

# Houston Pilots Forecast Package



Updated: 1:45 PM CT

Monday, February 23, 2026

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## Weather Headlines

- **X-Ray Port Conditions are currently in effect for 6' wave heights at the Boarding Station and 11/12 WED and THU.**
- **Additional fog risks are not favored over the coming days.**
- **Gusts of 20+ kts in play TUE and WED.**



Current Radar: 1:45 PM CT

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# Houston Pilots Port Trigger Update

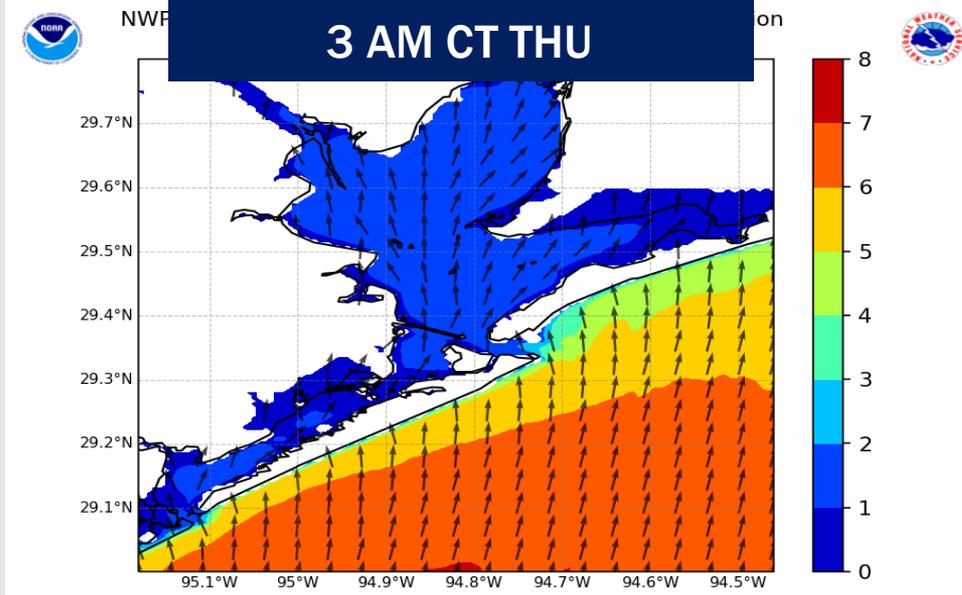
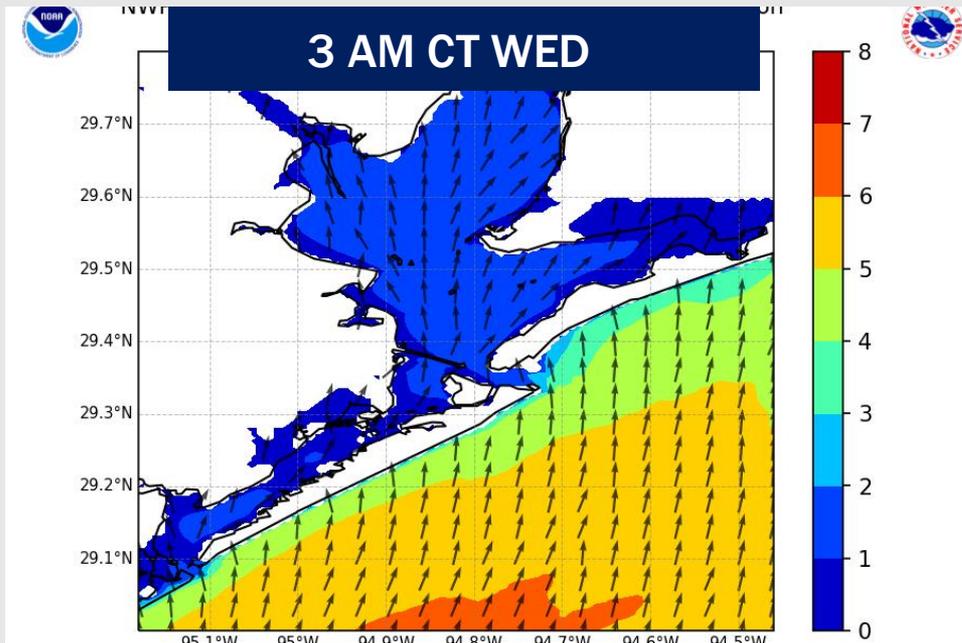
Port Condition	34 KTS+ Sustained Wind Trigger Reached at:	6 Foot Wave Trigger Reached at:	Time Remaining/Trigger Ends At:
Victor	----	N/A	----
Whiskey	----	N/A	----
X-Ray	----	CURRENT	3 AM TUE
Yankee	----	3 AM TUE	3 PM TUE
Zulu	----	3 PM TUE	3 PM THU

Port Condition	Trigger Definition	Trigger Reached?
Victor	Hurricane entering/developing in Gulf of Mexico that's a threat to the area	N/A
Whiskey	72 hours prior to predicted sustained winds of 34+ KTS	N/A
X-Ray	48 hours prior to predicted sustained winds of 34+ KTS or 6' wave height	YES
Yankee	24 hours prior to predicted sustained winds of 34+ KTS or 6' wave height	NO
Zulu	12 hours prior to predicted sustained winds of 34+ KTS or 6' wave height	NO

## NOTES:

Wave heights expected to reach 6' at the Boarding Station by 3 AM on Wednesday. 6' heights will linger at the Boarding Station through 12 AM on Thursday before expanding to include 11/12. 6' heights will then recede by 3 PM on Thursday, with 5' heights receding by 9 PM Thursday

# Wave Height Forecast Update



Due to elevated winds and strong gusts, wave heights will reach 6' at the Boarding Station by 3 AM Wednesday.

Wave heights of 6' will encroach on the shoreline and include 11/12 after 12 AM on Thursday.

Wave heights can reach 7' at times at the Boarding Station from 12AM to 10AM THU.

6' waves then recede after 3 PM on Thursday.

# Houston Pilots Extended Range Visibility Report



## Thursday 02/26/2026

Fog is not favored.



## Friday 02/27/2026

Fog is not favored.



## Saturday 02/28/2026

Fog is not favored.



## Chance for Fog

Thursday AM	Unlikely
Thursday PM	Unlikely
Friday AM	Unlikely
Friday PM	Unlikely
Saturday AM	Unlikely
Saturday PM	Unlikely

# Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)



## Forecast Confidence



Visibility	Mon 3 am	Mon 4 am	Mon 5 am	Mon 6 am	Mon 7 am	Mon 8 am	Mon 9 am	Mon 10 am	Mon 11 am	Mon 12 pm	Mon 1 pm	Mon 2 pm	Mon 3 pm	Mon 4 pm	Mon 5 pm	Mon 6 pm	Mon 7 pm	Mon 8 pm	Mon 9 pm	Mon 10 pm	Mon 11 pm	Tue 12 am	Tue 1 am	Tue 2 am
Houston Pilots N - 610 Bridge	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots M - Kinder 1	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots L - Greens Bayou	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots K - Shell Crude	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots J - Lynchburg Ferries	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots I - Exxon 3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots H - Morgans Point	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots G - 75/76	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots F - 63/64	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots E - 51/52	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots D - 37/38	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots C - 25/26	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots B - 11/12	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Houston Pilots A - 1 & 2 Bravo	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

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# Houston Pilots Wind Chart

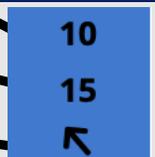


## Forecast Confidence



Sustained Wind 10 Knots  
Gusts 15 Knots  
Wind from the SE

## Example



Wind	Mon 3 am	Mon 4 am	Mon 5 am	Mon 6 am	Mon 7 am	Mon 8 am	Mon 9 am	Mon 10 am	Mon 11 am	Mon 12 pm	Mon 1 pm	Mon 2 pm	Mon 3 pm	Mon 4 pm	Mon 5 pm	Mon 6 pm	Mon 7 pm	Mon 8 pm	Mon 9 pm	Mon 10 pm	Mon 11 pm	Tue 12 am	Tue 1 am	Tue 2 am
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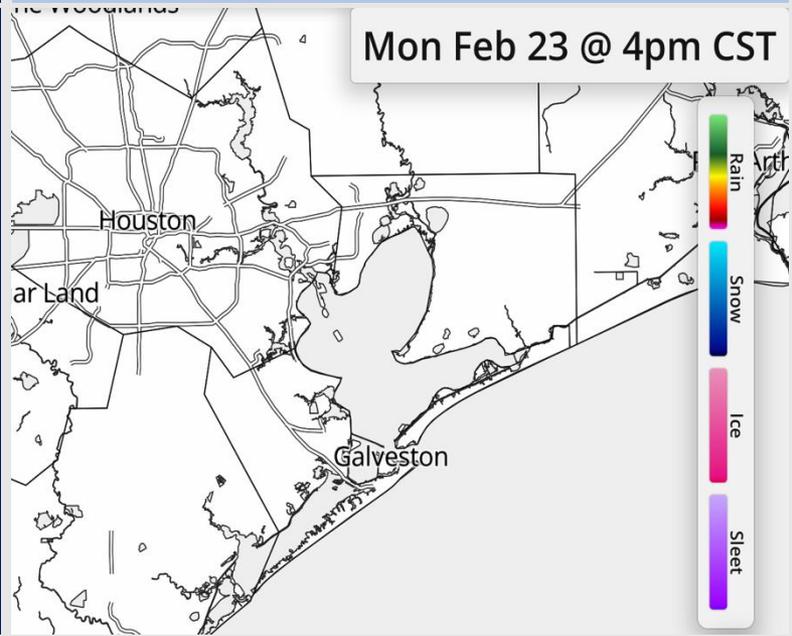
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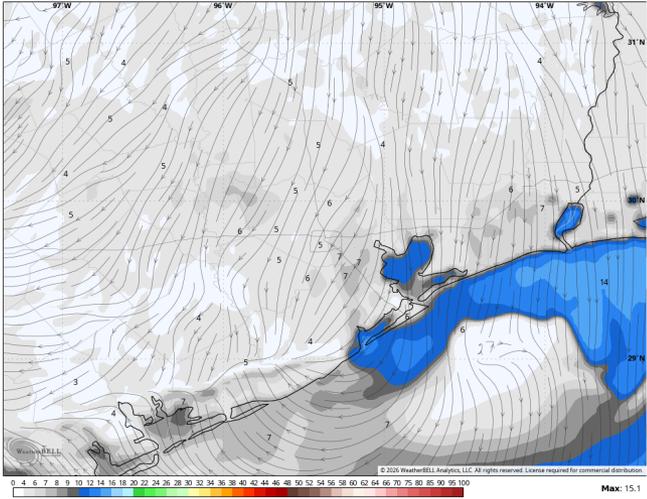
## Forecast Discussion

- Precip:** Favoring dry conditions for today.
- Wind:** Winds out of the N/NE through the rest of the day. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 3 – 8 kts. **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 5 – 10 kts.
- Low Temps:** **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 40s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Low 50s F.
- Visibility:** No visibility concerns for today.

## Precip Image: 4 PM CT

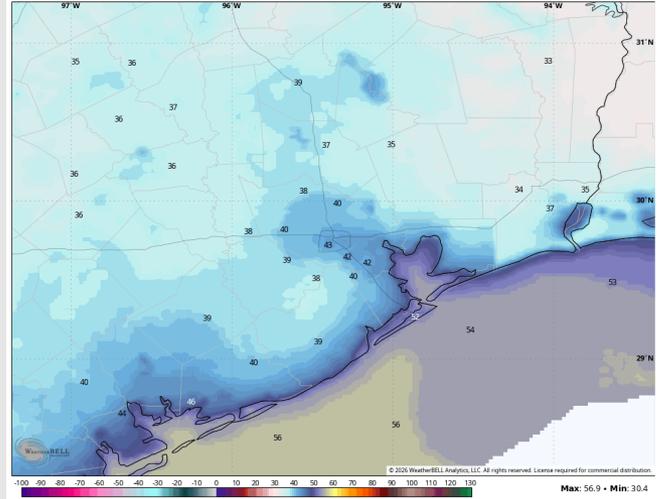


HRRR 3 km Init 12z 23 Feb 2026 • 10m Wind Speed • Streamlines (mph) Hour: 12 • Valid: 00z Tue 24 Feb 2026



Wind Speed:  
6 PM CT

NDFD 2.5 km Init 18z 23 Feb 2026 • Daily Min. 2m Temperature (°F) Valid: Tue 24 Feb 2026



Low Temps  
TUE AM

# Houston Pilots: TUE. 02/24/2026



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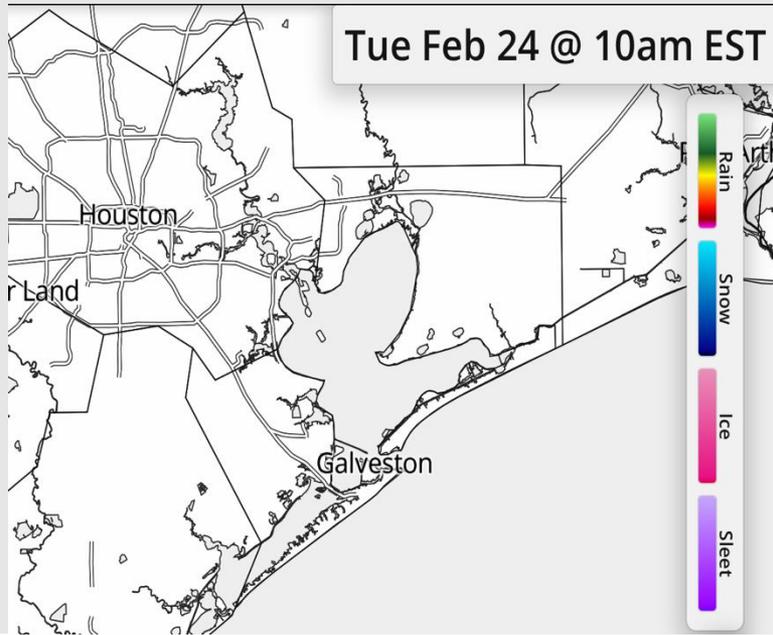
**Precip:** Favoring dry conditions for Tuesday.

**Wind:** Winds will be variable through 9 AM before settling out of the S. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 3 – 8 kts through 11 AM before increasing to 8 – 13 kts. **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 5 - 10 kts through 1 PM before increasing to 13 – 18 kts for the rest of the day. **Wind gusts of 20 – 25 kts in play for all Stations after 4 PM.**

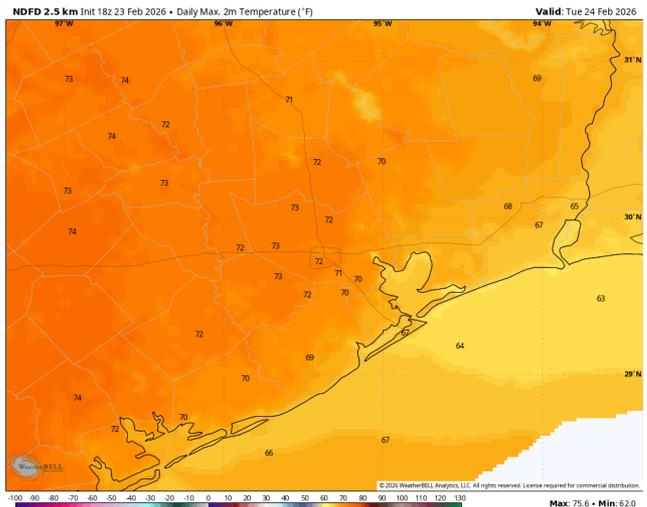
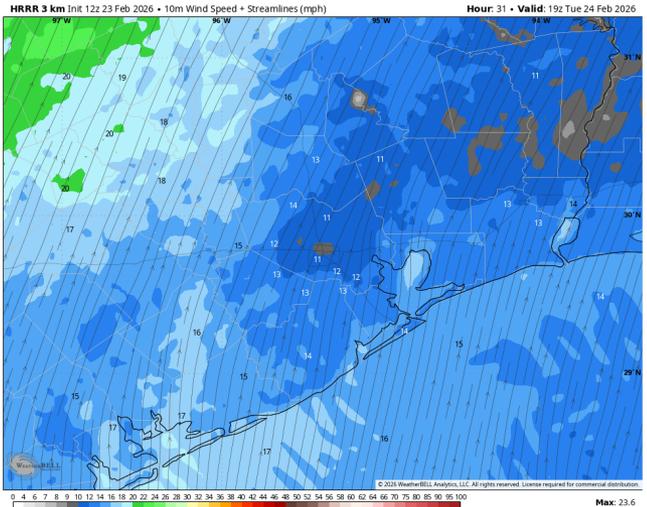
**High Temps:** **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 70s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** High 60s F.

**Visibility:** No visibility concerns for Tuesday.

## Precip Image: 10 AM CT



Wind Speed:  
1 PM CT



High Temps  
Tuesday

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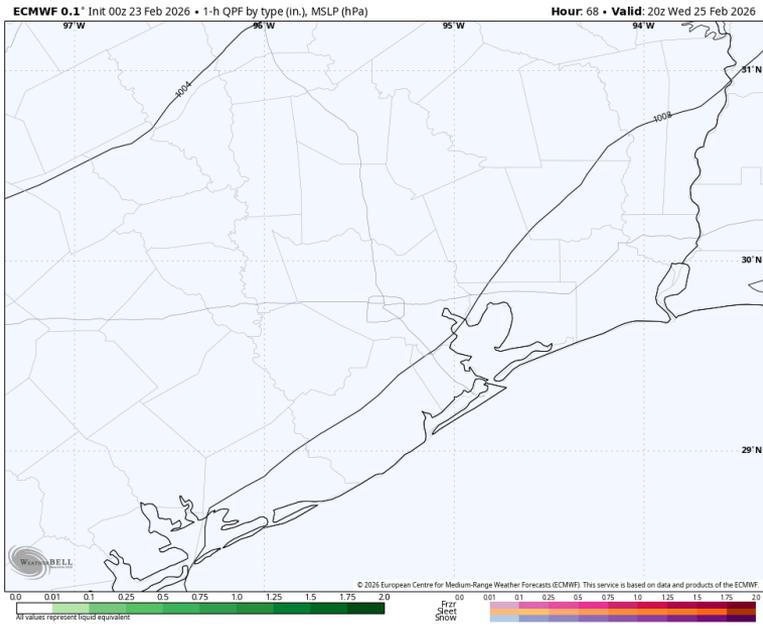
**Precip:** Dry conditions favored for Wednesday.

**Wind:** Winds out of the SW through the day. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 5 – 10 kts through 10 AM before increasing to 10 – 15 kts. **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 15 – 20 kts. **Wind gusts of 25 – 30 kts for Stations S of Morgan's Point through 10 AM, then for all Stations S of Morgan's Point for the remainder of the day.**

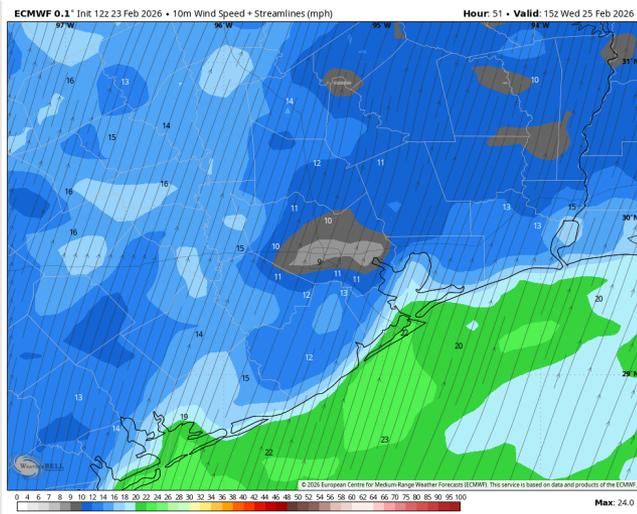
**High Temps:** **N of Morgan's Point:** Upper 70s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Mid 70s F.

**Visibility:** No visibility concerns for Wednesday.

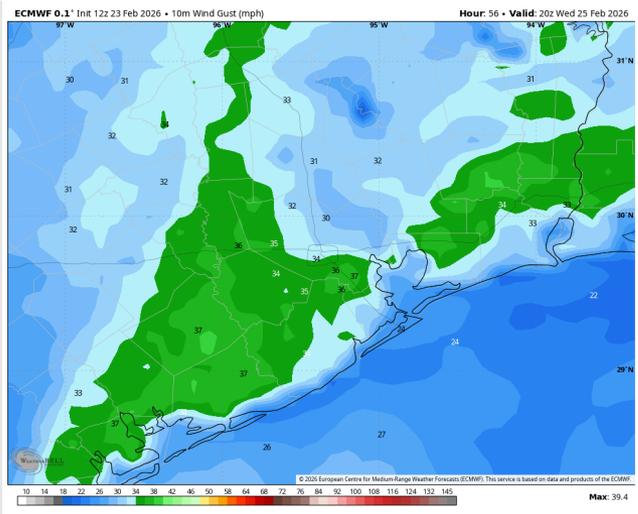
## Precip Image: 2 PM CT



Wind Speed:  
9 AM CT



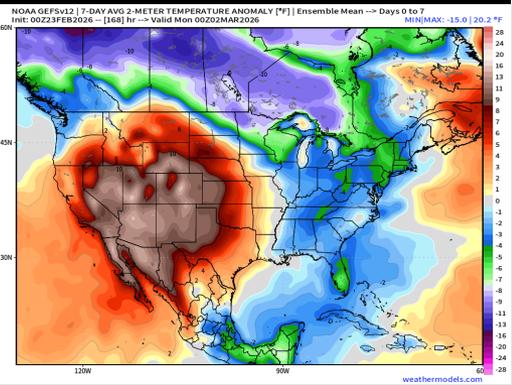
Peak Wind  
Gusts



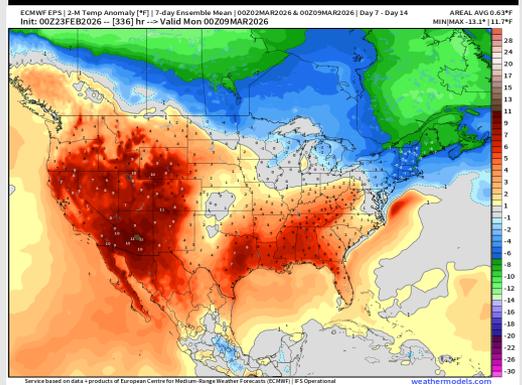
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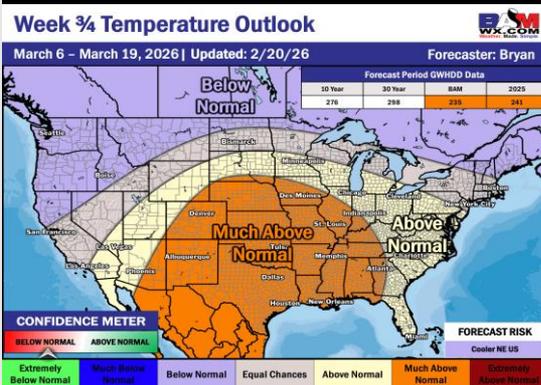
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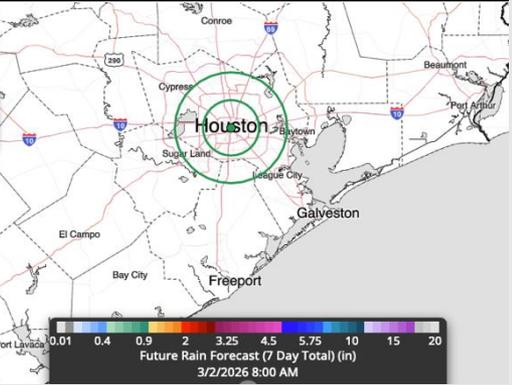
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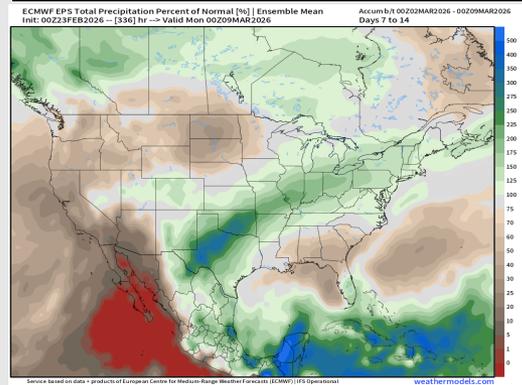
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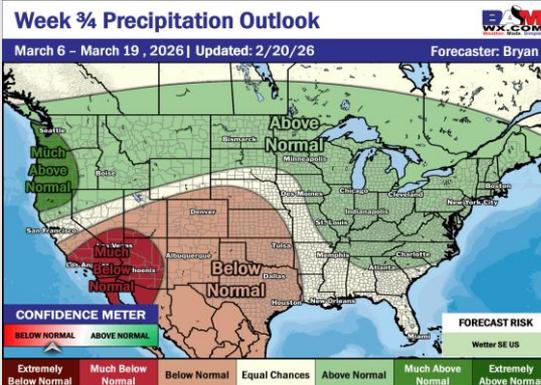
## Next 7 Day Total Precipitation



## 8-14 Day % of Average Precip.



## 15-30 Day % of Average Precip.



- Above normal temps are favored over the next 7 days, with minimal rain chances.
- Above normal temperatures and above normal rain chances in the Week 2 period.
- Much above normal temperatures and below normal rainfall expected for early to mid March.