

DAILY DART

WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

April 2, 2026

Severe Weather Outlook Central U.S.

- Chicago, Milwaukee and several other Midwest metros are in the path of a dangerous severe weather threat that covers more than 45 million people across the region.
- According to NOAA's Storm Prediction Center, thunderstorms capable of producing a strong tornado (EF 2+) are likely across parts of Chicagoland, Rockford as well as parts of southern Wisconsin and eastern Iowa.



- Thunderstorms are expected to develop and intensify by late Thursday over the Central Plains and shift over the Midwest and Great Lakes through the afternoon and into the evening.
- According to the FOX Forecast Center, damaging wind gusts of 75 mph or stronger and tornadoes are the primary severe weather hazards expected.
- The risk of strong (EF-2+) tornadoes spans a corridor more than 700 miles long, from Missouri to Michigan.
- The Storm Prediction Center has issued a Level 3 out of 5 risk of severe thunderstorms for southern Wisconsin, just south of Milwaukee; northern Illinois, including Chicago; and eastern Iowa.
- Storms are expected to form over Iowa by late Thursday morning, reaching Illinois and Wisconsin by noon and St. Louis and Chicago shortly after, with the threat lasting through the first half of the evening.
- As storms weaken, heavy rain will remain, creating a localized flash flood threat late Thursday across Wisconsin, Michigan, and northern Illinois. A widespread 1-2 inches of rain is expected across the Midwest and parts of the Great Lakes through Thursday.

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Requests

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
IL*	Severe Storms and Flooding July 25 - 28, 2025 (Appeal)	11/21/2025	Pending	3 Counties
WA	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides/Mudslides. Dec 5-22, 2025	1/21/2026	Pending	10 Counties

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TN	Severe Winter Storm Jan 22 & continuing	1/28/2026	Pending	23 Counties
MS	Severe Winter Storm Jan 23-27, 2026	2/3/2026	Pending	36 Counties
HI	Severe Storms, Flooding, Land- slides/Mudslides March 10 & continuing	3/23/2026	Pending	4 Counties

*Award of task order to contractor pending

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
	N/A			

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