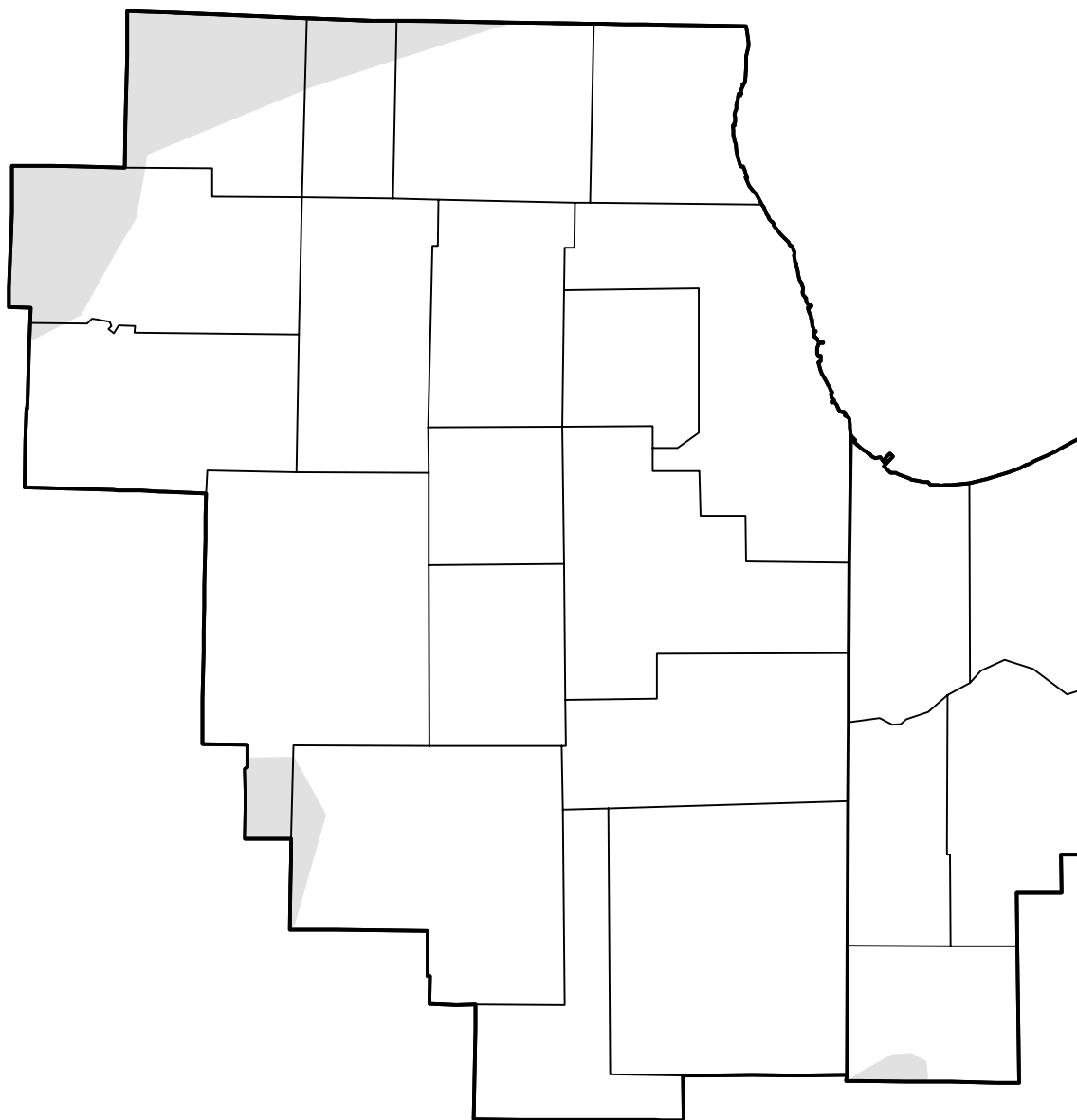


U.S. Drought Monitor Chicago, IL WFO



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	93.63	6.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 02-01-2018	94.17	5.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 11-09-2017	97.77	2.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2018	97.96	2.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-28-2017	18.34	77.36	4.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 02-09-2017	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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