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10-DAY WEATHER FORECAST ISSUED AT 11:00 AM ON DECEMBER 7TH

10-DAY IMPACTS EXPECTED FOR CONNECTICUT

U.S. DROUGHT MONITOR FOR DECEMBER 3RD

STATUS OF THE STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER: **ACTIVATED**

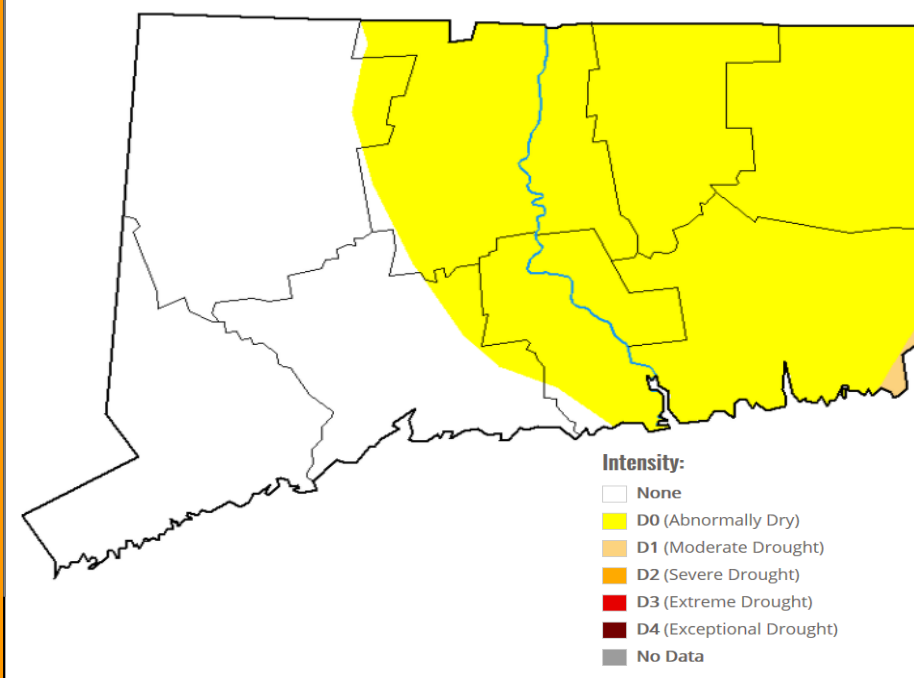
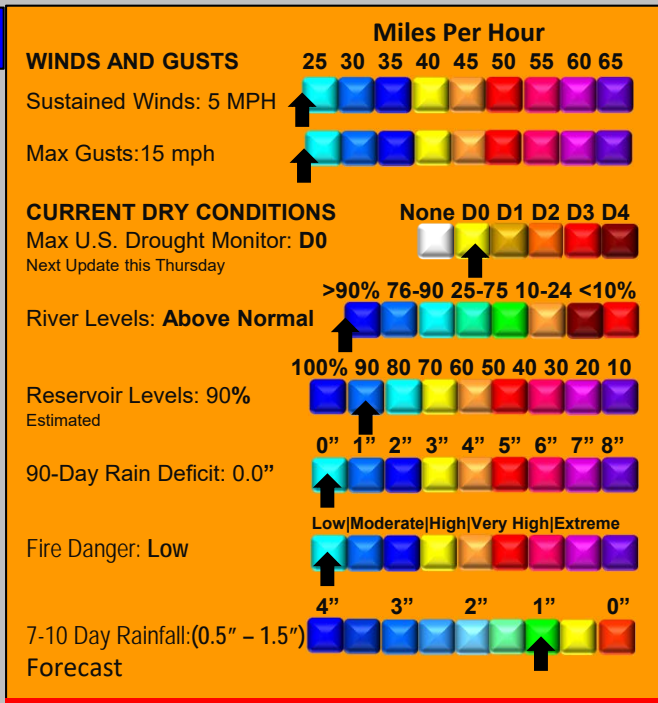
A VERY WET WEEK HAS OCCURRED IN THE PAST 7 DAYS...ADDITIONAL PRECIPITATION ALSO EXPECTED DURING THE NEXT 7 DAYS...

Rainfall during the past 7 days has been well above normal with generally 3" – 5" of rainfall/snowfall across the state. This additional rainfall should end the current drought conditions this week when the U.S. Drought Monitor releases their weekly update this Thursday. River levels are above normal. Fire danger is currently low and the 90-day rainfall deficit has been eliminated.

The GFS and other models are forecasting a few more opportunities for precipitation during the next 7 – 10 days. A cold front is forecast to bring a period of rain next Saturday night and Sunday. After this weekend, the next chance for significant precipitation is a week from Wednesday as a low pressure system may bring the chance for snow. Total rainfall during the next 7 – 10 days currently is expected to range from 0.5" – 1.0" across the state.

The next update will be sent out by the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection on Monday, December 14th.

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10-DAY TEMPERATURE AND PRECIPITATION FORECAST

