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National Weather Service Brownsville TX
454 PM CDT Fri May 9 2025

...[NWS](#) Damage Survey for 05/08/2025 [Thunderstorm](#) Wind Event in North McAllen, Texas...

.Overview...During the early evening of May 8, 2025, a [microburst](#) descended from a severe [hail](#)-producing [thunderstorm](#) and caused [scattered](#) structural damage to roofs, carports, fences, and [power](#) poles...as well as trees. The brief [microburst](#) was accompanied by [hail](#) and blinding rain. There were no known casualties.

[Thunderstorm](#) Wind 1 ..

Peak Wind /Estimated/: 80-85 mph
Path Length: 1.33 miles
Path Width: 2235 yards
Fatalities: 0
Injuries: 0

Start Date: May_08_2025
Start Time: 701 PM CDT
Start Location: 8.92 NNW McAllen/Hidalgo/TX
Start [Lat](#)/Lon: 26.3269/-98.2537

End Date: May_08_2025
End Time: 704 PM CDT
End Location: 7.59 NNW McAllen/Hidalgo/TX
End [Lat](#)/Lon: 26.3117/-98.2437

Summary: Just after 7 PM CDT May 8, 2025, a strong [microburst](#) descended from a [hail](#)-producing [supercell](#) [thunderstorm](#) in North McAllen, near the city line with Edinburg. Damage, mainly to over 100 large mesquite and live oak tree limbs, occurred between north Taylor Road and north Ware Road. Along and just north of Mile 8 1/2 Road, one unanchored recreational vehicle (RV) was flipped, with several sections of fence blown down and small portions of the roof removed. Along Ware Road, one industrial business lost its sheet metal roof and garage.

The most notable damage was seen east of Ware Road, mainly between Mile 9 Road and State Road (SR) 107. In the El Pacifico neighborhood, one residence had an unanchored RV turned, flipped, and rolled while the residence and several more had [scattered](#) fence and [isolated](#) roof damage. One garage door was blown in. Between Mile 8 1/2 Road and the Sharyland Water Supply Corporation, widespread damage was seen in the Eldorado at Thousand Oaks Apartment/Duplex subdivision, with other damage at a new subdivision immediately north. Much

of these neighborhoods` fencing was blown down, several carport stanchions were snapped or lifted, and at least three homes had partial roof shingle lift. Windblown fencing and carport material impacted nearby structures, shattering windows and damaging stucco siding. Wooden [power](#) poles and light poles were leaning to the east and southeast. A few wood-framed buildings under construction were partially destroyed, and two more unbraced garages were blown in. South of SR 107, damage was more [isolated](#) - mainly to tree limbs and some fences, but one automobile repair shop along La Lomita Road had part of its sheet metal roof lifted off.

In all, several dozen homes and a few businesses had some damage, and hundreds of large tree limbs were blown down with at least ten uprooted.

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NOTE:

The information in this statement is preliminary and subject to change pending final review of the event and publication in [NWS Storm Data](#).

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