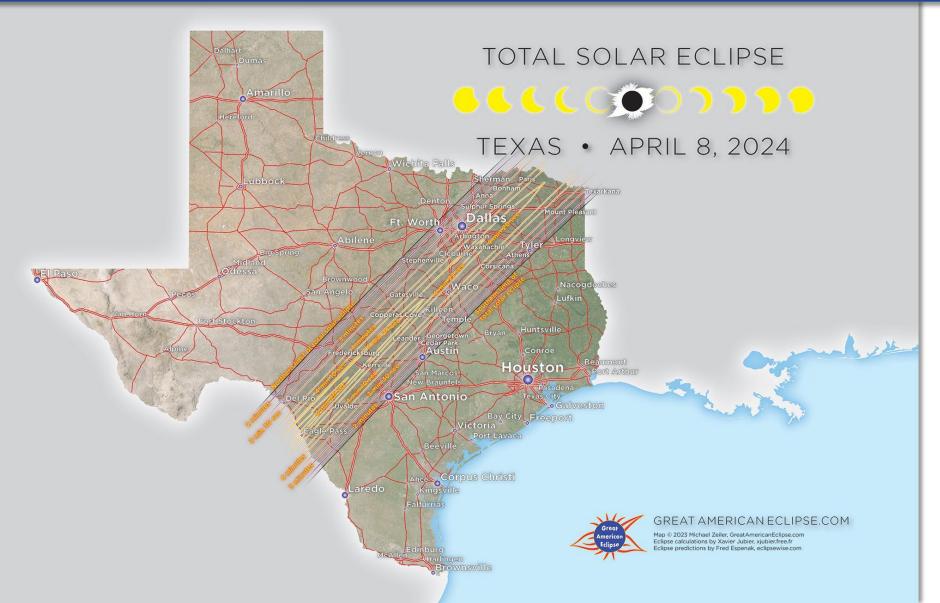


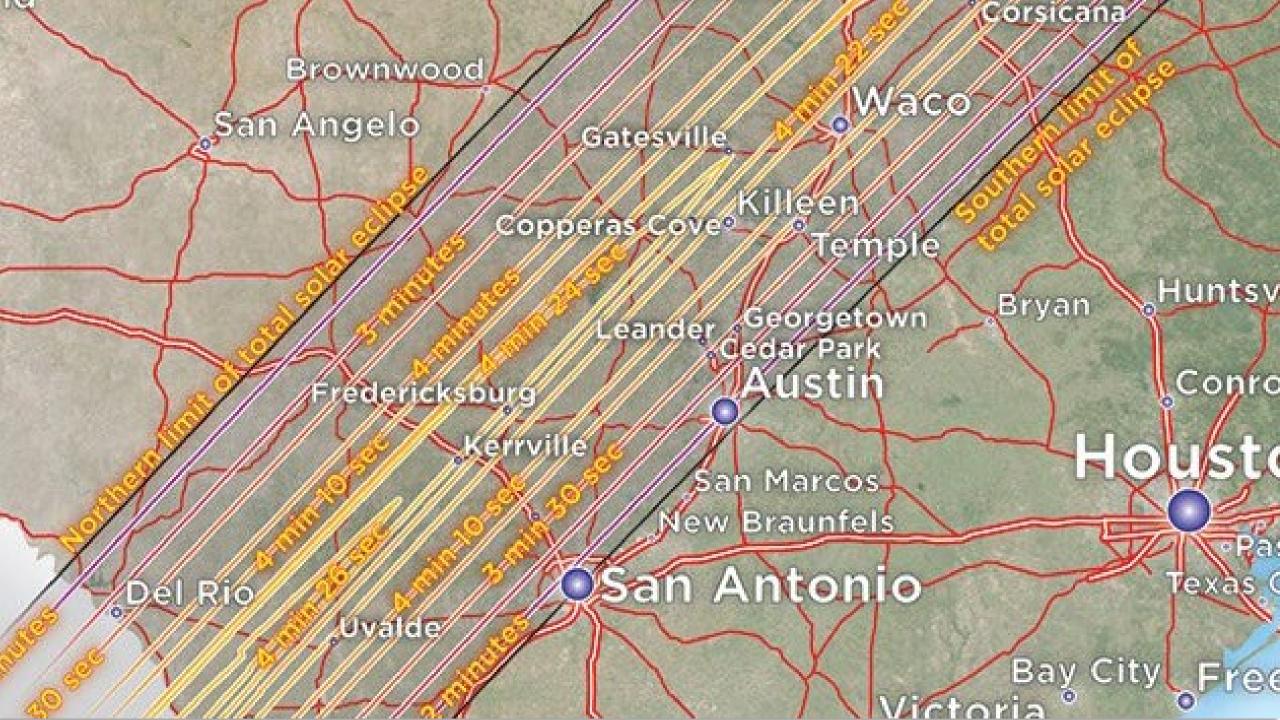
April 8 Eclipse Update

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PEC Eclipse Planning



- Partial eclipse will begin around 12:15 p.m.
- Total eclipse is predicted to be near 1:30 p.m. areas of PEC's service territory could experience 4 minutes of the total eclipse
- After totality, another partial eclipse will last until approximately 3:00 p.m.



PEC Eclipse Planning

- PEC's service territory will be a prime viewing destination more than 1 million visitors expected statewide, with 200,000 in the Hill Country alone
- Anticipating the normal one-hour trip from Marble Falls to Austin could take more than six hours to complete surrounding the eclipse
- Most schools in our service area will be closed on April 8



Area Communication Concerns

- Hardwired internet and landlines should operate as normal
 - Cities, counties, and first responders will default to radios if needed
- Cell service will be slow similar to being in a large, crowded area; Wi-Fi calling is encouraged
- Text messages should behave normally; images will be slow to send or fail
- Cities and counties are partnering with mobile providers to bring in additional cell towers



PEC Eclipse Planning: Staffing Plan

- Goal to have as many employees as possible working remotely on Monday, April 8
- DOC will run in parallel beginning Friday, April 5 at backup operations center and fully transition activities over the weekend
- Operations crews will be at offices and strategic staging for power restoration activities and will use radios as a first line of communication; law enforcement assistance is possible



PEC Eclipse Planning: Operations/Engineering

- Completing facility and resource management plan
 - Closure of PEC parking lots
 - Monitoring HQ and Marble Falls campuses
 - Fuel supply
- Locating areas with high chance of lockout, installing reclosers in problematic areas
- Determining crew and equipment staging areas
- Beginning Friday, April 5, the following will be paused until Wednesday, April 10:
 - Construction work orders
 - AMI installations
 - Delinquency disconnects

PEC Eclipse Planning: External Relations

- Employee communications on remote work and in-office reporting expectations will be shared
- Outage management
 - Member relations agents will work remotely
 - IVR message communicating potential restoration delays due to eclipse traffic
 - Updated Kubra outage map banners notifying members of eclipse
 - Modified text messaging template acknowledge potential delay due to eclipse activities and roadway congestion
- Street lights will not be turned off for eclipse



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