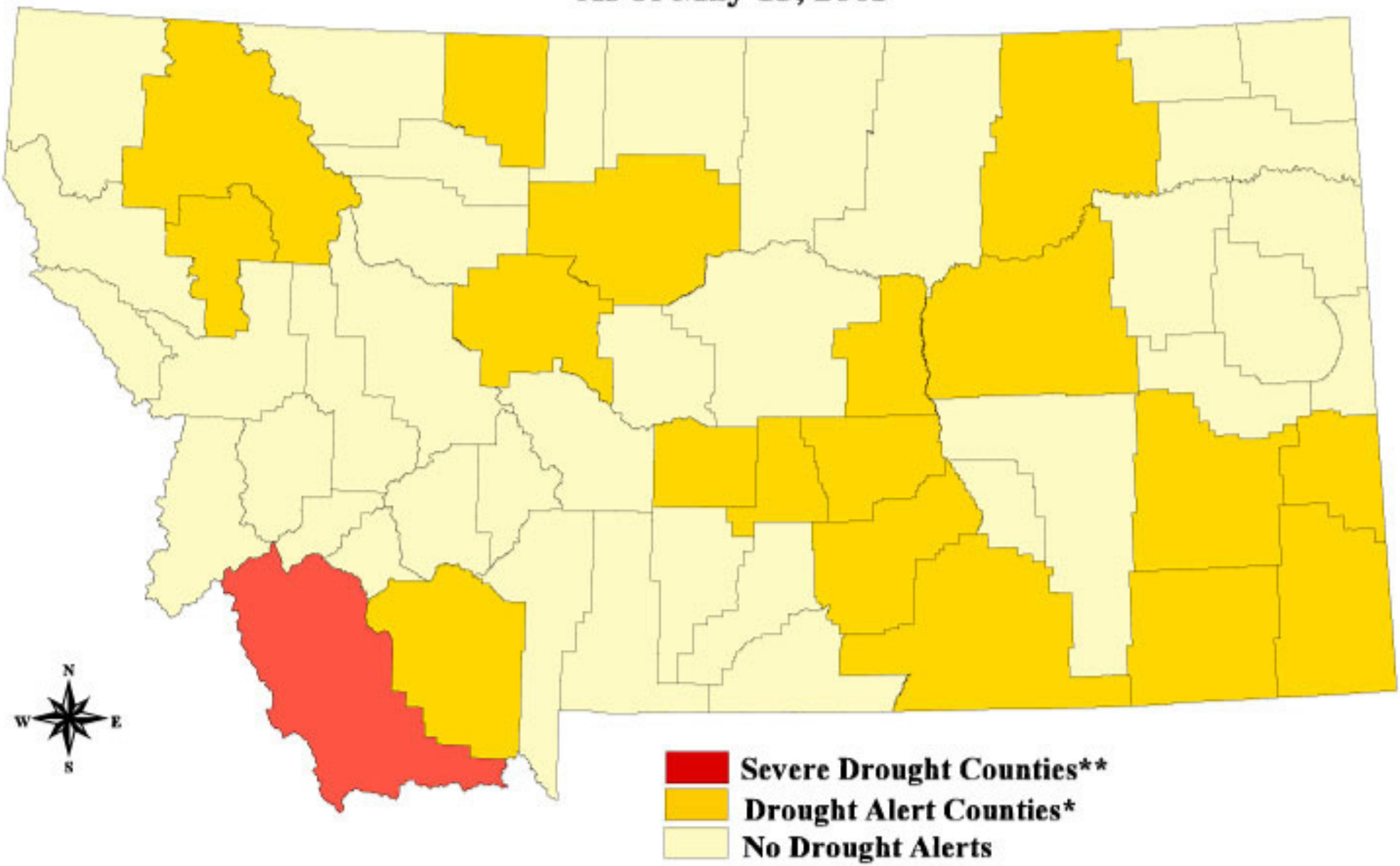
Montana Drought Status

As of May 15, 2003



** A drought alert will be in effect when, by April 15, monitoring indicates that a county is entering initial levels of drought.*
*** A county or region will be assigned a severe drought status when drought indices indicate steadily worsening conditions and precipitation forcasts indicate no improvement in the near future.*