



Heavy Rain Continues Next Several Days

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Multiple rounds of thunderstorms are expected this week

Key Messages

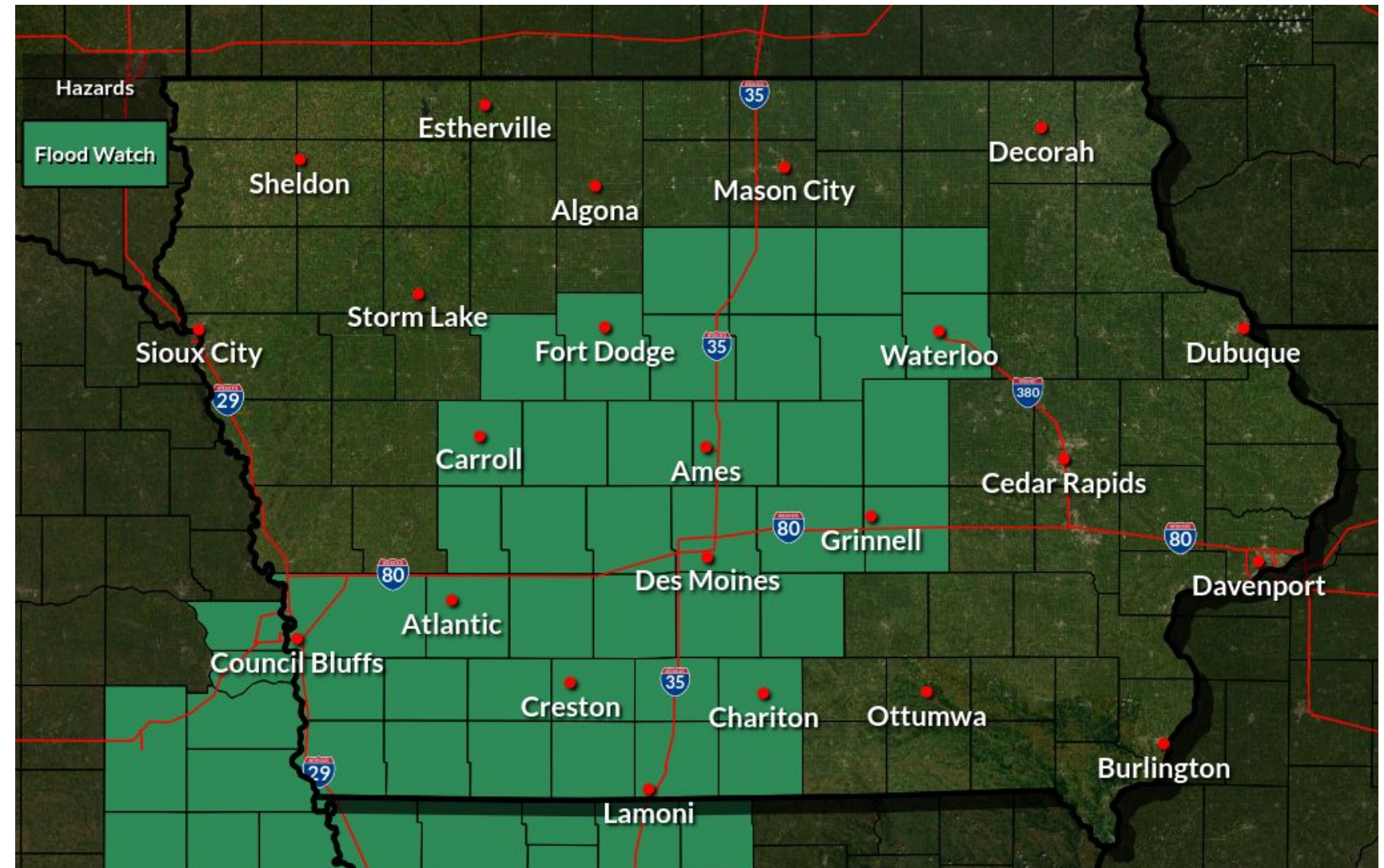
- Flood Watches remain in effect for persistent threats of heavy rain throughout the week.
- Flash flooding will transition to river flooding.

NEW What Has Changed

- Updated Excessive Rainfall Graphics

Next Scheduled Update

- No later than 10 AM Wednesday



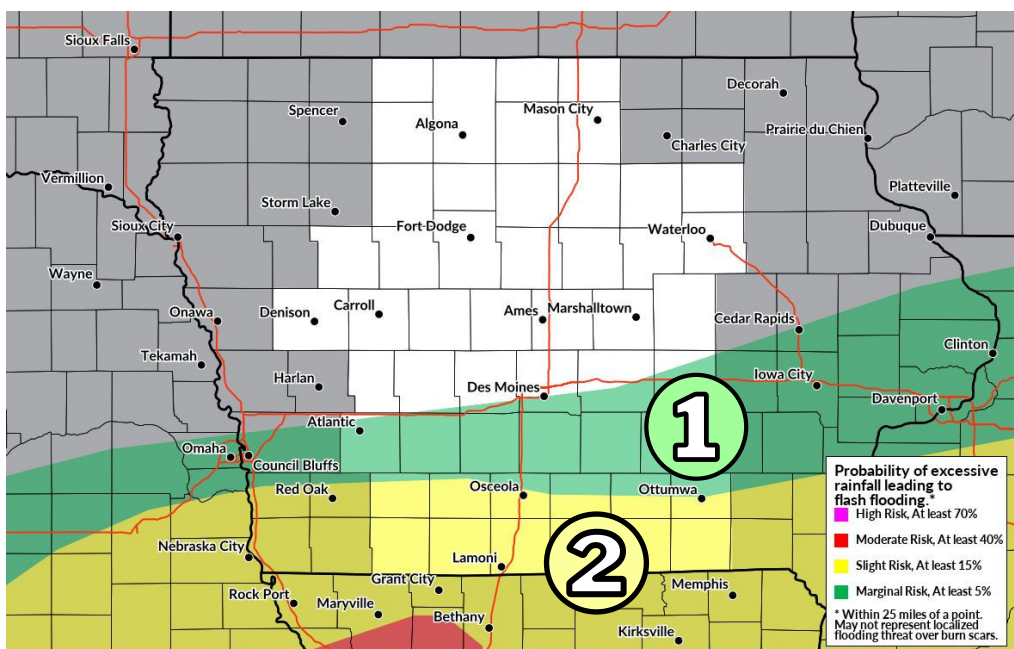
Flash Flood Watch through Wednesday



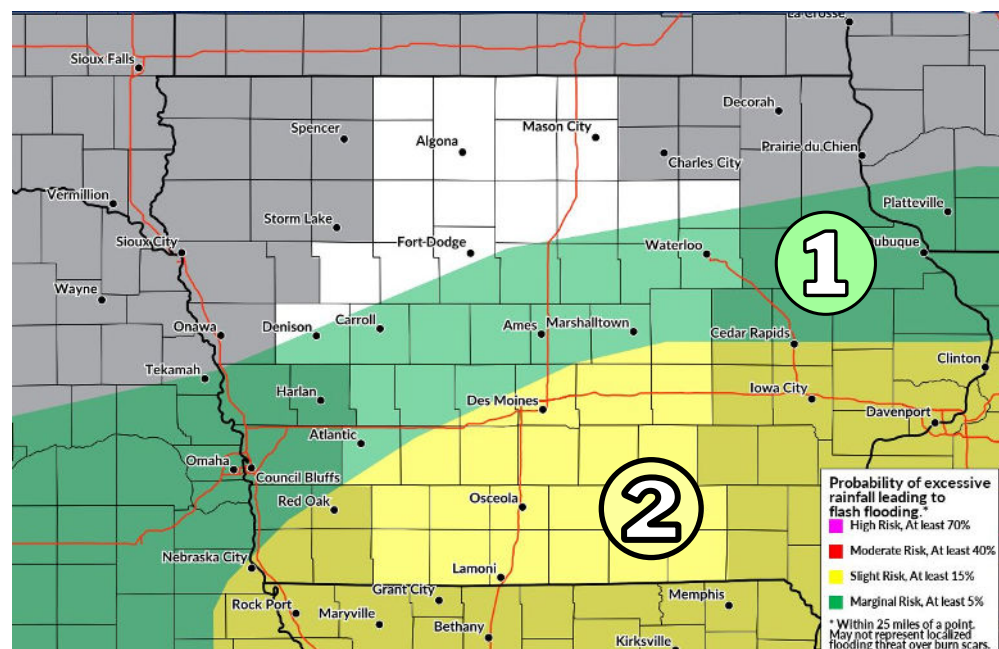


Multi-Day Heavy Rain Threat This Week

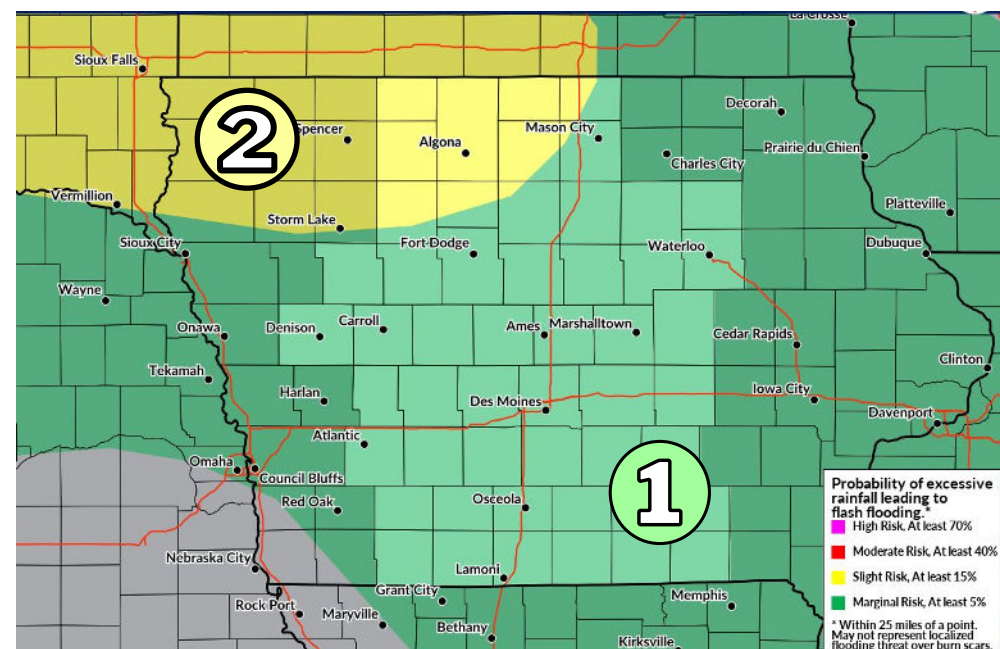
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Today - Tonight



Wednesday - Wednesday Night



Thursday - Thursday Night

Key Messages:

- Heavy rainfall risk trends southward Today into Tonight. Rainfall amounts of 1 to 3" expected across southern Iowa, with locally higher amounts possible.
- Flash flooding potential** continues with repeated rain this week and **potential for river flooding** on some rivers. Highest confidence in impacts along and south of I-80.



WHAT THIS MEANS:
NUMEROUS flash floods *likely*

PRIMARY THREATS



FLASH FLOODING



LOCAL RIVER AND STREAM RISES

TIMING

Excessive Rain Risk

NONE      HIGH

Today-Friday

FLOOD WATCH

A Flood Watch is issued when **flooding is possible.**

Stay tuned to trusted news sources and be ready to seek higher ground.

Be Prepared.



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FLOOD WARNING

A Flood Warning is issued when **flooding is happening or about to happen.**

Move to higher ground immediately!
Never drive or walk through floodwaters.

Take Action!