

Eastern Oklahoma,01- 0000CST- 0 0 3 River Flooding  
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Heavy rainfall which occurred during late April caused the Verdigris, Neosho, and Poteau Rivers to rise above flood stage before the end of April. These rivers were still in flood as May began.

The Verdigris River at Lenapah began the month above the flood stage of 30 feet. The river remained above flood stage until May 3rd, reaching a crest of 33.33 feet on May 2nd. This resulted in only minor flooding.

The Neosho River at Commerce was also above the flood stage of 15 feet as May began, and it dropped below flood stage on May 5th. The river crested at 20.75 feet on May 2nd. Widespread serious flooding developed along the Neosho River in Craig and Ottawa Counties. Low-lying areas of the town of Miami experienced flooding as did some suburban areas.

The Poteau River at Panama was above the flood stage of 29 feet as May began. It crested at 31.34 feet on May 1st and fell below flood stage during the evening of May 1st. This resulted in moderate flooding of crops and pasturelands along the river near Panama and several miles downstream from Panama. No flooding occurred in the town of Panama.

Parts of southeast Oklahoma received an additional 2 to 3 inches of rain on May 2nd, and this rainfall once again caused the Poteau River at Panama to rise above flood stage. The river rose above flood stage on May 3rd, and crested at 32.25 feet on May 4th. The river fell below flood stage the night of May 4th. Moderate flooding along the river affected mainly pasturelands.

Washington County,06 1620CST 6 N Copan	0	0					Hail (1.00)
Nowata County, 06 1636CST NR Wann	0	0					Hail (1.00)
Washington County,06 1703CST 3 S Copan	0.1	30	0	0	2		Tornado (F-0)
Nowata County, 06 1705CST 1 SE Wann	0	0					Hail (1.75)
Nowata County, 06 1710CST Nowata	0	0					TSTM Wind
Nowata County, 06 1730CST- Wann 1830CST	0	0					Flash Flood
Nowata County, 06 1735CST NR Lenapah	0	0					Hail (1.00)
Osage County, 06 1815CST- 11 E Ponca City 1819CST	0.5	100	0	1	5		Tornado (F-1)
Osage County, 06 1815CST 1 W Burbank	0	0					Hail (1.75)
Osage County, 06 1825CST Burbank	0	0					Hail (0.75)
Osage County, 06 1829CST 8 ESE Ponca City	0	0	3				TSTM Wind (61)
Osage County, 06 1838CST 1 W Burbank	0	0					Hail (1.75)
Osage County, 06 1839CST Burbank	0	0					Hail (1.75)
Osage County, 06 1845CST Burbank	0	0					Hail (0.75)
Nowata County 06 1902CST Nowata	0	0					Hail (1.00)
Nowata County, 06 1905CST 3 E Nowata	0	0					Hail (1.75)
Osage County, 06 1908CST 0.1 30	0	0					Tornado (F-0)

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Nowata County, Nowata	06	1910CST		0	0	Hail (1.75)	
Nowata County, Nowata	06	1915CST		0	0	Hail (2.75)	
Rogers County, 4 NE Talala	06	1920CST		0	0	Hail (0.75)	
Pawnee County, 5 W Ralston to NR Pawnee	06	1935CST-2005CST		0	0	3	TSTM Wind (78)
Pawnee County, 7 SW Ralston	06	1940CST	0.75 50	0	0	3	Tornado (F-0)
Rogers County, 3 NW Chelsea	06	1940CST		0	0		Hail (1.75)
Osage County, 5 SE Ralston	06	1945CST		0	0		Hail (0.88)
Nowata County, Delaware	06	1945CST- 2015CST		0	0		Flash Flood
Pawnee County, 5.5 NW Hallett	06	2010CST		0	0		Hail (1.75)
Pawnee County, 6 W Pawnee	06	2013CST		0	0		Hail (2.75)
Pawnee County, 4 W Cleveland	06	2015CST		0	0		Hail (1.00)
Pawnee County, Maramec	06	2030CST		0	0		TSTM Wind (56)
Pawnee County, Maramec	06	2030CST		0	0		Hail (1.75)
Pawnee County, Terlton	06	2055CST		0	0	3	TSTM Wind
Creek County, Oilton	06	2109CST		0	0		Hail (2.75)
Creek County, 0.25 NW Drumright	06	2116CST	0.1 30	0	0		Tornado (F-0)
Creek County, 7 S Oilton	06	2117CST		0	0		Hail (2.75)
Creek County, Drumright	06	2125CST		0	0		TSTM Wind
Creek County, Drumright	06	2125CST		0	0		Hail (1.00)
Creek County, 4.5 E Drumright	06	2125CST		0	0		Hail (1.00)
Creek County, Drumright	06	2132CST		0	0		Hail (2.75)
Creek County, 1 E Drumright	06	2132CST		0	0		Hail (2.75)
Creek County, 1 NE Shamrock	06	2142CST		0	0		Hail (1.75)
Creek County, Depew	06	2143CST		0	0		Hail (1.75)
Creek County, 1 NE Depew	06	2143CST		0	0		Hail (1.75)
Creek County, Bristow	06	2145CST		0	0		Hail (2.50)
Creek County, Bristow	06	2154CST		0	0		Hail (1.75)

Creek County, 5 S Bristow	06 2210CST	0	0		Hail (1.75)
Okfuskee County, Hadenville	06 2235CST	0	0		Hail (1.75)
Okfuskee County, Okfuskee	06 2236CST	0	0		Hail (1.75)
Okfuskee County, Boley	06 2310CST	0	0		Hail (1.75)
Okfuskee County, 5 SW Okemah	06 2331CST	0	0		Hail (1.00)
Okfuskee County, Okemah	06 2343CST	0	0		Hail (0.88)
McIntosh County, NR Vernon	06 2350CST	0	0		Hail (1.75)
Pittsburg County, 6 W Indianola	06 2353CST	0.1	30	0	0 Tornado (F-0)

Isolated supercell thunderstorms developed in northeast Oklahoma during the late afternoon of May 6th and tracked south southeast across eastern Oklahoma during the evening. The storms produced 6 tornadoes in eastern Oklahoma. The first tornado touched down briefly at 1703CST 3 miles south of Copan. A garage was lifted 1 foot off the ground and a sack of feed was blown 40 yards by this F-0 tornado. The second tornado touched down at 1815CST in extreme western Osage County 11 miles east of Ponca City. Two mobile homes were destroyed just east of the Kaw Lake Dam, and several homes and mobile homes were damaged. A bait shop was also severely damaged. Numerous trees were also downed by the tornado. The tornado resulted in 1 minor injury. The tornado was on the ground for 1/2 mile before lifting at 1819CST. The tornado was 100 yards wide and was rated as an F-1. The third tornado touched down briefly at 1908CST 8 miles northwest of Ralston. No damage occurred with this F-0 tornado. The fourth tornado touched down at 1940CST 7 miles southwest of Ralston. A roof to a home was damaged, and several trees were downed by this tornado. The tornado had a path length of 3/4 mile and a width of 50 yards, and was rated as an F-0. The fifth tornado touched down briefly at 2116CST 0.25 miles northwest of Drumright. A power line was downed by this F-0 tornado. The sixth tornado touched down briefly at 2353CST 6 miles west of Indianola. No damage occurred with this F-0 tornado.

Damaging winds accompanied the storms as well. Thunderstorm winds gusted to 70 miles an hour 8 miles east southeast of Ponca City. These winds downed trees and power lines, and also blew shingles off roofs of homes. Strong thunderstorm winds of 80 to 100 miles an hour occurred in a 2 to 4 mile wide band from near the Arkansas River 5 miles west of Ralston to near the town of Pawnee. These winds downed or damaged numerous trees and heavily damaged a barn. Power poles were downed just west of the intersection of State Highways 15 and 18. Strong thunderstorm winds downed trees in Drumright, and large tree limbs were downed in Nowata. A 6 inch diameter tree limb fell on a house in Terilton, and thunderstorm winds gusted to 60 to 70 miles an hour in Maramec. Large hail also occurred with the storms. Baseball size hail fell at Nowata, Oilton, Drumright, and just east of Drumright. Golfball to baseball size hail fell 7 miles south of Oilton, dime to baseball size hail fell 6 miles west of Pawnee, and tennis ball size hail fell at Bristow. Dime to golfball size hail fell at numerous other locations throughout eastern Oklahoma. Very heavy rainfall from the storms resulted in flash flooding in Nowata County. Numerous roads were flooded in Wann, and roads were closed and some buildings evacuated in Delaware.

Pawnee County, Ralston	07 0310CST	0	0		Hail (0.88)
Osage County, Barnsdall	07 0405CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Osage County, Pershing	07 0410CST	0	0	3	Hail (2.75)
Osage County, 3.5 N Barnsdall	07 0410CST	0	0		Hail (2.75)
Washington County,	07 0420CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)

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Creek County, 1 E Oilton	07 0425CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Nowata County, 3 N New Alluwe	07 0500CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Craig County, 1 SE Vinita	07 0530CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Pittsburg County, Indianola	07 0545CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Okfuskee County, 3 E Weleetka	07 0600CST	0	0		Hail (1.75)
Latimer County, Red Oak	07 0700CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)

Severe thunderstorms redeveloped in eastern Oklahoma during the early morning of May 7th. Large hail accompanied these storms. Baseball size hail fell at Pershing and 3.5 miles north of Barnsdall. Several windshields were broken and roofs were damaged by the hail in Pershing. Golfball size hail fell 3 miles east of Weleetka, and nickel size hail fell at Ralston. Dime size hail fell at several other locations throughout eastern Oklahoma.

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Rainfall amounts of 1 to 2 inches fell across parts of eastern Oklahoma on May 6th and 7th, with local amounts of up to 4 inches. This rainfall caused the Neosho, Poteau, and Deep Fork Rivers to rise out of their banks.

The Neosho River at Commerce rose above the flood stage of 15 feet on May 7th and crested at 17.02 feet on May 8th. The river fell below flood stage on May 9th. Only minor flooding occurred along the river in Craig and Ottawa Counties.

The Poteau River at Panama rose above the flood stage of 29 feet on May 8th and crested at 30.14 feet on the evening of May 8th. The river fell below flood stage on May 9th. Only minor flooding of pasturelands occurred near the river.

The Deep fork River at Beggs rose above the flood stage of 18 feet on May 9th and crested at 18.44 feet late in the day on May 9th. The river fell below flood stage on May 10th. Only very minor flooding occurred near the river.

Osage County, Avant	25 1900CST	0	0	3	TSTM Wind
Delaware County, West Siloam Springs	25 1900CST- 1930CST	0	0		Flash Flood
Rogers County, 2 W Inola	25 2030CST	0	0		Hail (0.88)
Tulsa County, Tulsa	25 2050CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Tulsa County, Tulsa	25 2053CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Tulsa County, Tulsa	25 2055CST	0	0	4	TSTM Wind
Tulsa County, Broken Arrow	25 2055CST	0	0		TSTM Wind
Tulsa County, Tulsa	25 2055CST	0	0		Hail (0.88)
Rogers County, 3 E Catoosa	25 2130CST	0	0		Hail (0.75)
Wagoner County, Wagoner	25 2130CST	0	0		TSTM Wind (52)

Rogers County, 4 E Catoosa	25	2200CST- 2230CST	0	0	Flash Flood
Rogers County, 1 W Inola	25	2200CST- 2230CST	0	0	Flash Flood
Tulsa County, Owasso	25	2210CST	0	0	Hail (0.75)
Tulsa County, Tulsa	25	2230CST- 2300CST	0	0	Flash Flood
Tulsa County, Broken Arrow	25	2230CST- 2300CST	0	0	Flash Flood

Severe thunderstorms developed in northeast Oklahoma during the evening of May 25th. Strong thunderstorm winds caused damage on the east side of Tulsa and in northern Broken Arrow. The winds downed signs and overturned empty U-Haul trailers near 51st Street South and U.S. Highway 169. High voltage lines and power poles were downed near State Highway 51 and Garnett Road, closing the highway and cutting off power to the surrounding area. Several trees and power lines were downed in northern Broken Arrow. Thunderstorm winds blew a tin roof off the firehouse in Avant and also downed large tree limbs in Avant. Thunderstorm winds gusted to 60 miles an hour in Wagoner. Large hail also accompanied the storms. Dime to nickel size hail fell at several locations on the east side of Tulsa, and nickel size hail fell 2 miles west of Inola. Dime size hail fell 3 miles east of Catoosa and at Owasso. Heavy rains produced by the storms resulted in flash flooding. Some county roads were under water in West Siloam Springs. Roads were flooded 4 miles east of Catoosa near State Highway 412, and State Highway 88 west of Inola was flooded. The underpass at 15th Street South and Lewis Avenue in the city of Tulsa was flooded with 18 inches of water. Major street flooding also occurred along 51st Street South on the east side of Tulsa and into Broken Arrow. Parts of 51st Street South were closed between Garnett Road and 129th East Avenue.

Creek County, Drumright	29	0250CST	0	0	Hail (0.75)
Pawnee County, Cleveland	29	0300CST	0	0	TSTM Wind (52)
Pawnee County, Cleveland	29	0300CST	0	0	Hail (0.75)
Creek County, 2 E Mannford	29	0325CST	0	0	TSTM Wind
Creek County, 2 E Mannford	29	0325CST	0	0	Hail (0.75)
Tulsa County, 8 W Sand Springs	29	0325CST	0	0	TSTM Wind
Tulsa County, 8 W Sand Springs	29	0325CST	0	0	Hail (0.75)
Tulsa County, Tulsa	29	0515CST- 0845CST	0	0	4 Flash Flood

Severe thunderstorms developed in northeast Oklahoma during the early morning of May 29th. Dime size hail fell at Drumright, and 60 mile an hour winds and dime size hail occurred at Cleveland. Strong thunderstorm winds downed trees 2 miles east of Mannford and 8 miles west of Sand Springs, and dime size hail also fell at these locations. Heavy rainfall resulted in flash flooding in the west and south parts of the city of Tulsa. Hager Creek overflowed its banks, and some homes were evacuated. Some homes near 81st Street South and Elwood Avenue had 2 to 4 feet of water in them, and homes were also flooded near 71st Street South and Harvard Avenue. A total of 8 to 12 homes were flooded in the Tulsa area. Numerous roads were closed due to the flooding, including Interstate 44 from 33rd West Avenue to Union Avenue. Water was waist deep on the access road to the interstate, and 1 foot deep on the interstate itself.

