



HAZARD REPORT

SEVERE WEATHER

SPRINGFIELD-GREENE COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies

06/16/2023 | 1030 hrs Hazard Event #: 23-021

Watches / Warnings / Advisories:

None at the time of this report.

HAZARD	Jun-16	Jun-17	Jun-18
Hail	LIMITED	LIMITED	LIMITED
Lightning	LIMITED	ELEVATED	ELEVATED
Excessive Rainfall	LIMITED	LIMITED	LIMITED
Severe Thunderstorm	LIMITED	LIMITED	LIMITED

DISCUSSION

Scattered showers and storms are expected today (mainly this afternoon) with some storms becoming strong to severe with a 1" hail and 60 mph wind threat. Storm motion will be slow, so locally heavy rainfall could lead to isolated marginal flooding.

Most of Saturday looks dry but strong to severe thunderstorms are possible in the evening into the overnight hours. Timing is still in question, but models have been trending a little later. Locally heavy rainfall is possible Saturday evening into Sunday. Widespread flooding is not expected, but localized flooding is possible.

CITIZEN ACTION STATEMENT

- Have a severe weather shelter plan. Review your emergency kit and identify the 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 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: **OpCon Level 4: Monitoring**

*** OEM will continue to monitor this developing weather situation. ***

ONLINE



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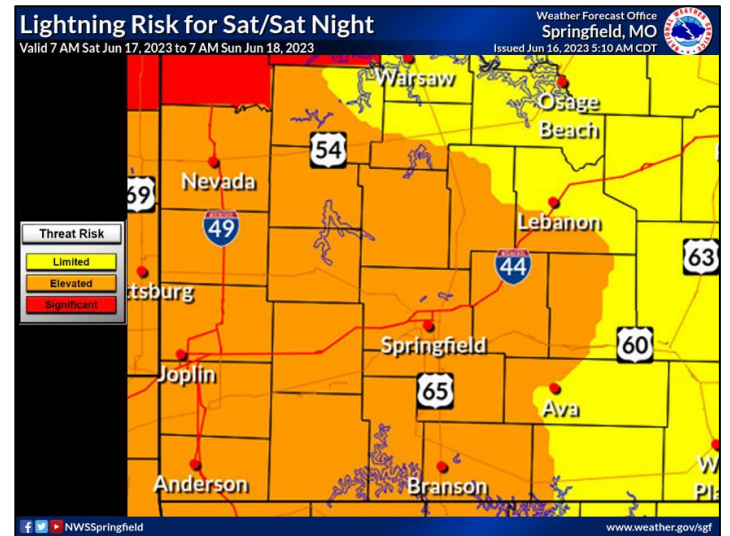
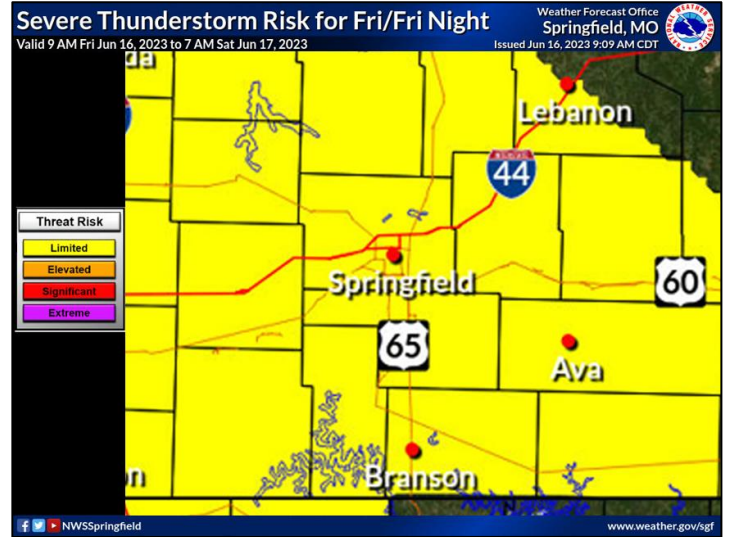
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MoDOT Traveler Info Map



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Lightning is **hotter** than the surface of the Sun and can reach temperatures around

50,000°F

When Thunder Roars Go Indoors
weather.gov/lightning