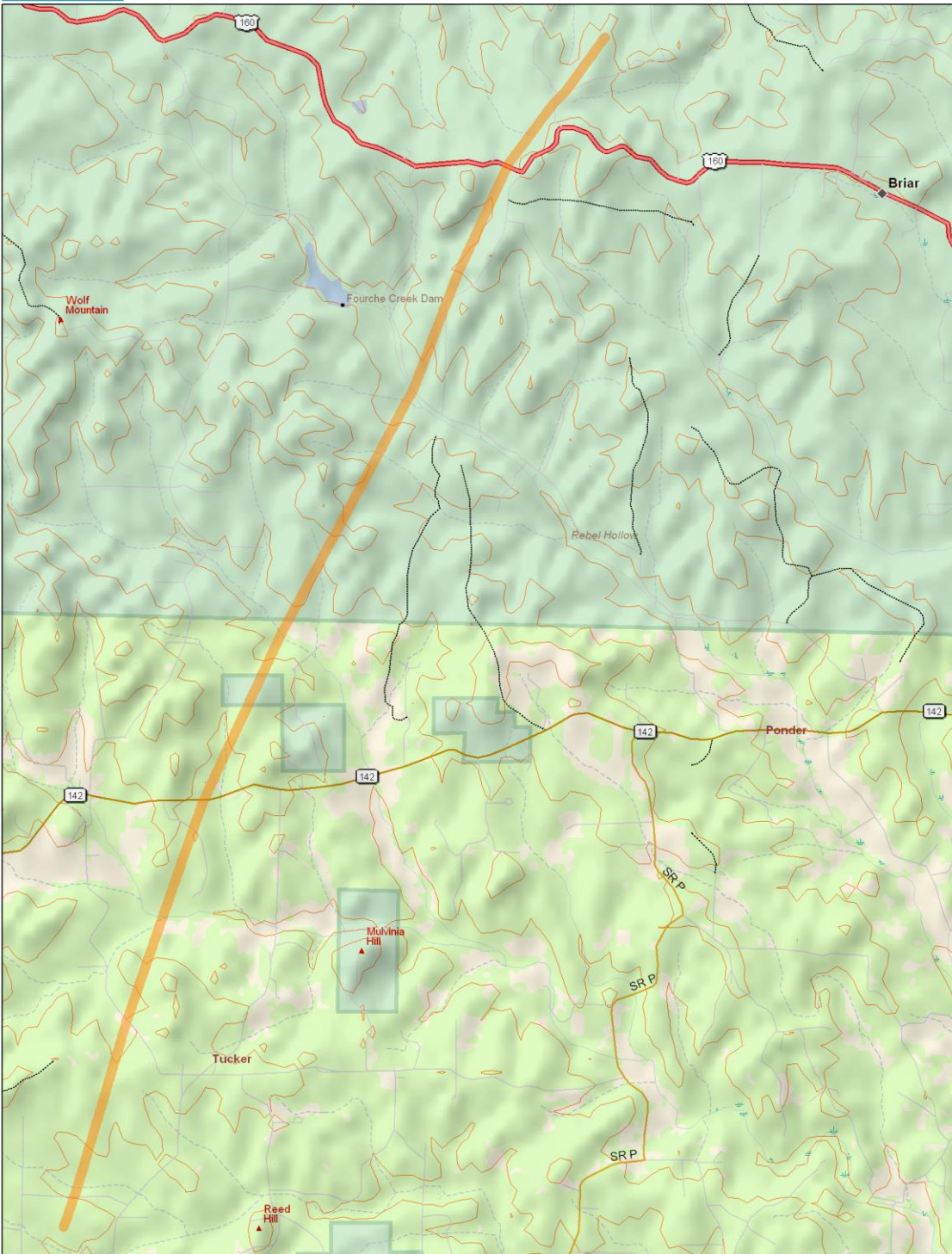


Ripley County, MO F-2 Tornado

The Ripley County tornado was part of the third and final deadly tornado outbreak of November, 2005 in our region. The first was on November 6, when the Evansville area was struck by an F-3 tornado which took about two dozen lives. The second was on November 15, when the Madisonville, KY area was struck by an F-4 tornado and Marshall County, KY was struck by a deadly F-3 tornado.

THE FOLLOWING IS THE PRELIMINARY DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FOR THE DAMAGE THAT OCCURRED OVER RIPLEY COUNTY MISSOURI ON NOVEMBER 27 2005.

- * EVENT DATE: NOVEMBER 27 2005
- * EVENT TYPE: F2 TORNADO
- * EVENT LOCATION: TORNADO TOUCHED DOWN 3 MILES SOUTH OF GATEWOOD AND MOVED NORTH NORTHEAST AND LIFTED 2.5 MILES NORTHWEST OF BRIAR.
- * PEAK WIND: 140 MPH
- * AVERAGE PATH WIDTH: 200 YARDS. (TORNADO WAS CLOSE TO 250 YARDS IN PLACES)
- * PATH LENGTH: 12 MILES
- * INJURIES: 0
- * FATALITIES: 1
- * DISCUSSION/DAMAGE: OF THE DAMAGE ASSESSED...TWO STORY HOME DESTROYED HALF WAY BETWEEN GATEWOOD AND BRIAR. TWO HOMES WITH MAJOR DAMAGE. ONE MOBILE HOME DESTROYED. NUMEROUS TREES SNAPPED OR UPROOTED.



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Path Map (Darker green background represents the Mark Twain National Forest. The primary highway on the map is U.S. Route 160.)

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PRELIMINARY LOCAL STORM REPORT...SUMMARY

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE PADUCAH KY

545 AM CST MON NOV 28 2005

..TIME...	...EVENT...	...CITY LOCATION...	...LAT.LON...
..DATE...MAG....	..COUNTY LOCATION..ST..	...SOURCE....
..REMARKS..			
0930 PM	TSTM WND DMG	1 E GATEWOOD	36.56N 91.06W
11/27/2005		RIPLEY	MO LAW ENFORCEMENT
SEVERAL POWERLINES DOWN AND 1 TREE DOWN ON TRUCK			
1035 PM	TSTM WND DMG	BRIAR	36.64N 90.96W
11/27/2005		RIPLEY	MO LAW ENFORCEMENT
SEVERAL TREES DOWN ON HWY. 160 NEAR BRIAR.			
1035 PM	TSTM WND DMG	3 W BRIAR	36.64N 91.02W
11/27/2005		RIPLEY	MO LAW ENFORCEMENT
*** 1 FATAL *** 1 LARGE 2 STORY HOUSE DESTROYED. ONE 74 YEAR OLD MALE LIVING ON SECOND FLOOR DIED. TWO INDIVIDUALS LIVING ON FIRST FLOOR NOT INJURED. TWO MOBILE HOMES DAMAGED WITH ROOFS PEELED OFF. TREES DOWN THROUGHOUT SOUTHWEST PORTION OF RIPLEY COUNTY. TIME OF EVENTS ESTIMATED BETWEEN 1035 PM AND 1100 PM CST.			
0201 AM	TSTM WND DMG	DEXTER	36.79N 89.96W
11/28/2005		STODDARD	MO LAW ENFORCEMENT
TREES DOWN ALONG COUNTY HIGHWAY 514.			
0205 AM	TSTM WND GST	MORLEY	37.04N 89.61W
11/28/2005	60.00 MPH	SCOTT	MO LAW ENFORCEMENT
0300 AM	TSTM WND DMG	DE SOTO	37.82N 89.23W
11/28/2005		JACKSON	IL LAW ENFORCEMENT
TREES DOWN.			
0305 AM	FLASH FLOOD	GREENVILLE	37.13N 90.45W
11/28/2005		WAYNE	MO LAW ENFORCEMENT
STANDING WATER REPORTED ON SEVERAL COUNTY ROADS AT MIDNIGHT...WATER HAS SINCE RECEDED.			
0400 AM	FLOOD	3 W MILLERSVILLE	37.42N 89.85W
11/28/2005		CAPE GIRARDEAU	MO LAW ENFORCEMENT
FLOODING REPORTED AT INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAYS 72 AND 350 WEST OF COMMUNITY.			