Severe Storms Possible Today

April 29, 2022
5:42 AM

KEY MESSAGES:

- There is a chance for **significant severe storms** late this afternoon and evening across central and south-central Kansas, mainly along/west of the Flint Hills.
- Thunderstorm coverage should be **quite isolated,** with possibly only 1-2 storms from central Kansas south through Oklahoma.
- However, any storm that forms will have potential to produce **very large hail, damaging winds, and tornadoes, some of which could be strong (EF2+).**
- **Significant severe threat will diminish by mid to late evening** as storm coverage increases and forms a line generally along and east of I-135. **Quarter size hail and 60-70 mph winds** will remain possible with this activity across eastern and southeast KS **through about 2 AM.**

IMPORTANT UPDATES: Little change since last issuance.

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Greatest threat in the orange shaded area

When

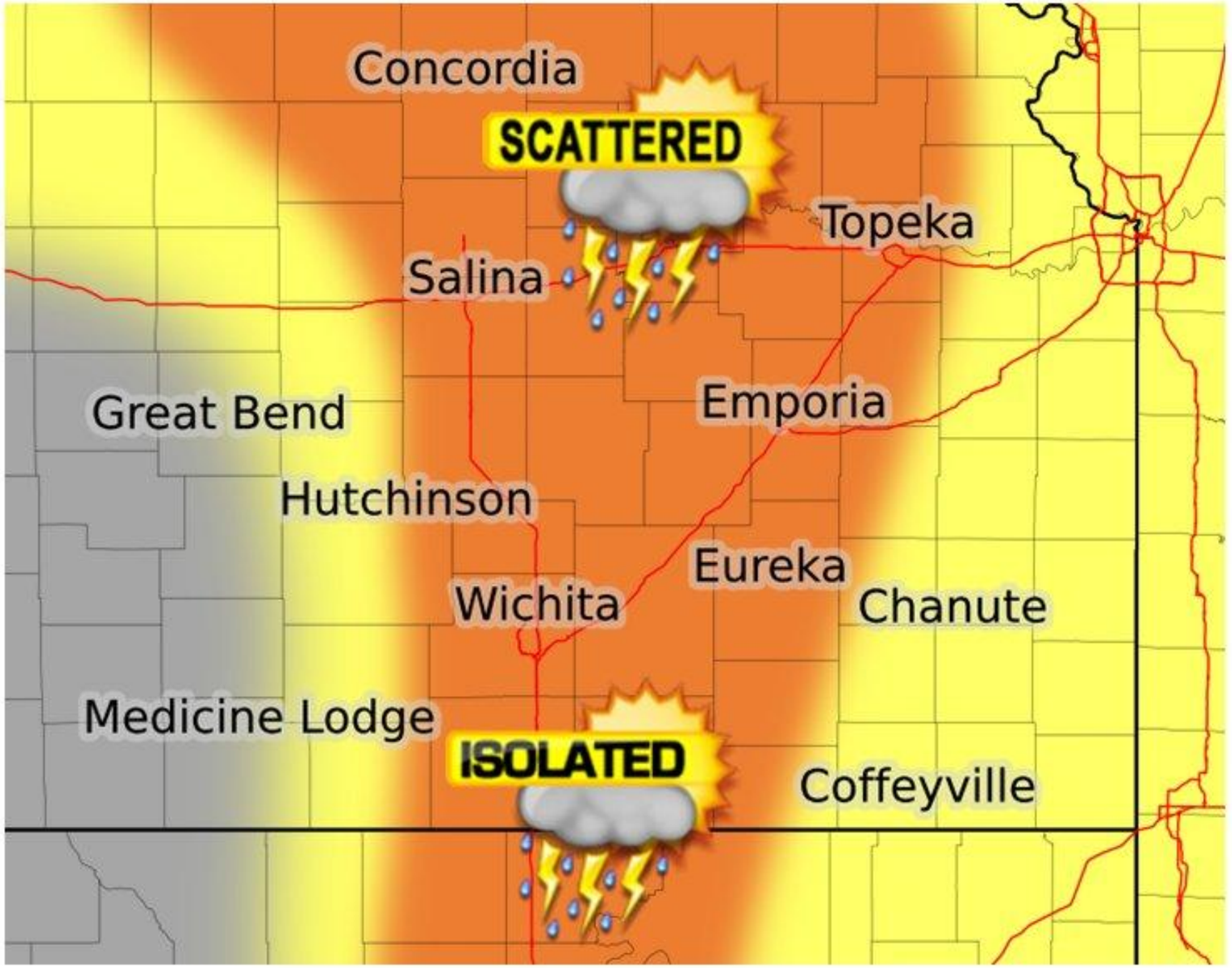
- 4-10 PM

Threats

- Very large hail
- Damaging winds
- Tornadoes, some of which could be strong

Forecast Considerations

- Storms should be quite isolated, especially from central KS on southward, so definitely not everyone will see severe storms



Forecast Confidence

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Location

Low	Medium	**High**

The significant severe threat will be generally along and west of the Flint Hills across central and south-central KS

Magnitude

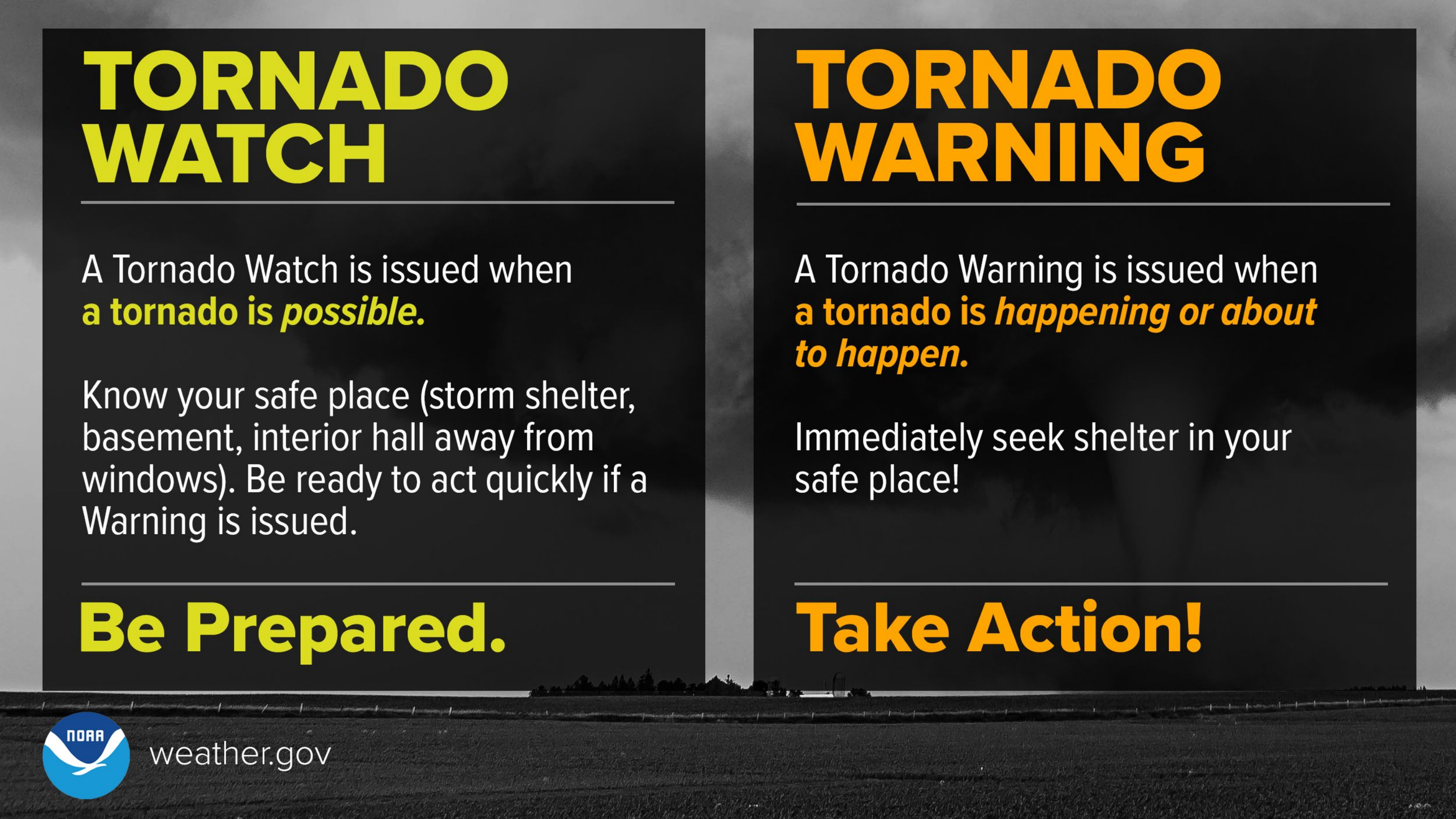
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Very large hail, damaging winds, and tornadoes (some of which could be strong) will be possible with any storm that can develop

Storm Coverage

Low	Medium	High

Thunderstorm coverage could be quite isolated, so not everyone will see severe weather


TORNADO WATCH
A Tornado Watch is issued when a tornado is *possible.*
Know your safe place (storm shelter, basement, interior hall away from windows). Be ready to act quickly if a Warning is issued.
Be Prepared.
TORNADO WARNING
A Tornado Warning is issued when a tornado is *happening or about to happen.*
Immediately seek shelter in your safe place!
Take Action!
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Your Safe Place from Tornadoes



Tornadoes can be extremely dangerous. **Safe places are storm shelters and basements, but if not available, an interior room without windows can also be protective.** If you receive a tornado warning, take shelter immediately!

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