



# OEM

**SEVERE WEATHER ALERT**  
stay aware, be prepared...

## SEVERE WEATHER HAZARD REPORT

Springfield-Greene County  
Office of Emergency Management

### Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies

10/23/2021 – 1530 hours

#### Watches & Warnings

Flood Warning until 1800 on 10/23/21

Hazards	10/23	10/24
Tornado	NONE	ELEVATED
Thunderstorm Wind	NONE	ELEVATED
Severe Thunderstorms	LIMITED	ELEVATED
Hail	LIMITED	ELEVATED

#### Discussion:

Residual flooding may be possible as a result of regional training thunderstorms experienced Saturday morning.

Gusty winds in excess of 30 mph will be possible late Saturday through Sunday ahead of the next system.

Severe thunderstorms are expected Sunday afternoon and evening generally between 1800 and 2100 hours. Gold ball size hail, damaging wind gusts, and tornadoes are all possible Sunday. Confidence is medium to high in this severe weather potential. These storms will form rapidly and move quickly once the front enters the region. It is important to prepare for severe weather now.

#### 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.
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