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SEVERE WEATHER ALERT

stay aware, be prepared...

SEVERE WEATHER HAZARD REPORT

Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management

Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies

05/17/2019 – 15:50

Watches/Warnings:

No watches or warnings in effect.

Hazards:

Severe Storms

Lightning

Flooding

Non T-Storm Wind

5/18

Elevated

Significant

Limited

Limited

Discussion:

Strong storms are expected to develop in the area late Saturday evening and run throughout the night. Hazards include hail up to the size of golf balls, 60 mph wind gusts, and cloud-to-ground lightning strikes. Total rainfall can range between 1 and 2 ½ inches during Saturday, producing the potential for flash flooding in low laying areas. Additional storms and rain may occur Tuesday, May 21, bringing additional high winds and flooding.

Citizen Action Statement:

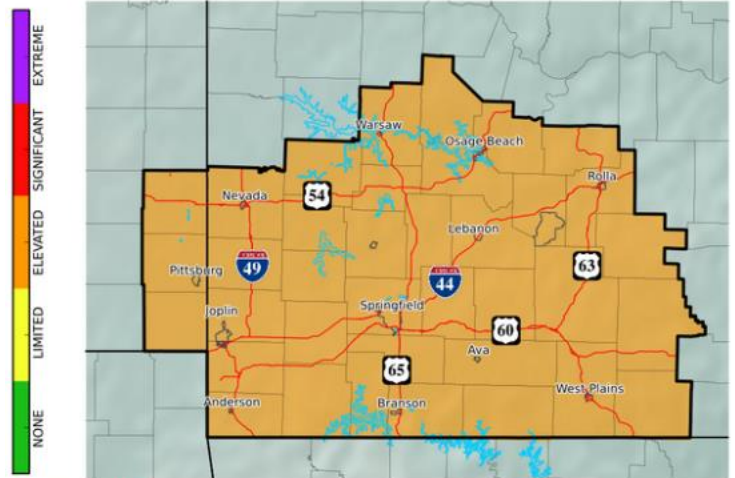
- Have a severe weather shelter plan! Review emergency kit and identify closest safe shelter.
- Have a way of receiving severe weather warnings (NOAA Weather Radio, social media, news media, etc.)
- Take shelter when lightning is in the area!
 - "When thunder roars...go indoors!"
- Citizens with outdoor 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!"

Emergency Management Issues:

- Springfield-Greene County EOC is currently at **OpCon Level 3: Monitoring**
- OEM is monitoring "WxNet" (B-15) on Greene County 800 TRS
- All interested parties should continue to monitor the situation for forecast changes.
- Follow OEM: Twitter @gcoem or Facebook/SpringfieldGreeneOEM

Severe Thunderstorms Risk

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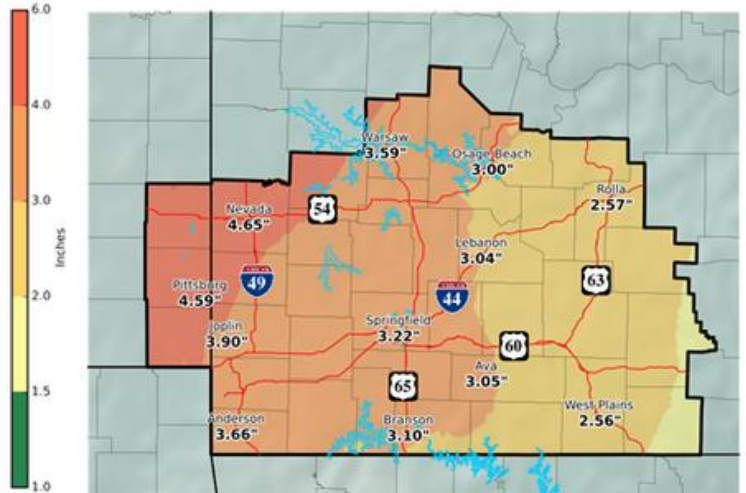


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Rain Forecast *

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***Rainfall potential through 5/21**