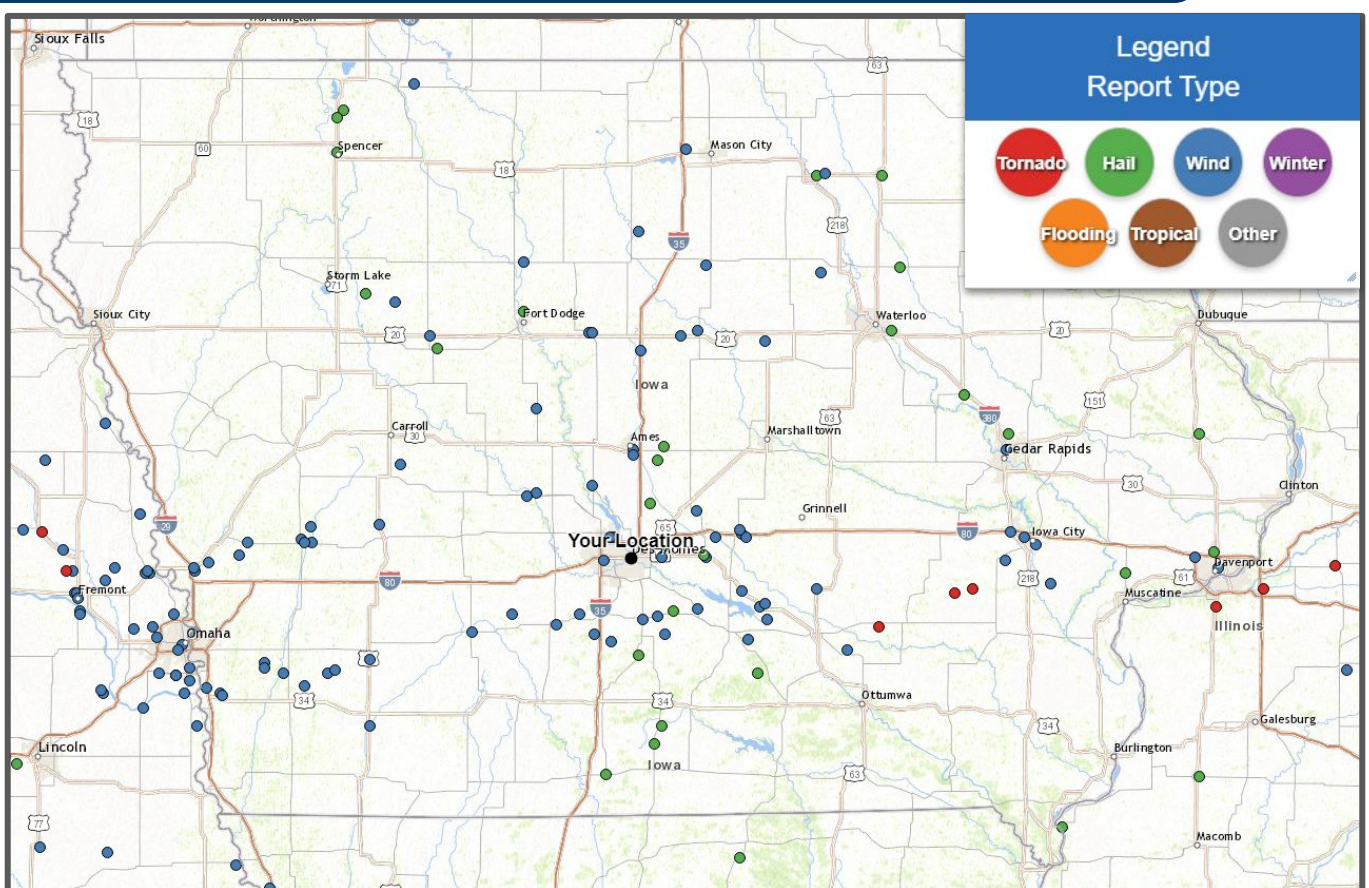


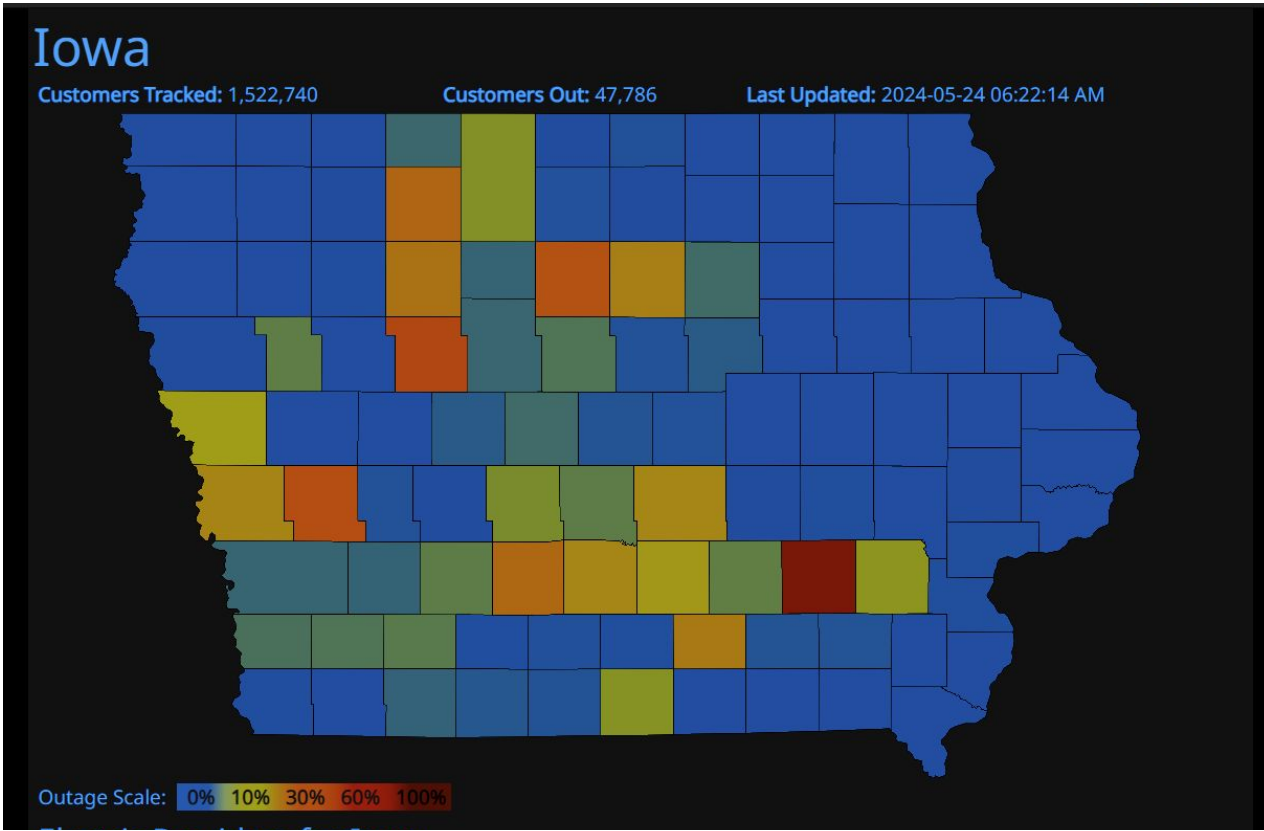
Event Summary

A large low pressure system moving from the eastern Dakotas into Minnesota spawned thunderstorms over Nebraska late Thursday that swept across Iowa early Friday morning. Initially a few thunderstorms produced large hail, then as the main squall line moved through the state, the threat transitioned to damaging wind gusts with a few embedded tornadoes. In addition to the tornadoes below, the Storm Prediction Center has confirmed the overall event as a Derecho with damaging wind gusts from central Nebraska through northwest Illinois.

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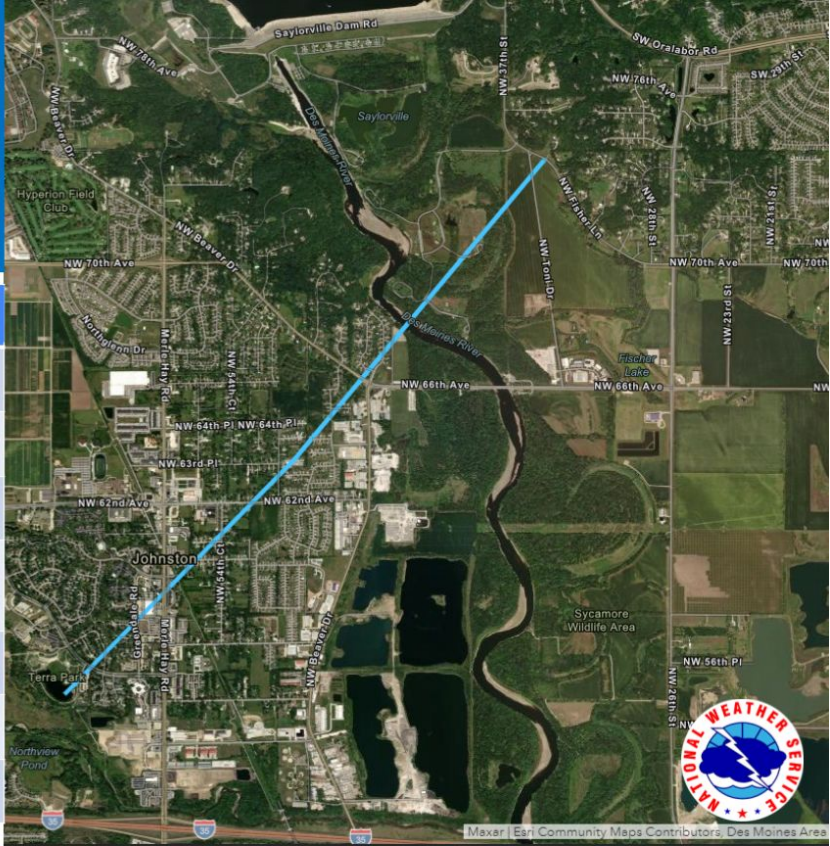
Power Outages in Iowa as of 6:22 AM on 5-24-24. Graphic from PowerOutage.US.

Tornado 1 - Johnston (Polk Co)

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Preliminary Damage Survey Results

Johnston Tornado (Polk County)	
Date	May 24, 2024
Time (Local)	4:53-4:57 AM CDT
EF Rating	EF0
Est. Peak Winds	85 mph
Path Length	3.2 miles
Max Width	150 yards
Injuries/Deaths	0/0



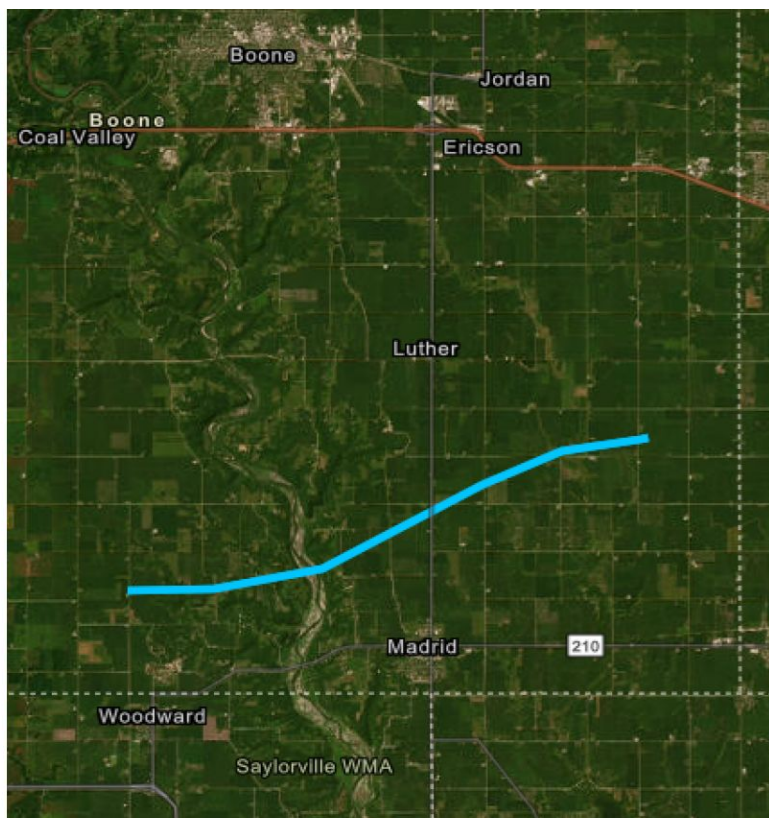
Tornado 2 - Rose Road (Boone Co)

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Preliminary Damage Survey Results

Rose Road (Boone County)

Date	May 24, 2024
Time (Local)	4:42-4:54 AM CDT
EF Rating	EF0
Est. Peak Winds	85 mph
Path Length	10.9 miles
Max Width	180 yards
Injuries/Deaths	0/0



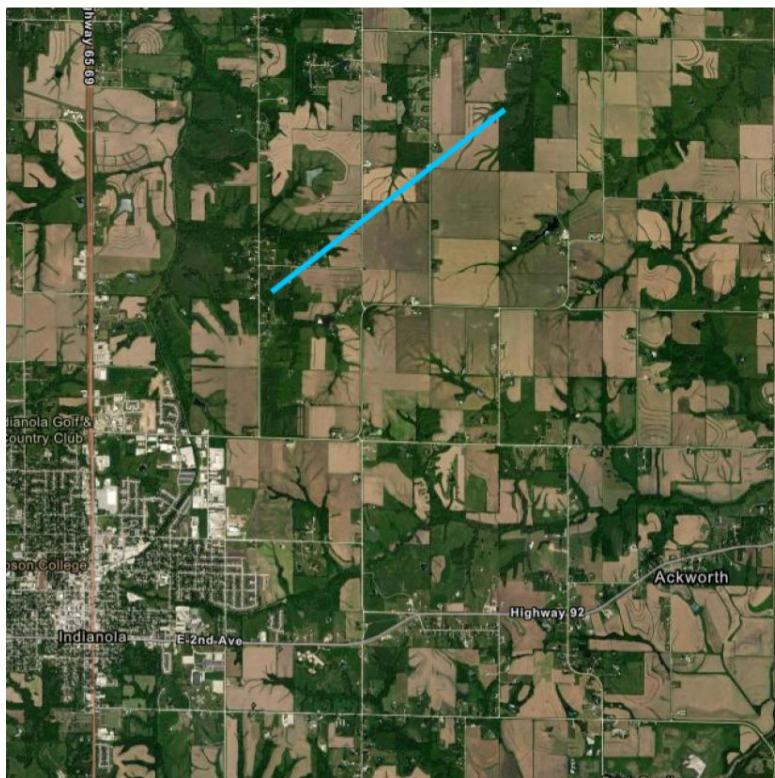
Tornado 3 - N. Indianola (Warren Co)

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OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION

Preliminary Damage Survey Results

North of Indianola (Warren Cty)

Date	May 24, 2024
Time (Local)	4:57-4:59 AM CDT
EF Rating	EF0
Est. Peak Winds	80 mph
Path Length	2.1 miles
Max Width	50 yards
Injuries/Deaths	0/0



Tornado 4 - South Elkhart (Polk Co)

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OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION

Preliminary Damage Survey Results

South of Elkhart (Polk County)

Date	May 24, 2024
Time (Local)	5:07-5:09 AM CDT
EF Rating	EF0
Est. Peak Winds	85 mph
Path Length	1.5 miles
Max Width	50 yards
Injuries/Deaths	0/0



Photos



Hail from Humeston. Photo Credit: Greg Watsabaugh



Official NWS Storm Survey photo from the EF0 tornado near Johnston.



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