

## **Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies**

3/27/2021 - 0900 hours

Watches/Warnings: No current watches/warnings

<u>Hazards</u>	
Hail	LIMITED
Severe Thunderstorm	LIMITED
Thunderstorm Wind	LIMITED

## Discussion:

Scattered thunderstorms are expected to develop near the Interstate 44 corridor late this afternoon along a southeastward advancing cold front. These storms will then expand in coverage while pushing southeast into southcentral Missouri this evening. Storms should then exit the Missouri Ozarks shortly after midnight.

Enough instability and wind shear will be present to support the potential for a few severe storms. Hail to the size of half dollars and damaging wind gusts will be the primary potential severe weather hazards.

## **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: Partial Activation (Virtual/Physical)
- All interested parties should continue to monitor the situation for forecast changes.
- Follow OEM: Twitter @gcoem or Facebook/SpringfieldGreeneOEM







