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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

08/15/2019 – 1345

Watches/Warnings: No Watches or Warnings in effect.

Hazards:

Severe Storms
Lightning
Wind Gusts

8/15

Limited
Elevated
Limited

Discussion:

Showers and thunderstorms will move into southeast Kansas and west central Missouri after 10:00 PM, eventually spreading southeastward across central and southwest Missouri. The strongest storms are expected to develop northwest of a Columbus, KS to Osceola, MO line after midnight. Damaging straightline winds over 60 mph and over 1-inch hail will be possible with these storms. A very low threat for an isolated tornado will also exist in this area. Cloud to ground lightning and locally heavy rainfall will also be possible, mainly north of Hwy 60.

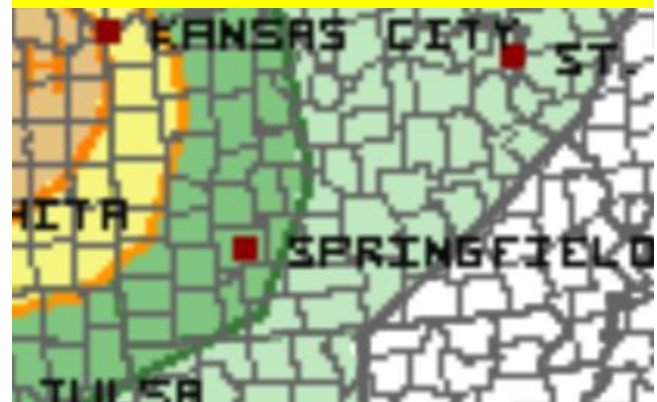
Citizen Action Statement:

- 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:

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

Severe T-Storm Risk



TSTM	1: MRGL	2: SLGT
3: ENH	4: MDT	5: HIGH

Wind Risk



Wind Probability Legend (in %):

5	15	30	45	60	Sig
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