# April 8, 2024 Total Solar Eclipse



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### What to Expect in your County

- 9 Ohio counties intersect with the center line of totality
- 26 Ohio counties have the entirety of their county within the area of totality
- 20 counties have only part of county in the area of totality
- 33 counties are outside area of totality – partial eclipse only





### What is the Ohio Doing?

- Formed a State-level Eclipse Planning Task Force
- Development of state level plans, and agency specific plans
  - Preparing Emergency Operation Plan for Eclipse
  - Developing exercises for plan review
- Preparing local planning guidance documents and links to information
- State Eclipse Web Site



## Ohio Eclipse Planning Task Force

































































Department of Education

Department of Development

Public Utilities Commission

Department of Administrative Services Department of Health

Department of Commerce

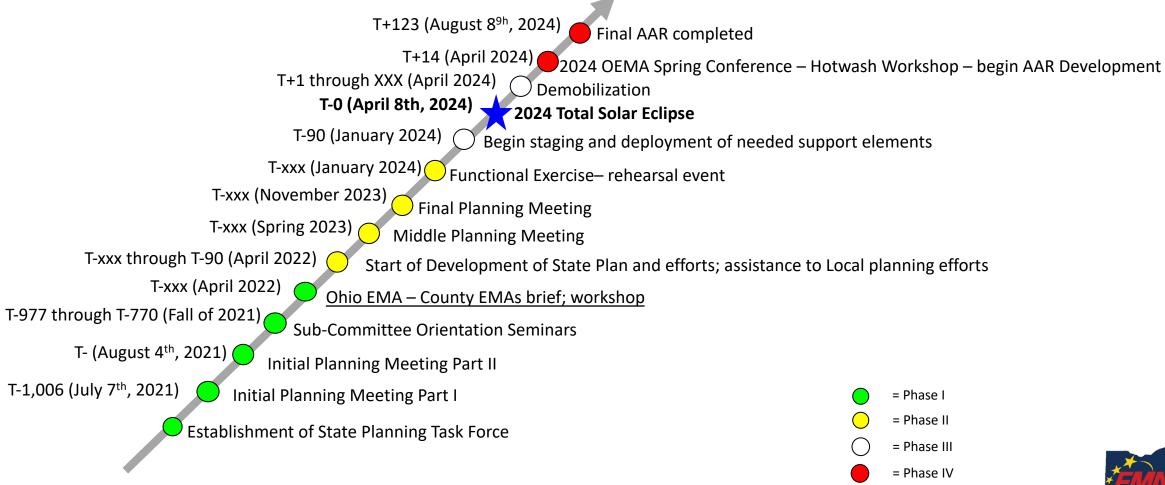


## **State Eclipse Planning Task Force**

- The Task force has six sub-committees:
  - Communications and Operations
  - Health and Safety
  - Transportation
  - Viewing, Lodging and Local Support
  - Resources and Logistics
  - Education



## **State Planning TF Timeline**



#### **DO PLAN FOR**

- Local eclipse festivals and viewing parties "Arrive Early, Stay Late"
- Population surge
- Traffic management egress support
- Local infrastructure stresses
- Local operational support –
  public works, law enforcement,
  supplies, sanitation, cellular comm.
- Health, safety and welfare





### **Don't Wait – Consider...**

- Budgeting needs
- Staffing levels
- Supply needs
- Conducting other needs assessments
  - Survey to agencies within your jurisdiction
- High-risk populations



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