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FLOODING HAZARD REPORT

Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management

Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies

09/06/2018 – 15:00

Current Warnings and Watches:

Flash Flood Watch begins September 7 at 12:00 through September 9 at 24:00.

Hazards:

Flooding	<i>Elevated</i>
Lightning	<i>Limited</i>

Summary:

A few scattered showers and thunderstorms could occur this afternoon and evening. They are not included as part of the flood hazard.

However, Tropical Storm Gordon will begin to impact the area beginning Friday afternoon as it slowly moves through the area. Currently, Greene County can expect around 4 inches of rain through Sunday morning. The primary hazard is heavy rains that result in flash flooding with the potential for a few thunderstorms. Flooding after dark on Friday around low water crossings and small creeks will be of primary concern.

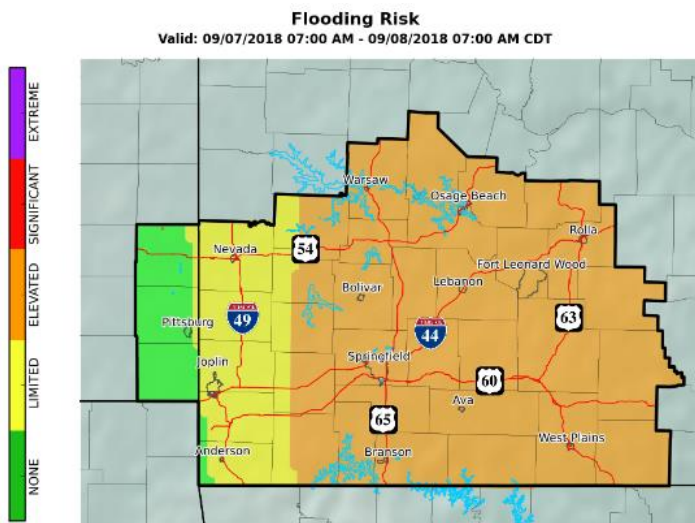
Citizen Action Statement:

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.
- Be able to receive severe weather warnings (NOAA Weather Radio, social media, news media, etc.)
- Take shelter when lightning is in the area! *“When thunder roars...go indoors!”*

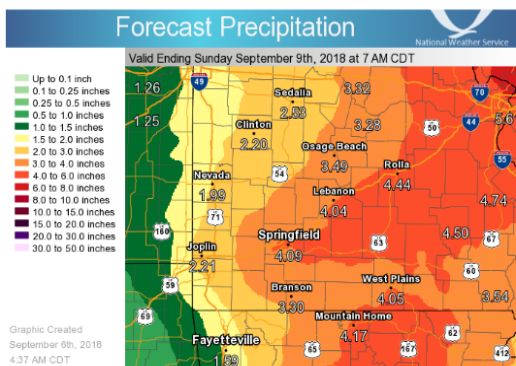
Emergency Management Issues:

- 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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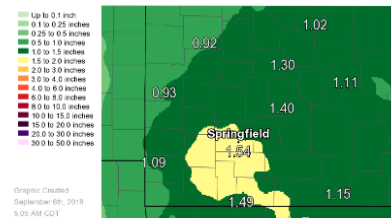
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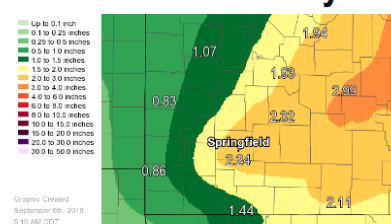
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Storm Total Rainfall



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Rainfall on Friday



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Rainfall on Saturday