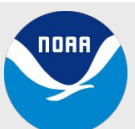
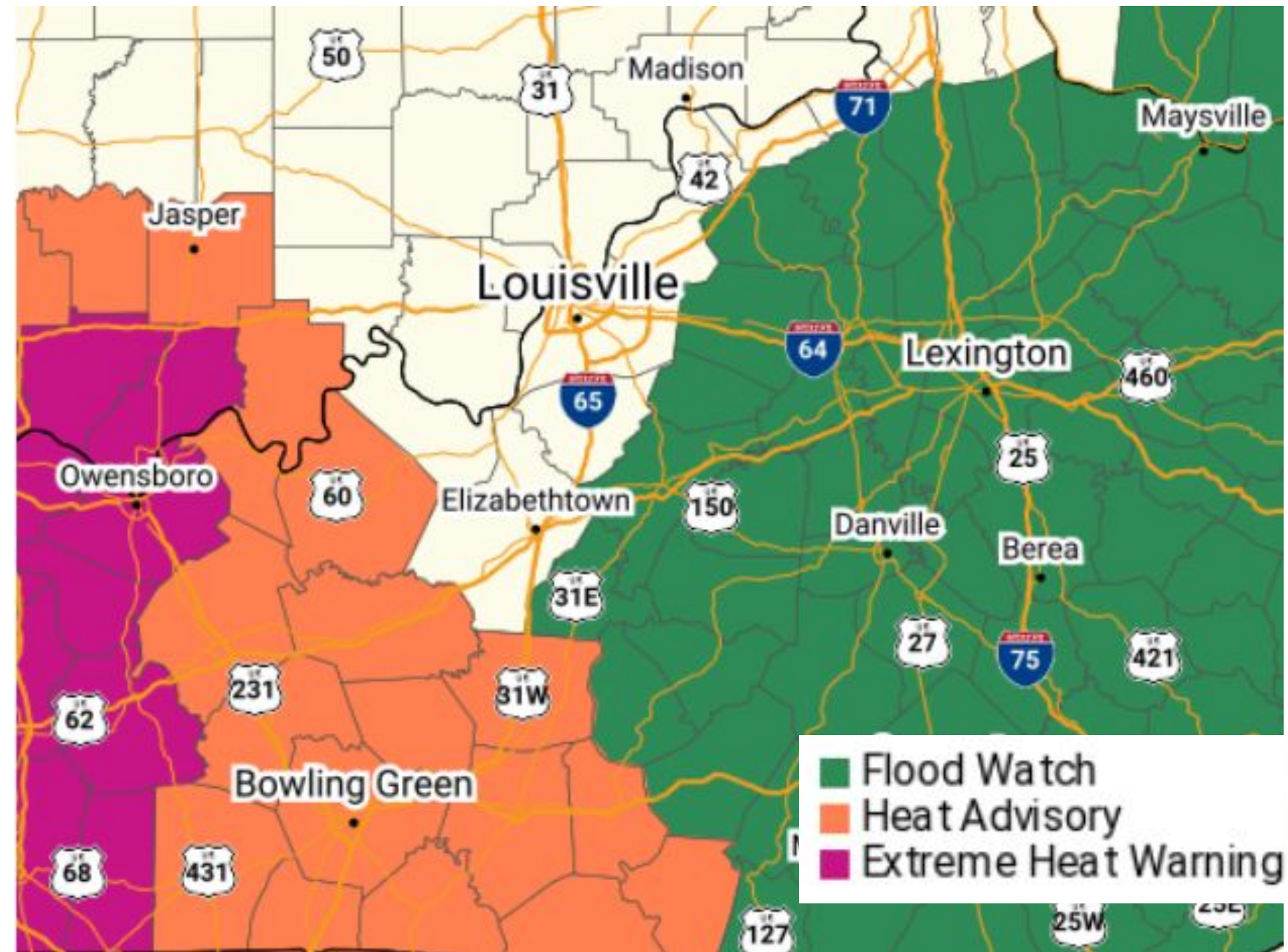


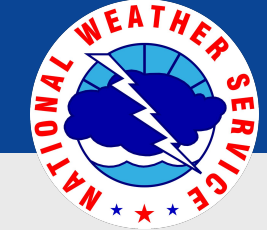


Advisories and Watches

July 21, 2026
9:09 AM EDT

- **Flash Flood Watch** has been issued for central KY counties east of Interstate 65. Also in some counties under the Heat Advisory.
- **Heat Advisory** in effect for Today from 11AM EDT/ 10AM CDT until 8PM EDT/ 7PM CDT.





Strong to Severe Storms Today

July 21, 2026
9:09 AM EDT

A broken line of Strong to Severe Storms

Key Messages

- Strong line(s) of storms will move through this afternoon and evening.
- Isolated to scattered severe storms will be possible ahead of the line of storms.



Timing of Storms:

- ◆ Around Noon through Tuesday Evening
- Confidence is increasing in severe weather impacts including:



DAMAGING
WIND



TORNADO(ES)
POSSIBLE



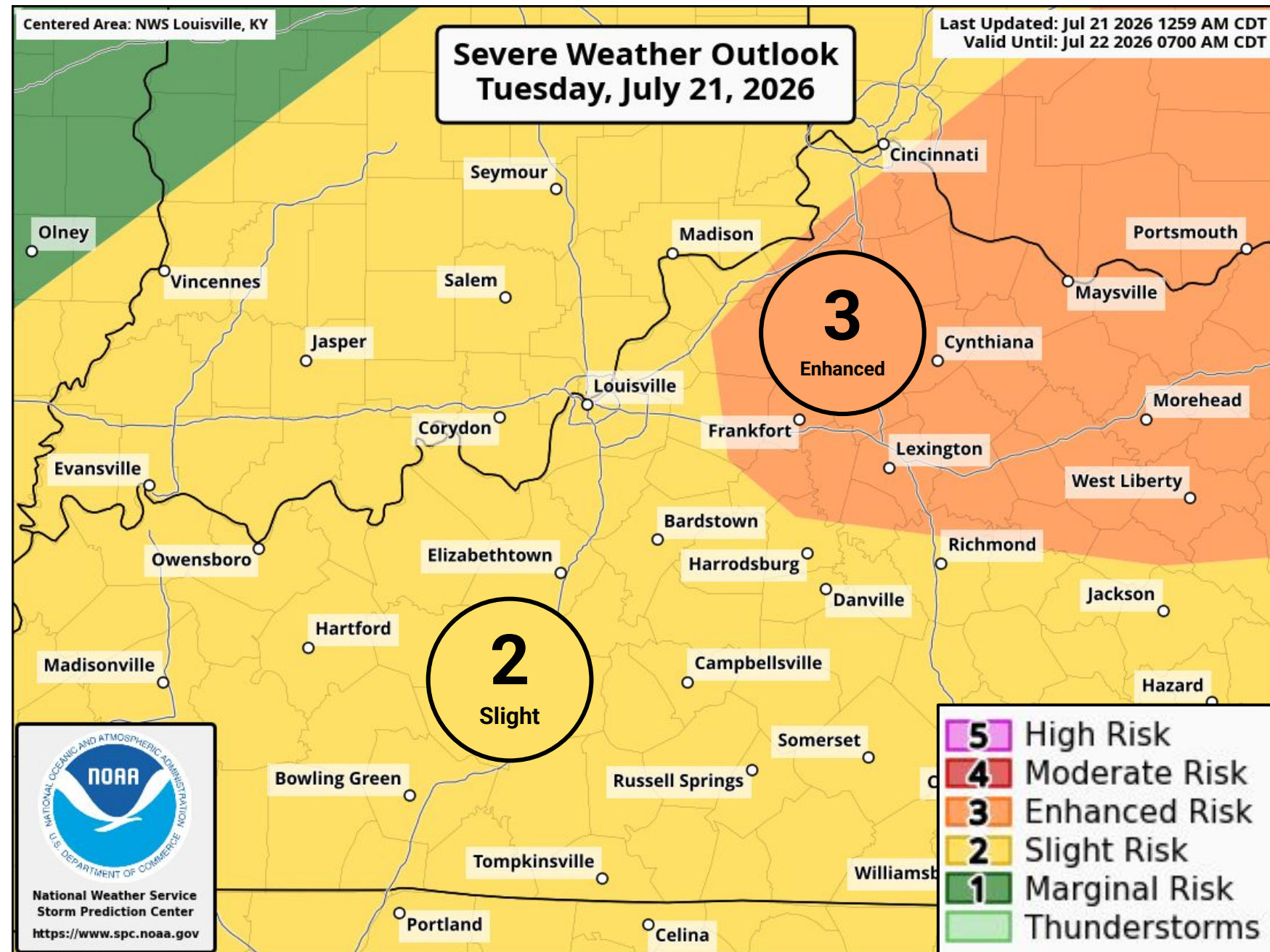
FLASH FLOODING
POSSIBLE

Confidence in Severe Weather

Low

Medium

High



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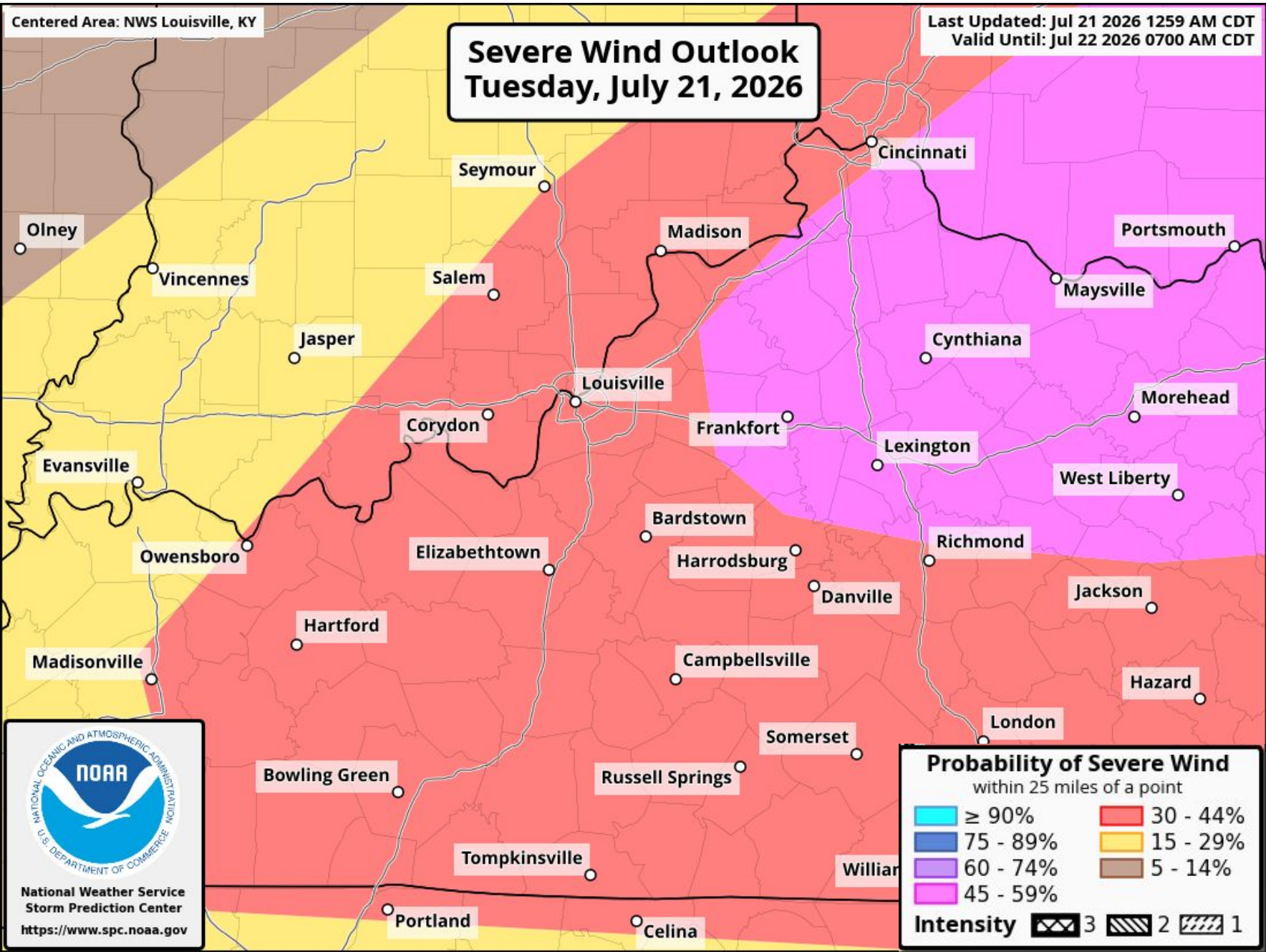
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Severe Weather: Wind Outlook

July 21, 2026
9:09 AM

Strong Winds Possible



Wind

Reasonable Max Wind Speed

60 mph

70 mph

80 mph

90+ mph

- Strong to damaging winds will be possible with storms.
- Swaths of tree damage and minor structural damage possible.



TREE
DAMAGE



POWER
OUTAGES
POSSIBLE



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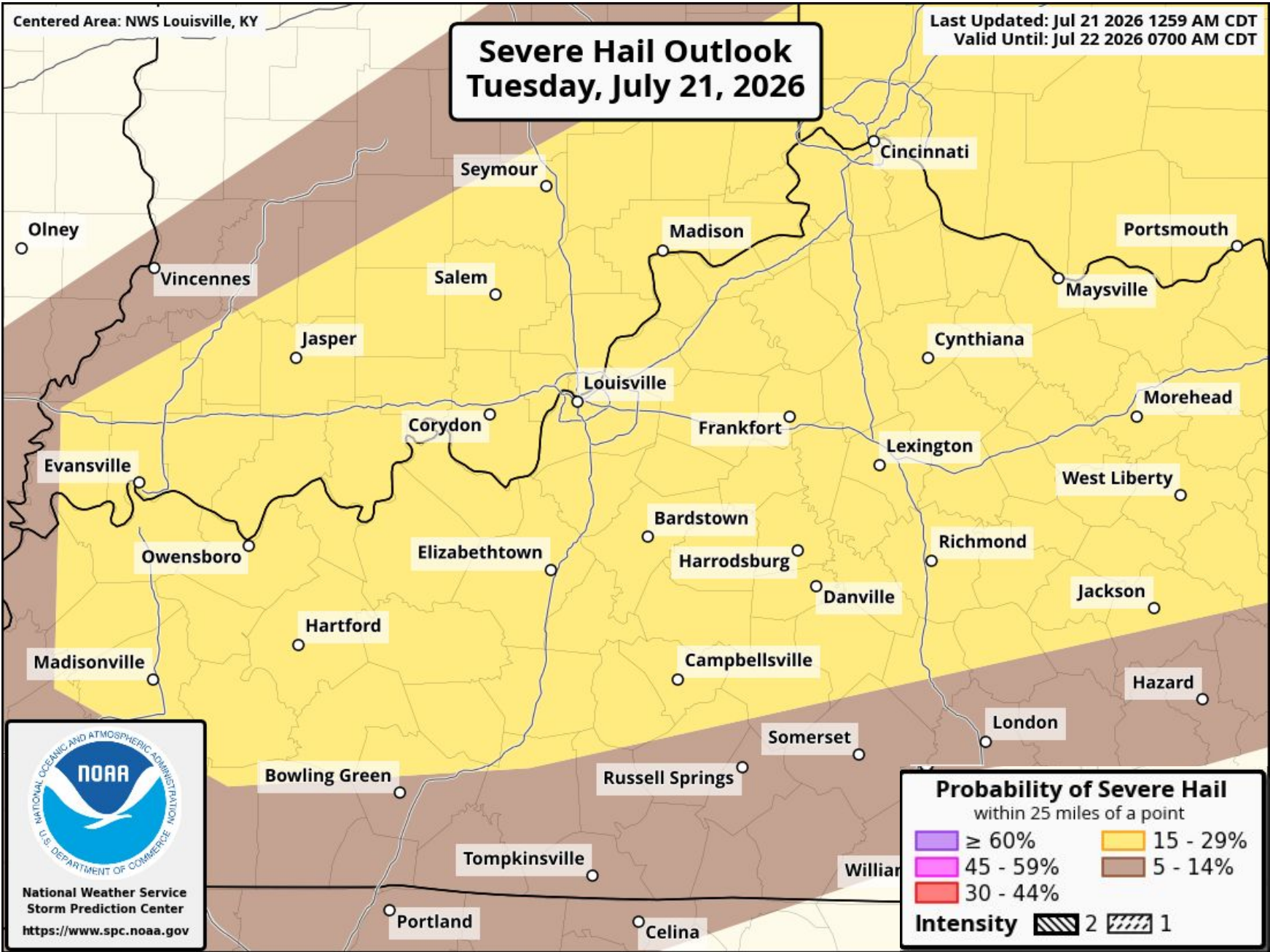
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Severe Weather: Hail Outlook

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Severe Hail Possible



Hail

Reasonable Largest Hail Size

< 1.0"

1 - 2"

2 - 3+"

- Isolated large hail is possible, especially with more discrete storms.



**SEVERE
HAIL (≥ 1" DIA.)
POSSIBLE**



**TAKE
SHELTER
INDOORS**

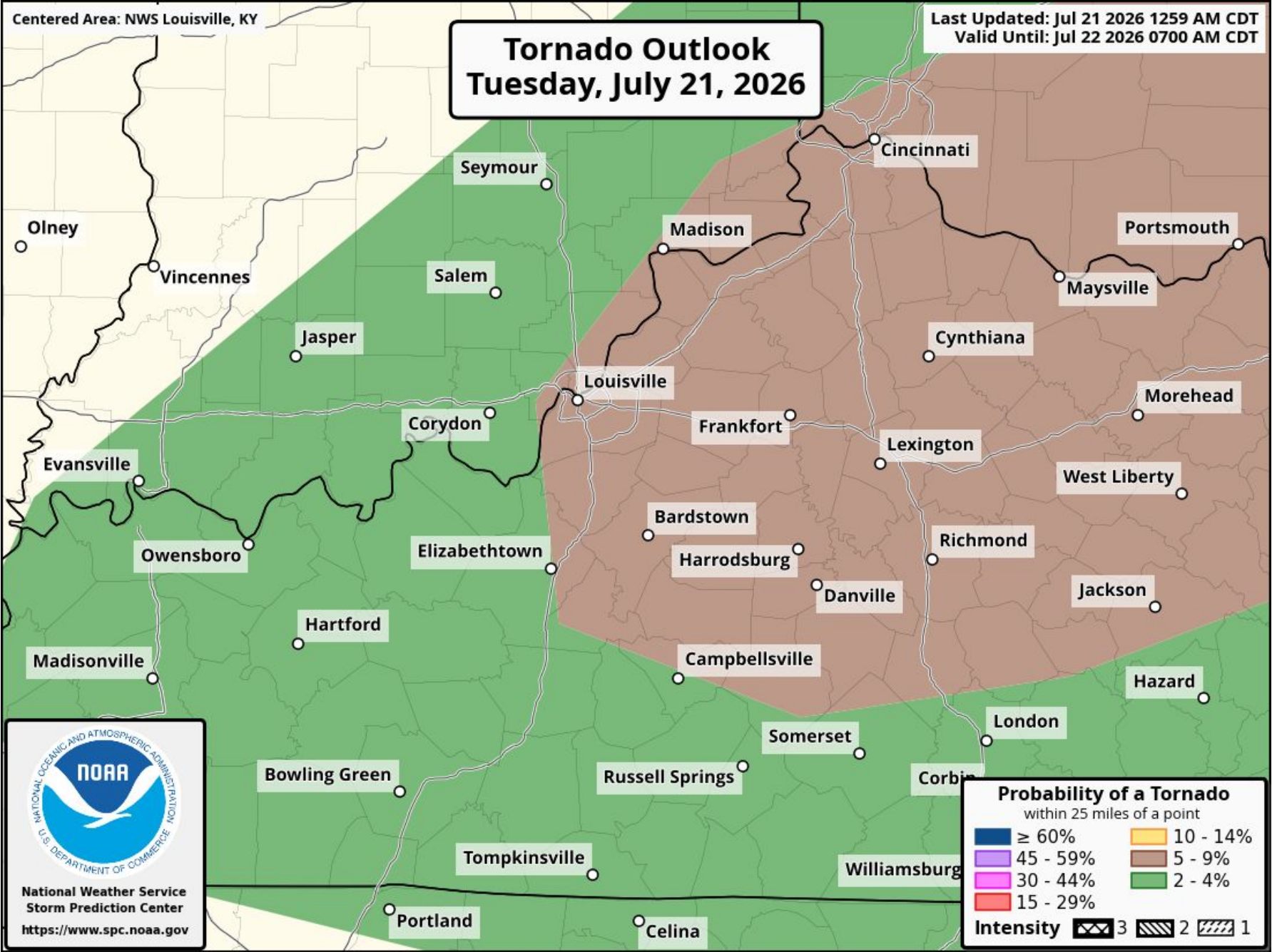




Severe Weather: Tornado Outlook

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9:09 AM

A Few Tornadoes Possible



Tornado

Probability of Tornado(es)

Unlikely

Possible

Likely

- A few isolated/ brief tornadoes possible
- Greatest tornado risk with any discrete cells or embedded within a squall line



ISOLATED/ BRIEF
TORNADO
POSSIBLE



TAKE
SHELTER
INDOORS





Severe Weather Start Time

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9:09 AM

Scattered Strong to Severe Storms Today

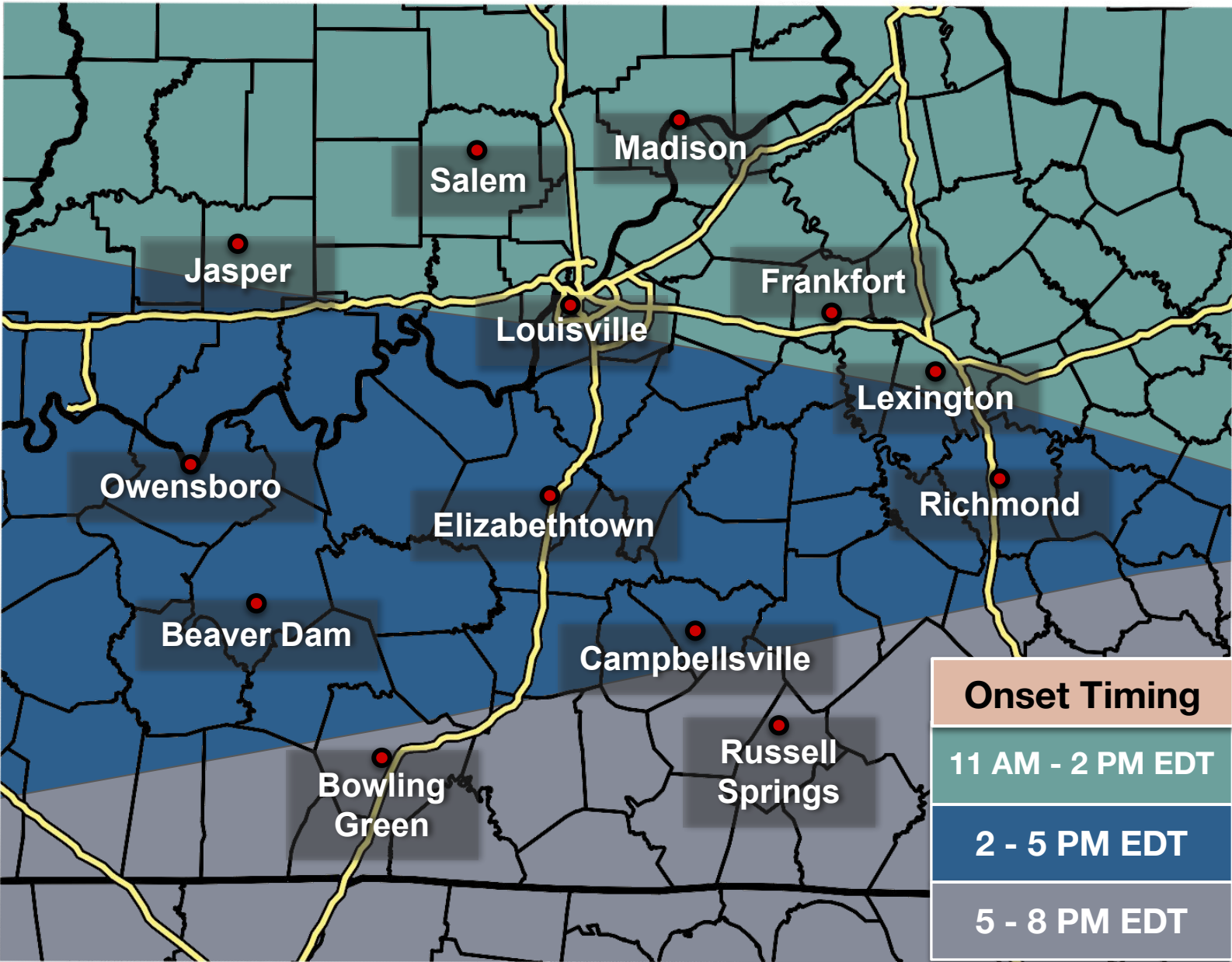
Details

- One wave of storms may make a run at southern IN/northern KY late around midday
- Overall timing trending a little later into the afternoon
- Otherwise, a broken line of strong storms should develop across southern IN/northern KY this afternoon and move southeast through the evening

Confidence in Severe Weather



Confidence in Timing





Severe Weather End Time

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End Time For Severe Weather This Evening

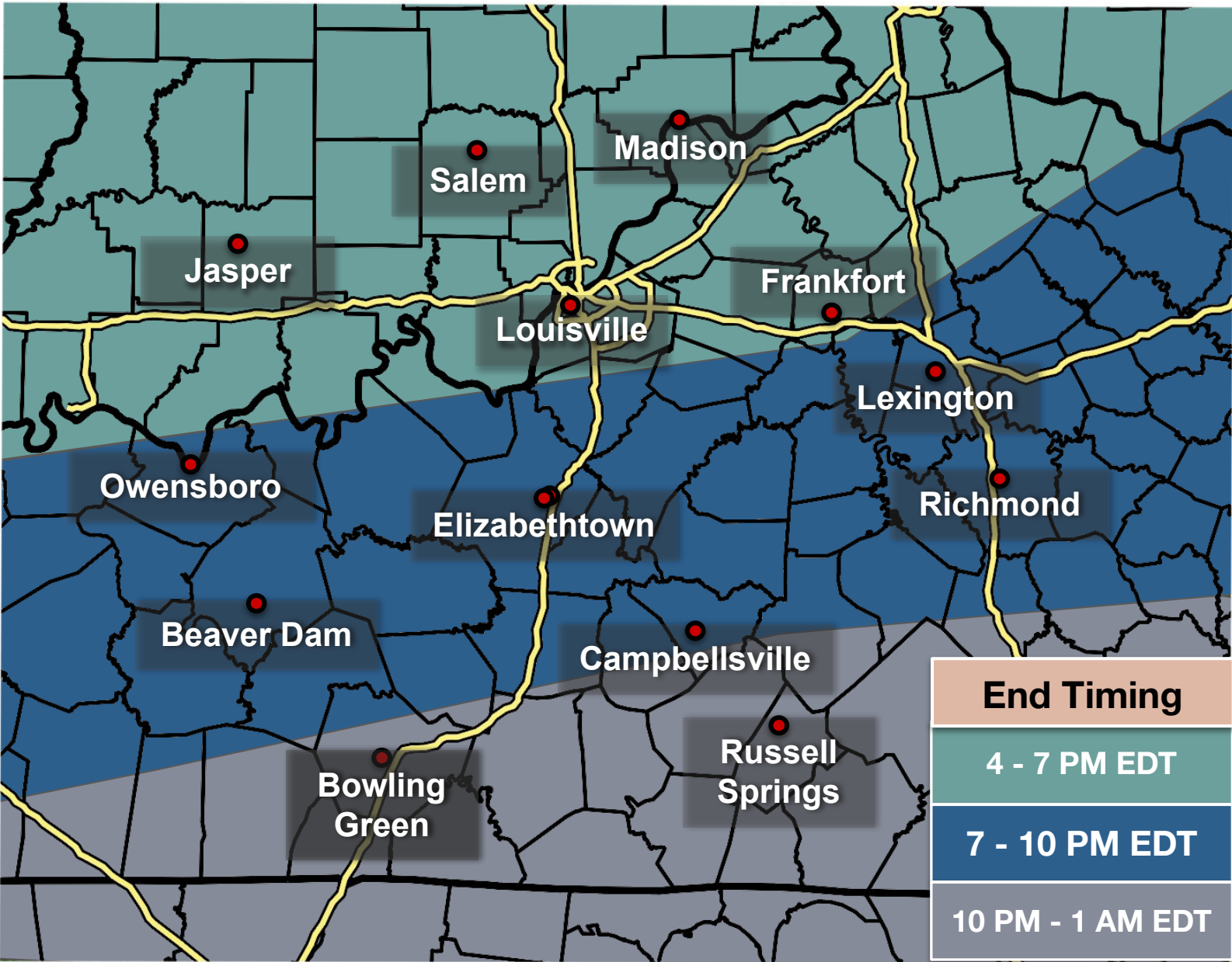
Details

- Main wave of strong storms moves through in the afternoon and early evening hours
- Additional showers and storms may linger behind the first line, but the severe threat will be lower
- ◆ Showers and storms may linger especially across southern and southeast KY tonight

Confidence in Severe Weather



Confidence in End Timing





Flash Flooding Risk Today

July 21, 2026
9:09 AM EDT

Locally Excessive Rainfall May Lead to Flash Flooding

Key Messages

- Scattered to numerous strong storms possible this afternoon and evening
- Stronger storms will be capable of very heavy rainfall
- **Isolated** flash flooding is possible where multiple thunderstorms move over the same area
- Tuesday Rainfall Totals: Widespread 1-2” mainly east of I-65
 - ◆ Isolated Storm Totals: 3+”
- **Point of Uncertainty:**
 - ◆ Precise location of heaviest rainfall totals

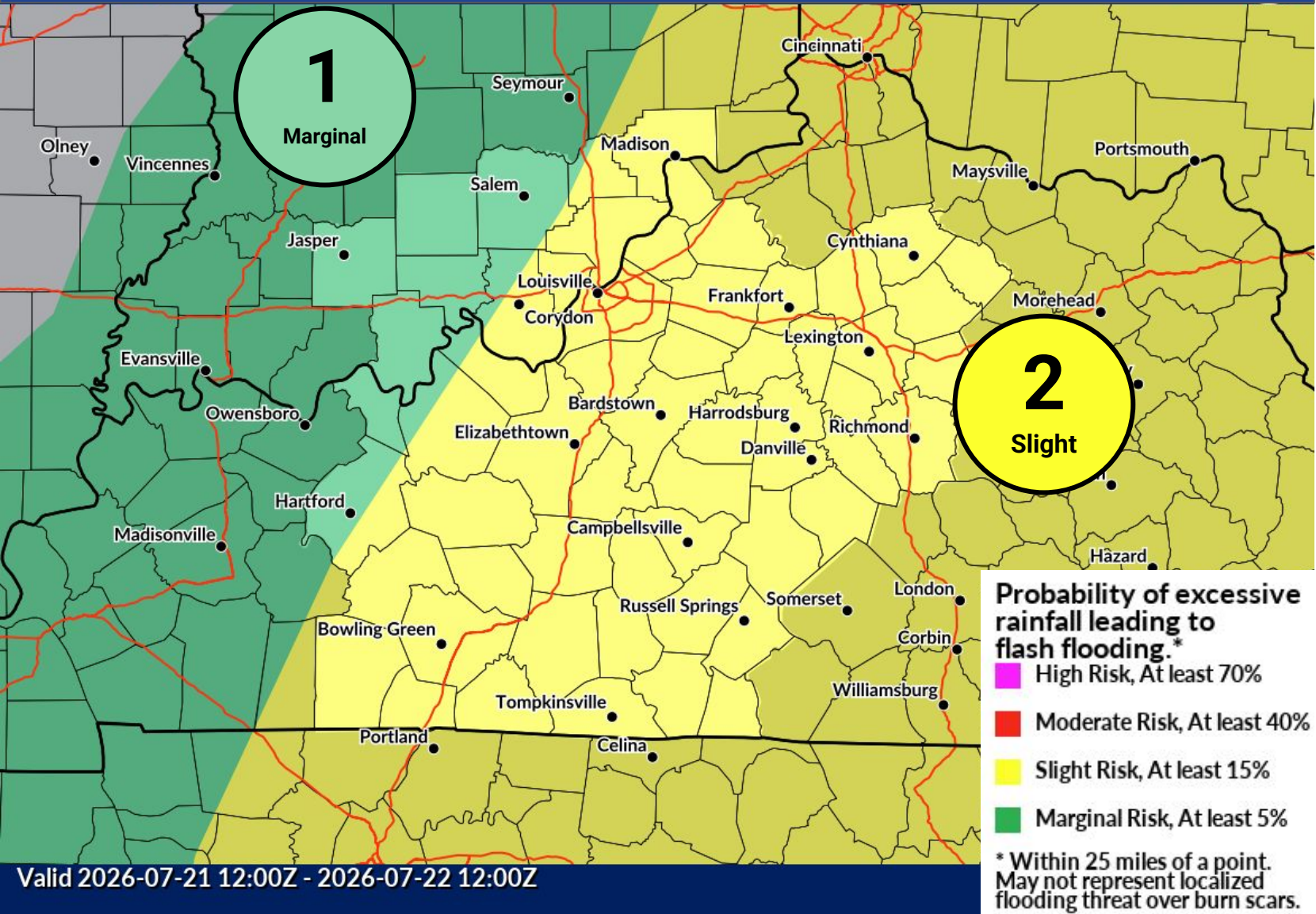
Confidence in Flash Flooding

Low

Medium

High

Excessive Rainfall Outlook



STORM PLANNING TIMELINE

A few days out

If the forecast calls for severe weather in a few days, start preparing now.



Make sure that you have emergency supplies



Know your safe places



Have a family communication plan

The day before

The day before, forecast accuracy continues to improve.



Adjust plans



Make sure your phone can receive WEAs



Ensure your shelter is clean and accessible

The day of

Remain vigilant and aware of any active Watches. A Warning may be issued at a moment's notice!



Remind your family of the communication plan



Know how to evacuate and/or get to safety from wherever you are



When a Warning is issued, you may only have seconds to take action!