PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT..CORRECTED NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE ALBANY NY 435 PM EDT Thu Aug 22 2019

...NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE CONFIRMS TORNADO IN JOHNSTOWN, NY...

LOCATION...JOHNSTOWN, FULTON COUNTY, NEW YORK

DATE...AUGUST 21, 2019

ESTIMATED TIME...2:24 PM

MAXIMUM EF SCALE RATING...EF1

ESTIMATED MAXIMUM WIND SPEED...85-90 MPH

ESTIMATED PATH WIDTH...150 YARDS

PATH LENGTH...0.5 MILE

BEGINNING LAT/LON...43.02/-74.38

ENDING LAT/LON...43.02/-74.37

- * FATALITIES...0
- * INJURIES...0
- * THE INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE PENDING FINAL REVIEW OF THE EVENT AND PUBLICATION IN NWS STORM DATA.

...SUMMARY...

A NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE SURVEY TEAM CONFIRMED AN EF1 TORNADO IN JOHNSTOWN, NY ON AUGUST 21, 2019.

THE TEAM FOUND A SMALL AREA WHERE DAMAGE CONSISTENT WITH A TORNADO OCCURRED. THE DAMAGE EXTENDED FROM JOHNSON AVENUE TO PLEASANT AVENUE.

DAMAGE WAS CONFINED TO UPROOTED TREES. BASED ON THE DAMAGE, THE TEAM ASSIGNED A RATING OF EF1 ON THE ENHANCED FUJITA SCALE. WIND SPEEDS WERE ESTIMATED AT 85 TO 90 MPH.

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