Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - October 2018

Location Date/Time Deaths & Property & Event Type and Details Injuries Crop Dmg

NORTH DAKOTA, Central and West

(ND-Z048) LA MOURE, (ND-Z051) DICKEY

10/10/18 02:00 CST

0.40M

Heavy Snow

10/10/18 19:00 CST 0.40M

A low pressure system lifting from the Central Plains into the Upper Midwest led to snow developing over eastern and parts of central North Dakota. The heaviest snow occurred over the lower James River Valley into east-central and northeast North Dakota. The storm occurred while many crops were unharvested, which led to crop losses, particularly soybeans. Also, the heavy wet snow led to damaged power lines and broken power poles, with around 200 services loosing power for an extended period of time in rural areas, and periodic short-term outages in towns. Snow totals were nine to 11 inches.

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