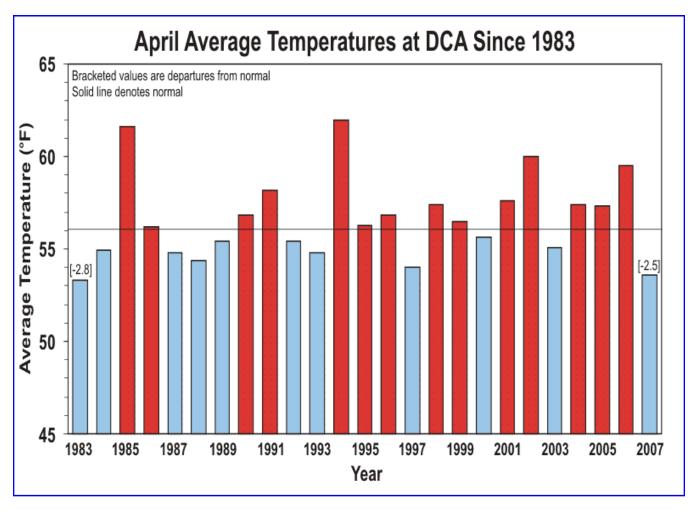






APRIL 2007: Coolest April Since 1983 in Washington; Above Normal Precipitation Across Area



April Highlights

- Above normal precipitation and subnormal temperatures across area
- ₹ From 5th-17th, coldest on record in Washington since 1907, and coldest ever in Baltimore, with daily departures of -10.2°F at DCA, -9.2°F at BWI, and -9.2°F at IAD
- Five consecutive days (5th-9th) with highs below 50°F at many locations including the three major airports, the first such occurrence in Washington since 1898
- BWI and IAD recorded 6 consecutive days in April with lows at or below freezing (6th-11th); 3 days at DCA (7th-9th)
- Six days with highs at or above 80°F across area, the most such April days at DCA since 2002
- Major storm system drenched area on 14th-15th with more than 2 inches of rain, flooded roadways;
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- Southern Maryland measured 2"-4" inches of wet snow on 7th during early morning hours, including 4" in Leonardtown, MD; about half inch across the rest of the metro areas