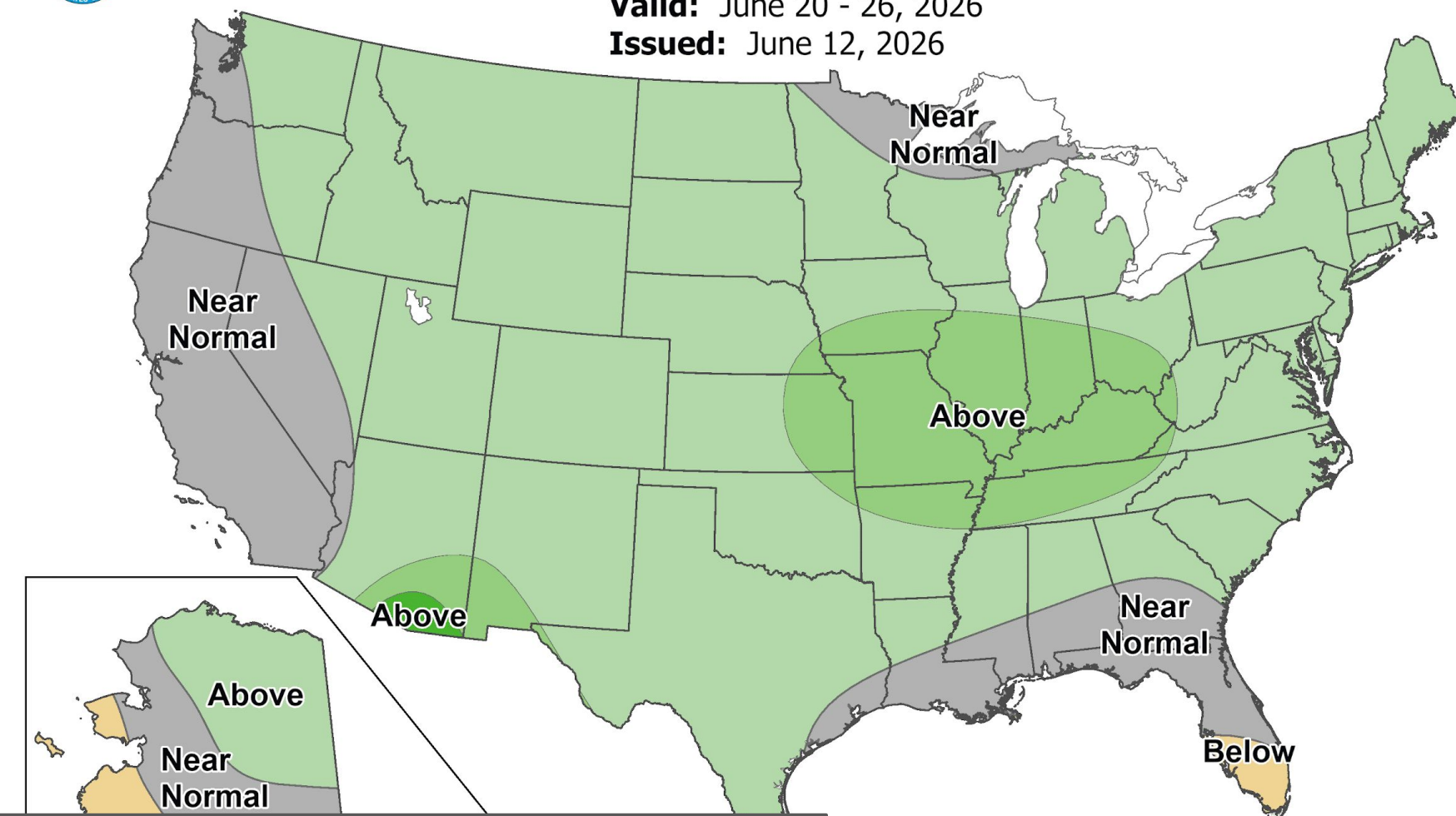
8-14 Day Temperature Outlook

Valid: June 20 - 26, 2026
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8-14 Day Precipitation Outlook

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Seattle, WA: 8-14 Day Outlook
Issued: June 12, 2026 | Normal Low: 54°F, High: 72°F | Normal Precip: 0.31 in

Temperature Probability

23%	33%	44%
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Precipitation Probability

32%	36%	32%
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Above Normal (Temp)

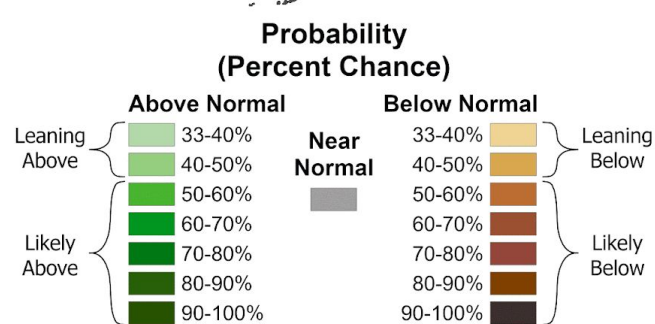
Near Normal (Temp)

Below Normal (Temp)

Above Normal (Precip)

Near Normal (Precip)

Below Normal (Precip)





Safety Graphics

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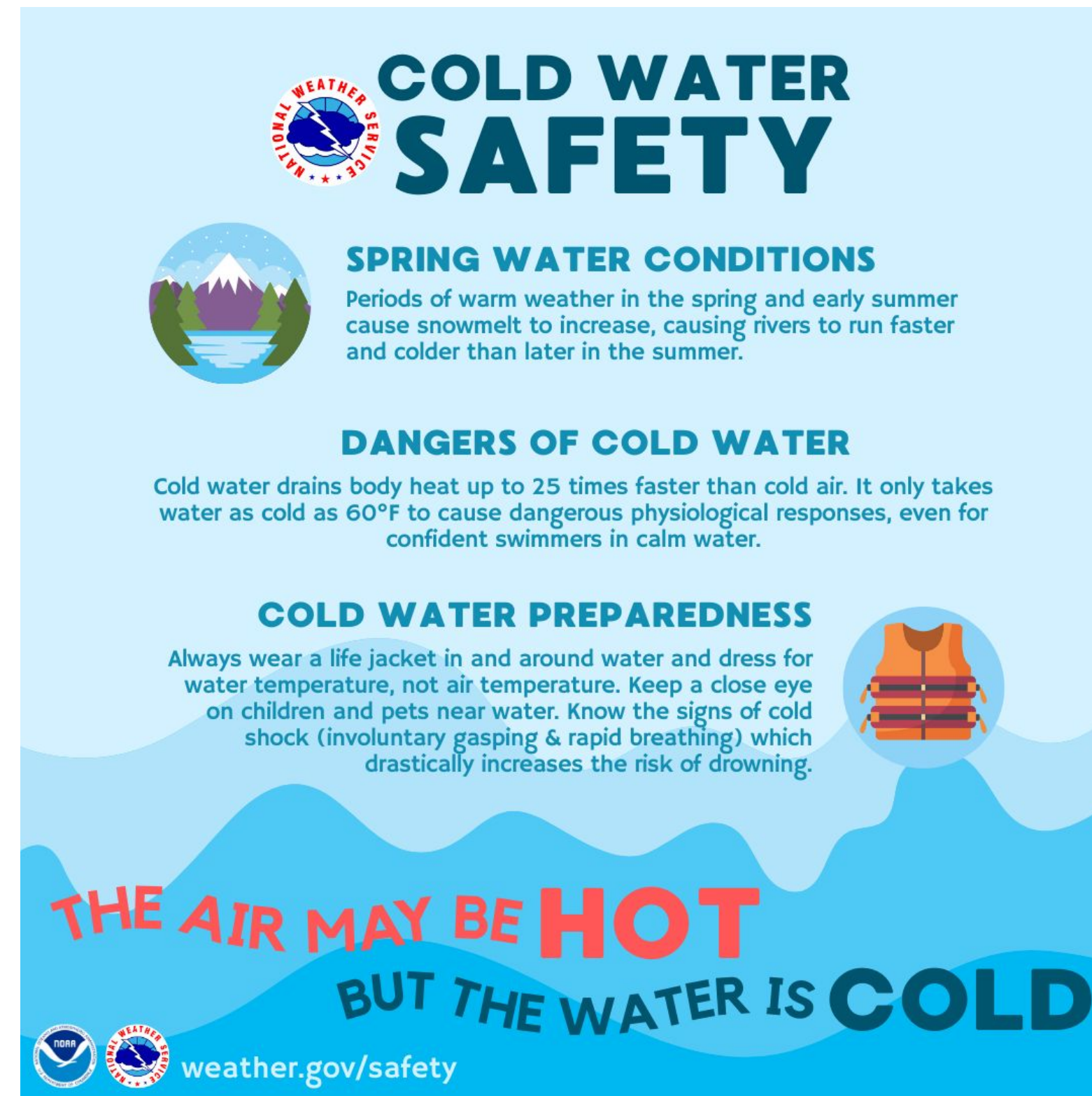


Beat the Heat

during outdoor events

-  Drink plenty of water and encourage those with you to do the same.
-  Wear a hat and lightweight, loose-fitting, and light-colored clothing. Apply sunscreen.
-  Use an electric or handheld fan, cooling towels, or other cooling technology. Take breaks under shade, in cooling tents, or misting stations.
-  At the first signs of dizziness or weakness, look for medical assistance.

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COLD WATER SAFETY


SPRING WATER CONDITIONS

Periods of warm weather in the spring and early summer cause snowmelt to increase, causing rivers to run faster and colder than later in the summer.



DANGERS OF COLD WATER

Cold water drains body heat up to 25 times faster than cold air. It only takes water as cold as 60°F to cause dangerous physiological responses, even for confident swimmers in calm water.

COLD WATER PREPAREDNESS

Always wear a life jacket in and around water and dress for water temperature, not air temperature. Keep a close eye on children and pets near water. Know the signs of cold shock (involuntary gasping & rapid breathing) which drastically increases the risk of drowning. 

THE AIR MAY BE HOT BUT THE WATER IS COLD

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Summary

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