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Smoke from Distant Wildfires to Impact Beaufort County

A special weather statement was issued today for our area by the National Weather Service Charleston.

Smoke from wildfires across the southern Appalachians will continue to impact Southeast South Carolina today. Visibilities as low as 1-3 miles can be expected at times.

The statement provides precautionary and preparedness actions:

Active children and adults as well as those with respiratory ailments that can be triggered by smoke should severely limit outdoor activity and stay indoors. Everyone else should limit prolonged outdoor activities. Motorists should be alert for sudden changes in visibilities.