# **Houston Pilots Forecast Package**

Updated: 2:45 AM CT

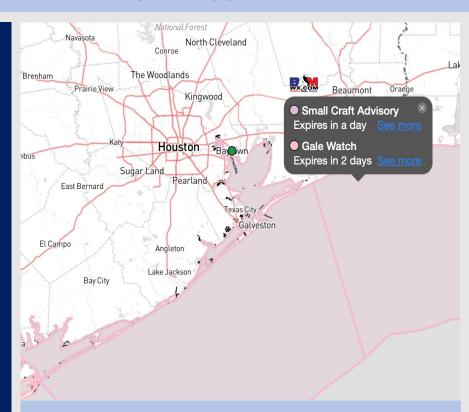
Thursday, January 11, 2024

Forecaster: Tyler Riggles



## **Weather Headlines**

- Cold front moving through the area FRI morning.
- Wind gusts of 30 40 kts will be possible throughout the day FRI. More details on Day 2 slide below.
- Sea fog threat looks limited over the coming days outside of low-end risk this AM. Check visibility slide for more details.



Radar/NWS Alerts: 2:40 AM CT



As always, please do not hesitate to reach out to us with any forecast questions via the chat option on the Weather Porthole or our on-call number, (317)-560-8122 press 1 for forecast questions.

# **Houston Pilots Visibility Report**

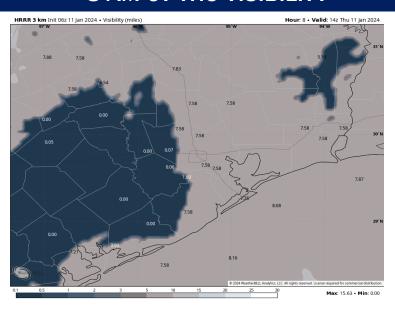


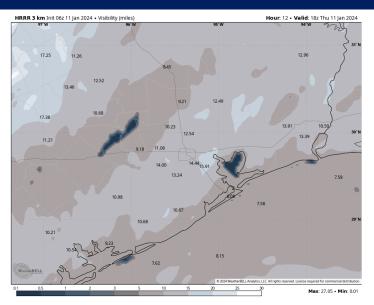


#### **8 AM CT THU VISIBILITY**

#### 12 PM CT THU VISIBILITY

### Confidence







**Below Normal** 

- **TIMEFRAME THREAT DISCUSSED** 6 AM - 3 PM CT THU
  - **LOW**
- While the majority of morning widespread fog risks will stay to the North and West of all Stations this AM, a low-end risk for patchy fog will be in play for stations N of Morgan's Point throughout the AM. Visibilities will likely be reduced to 2-4 miles under any patchy fog.
- Slightly higher confidence exists on an additional lowend patchy fog risk over the bay after 10 AM. Station's S of Morgan's Point to 51/52 will be at greatest risk for visibilities reduced to 2-4 miles.

### **Houston Pilots Extended Range Visibility Report**





#### **Sunday 1/14/24**

No visibility concerns for Sunday.

### Monday 1/15/24

No visibility concerns for Monday.

#### Forecast Confidence

Above Normal Below Normal

### **Forecast Confidence**

Above Normal Below Normal

Unlikely

Unlikely

Unlikely

#### Tuesday 1/16/24

No visibility concerns for Tuesday.

### Chance for Fog

Sunday AM

Sunday PM Unlikely

Monday AM

Monday PM Unlikely

Tuesday AM

Tuesday PM Unlikely

#### Forecast Confidence

Above Normal

Below Normal

## Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)







Currently experiencing a data error.

Apologies for the inconvenience. For now, please see visibility forecast found on the daily slides below.

## **Houston Pilots Wind Chart**







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# Houston Pilots: Thu. 01/11/2024





### **Forecast Discussion**

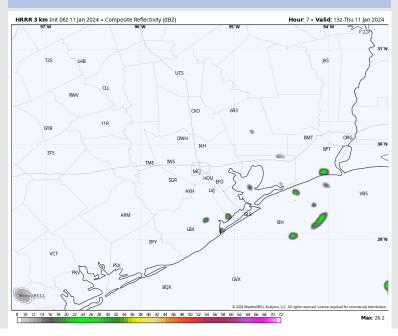
Precip: Favoring dry conditions through the very early AM with hit and miss pockets of light showers starting as early as 6 AM. Expecting the light shower risk (20%) to remain S. of Morgan's Point until 4 PM-CT, then spotty shower coverage will increase in coverage (40%) across all stations and continue into the early hours of Friday.

Wind: Winds will be out of the S throughout the day. N of Morgan's Point: Winds at 4-9 kts through 10 AM before increasing to 9-14 kts. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at 7-12 kts through 6 PM then increase to 14-19 kts the rest of the evening.

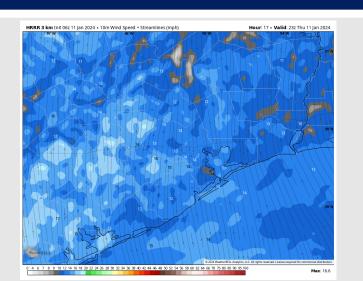
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Low 70s F S of Morgan's Point: Mid 60s F

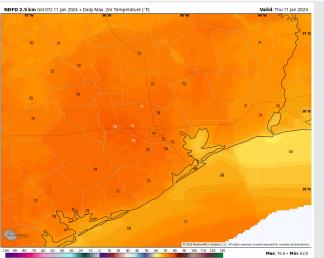
Visibility: A low end risk for patchy fog this morning, however favoring fog coverage will remain to the North and West of stations. Check visibility slide for more details.

#### Precip Image: 7 AM CT



Wind Speeds: 5 PM CT





High Temps Today

# Houston Pilots: Fri. 01/12/2024





### **Forecast Discussion**

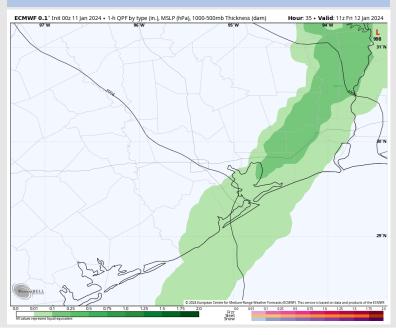
Precip: Anticipating a line of showers/storms to pass through the area during the 4-7 AM CT on FRI before dry conditions the rest of the day. The main risk with storms will be stronger wind gusts of 30-40 kts.

Wind: Winds out of the south through ~7 AM before veering out of the NW the rest of FRI. N Morgan's Point: 12-17 kts through 7 AM before increasing to 20-25 kts. Winds then decrease to 10-15 kts after 4 PM and 6-11 kts after 8 PM. S of Morgan's Point: Winds will start off at 20-25 kts before increasing to 23-28 kts by 5 AM with brief periods of closer to 30 kts. Winds will then decrease gradually starting at 3 PM to being 18-23 kts by 7 PM and 10-15 kts by 11 PM. Wind gusts of 30-40 kts will be possible at all stations from 4 AM to 4 PM.

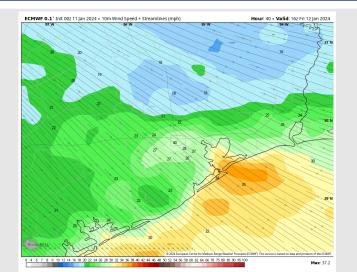
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Mid 60s F. S of Morgan's Point: Mid 60s F.

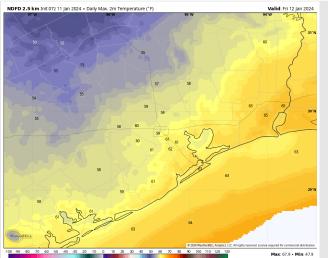
Visibility: Reduced visibilities of 2-4 miles possible under storms FRI AM.

#### Precip Image: 5 AM CT



Wind Speed: 10 AM CT





High Temps Friday

# Houston Pilots: Sat. 01/13/2024





### **Forecast Discussion**

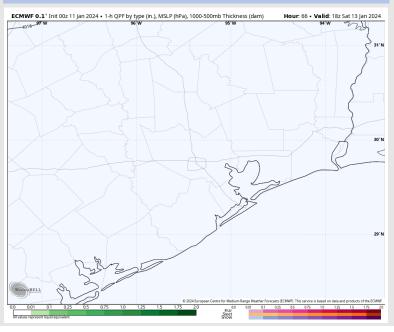
**Precip:** Favoring dry conditions for Saturday.

Wind: Winds be variable just after midnight before settling out of the SE by 5 AM. N Morgan's Point: 3-8 kts throughout the day. S of Morgan's Point: Winds of 5-10 kts will calm to 3-8 kts by 5 PM, remaining at that clip for the rest of the evening.

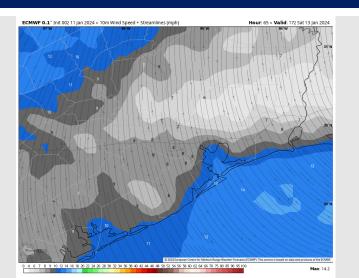
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Upper 50s-Near 60 F. S of Morgan's Point: Upper 50s F.

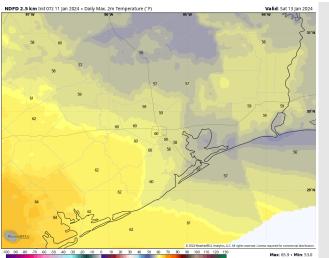
Visibility: No visibility concerns for Saturday.

#### Precip Image: 12 PM CT



Wind Speed: 11 AM CT

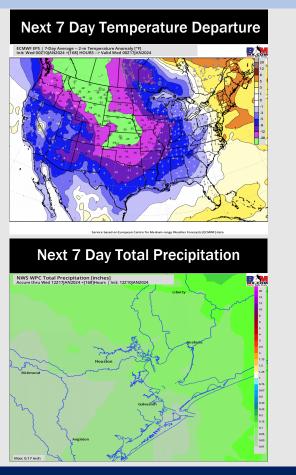


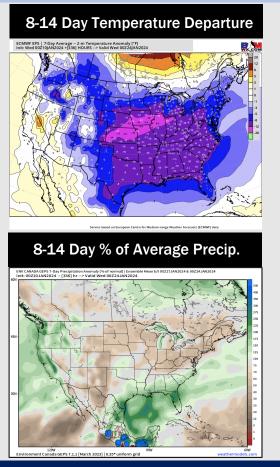


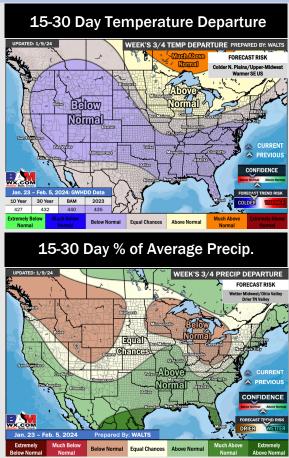
High Temps Saturday

# **Houston Pilots: 1/11/24**









- Next opportunities for rain will be Thursday/Friday. Much below normal temperatures for next week.
- Seasonable to slightly above normal precip. chances are expected for the week 2 timeframe. Temps expected to be much below normal.
- > Below normal to seasonable temperatures and above normal chances for precipitation are favored in the weeks 3/4 timeframe.