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Weather Forecast Office
San Francisco Bay Area
Tuesday, Nov 3, 2026

Hazardous Beach Conditions and Minor Coastal Flooding

KEY POINTS

- **Hazardous beach conditions through Tuesday evening and again Thursday through Saturday**
- **Light to moderate rain across North Bay tonight through Tuesday; light rain across rest of Bay Area**
- **Seasonal to slightly below normal temps through midweek; warming trend and above normal temps late week into weekend**
- **Coastal flooding Wednesday through Sunday**

WEATHER RISK OUTLOOK

Risk levels incorporate potential impacts from weather hazards and likelihood of occurrence for a reasonable worst-case scenario.

	Tue 11/3	Wed 11/4	Thu 11/5	Fri 11/6	Sat 11/7	Sun 11/8	Mon 11/9
North Bay Santa Rosa, Napa, San Rafael	Beach Hazards Rain Thunderstorms	Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding Beach Hazards	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding
San Francisco Downtown SF	Beach Hazards Rain	Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding Beach Hazards	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding
SF Peninsula Half Moon Bay, San Mateo, SFO	Beach Hazards Rain	Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding Beach Hazards	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding
East Bay Oakland, Concord, Livermore	Rain	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding
South Bay San Jose, Gilroy	Rain	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding
Santa Cruz County Santa Cruz, Boulder Creek, Corralitos	Beach Hazards Rain		Beach Hazards	Beach Hazards	Coastal Flooding Beach Hazards	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding
Monterey & San Benito County Monterey, Salinas, Hollister	Beach Hazards Rain	Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Beach Hazards Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding Beach Hazards	Coastal Flooding	Coastal Flooding

Risk Levels	Little to None	Minor	Moderate	Major	Extreme

DETAILS

North Bay	
Rain	**Impacts:** Chances of beneficial rainfall across the region **Timing:** Tuesday **Confidence:** Moderate
	Details: • Rainfall totals Tuesday: 0.25-0.75"
Beach Hazards	**Impacts:** Waves can sweep across the shoreline without warning, pulling people into the sea from beaches, jetties, and rocks **Timing:** Tuesday, Thursday through Saturday **Confidence:** Moderate
	Details: Tuesday: Long period (15-19 second) northwesterly swell will bring an increased risk for sneaker waves and strong rip currents Thursday through Saturday: Long period (15-17 second) westerly/northwesterly swell will bring an increased risk for sneaker waves and strong rip currents with breaking waves of 13 to 17 feet
Coastal Flooding	**Impacts:** High tides will result in flooding of low-lying infrastructure, isolated road closures, and coastal erosion. Rising tides will bring water and waves farther up the beach than normal, restricting escape from beaches and coastal areas. **Timing:** Wednesday through Monday **Confidence:** High
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Thunderstorms	**Impacts:** Thunderstorms may produce gusty winds, heavy rain, and lightning. **Timing:** Tuesday afternoon and evening **Confidence:** Low - mainly over Sonoma County
	Details: Thunderstorms will initially develop over the coastal waters with a low chance for waterspouts. The area of concern would be any waterspout move on land.

San Francisco	
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East Bay	
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South Bay	
Coastal Flooding	**Impacts:** High tides will result in flooding of low-lying infrastructure, isolated road closures, and coastal erosion. Rising tides will bring water and waves farther up the beach than normal, restricting escape from beaches and coastal areas. **Timing:** Wednesday through Monday **Confidence:** High
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Santa Cruz County	
Coastal Flooding	**Impacts:** High tides will result in flooding of low-lying infrastructure, isolated road closures, and coastal erosion. Rising tides will bring water and waves farther up the beach than normal, restricting escape from beaches and coastal areas. **Timing:** Saturday through Monday **Confidence:** Moderate
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Beach Hazards	**Impacts:** Waves can sweep across the shoreline without warning, pulling people into the sea from beaches, jetties, and rocks **Timing:** Tuesday, Thursday through Saturday **Confidence:** Low to moderate due to the direction being 270°-300°
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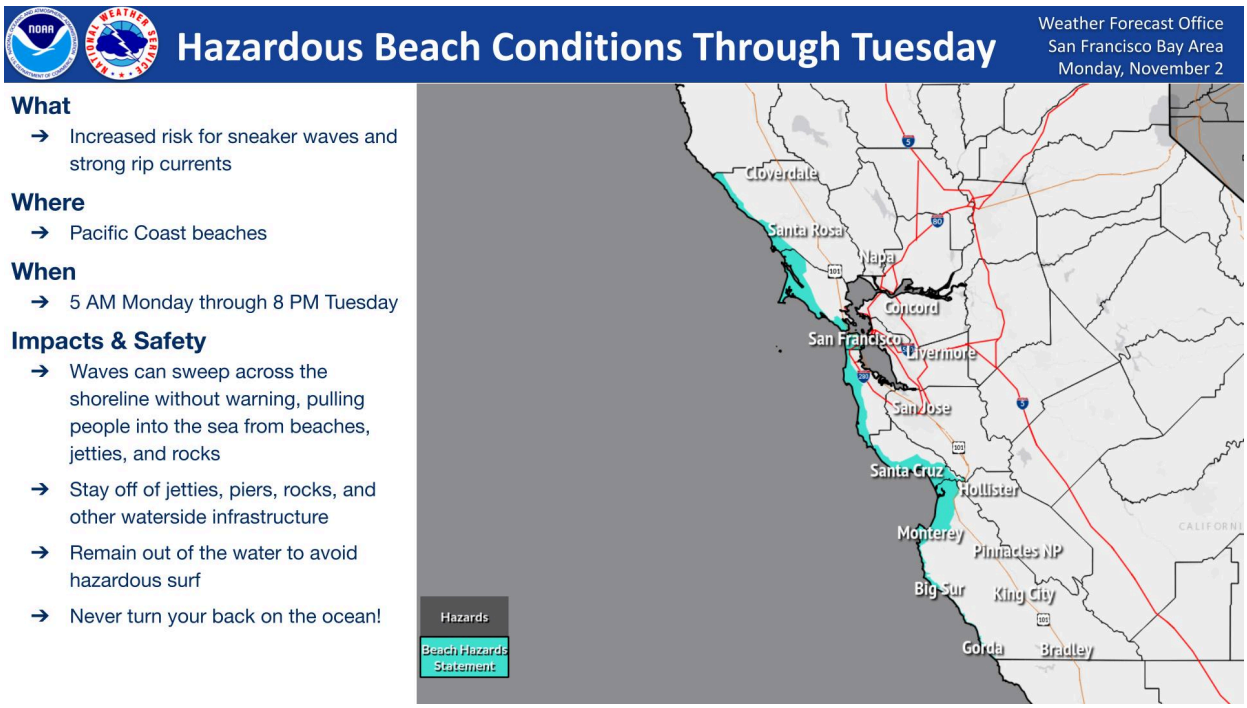
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	Details: • Rain totals Tuesday: a few hundredths of an inch at most

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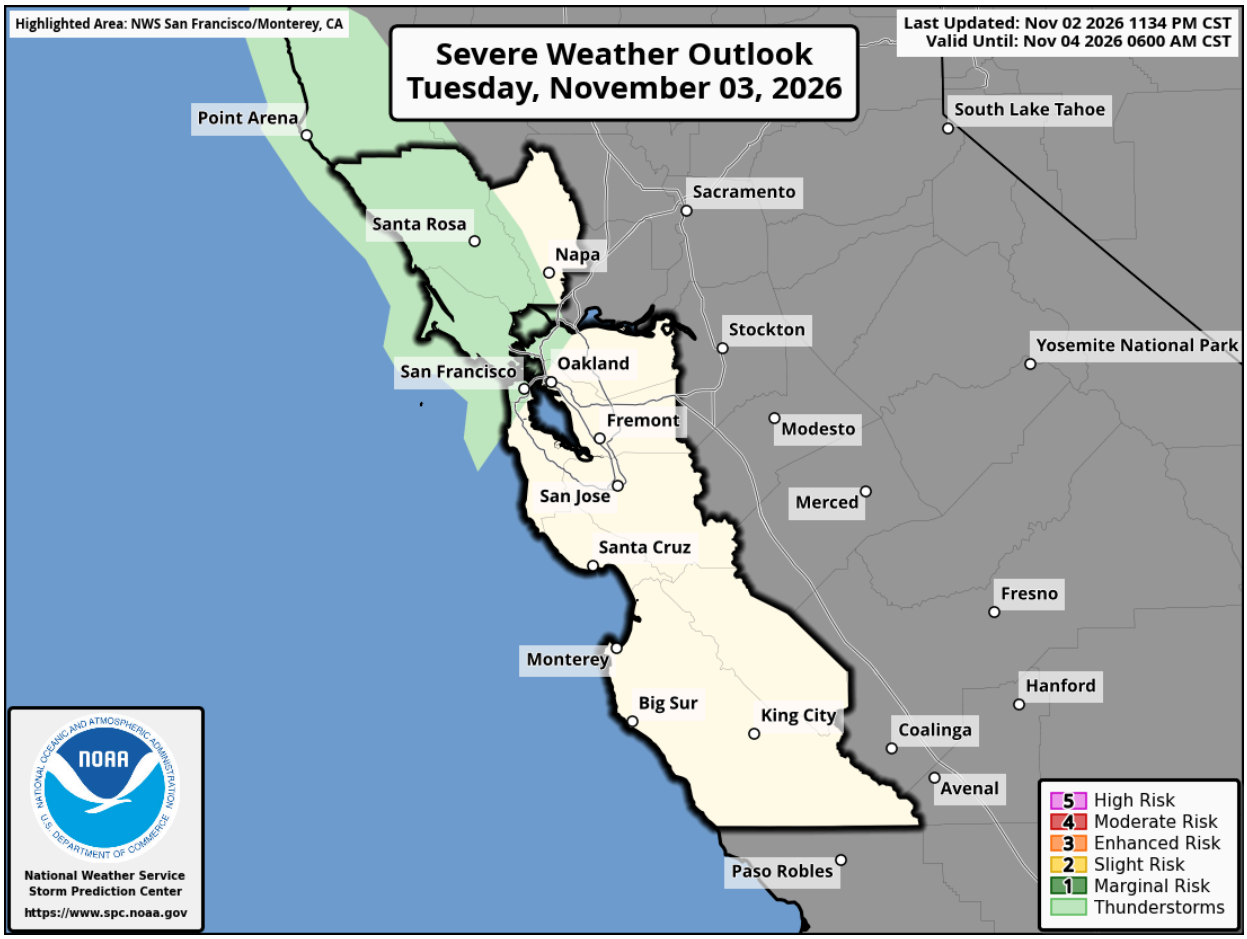
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GRAPHICS



Hazardous Beach Conditions Through Tuesday



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