

Tuesday's Severe Weather Potential:

LEVEL 3



THREATS



Key Points

What: Scattered to widespread thunderstorms will develop late afternoon/early evening and persist into the night. Threats include the possibility for large to very hail, damaging winds, locally heavy rain, and a tornado cannot be ruled out.

Greatest Severe Threat Timing: 4pm-Midnight CDT

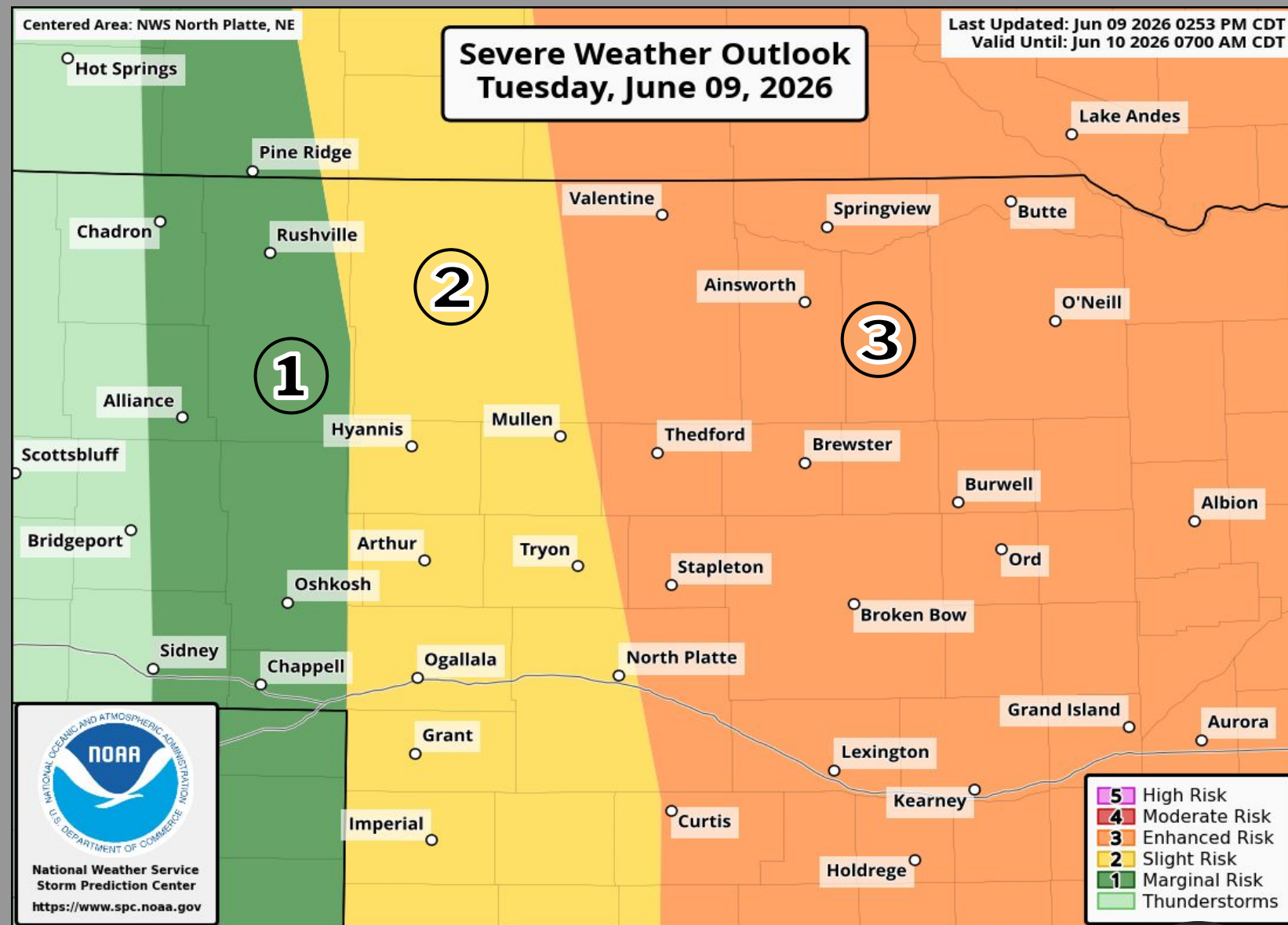
Actions

- Have multiple ways to receive watch and warning info
- Make sure your safe place is accessible
- Stay weather aware!

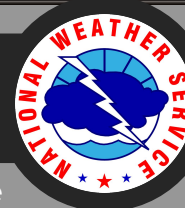
An Enhanced Risk Means...

- More persists and/or widespread storms, a few intense
- **Several severe storms could be significant**

"Significant" defined as: Gusts at least 75 mph, hail at least 2 inches, and/or Tornado EF-2+



NWS NORTH PLATTE



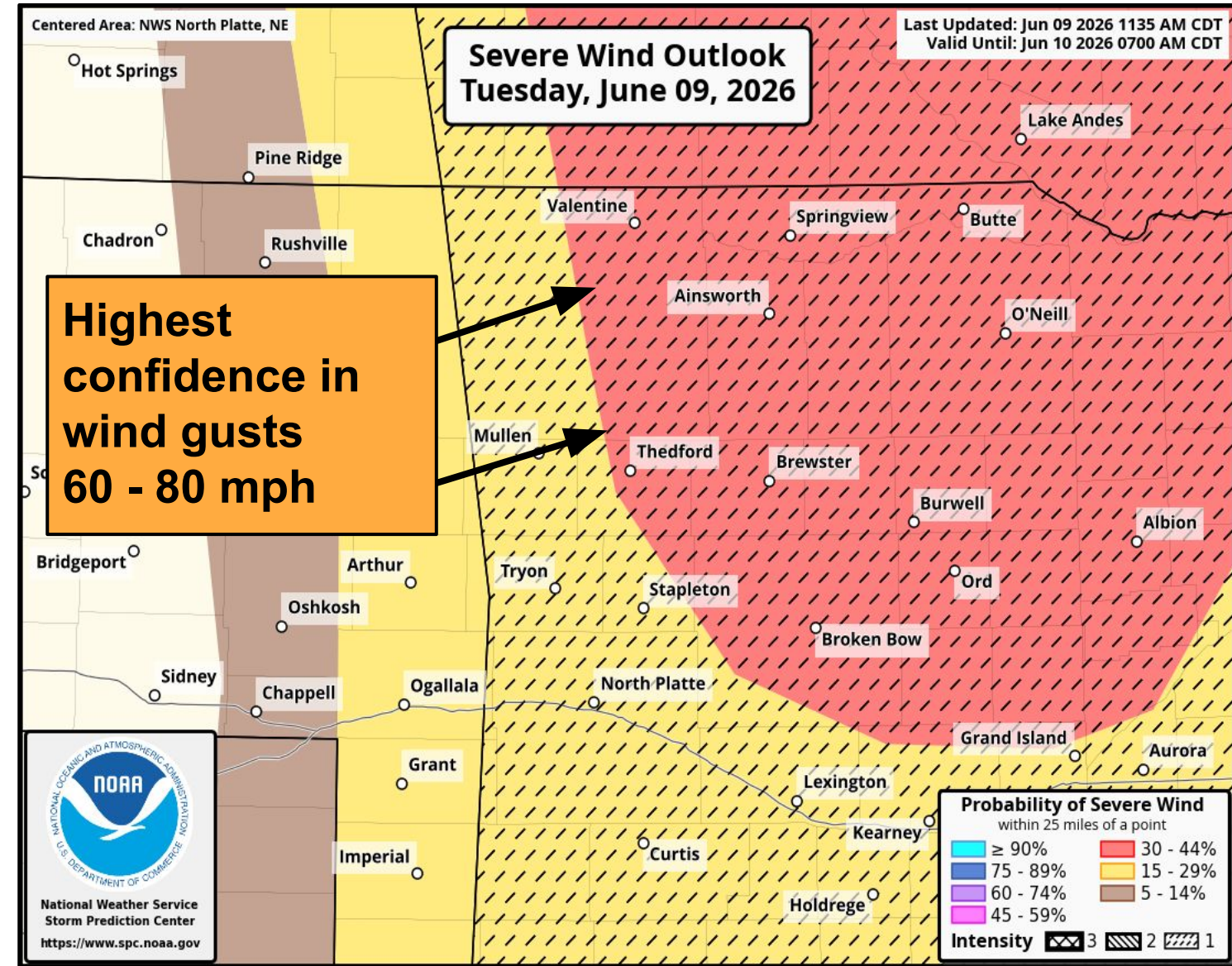
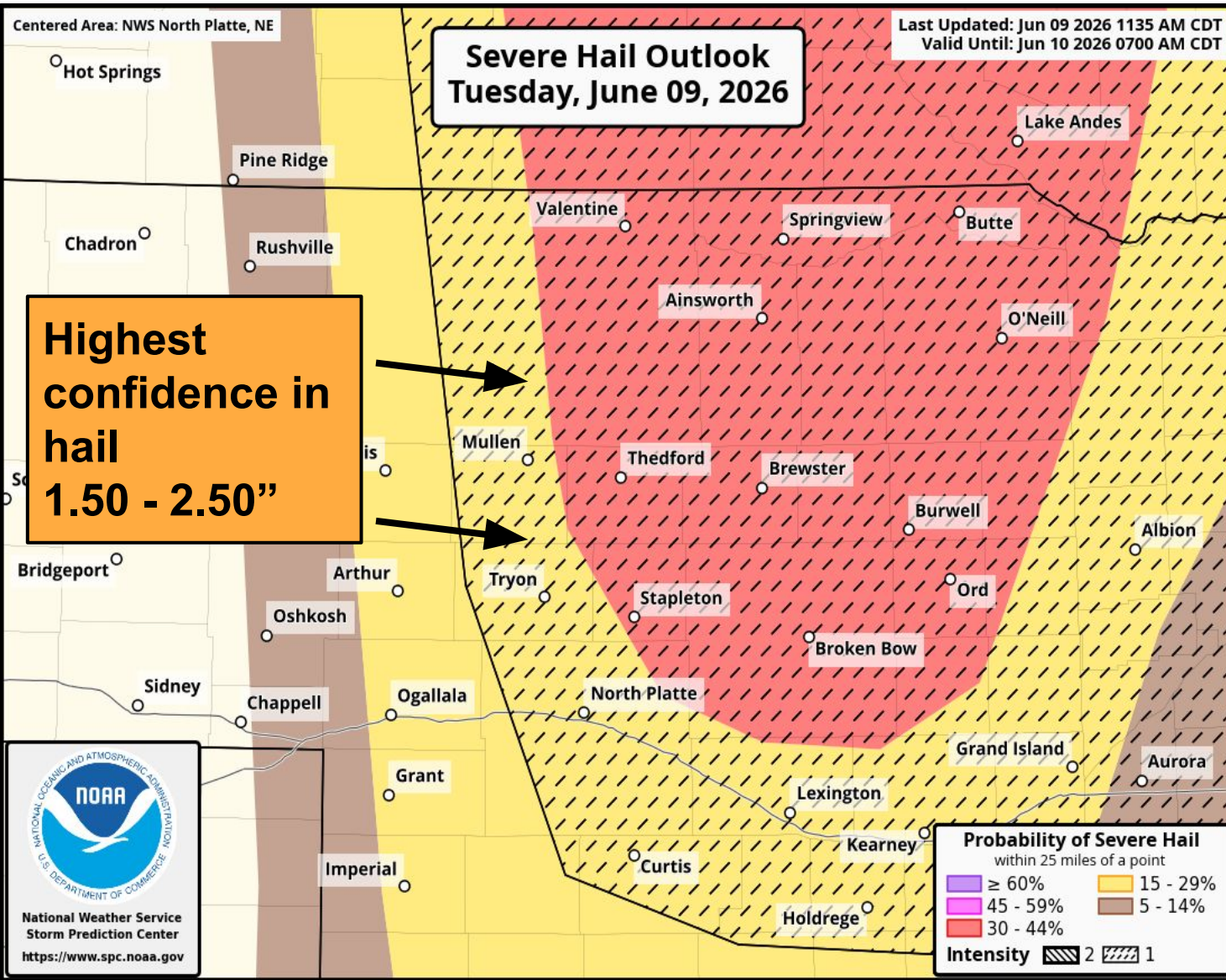


Today's Severe Weather Outlook

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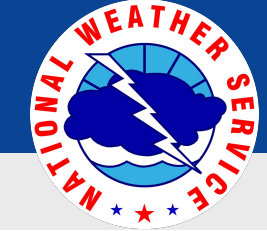
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Severe Hail and Severe Wind Graphics



Hail up to 1.50 - 2.50" diameter
Greatest potential in the hatched area.

Wind Gusts up to 60 - 80 mph
Greatest potential in the hatched area.



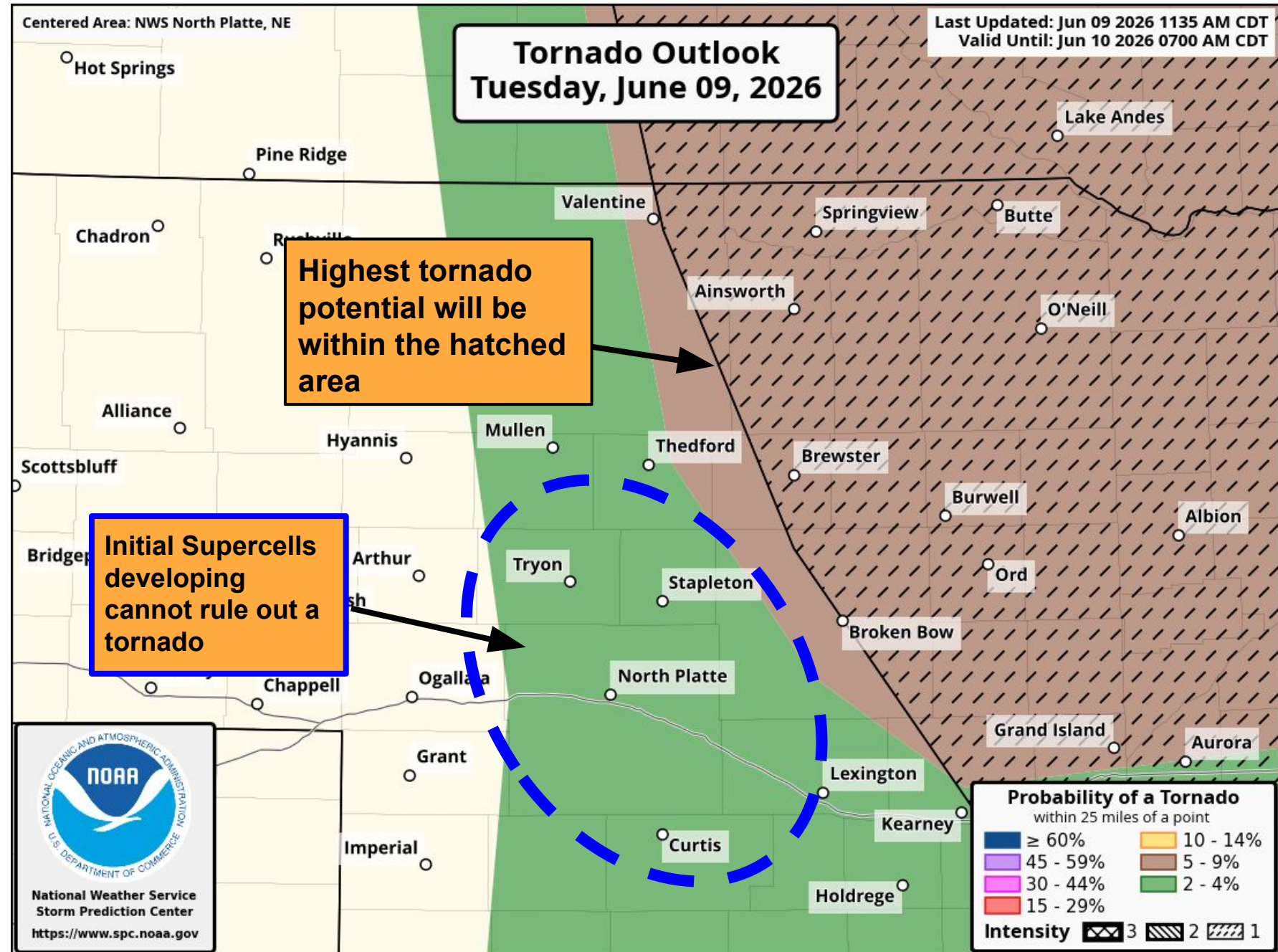
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Tornado Graphic

Key Messages

- Large hail and damaging winds remain the primary concerns
- Initial supercells developing late afternoon to early evening over southwest NE brings a low but non zero tornado threat in the blue circle.
- Highest tornado potential remains in the hatch area
 - ◆ *Tornadoes in this region are expected be along the leading edge of a developing line of storms.*





Red Flag Warning Tonight

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In Effect through late evening tonight

Key Messages

- Details:
 - A **Red Flag Warning** remains in effect through 9 pm MDT tonight for portions of the western Sandhills and Panhandle.
 - Humidity as low as around 18%, lowest across the Panhandle.
 - South winds 15 to 25 mph, with gusts up to 40 mph.
 - Highs in the lower to middle 90s.
 - Dry lightning strikes possible.
- Any fires which do develop will spread rapidly and be difficult to control.



CRITICAL FIRE CONDITIONS



REPORT FIRES TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES



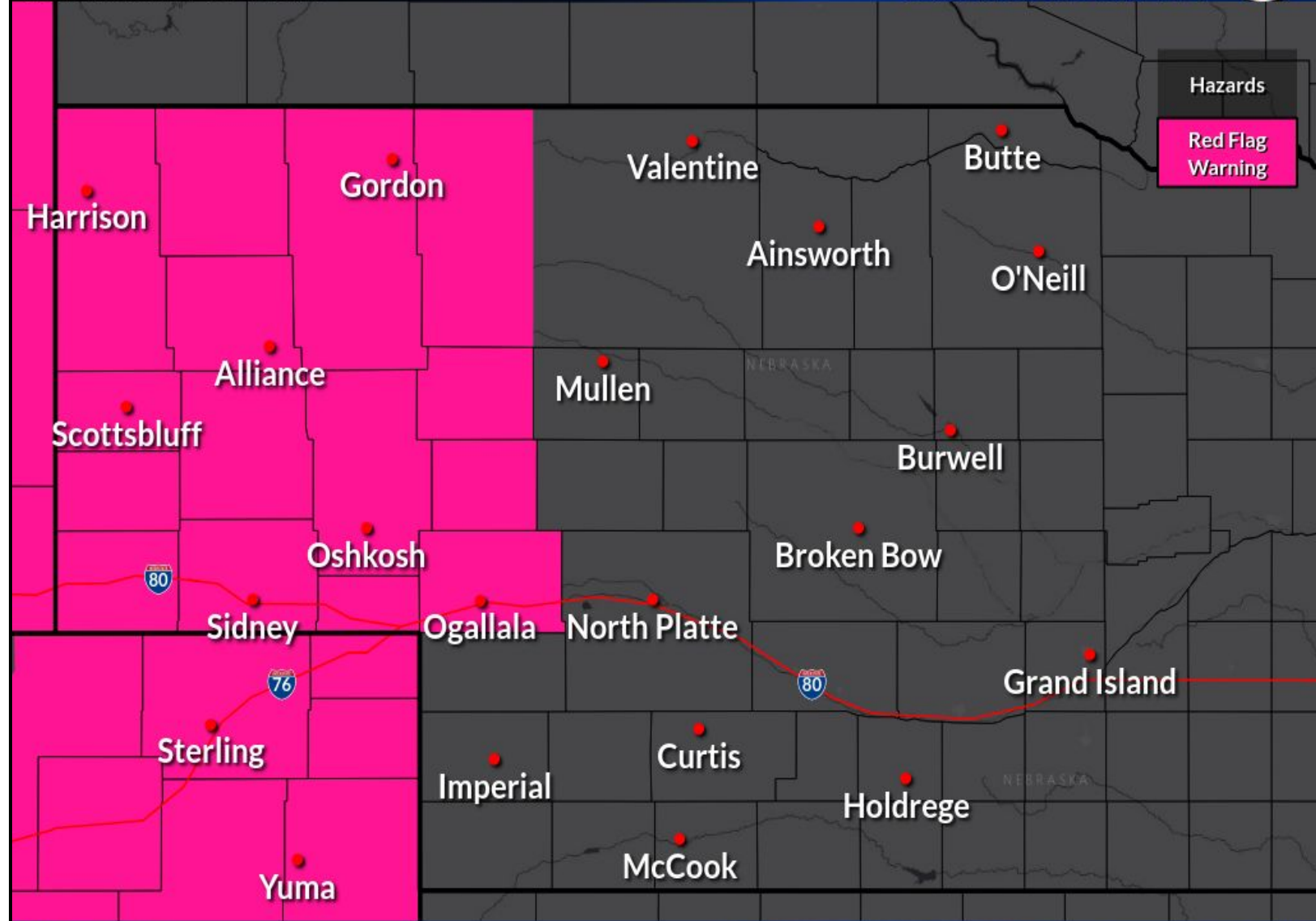
OUTDOOR FIRES COULD QUICKLY SPREAD

Red Flag Warning

Valid: Thru 9 pm MDT Tonight

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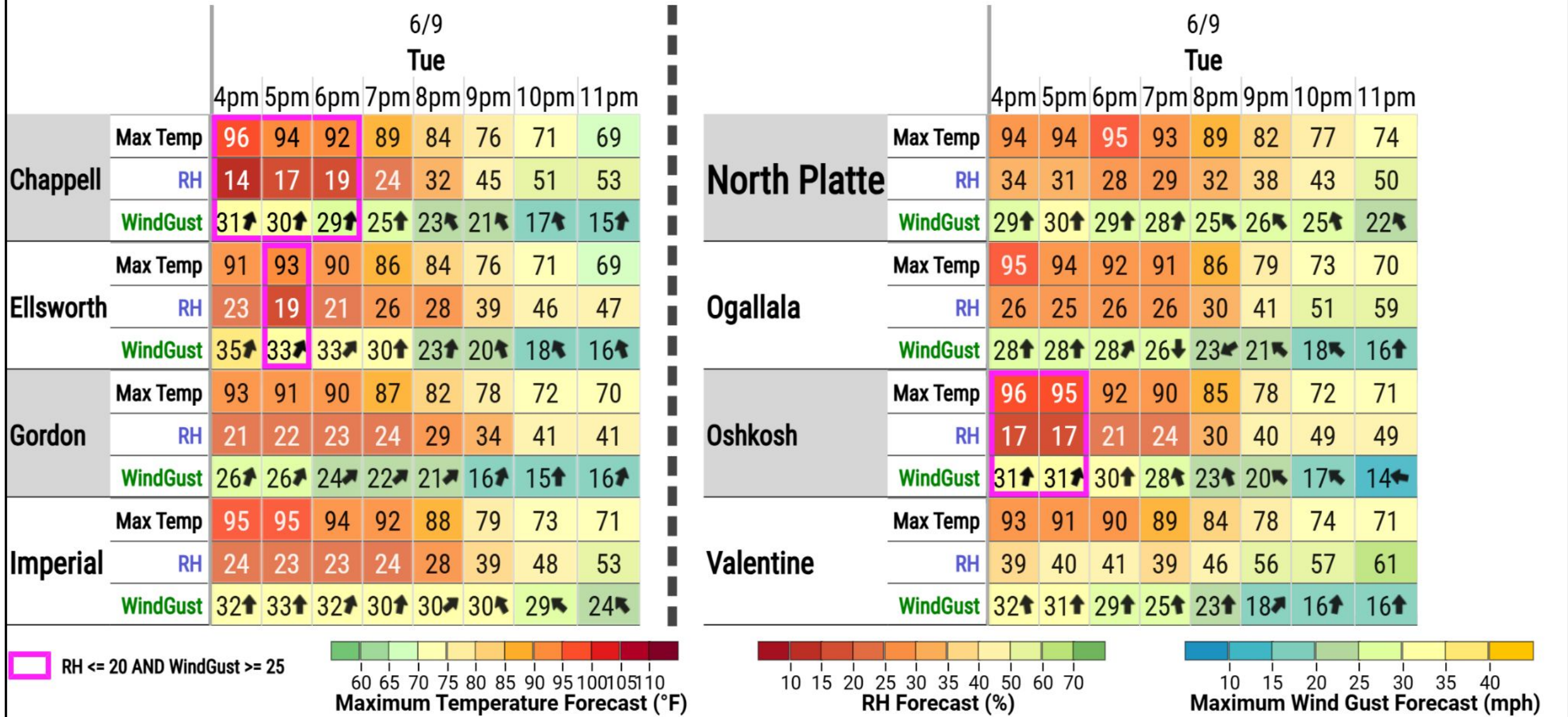


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Hourly Relative Humidity/Wind Gusts For Tonight

Maximum Temperature (°F) & RH (%) & Maximum Wind Gust (mph) Forecast





Fire Weather Concerns Continue

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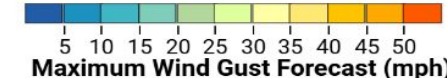
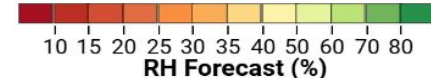
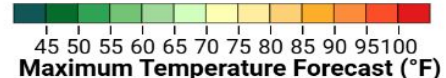
Wednesday and Thursday

Maximum Temperature (°F) & RH (%) & Maximum Wind Gust (mph) Forecast

		6/10 Wed						6/11 Thu							
		6am	9am	12pm	3pm	6pm	9pm	12am	3am	6am	9am	12pm	3pm	6pm	9pm
Ainsworth	Max Temp	65	76	80	82	83	73	65	61	57	65	70	73	73	66
	RH	65	51	34	24	19	30	45	56	66	55	39	31	29	40
	WindGust	26↗	29↗	28↗	29↗	23↗	15↘	14↗	18↗	25↗	31↗	33↗	36↗	35↗	22↘
Broken Bow	Max Temp	67	81	85	88	88	76	68	63	60	69	73	78	78	68
	RH	68	46	24	17	15	26	37	54	64	52	36	26	24	35
	WindGust	23↗	32↗	31↗	30↗	22↗	10↘	10↗	18↗	29↗	37↗	36↗	33↗	32↗	17↘
Burwell	Max Temp	67	78	82	84	85	73	67	62	59	67	71	75	75	67
	RH	75	57	35	27	25	38	45	58	69	60	44	33	32	42
	WindGust	21↗	35↗	35↗	32↗	23↗	9↘	9↗	14↗	29↗	39↗	40↗	40↗	37↗	20↘
Butte	Max Temp	69	79	83	85	85	77	68	64	60	66	72	75	75	71
	RH	70	51	35	28	23	31	44	54	62	56	40	33	29	35
	WindGust	24↗	31↗	31↗	31↗	25↗	12↘	10↗	15↗	26↗	32↗	37↗	40↗	40↗	26↘
Chappell	Max Temp	63	76	82	88	88	76	65	60	55	66	73	78	78	68
	RH	42	32	17	13	13	24	41	47	51	42	27	20	16	25
	WindGust	32↗	40↗	39↗	33↗	28↗	17↘	15↗	26↗	32↗	36↗	35↗	32↗	29↗	15↘
Curtis	Max Temp	67	80	87	90	90	80	70	64	61	72	77	80	81	71
	RH	67	42	19	14	13	22	35	50	60	46	27	21	18	29
	WindGust	26↗	36↗	35↗	30↗	16↗	15↘	15↗	28↗	35↗	40↗	39↗	33↗	30↗	13↘
Dunning	Max Temp	66	79	83	86	86	76	68	62	58	67	72	77	77	68
	RH	65	44	25	18	16	25	36	52	62	56	33	27	24	35
	WindGust	26↗	32↗	32↗	31↗	24↗	13↘	13↗	16↗	28↗	35↗	36↗	36↗	35↗	17↘
Ellsworth	Max Temp	62	72	78	83	84	75	65	58	53	63	69	73	74	66
	RH	44	34	18	13	12	21	37	51	61	47	30	25	22	30
	WindGust	36↗	41↗	40↗	45↗	44↗	22↘	20↗	26↗	35↗	41↗	43↗	43↗	41↗	23↘

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		6am	9am	12pm	3pm	6pm	9pm	12am	3am	6am	9am	12pm	3pm	6pm	9pm
Gordon	Max Temp	60	71	75	80	81	73	62	56	51	62	68	72	72	64
	RH	47	46	28	17	13	22	41	57	63	51	35	30	26	35
	WindGust	26↗	29↗	29↗	31↗	30↗	22↘	18↗	21↗	28↗	35↗	36↗	35↗	31↗	17↘
Imperial	Max Temp	65	79	85	89	90	77	68	61	59	70	75	80	80	69
	RH	53	36	18	14	14	25	37	50	53	41	26	19	17	27
	WindGust	31↗	36↗	37↗	28↗	21↗	20↘	18↗	28↗	37↗	39↗	37↗	33↗	26↗	13↘
Mullen	Max Temp	63	75	80	84	85	75	65	59	55	65	70	74	74	66
	RH	51	37	21	14	13	22	38	53	66	49	30	26	24	33
	WindGust	36↗	40↗	40↗	39↗	36↗	17↘	16↗	22↗	33↗	43↗	45↗	45↗	41↗	20↘
North Platte	Max Temp	64	77	83	87	87	77	68	62	58	67	73	78	78	69
	RH	65	44	22	15	15	25	39	54	62	51	33	24	22	33
	WindGust	25↗	35↗	35↗	32↗	16↗	13↘	12↗	20↗	29↗	37↗	36↗	33↗	30↗	13↘
O'Neill	Max Temp	68	79	83	84	85	74	66	63	59	66	72	74	75	67
	RH	73	57	38	31	24	35	47	56	69	65	45	34	32	43
	WindGust	21↗	26↗	26↗	25↗	23↗	12↘	12↗	16↗	22↗	29↗	31↗	33↗	33↗	22↘
Ogallala	Max Temp	64	77	83	88	88	78	67	61	57	67	75	82	82	72
	RH	55	37	18	13	13	23	42	53	57	44	28	19	16	25
	WindGust	31↗	38↗	37↗	30↗	21↗	13↘	13↗	23↗	31↗	35↗	35↗	30↗	28↗	13↘
Oshkosh	Max Temp	64	76	83	88	88	77	67	61	56	67	75	80	80	70
	RH	46	31	17	12	12	23	39	48	53	42	25	19	16	24
	WindGust	35↗	45↗	43↗	37↗	29↗	17↘	15↗	24↗	30↗	37↗	37↗	37↗	36↗	16↘
Valentine	Max Temp	62	75	79	82	83	73	64	59	54	65	70	74	74	67
	RH	58	52	34	23	18	30	45	57	66	55	38	34	29	39
	WindGust	26↗	29↗	29↗	30↗	25↗	16↘	14↗	18↗	24↗	32↗	37↗	37↗	36↗	21↘

☐ RH <= 20 AND WindGust >= 25





Red Flag Warning & Severe Storms

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Summary

Key Points to Take Home

- Strong to severe widespread thunderstorms are expected late this afternoon through the evening across most of the region.
 - Primary threats include **large hail, damaging wind gusts, and possible tornadoes.**
- **A Red Flag Warning** remains in effect through 9 pm MDT tonight for the portions of the western Sandhills and Panhandle.
- Potential Fire Weather concerns will continue Wednesday and Thursday across the western Sandhills and the Panhandle.

Additional Resources

- [Latest Radar Imagery](#)
- [Fire Weather Webpage](#)
- [Latest Fire Weather Discussion](#)
- [Decision Support Webpage](#)

FIRE WEATHER WATCH

A Fire Weather Watch is issued when **critical fire weather conditions are possible.**

“Critical fire conditions” means warm temperatures, low humidity, and strong, gusty winds.

Be Prepared.



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RED FLAG WARNING

A Red Flag Warning is issued when **critical fire weather conditions are happening or are about to happen.**

Avoid burning, be careful around open flames, safely dispose of cigarettes. Fires can spark and grow very quickly.

Take Action!

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