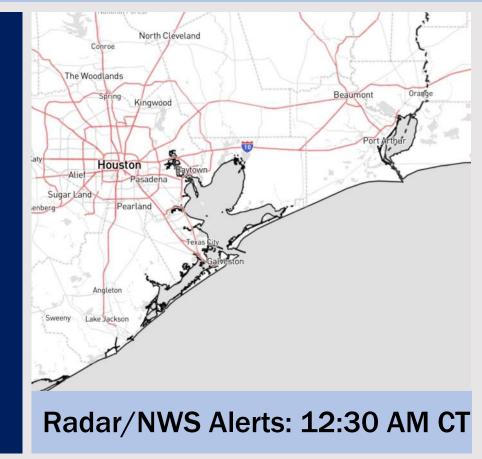
# **Houston Pilots Forecast Package**

Updated: 12:40 AM CT Monday, February 19, 2024

**Forecaster: Jonathan Kipper** 

# **Weather Headlines**

- Favoring dry conditions through majority of the week (low end risk of rain THU).
- Winds will continue to be calmer for the next ~36 hours before increasing WED PM.
- There is a patchy fog risk for the area this morning. See visibility slide for more details below.



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# **Houston Pilots Visibility Report**



# **5 AM CT TUE VISIBILITY** HRRR 3 km Init 00z 20 Feb 2024 • Visibility (miles lour: 11 • Valid: 11z Tue 20 Feb 2024 Max: 14.31 • Min: 0.00

8 AM CT TUE V	ISIBILITY	Confidence
HRRR 3 km Init 052 20 Feb 2024 - Visibility (miles) 97 W 96 W 806 7.75 8.46 7.62	Hour: 9 • Valid: 142 Tue 20 Feb 2024	Above Normal
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> Watching for a patchy fog risk Tuesday morning (model still may be
slightly overdone with coverage). Patchy fog may begin to develop
SW of stations as early as 4 AM CT.

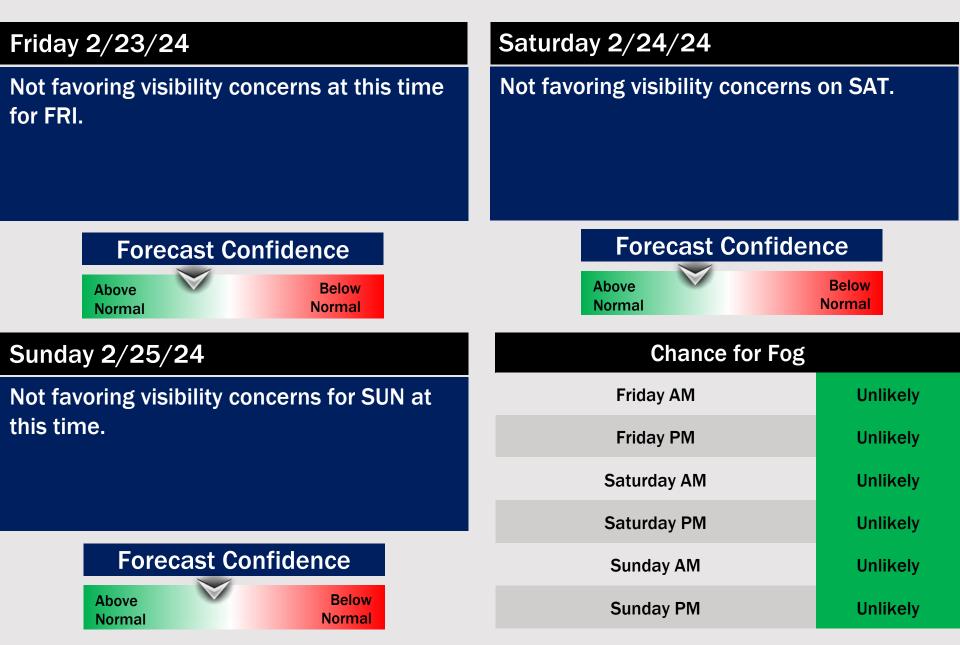
- > Patchy fog will continue to increase in coverage, "filling in" over Galv. Bay by 7 AM CT, impacting stations S of Morgan's Point, reducing visibility to 1 - 3 miles with visibility dropping to less than 1 mile at times.
- > Patchy fog will continue to hang around the area, primarily impacting stations S of Morgan's Point through ~10 AM before it burns off for the day.

TIMEFRAME DISCUSSED	THREAT						
4 AM CT - 10 AM CT	LOW-MEDIUM						

#### **8 AM CT THE VISIBILITY**

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





### Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)



### **Forecast Confidence**



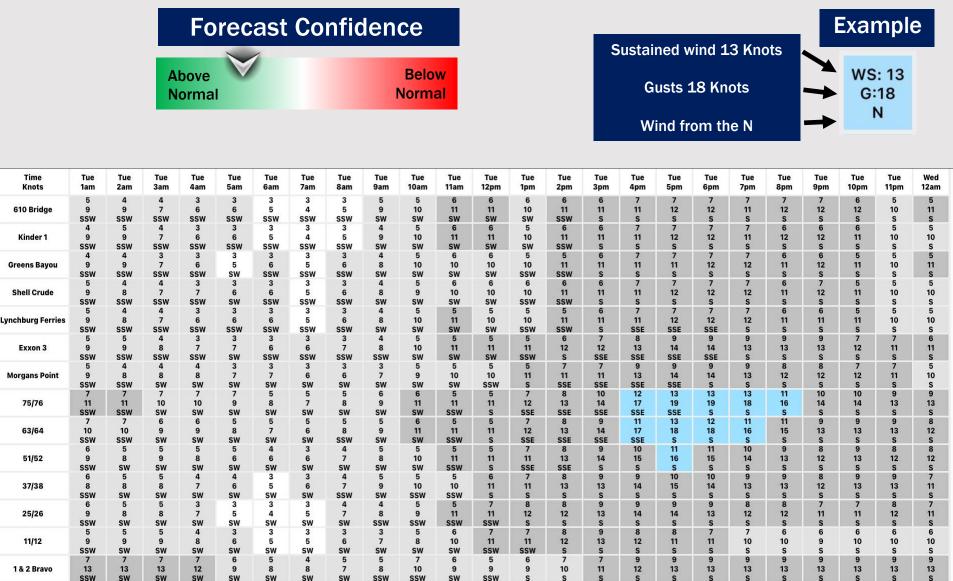
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Shell Crude	10	10	6	5	5	4	4	1	0.8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Lynchburg Ferries	10	10	8	5	4	4	4	1	3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Exxon 3	10	10	8	5	5	4	4	1	3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
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# **Houston Pilots Wind Chart**

Time





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# Houston Pilots: Tue. 2/20/2024



### **Forecast Discussion**

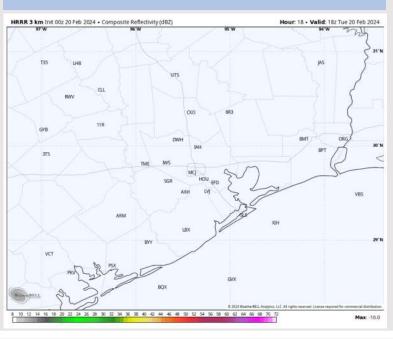
**Precip:** Favoring dry conditions for today.

Wind: Winds out of the S/SSW throughout the day. N Morgan's Point: 3-8 kts for the entire day today. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at 5-10 kts will decrease to 3-8 kts by 6 AM. Winds then increase to 6-11 kts after 2 PM.

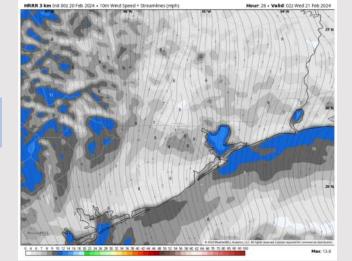
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Mid 70s F. S of Morgan's Point: Mid-Low 60s F.

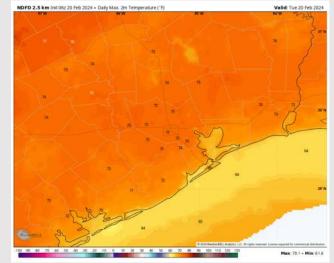
Visibility: Patchy fog risk for this morning. Check out visibility slide above for more details

### Precip Image: 12 PM CT



Wind Speed: 8 PM CT





High Temps Today

# Houston Pilots: Wed. 2/21/2024



### **Forecast Discussion**

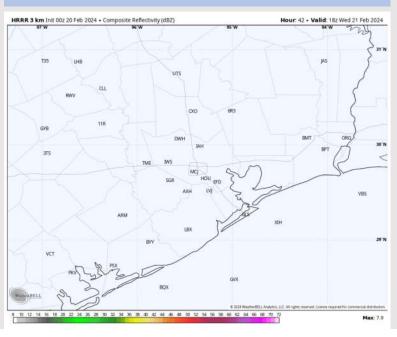
**Precip:** Favoring dry conditions for Wednesday.

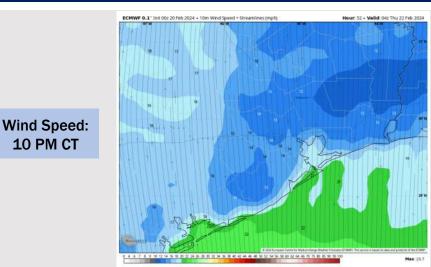
Wind: Winds out of the S/SW throughout WED. N Morgan's Point: 3-8 kts through 10 AM before increasing to 8-13 kts. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at 6-11 kts through 5 PM before increasing to 14-19 kts the rest of the PM. Wind gusts of up to 25 kts will be possible after 12 PM

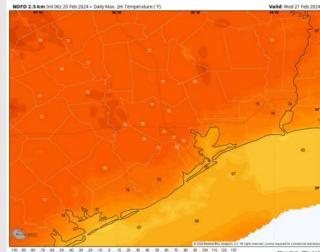
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Mid/Upper 70s F. S of Morgan's Point: Mid/Upper 60s F.

Visibility: Not anticipating any fog concerns for WED.

### Precip Image: 12 PM CT







High Temps Wednesday

# Houston Pilots: Thu. 2/22/2024



### **Forecast Discussion**

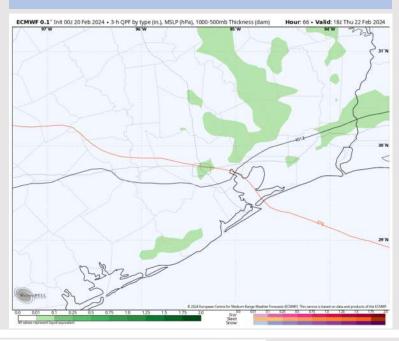
Precip: Favoring dry conditions for the majority of Thursday outside of hit/miss light showers and drizzle from 11 AM through 3 PM.

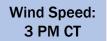
Wind: Winds will be out of the S/SW throughout THU. N of Morgan's Point: Winds will be at 10-15 kts through 5 PM before a decrease to 6-11 kts the rest of the evening. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at 15-20 kts through 8 AM before a decrease to 12-17 kts the rest of the day. Wind gusts of 22-27 kts will be possible through 2 PM.

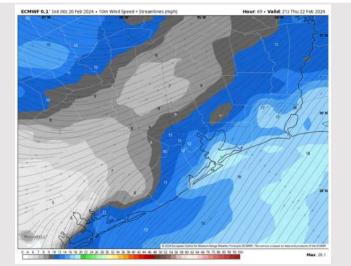
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Near 80 F. S of Morgan's Point: Upper 60s F.

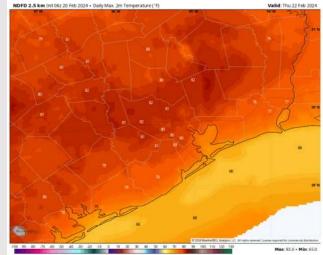
#### Visibility: Not anticipating visibility concerns for THU.

### Precip Image: 12 PM CT





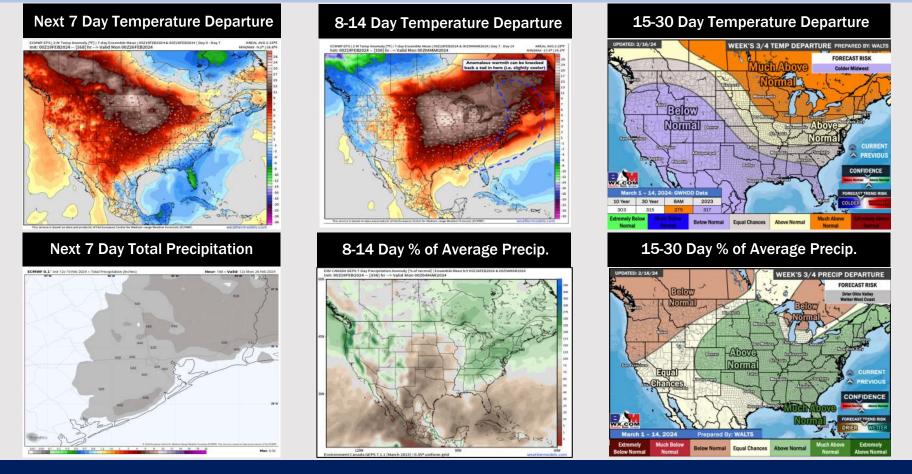




**High Temps** Thursday

### Houston Pilots: 2/19/24





- A drier week is favored ahead with a low end precip risk on THU. Slightly below normal/ seasonable temperatures favored for the week ahead.
- Below normal precipitation chances are at play during the week 2 timeframe. Temps expected to be above normal.
- Below normal temperatures and near normal chances for precipitation are favored in the weeks <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> timeframe.