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PRELIMINARY LOCAL STORM REPORT...SUMMARY NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE WILMINGTON NC 424 PM EDT SUN MAR 16 2008

TIME	EVENT	CITY LOCATION	LAT.LON
DATE	MAG	COUNTY LOCATIONST	SOURCE

..REMARKS..

0455 PM HAIL CLYDE 34.38N 80.18W 03/15/2008 E1.00 INCH DARLINGTON SC TRAINED SPOTTER

0458 PM HAIL HARTSVILLE 34.37N 80.08W 03/15/2008 E1.00 INCH DARLINGTON SC CO-OP OBSERVER

ENOUGH HAIL TO COVER THE GROUND.

0540 PM HAIL ENE DILLON 34.42N 79.37W 03/15/2008 E1.75 INCH DILLON SC LAW ENFORCEMENT

REPORT FROM LAW ENFORCEMENT THROUGH THE 911 CENTER.

0545 PM TSTM WND DMG LATTA 34.34N 79.43W 03/15/2008 DILLON SC FIRE DEPT/RESCUE

STRUCTURAL DAMAGE AND MANY TREES DOWN. POWER OUTAGES FROM OAK GROVE TO LATTA. POSSIBLE TORNADO AS FIRE DEPT PERSONNEL HAD SIGHTED A FUNNEL CLOUD.

0548 PM TORNADO LATTA 34.34N 79.43W 03/15/2008 F0 DILLON SC NWS STORM SURVEY

SPOTTY EF-0 DAMAGE...BEGINNING NEAR HIGHWAY 301 AND HIGHWAY 501 JUNCTION...AND ENDING NEAR JOHNSON RD. AND HIGHWAY 917 EAST. DAMAGE INCLUDED TREE ON HOME...AND MINOR STRUCTURE DAMAGE TO APPROXIMATELY 6 HOMES. MAX ESTIMATED WINDS OF 75 MPH. PATH LENGTH WAS 1.2 MILES AND A MAXIMUM WIDTH OF 75 YARDS.

0550 PM FUNNEL CLOUD DILLON 34.42N 79.37W 03/15/2008 DILLON SC LAW ENFORCEMENT

TREES DOWN ON HOUSES AND POWERLINES. ALSO TREES BLOCKING ROADWAYS.

ALSO SOME DEAD TREES BLOWN OVER.

0600 PM TSTM WND DMG 3 SSW LAKE VIEW 34.30N 79.19W 03/15/2008 DILLON SC NWS STORM SURVEY

NUMEROUS LARGE TREES DOWN...BOTH UPROOTED AND SNAPPED

0610 PM TORNADO FAIR BLUFF 34.31N 79.03W 03/15/2008 COLUMBUS NC COUNTY OFFICIAL

FAIR BLUFF FIRE DEPT REPORTED POSSIBLE TORNADO WITH SEVERAL DAMAGED/DOWNED TREES AND ONE CASE OF MAJOR STRUCTURAL DAMAGE NEAR ORANGE ST. MANY OTHER TREES WERE REPORTED DOWN, SOME ON HOUSES, ACROSS MOST OF THE TOWN. QUARTER SIZED HAIL WAS ALSO REPORTED. TIME WAS APPROXIMATED FROM RADAR.

0614 PM HAIL ORRUM 34.47N 79.01W 03/15/2008 E1.75 INCH ROBESON NC PUBLIC

EMPLOYEE OF LUMBER RIVER STATE PARK REPORTED GOLF BALL SIZE HAIL

0615 PM TSTM WND DMG FAIR BLUFF 34.31N 79.03W 03/15/2008 COLUMBUS NC EMERGENCY MNGR

3 HOMES DAMAGED BY DOWNED TREES

0615 PM TSTM WND DMG 5 SSE LATTA 34.28N 79.40W 03/15/2008 MARION SC PUBLIC

SEVERAL TREES DOWN NEAR INTERSECTION OF METHODIST CHURCH RD AND DEW RD. LARGEST TREES WERE UP TO 8 INCHES IN DIAMETER.

0616 PM FUNNEL CLOUD 5 SE FAIRMONT 34.44N 79.05W 03/15/2008 ROBESON NC TRAINED SPOTTER

CO-OP SPOTTER REPORTED SEEING A FUNNEL CLOUD AT THE INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAYS 41 AND 904.

0625 PM TORNADO 4 S FLORENCE 34.12N 79.78W 03/15/2008 F1 FLORENCE SC NWS STORM SURVEY

*** 3 INJ *** MULTIPLE HOMES DAMAGED...3 TRAILERS OVERTURNED...3 MINOR INJURIES...2 LIVESTOCK KILLED. MAX EF-1 TORNADO WITH SPOTTY EF-0/EF-1 DAMAGE CONFIRMED BY NWS SURVEY TEAM. MAX WINDS WERE 105 MPH...WITH A MAXIMUM WIDTH OF 100 YARDS. THE PATH OF THE TORNADO WAS 14 MILES IN LENGTH. EF-1 DAMAGE FOUND NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF CENTER RD. AND WEST JOHN PAUL JONES RD. THE TORNADO STARTED NEAR SOUTH CARTERSVILLE HIGHWAY NEAR CRAWFISH POND RD. AND ENDED NEAR HIGHWAY 301 NEAR INTERSECTION OF MCCAIN CIRCLE.

0625 PM TSTM WND GST TIMMONSVILLE 34.13N 79.94W 03/15/2008 E0.00 MPH FLORENCE SC CO-OP OBSERVER

ESTIMATED WIND GUST OF 60 MPH IN TIMMONSVILLE NEAR TWIN CHURCH ROAD.

0635 PM	FUNNEL CLOUD	5 WSW FLORENCE		34.15N 79.86W
03/15/2008		FLORENCE	SC	LAW ENFORCEMENT

HIGHWAY PATROL REPORTED FUNNEL CLOUD NEAR I-95 NEAR EXIT 150

0641 PM	TSTM WND DMG	RAYNHAM	34.57N 79.19W	
03/15/2008		ROBESON	NC TRAINED SPOTTE	R

TREES DOWN ON TOMM ROAD.

0641 PM TSTM WND DMG RAYNHAM 34.57N 79.19W 03/15/2008 ROBESON NC TRAINED SPOTTER

TREES DOWN O TOMM ROAD.

0650 PM TSTM WND DMG 5 ESE GRESHAM 33.90N 79.34W 03/15/2008 MARION SC TRAINED SPOTTER

A 20 INCH OAK TREE WAS TWISTED AND SNAPPED AT 16 FEET AT THE INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAY 41 AND HIGHWAY 908 JUST NORTH OF BRITTONS NECK.

0700 PM TSTM WND DMG 6 NE GRESHAM 33.99N 79.35W 03/15/2008 MARION SC AMATEUR RADIO

5 PINE TREES DOWN ACROSS HIGHWAY 41

0713 PM TORNADO 8 NW CONWAY 33.92N 79.16W 03/15/2008 F0 HORRY SC EMERGENCY MNGR

ROOFS PEELED OFF HOMES. CARPORT TOSSED 150 YARDS. SEVERAL TREES DOWN. THE TORNADO WAS LOCATED NEAR ROUTE 501 AND 319 NEAR AYNOR. THE TORNADO WAS 25 YARDS IN WIDTH...AND HAD A PATH OF ABOUT 1/4 OF A MILE IN LENGTH.

0717 PM TORNADO 1 S GREELEYVILLE 33.56N 79.99W 03/15/2008 F1 WILLIAMSBURG SC NWS STORM SURVEY

1/2 MILE SWATH OF LARGE TREES DOWN NEAR THE GREELEYVILLE AMATEUR RADIO REPEATER. 1 HOME DAMAGED. SIGNIFICANT TREE DAMAGE WITH TREES SNAPPED...AND UPROOTED. CHURCH STEEPLE DAMAGED WITH SHINGLES BLOWN OFF THE ROOF. EF-1 TORNADO CONFIRMED BY NWS SURVEY TEAM WITH ESTIMATED WINDS OF 105 MPH...AND A MAXIMUM PATH WIDTH OF 100 YARDS.

0717 PM HAIL 3 W SAMPIT 33.37N 79.50W 03/15/2008 E1.75 INCH GEORGETOWN SC NWS EMPLOYEE

CHARLESTON WFO CALLED TO RELAY THIS REPORT.

 HAIL REPORTED IN SHELL COMMUNITY NEAR INTERSECTION OF SC 22 AND 905.

*** 7 INJ *** STRUCTURAL DAMAGE TO TRAILERS IN INTERSTATE MOBILE HOME PARK. MINOR INJURIES REPORTED BY EMS ON THE SCENE.

0745 PM TSTM WND GST 5 NW NORTH MYRTLE BEACH 33.88N 78.73W 03/15/2008 M84.00 MPH HORRY SC TRAINED SPOTTER

84 MPH GUST MEASURED BY SKYWARN SPOTTER IN WAMPEE.

0750 PM TSTM WND DMG TRIO 33.48N 79.72W 03/15/2008 WILLIAMSBURG SC FIRE DEPT/RESCUE

LOTS OF WIND DAMAGE TO STRUCTURES AND TREES. MOBILE HOME WITH HEAVY DAMAGE ON STEADFAST ROAD. DAMAGE REPORTS EXTEND WEST TO GREELEYVILLE.

QUARTER SIZED HAIL REPORTED ON FRONT STREET.

0750 PM HAIL LELAND 34.24N 78.05W

03/15/2008 E0.75 INCH BRUNSWICK NC PUBLIC

REPORT RELAYED VIA HAM RADIO OPERATOR

0759 PM TORNADO HAMPSTEAD 34.37N 77.70W 03/15/2008 F1 PENDER NC NWS STORM SURVEY

SEVERAL HOMES AND BUSINESSES SUSTAINED DAMAGE AND NUMEROUS TREES WERE BLOWN DOWN AT THE INTERSECTION OF PANSY LANE AND PEANUT ROAD. THE TORNADO WAS RATED AS AN EF1...WITH WINDS UP TO 110 MPH. THE TORNADO HAD A MAXIMUM WIDTH OF 100 YARDS AND A TOTAL LENGTH OF 2 MILES...BUT IT WAS AN EF0 FOR MOST OF THE TIME.

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