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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

06/02/2018 – 7:15am

Watches/Warnings:

Severe Thunderstorm Watch until 12pm

Hazards:

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

Discussion:

Thunderstorms are expected to move from southeast Kansas into central Missouri this morning but dissipate before reaching Interstate 44. This afternoon, severe thunderstorms will impact the area between 1pm-8pm. The main threats expected are tennis ball-sized hail, wind gusts up to 70mph, isolated tornados, and localized flooding. These storms are expected to push south of the area by the overnight hours.

Long Term:

No severe weather is expected for Sunday.

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
- Follow OEM: Twitter @gcoem or Facebook/SpringfieldGreeneOEM

Tornado Risk

Valid: 06/02/2018 05:00 AM - 06/03/2018 07:00 AM CDT

