



EPRS Update

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Drought – Revised form

Reporting Restrictions and Water Availability

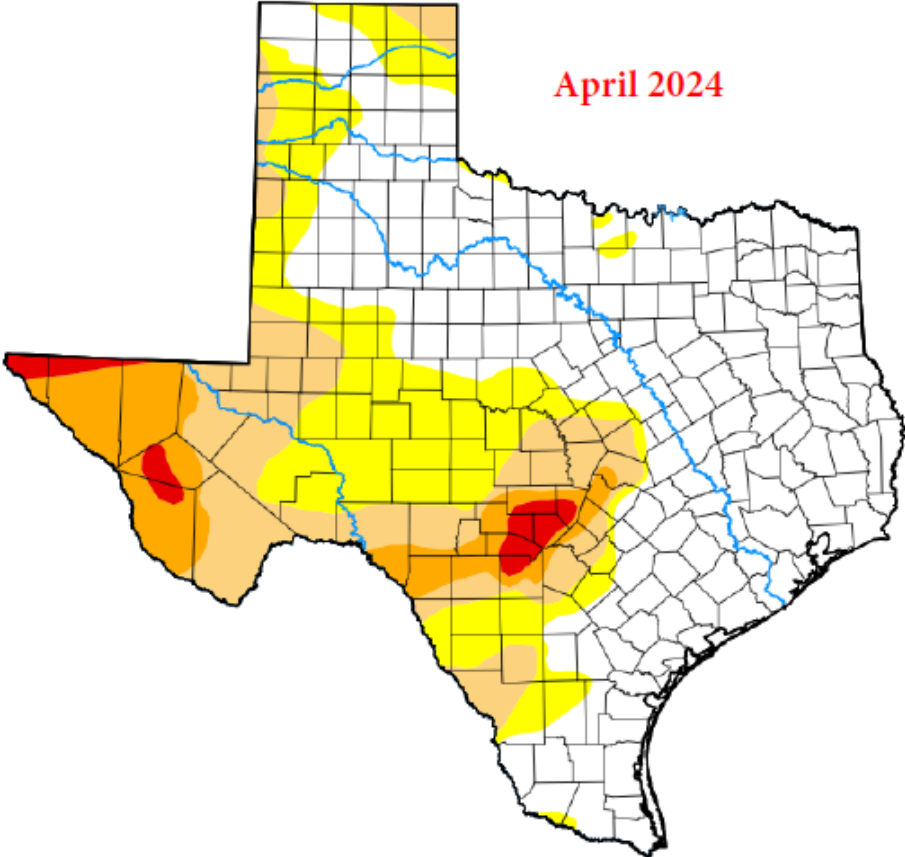
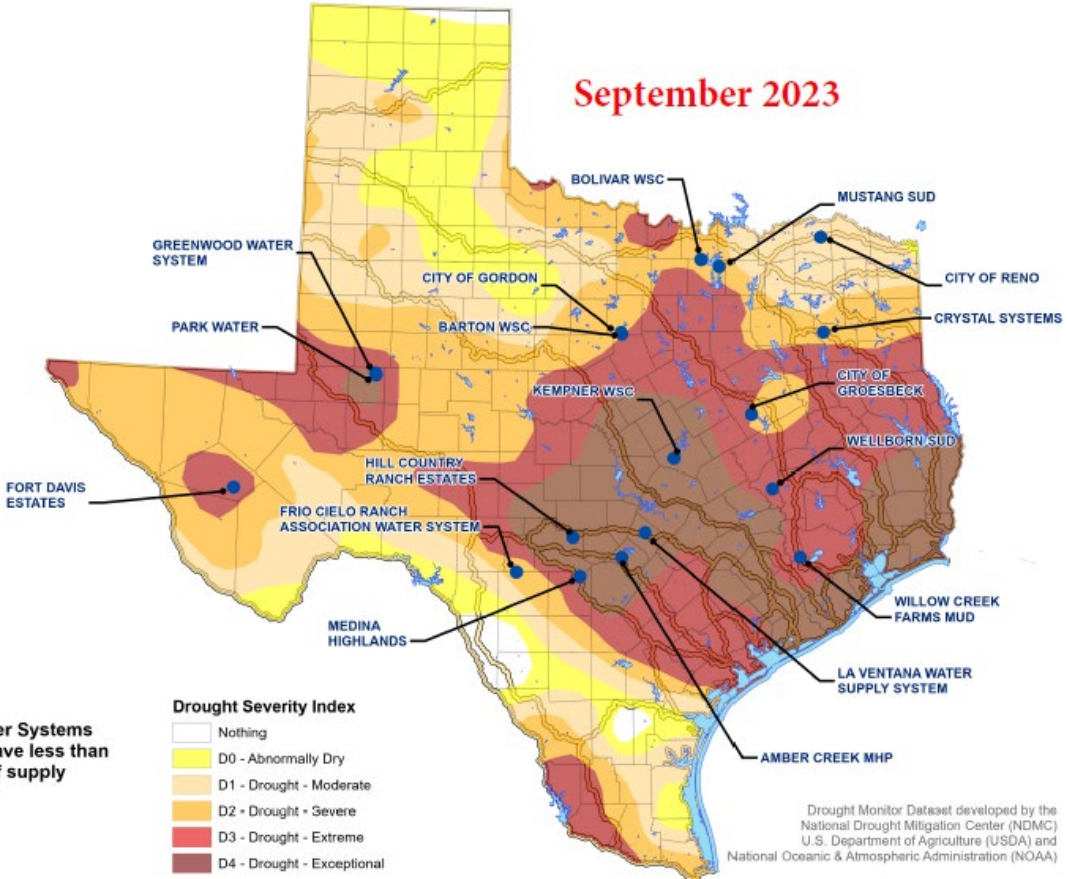
www.DroughtReport.org

Need to provide:

- Contact information
- Water use restrictions
- If less than 180 days of water
- Outages
 - Hauling water?
 - Providing bottled water?



Drought – August vs April



EPA Cybersecurity for Water Systems

- March 19, 2024, EPA sent a letter to all U.S. Governors
 - asked for our assistance in addressing the risk of cyberattacks on drinking water systems
 - invited to join the March 21 meeting
- Within next 90 days, states need to submit plan of:
 - identify critical vulnerabilities
 - address these vulnerabilities

EPA Cybersecurity Training

<https://www.epa.gov/waterresilience/cybersecurity-training>

Why is Cybersecurity Important?

- Cybercrime cost victims a total of **\$6.9 BILLION** in 2021
- Cybercrime is growing at about **15%** each year

