

# Heat wave setting records around the world

Global warming making hot temps more frequent

The Associated Press

If you've been hot lately, you're not alone. Record high temperatures have been logged over the past two weeks in the United States and around the world.

Here's a quick look at the heat.

## What's going on?

For the week through last Tuesday, 227 U.S. records were broken for highest temperature for particular days, and another 157 were tied, federal statistics show.

There was also a lack of cooling overnight, with 451 records broken for warmest minimum temperatures for particular days, and another 421 tied. In Burlington, Ver-

mont, for example, the temperature got down only to 80 degrees last Monday, its highest low temperature ever.

Some other countries have seen all-time highs, such as 105 degrees in Tbilisi, the capital of the nation of Georgia, on Wednesday, and 109 degrees in Baku, the capital of Azerbaijan, last Sunday. Last Monday, Iran experienced its hottest July temperature ever, 127 degrees.

## Climate change to blame?

Heat waves are a part of every summer, and scientists hesitate to link any single weather event to the warming climate that researchers have measured over long periods of time.

Still, Matthew Rosencrans of the National Weather service says that because of global warming, "heat waves like this are likely to be more frequent going forward than they have been in the past."

Jeff Masters, director of meteorology for the private forecasting



The sun sets behind the Statue of Liberty last Sunday. Along with the heat wave, there has been a lack of cooling overnight, with 451 records broken for warmest minimum temperatures.

service Weather Underground, said the past week's heat wave "is the kind of thing you expect to see on a warming planet . . . it's easier to set a heat record."

He notes that 2016 was the warmest year on record globally, and that year saw the

most all-time heat records broken around the world.

## Is any relief in sight?

The coming week will be pretty hot over most of the United States, especially in the West, forecasters say. For the

last two weeks of July, temperatures over the eastern half of the country are likely to be closer to average than they were this past week, while probably remaining above average in the western part of the country and the southern Plains.

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