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## Top DEP Clips

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exploreVenango: DEP Lifts Drought Watch In Ten Counties, As Twenty Remain On Watch And Three On Warning  
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<https://www.yourerie.com/wx/weather-headlines/drought-watch-for-erie-county-lifted/>

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