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Hurricane Jose to Bring Rain, Wind to New England, L.I. Later this Week

Hurricane Jose is forecast to remain offshore, but some outer rain bands and windy conditions are still expected from Long Island in New York through New England during Wednesday-Thursday, a meteorologist at a bank told OPIS on Monday.

Jose is located over the western Atlantic as a Category 1 hurricane with 85-mph winds.

Hurricane Maria is located over the eastern Caribbean as a Category 1 hurricane with 90-mph winds. Maria is forecast to strengthen with winds up to 140 mph by Wednesday. Long-range weather models show Maria heading northward over the western Atlantic next week. The bank will monitor for any threat to the East Coast regarding Maria.

Maria is expected to head to Puerto Rico and the Dominican Republic on Wednesday and Thursday, possibly reaching the Bahamas this weekend, according to the projected storm track.

Tropical Depression Lee is located over the central Atlantic with 35-mph winds. Lee is forecast to weaken over the Atlantic with no threat to land.

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