April 8, 2024 Total Solar Eclipse



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Total Solar Eclipses: 2017 vs. 2024

	August 21, 2017	April 8, 2024
Population in path	12 million	32 million
Max Duration	2 min 40.2 secs	4 min 28.1 secs
Path width	71 miles	124 miles







What to Expect

- Population influx
- Extreme demand for local resources
 - Fuel
 - Food
- Stresses to local infrastructure
- Local income generation
 - Merchandise
- Educational opportunities







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Community Planning

- Population surge
- Local emergency operational support
 - Crowd management
 - Increased roadway hazards
 - Staffing needs and costs
- Traffic management egress support
 - Route planning
- Local infrastructure stresses
 - How will impact normal operations?
 - Public/Private
- Health, safety and welfare





Statewide Efforts

- Formed a state-level Eclipse Planning Task Force
- Development of state level plans, and agency specific plans
 - Preparing Emergency Operations Plan for the eclipse
 - Developing exercises for plan review
- Preparing guidance documents and links to information
- State Eclipse website







