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ALERT SEVERE WEATHER

stay aware, be prepared...

SEVERE WEATHER HAZARD REPORT

Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management

Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies

5/30/2018 – 2:55pm

Watches/Warnings:

No watches or warnings at this time

Hazards:

Tornado	Limited
Hail	Limited
Lightning	Limited
Severe Thunderstorms	Elevated
Thunderstorm Wind Gusts	Elevated

Discussion:

Thunderstorms will move across Kansas this evening and into the Ozarks overnight. Damaging thunderstorm wind gusts up to 70mph and quarter-size hail are all possible. An isolated tornado risk cannot be ruled out. Thunderstorms should expect to weaken as they push into the eastern Ozarks after 7am Thursday.

Long Term:

Strong to severe thunderstorms may develop Thursday afternoon into the evening. Heat index values in the middle to upper 90's will continue into the weekend.

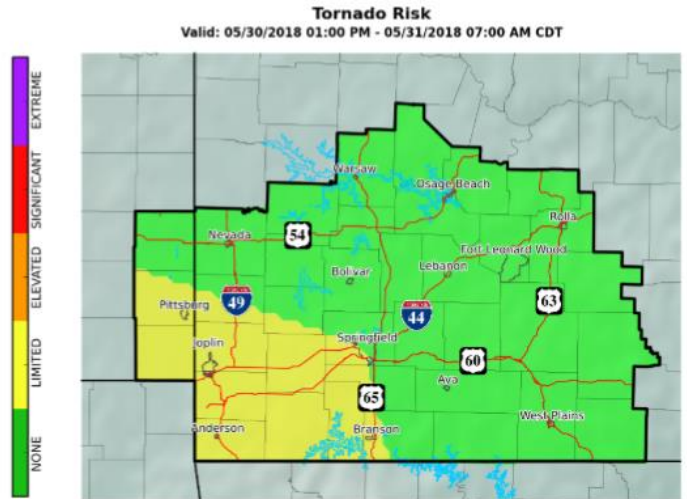
Citizen Action Statement:

Citizens should consider the following guidance:

- Citizens with outdoor recreational plans along area rivers and streams should be alert for the potential for lightning strikes and rapidly rising water levels. *“Turn around...don't drown!”*
- Have a severe weather shelter plan! Don't wait until severe weather is imminent to figure out where to shelter.
- Have a way of receiving severe weather warnings (NOAA Weather Radio, social media, news media, etc.)
- Take shelter when lightning is in the area! *“When thunder roars...go indoors!”*

Emergency Management Issues:

- All interested parties should continue to monitor the situation for continuing forecast changes
- The OEM will be monitoring "WxNet" (B-15) on Greene County 800 TRS
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Severe Storm Chances Late Tonight

More Storms Possible Thursday Afternoon

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