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National Weather Service

Morehead City, NC

Hurricane Warner BRIEFING #1

5:00 AM EDT

Tuesday, May 2nd, 2023

What has changed: First full briefing. Eastern North Carolina is now in the cone of uncertainty.

Next Briefing: By May 3rd at 8AM

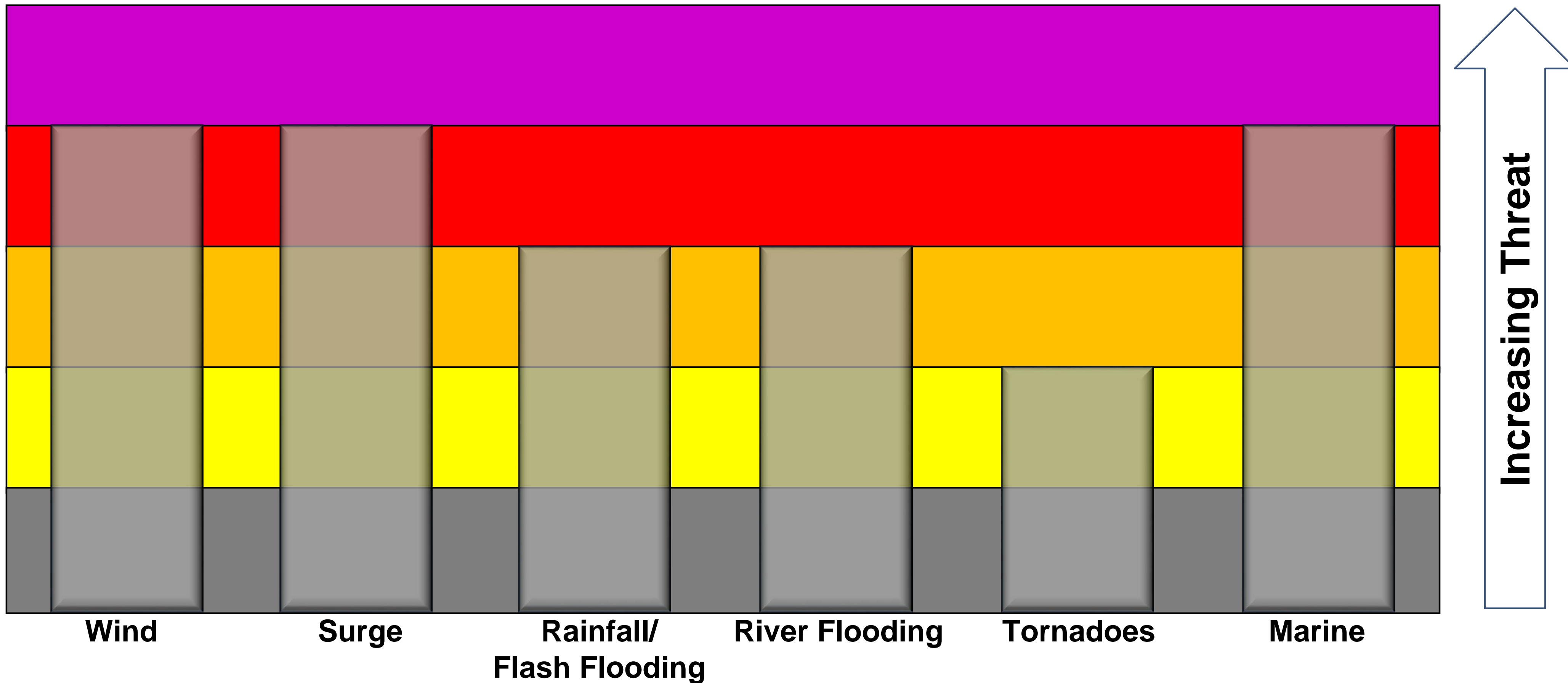
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Threat Levels

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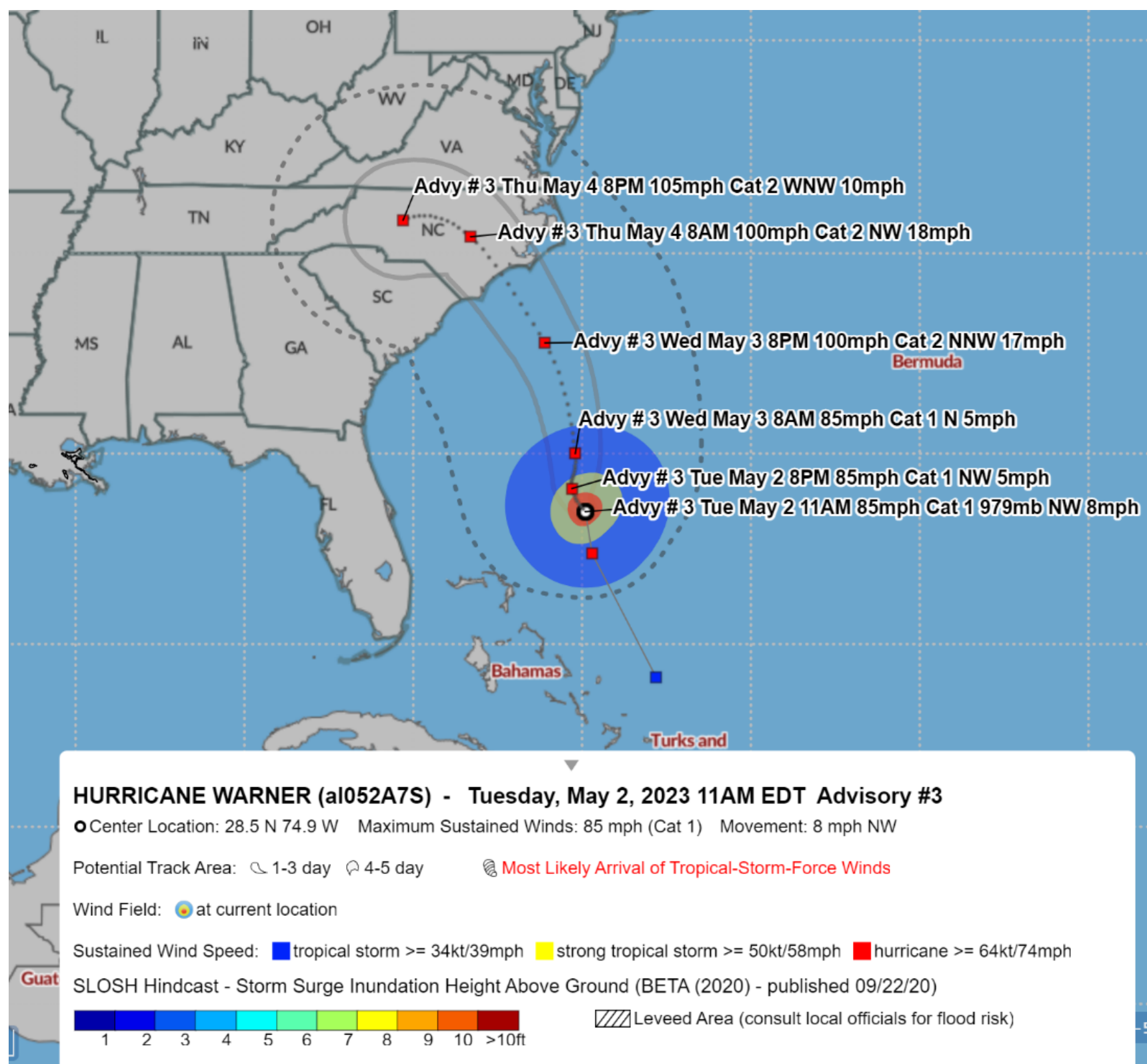
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Situation Overview

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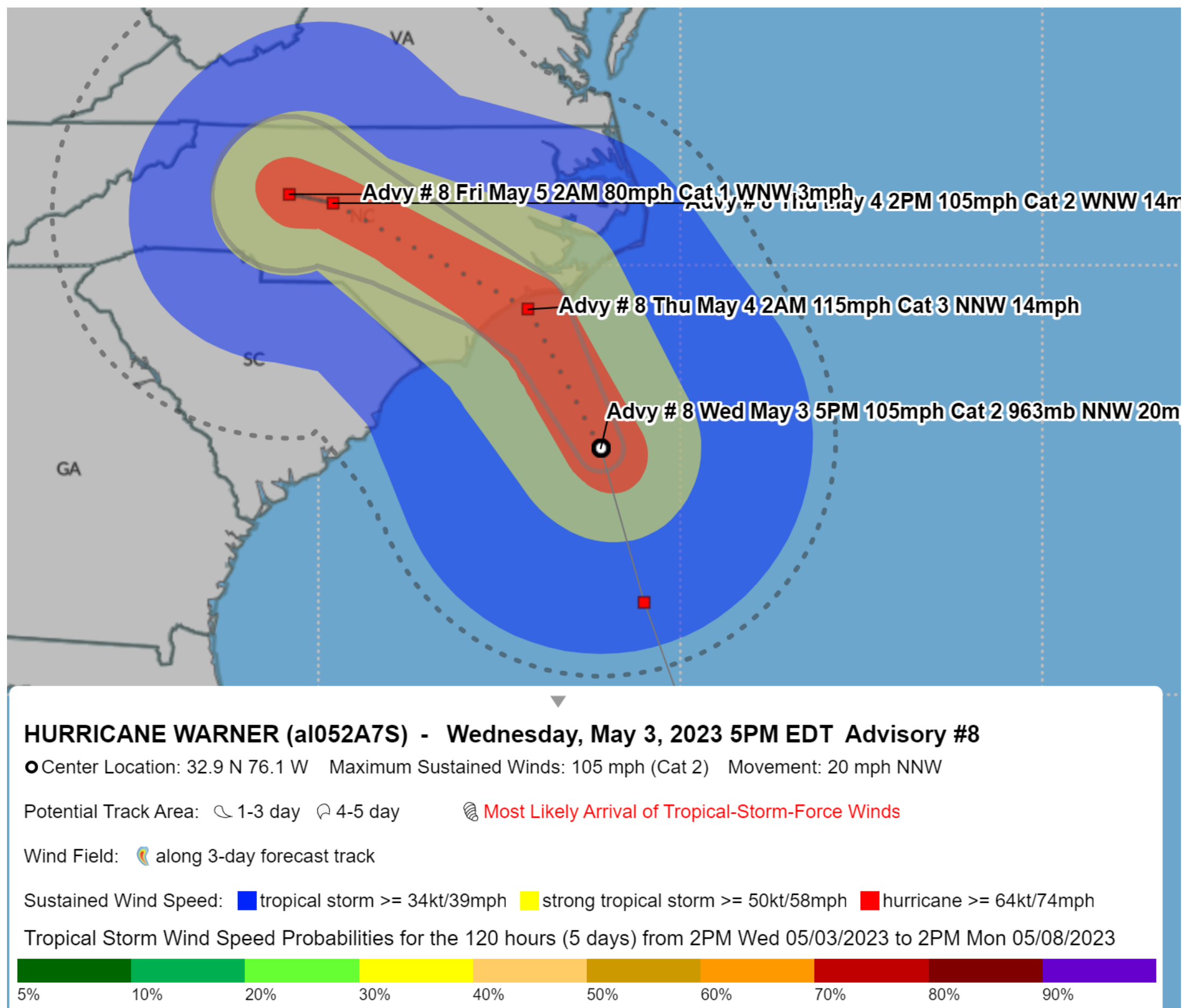
- Hurricane Warner has formed just north of the Dominican Republic.
- Warner is expected to quickly move to the north and intensify rapidly.
- A variety of impacts to our area are possible including wind, storm surge, heavy rain (flash flooding), and the risk for tornadoes.
- Uncertainty remains high in Warner's forecast track and significant changes are possible.

NOTE: Do not focus on the exact track.
Impacts can occur well outside the area enclosed by the cone.



Wind Speed Probabilities

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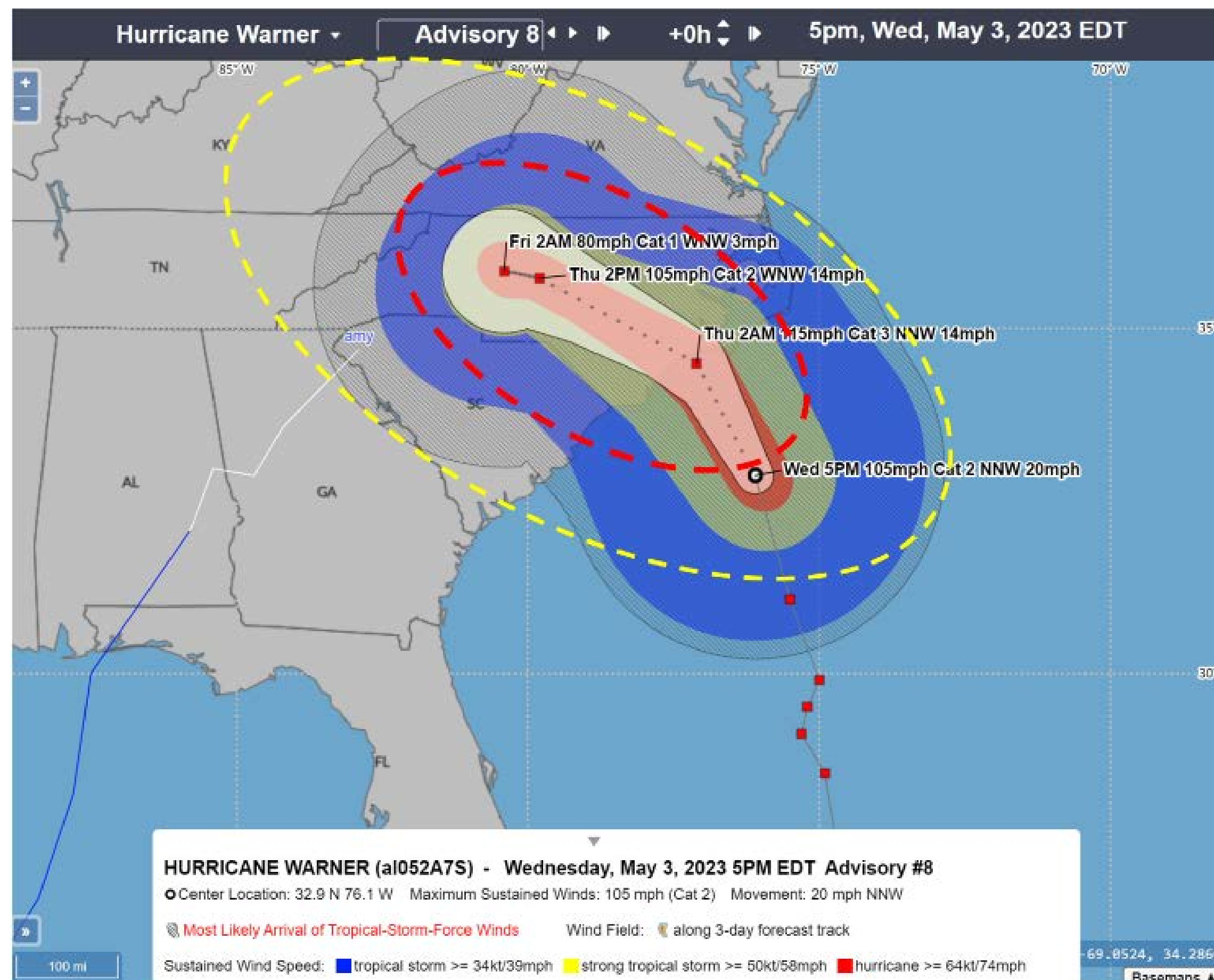


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- Probabilities are not very high due to track uncertainty.
- Tropical storm force winds may arrive as early as sometime late Monday night or early Tuesday.



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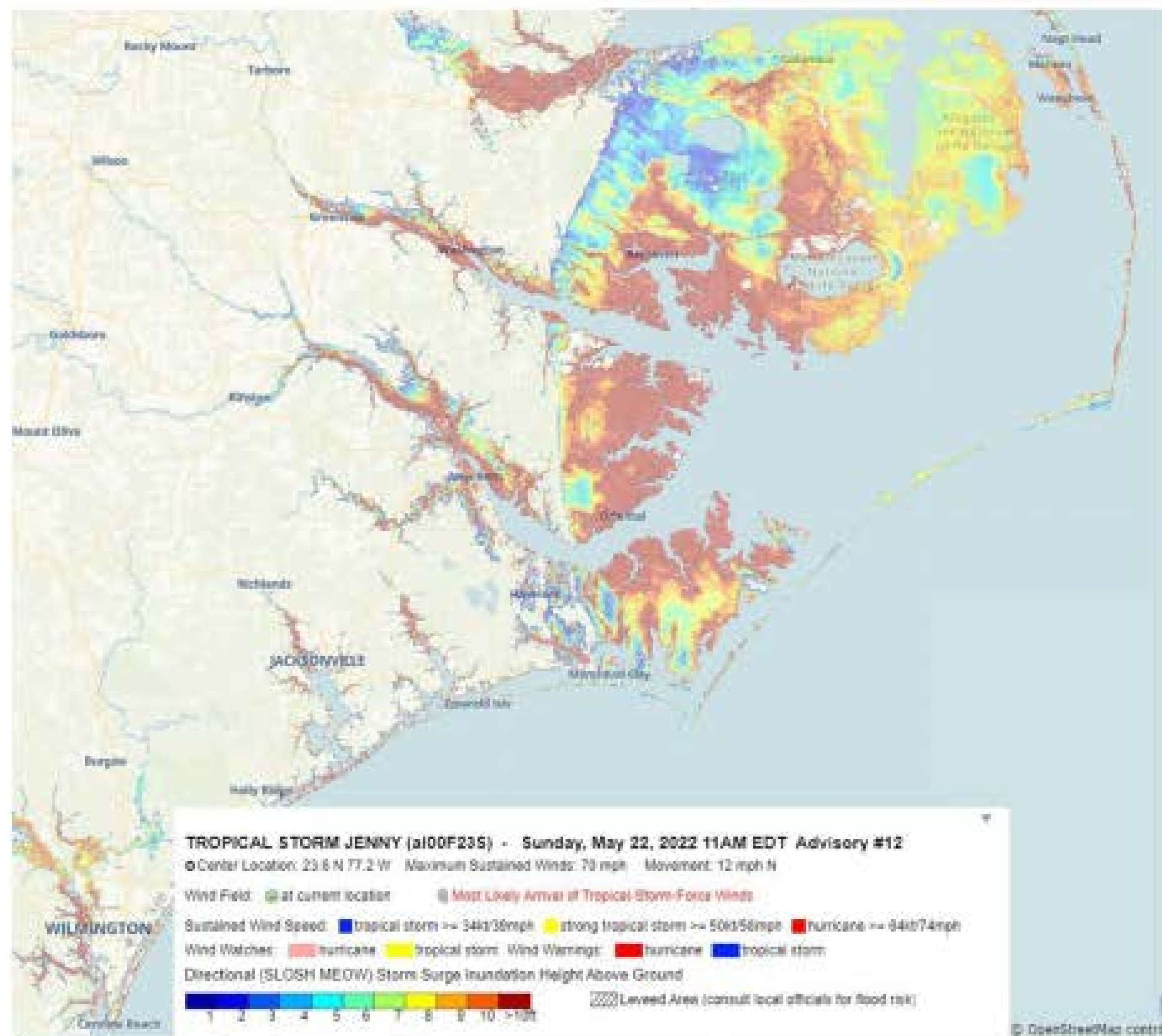
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- The threat for hurricane force winds is increasing and is now over 5% for most of Eastern North Carolina.
- Probabilities are not very high due to track uncertainty.
- Probability of hurricane force winds may increase as arrival time gets closer.
- Tropical storm force winds are most likely sometime Tuesday or Tuesday night.



Potential Storm Surge Flooding



- Extensive storm surge is expected in our area.
- Reasonable worst case scenario is 5 to 10+ feet Coastal Onslow/Carteret.
- 8 to 13+ feet possible Neuse River (New Bern), Pamlico River, Pungo River and Pamlico Sound.


Note: This graphic shows where storm surge inundation could occur in any one location. It depicts a reasonable worst case scenario.





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