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SEVERE WEATHER HAZARD REPORT

SEVERE WEATHER ALERT

stay aware, be prepared...

Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management

Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies 03/29/2022 – 1330 hours

Watches/Warnings:

Strong to Severe Weather Outlook

Hazard	03/29	03/30
Excessive Rainfall	LIMITED	LIMITED
Hail	LIMITED	LIMITED
Lightning	LIMITED	LIMITED
Severe Thunderstorm	LIMITED	LIMITED
Tornado	MARGINAL	LIMITED
Thunderstorm Wind	LIMITED	LIMITED

Discussion:

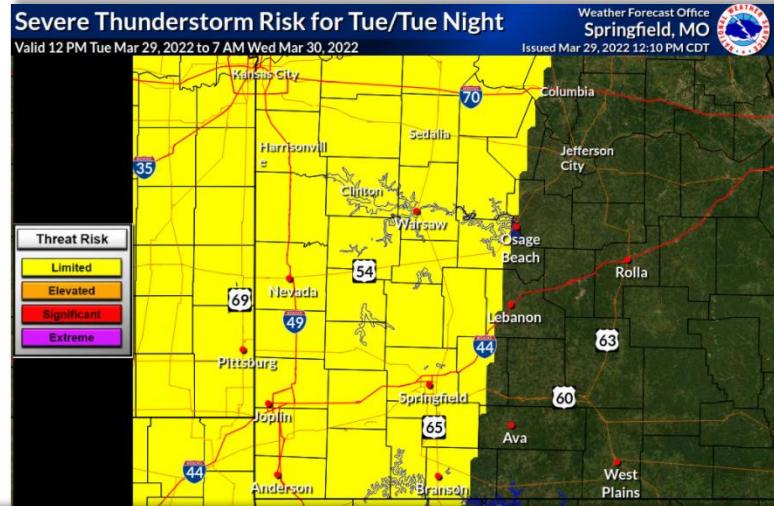
A few strong to severe storms are noted in the area late tonight into Wednesday. Tuesday night into Wednesday morning expect localized rainfall west of the Lake Ozark to Springfield to Branson line. Rainfall totals expected to be 1 – 1.5”, although repeated rounds of heavy rainfall could produce localized flooding. Marginal risk of continued heavy rainfall Wednesday morning through evening through most of Missouri. Strong storm systems from the west bring gusty winds to the area, gusting from 35 to 40mph. Wednesday morning to afternoon there is a marginal to slight risk of severe thunderstorm activity with large hail and damaging winds, tornado activity cannot be ruled out at this time. Highest chance of severe thunderstorm activity are from the southeast of Branson to Rolla line.

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 4: Monitoring**
- OEM will continue to monitor this developing weather situation.
- Follow OEM: [Twitter @gcoem](#) and [Facebook/SpringfieldGreeneOEM](#)
- MoDOT: Traveler Information map: <http://maps.modot.mo.gov/timi/>
- Ozarks Traffic: <http://www.ozarkstraffic.com/>



Severe Outlook Overnight Tonight

March 29, 2022 10:41 AM
Marginal to Slight Risk

Timing



Late tonight into Wednesday Morning.

Actions



Be weather aware and ready to act. Have multiple ways to receive warning information!

Severe Threats



Tornadoes

Isolated tornado possible



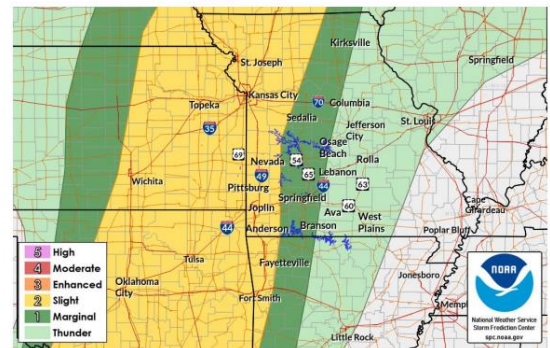
Large Hail

Hail to the size of quarters



Damaging Wind

Wind gusts in excess of 60 mph



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