



# OEM

# ALERT

## SEVERE WEATHER

stay aware, be prepared...

## SEVERE WEATHER HAZARD REPORT

### Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management

**Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies**  
02/05/2019 – 2:20 pm

### Watches/Warnings:

No watches or warnings at this time.

### Hazards:

Severe Thunderstorms  
Lightning  
Flash Flooding

*Elevated*  
*Limited*  
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### Discussion:

**Tue:** Isolated thunderstorms possible this afternoon through tonight. Small hail and cloud to ground lightning possible with stronger storms.

**Wed:** Showers and thunderstorms will again develop Wed. into Wed. night. Confidence continues to increase for potential strong to severe storms, especially along and south of I-44. Both supercell thunderstorms and line segments of thunderstorms are possible, especially later Wed. night and early Thurs. morning. All modes of severe weather are possible, including tornadoes, damaging straight-line winds, and hail to the size of half dollars. The potential for flash flooding also exists.

**Confidence Level:** **Moderate**

### 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! Review emergency kit and identify closest safe 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:

- Springfield-Greene County EOC is currently at OpCon **Level 4: Monitoring**
- 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

### Severe Thunderstorms Wednesday – Early Thursday Morning

