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### ARKANSAS, Northwest

#### **Crawford County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>1727CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>50K</b>		<b>Flash Flood</b>
	<b>08</b>	<b>0200CST</b>							

Heavy rain fell on and off across Crawford County from the late afternoon hours of the 7th til just after midnight on the 8th. 6.04 inches of rain fell at Van Buren while 7.11 inches and 6.41 inches of rain fell in Mountainburg respectively. This rain caused flooding of low lying areas and roads across the county.

Several vehicle resues were needed in Van Buren and flooding occurred in the neighboring Industrial Park

#### **Sebastian County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>1815CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>50K</b>		<b>Flash Flood</b>
	<b>08</b>	<b>0200CST</b>							

Heavy rain fell on and off across Sebastian county from the late afternoon hours of the 7th to just after midnight on the 8th. 4.49 inches of rain fell in Forth Smith and 4.41 inches of rain fell at Midland. This rain caused the flooding of several roads across the county. Severe street flooding occurred in Fort Smith and several cars were reported to be stranded

#### **Franklin County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>1900CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>50K</b>		<b>Flash Flood</b>
	<b>08</b>	<b>0800CST</b>							

Heavy rain fell on and off across Franklin county from the evening of April 7th to the early morning hours of April 8th. 5.50 inches of rain fell near Ozark. This excessive rainfall resulted in the flooding of numerous county roads. One bridge was washed out near Cass and Highway 23 was flooded 5 miles south of Cass.

#### **Carroll County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>2132CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
	<b>08</b>	<b>0400CST</b>							

Heavy rain which fell from the evening of the 7th to the early morning hours of the 8th caused widespread flooding of rural roads and low water crossings across Carroll county.

#### **Madison County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>2135CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
	<b>08</b>	<b>0800CST</b>							

Heavy rain fell on and off across Madison county from the evening of the 7th to the early morning hours of the 8th. St. Paul received 5.92 inches of rain. This rain caused severe flooding of rural roads around the county.

#### **Washington County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>2137CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
	<b>08</b>	<b>0200CST</b>							

Heavy rain fell on and off across Washington county during the evening. 3.34 inches of rain fell at Fayetteville. The rain caused flooding of some rural roads including a bridge near Johnson.

#### **ARZ019**

<b>Crawford</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>2100CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flood</b>
	<b>08</b>	<b>1400CST</b>							

Lee Creek near Van Buren rose above its flood stage of 23 feet at 10 pm cdt on April 7th. The river crested at 24.7 feet at 8 am cdt on April 8th. The river fell below its flood stage at 3 pm cdt the same day.

#### **ARZ019-029**

<b>Crawford - Sebastian</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>0600CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flood</b>
	<b>09</b>	<b>0500CST</b>							

The Arkansas River near Van Buren rose above its flood stage of 22 feet at 7 am cdt on April 8th. The river crested at 24.8 feet at 8 pm cdt the same day. The river fell below its flood stage at 6 am on April 9th.



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### ARKANSAS, Northwest

#### **Crawford County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1340CST 1700CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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After heavy rains the night before a quick inch or two of rain caused widespread flooding of county roads across Crawford county during the afternoon hours.

#### **Sebastian County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1405CST 1700CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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After heavy rain the night before a quick inch or two of rain caused widespread flooding of county roads across Sebastian county.

#### **Madison County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1420CST 1700CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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After heavy rain the night before a quick inch or two of rain caused flooding of county roads across Madison county. The flooding of low lying areas caused the evacuation of part of St. Paul. The water did not flow into any homes, however.

#### **Franklin County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1500CST 1700CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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After heavy rain fell across the county the night before a quick inch or two of rain caused widespread flooding of county roads across Franklin county the afternoon of the 8th.

#### **Washington County**

<b>Fayetteville</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0231CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(1.00)</b>
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#### **Washington County**

<b>Cincinnati</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0325CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(0.75)</b>
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#### **Madison County**

<b>Witter</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0515CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(1.00)</b>
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#### **Sebastian County**

<b>Ft Smith</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0610CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G61)</b>
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Thunderstorm winds estimated at 70 miles an hour blew a large tree down.

#### **Sebastian County**

<b>4 SW Hartford</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>0104CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(0.88)</b>
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#### **Madison County**

<b>Marble</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>0545CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(0.88)</b>
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#### **Benton County**

<b>Bentonville</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>0952CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(0.88)</b>
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#### **Benton County**

<b>Rogers</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1000CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(0.75)</b>
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#### **Carroll County**

<b>Osage</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1057CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Hail(0.75)</b>
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### OKLAHOMA, Eastern

#### **Haskell County**

<b>Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>1845CST 2330CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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Heavy rain fell across Haskell county from late afternoon into the late evening hours. 3.43 inches of rain was measured at Whitefield and 3.31 inches of rain was measured near Stigler. This excessive rainfall resulted in flooding of some roads. This included parts of Highway 9 near Whitefield.



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### OKLAHOMA, Eastern

#### Latimer County

Countywide	07	1845CST 2330CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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Heavy rain fell on and off across Latimer county from the late afternoon hours into the late evening hours. 4.48 inches of rain was recorded near Wilburton and 4.41 inches of rain fell near Red Oak. This excessive rainfall caused flooding of numerous county roads.

#### Le Flore County

Countywide	07	1845CST 2330CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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Heavy rain fell on and off across Le Flore county from the late afternoon hours into the late evening hours. Panama received 4.95 inches of rain while Wister and Poteau received 4.62 inches and 4.33 inches respectively. This heavy rain caused several roads to be flooded including Highway 9 near Spiro.

#### Pittsburg County

Countywide	07	1845CST 2330CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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Heavy rain fell on and off across Pittsburg county from the late afternoon hours into the late evening hours. 3.44 inches of rain was recorded near McAlester. The heavy rain caused some roads to be flooded including Highway 31 five miles west of McAlester and Highway 63 six miles west of Haileyville

#### Sequoyah County

Countywide	07	1845CST 2330CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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Heavy rain fell on and off across Sequoyah county from the late afternoon hours into the late evening hours. 3.60 inches of rain was recorded near Sallisaw. This heavy rain caused some roads to be flooded. This included Highway 141 near Gans

#### Pushmataha County

Countywide	07	1945CST 2330CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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Heavy rain fell on and off across Pushmataha county from the late afternoon hours into the late evening hours. 5.33 inches of rain fell at Antlers and 6.57 inches of rain fell at Tuskahoma. This heavy rain caused several county roads to be flooded. One road that was flooded was Ethel Road just east of Antlers.

#### OKZ076

<b>Le Flore</b>					0	0			<b>Flood</b>
	07	2200CST							
	09	0700CST							

The Poteau River near Poteau rose above its flood stage of 24 feet at 11 pm cdt on April 7th. The river crested at 28.6 feet at noon cdt on the 8th. The river fell below its flood stage at 8 am cdt on April 9th

#### OKZ076

<b>Le Flore</b>					0	0			<b>Flood</b>
	07	2200CST							
	11	1800CST							

The Poteau River near Panama rose above its flood stage of 29 feet at 11 pm cdt on April 7th. The river crested at 40.6 feet at 5 am cdt on April 9th. The river fell below its flood stage on April 11th at 7 pm cdt.

#### Latimer County

Red Oak	08	1340CST 1500CST			0	0	5K		<b>Flash Flood</b>
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Heavy rain rains caused the city hall in Red Oak to be flooded.

#### Le Flore County

Countywide	08	1340CST 1700CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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### OKLAHOMA, Eastern

Due to heavy rainfall the previous night a quick inch or two of rain caused flooding of some roads across Le Flore county. One major highway which was closed was Highway 271 near Wister.

**OKZ069**

**Adair**

**08 1700CST**  
**09 0100CST**

**0 0**

**Flood**

The Illinois River near Watts rose above its flood stage of 13 feet at 6 am cdt on April 8th. The river crested at 18.9 feet at 5 pm cdt the same day. The river fell below its flood stage at 2 am cdt on April 9th.

**OKZ068**

**Cherokee**

**09 0000CST**  
**2300CST**

**0 0**

**Flood**

The Illinois River near Tahlequah rose above its flood stage of 11 feet at 1 am cdt on April 9th. The river crested at 14.0 feet at 4 pm cdt the same day. The river fell below its flood stage at midnight that night

**Pushmataha County**

**4 SE Clayton**

**16 2005CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Pushmataha County**

**1 N Jumbo**

**16 2015CST**

**0.3 25**

**0 0**

**Tornado (F0)**

The public reported a brief touchdown of a F0 tornado just north of Jumbo. No damage was reported.

**Delaware County**

**1 W Jay**

**23 0157CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Osage County**

**Pawhuska**

**23 0230CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.88)**

**Mayes County**

**Adair**

**23 0255CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Rogers County**

**Oologah**

**23 0255CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Washington County**

**Ochelata**

**23 0306CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Washington County**

**Ochelata**

**23 0310CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.88)**

**Mayes County**

**Locust Grove**

**23 0342CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Rogers County**

**2 SW Oologah**

**23 0348CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.88)**

**Delaware County**

**1 E Leach**

**23 0411CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Cherokee County**

**Hulbert**

**23 0448CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Cherokee County**

**Tahlequah**

**23 0500CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Pawnee County**

**Cleveland**

**27 0505CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**

**Haskell County**

**Stigler**

**29 2320CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.88)**

**Le Flore County**

**Poteau**

**30 0040CST**

**0 0**

**Hail(0.75)**