

Severe Storms Tuesday

July 20, 2026
5:04 AM EDT

Tuesday, July 21st

Key Messages

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



Timing of Storms:

- ◆ Midday - Early Tuesday Night
- Confidence is increasing in severe weather impacts including:



DAMAGING
WIND



TORNADO(ES)
POSSIBLE



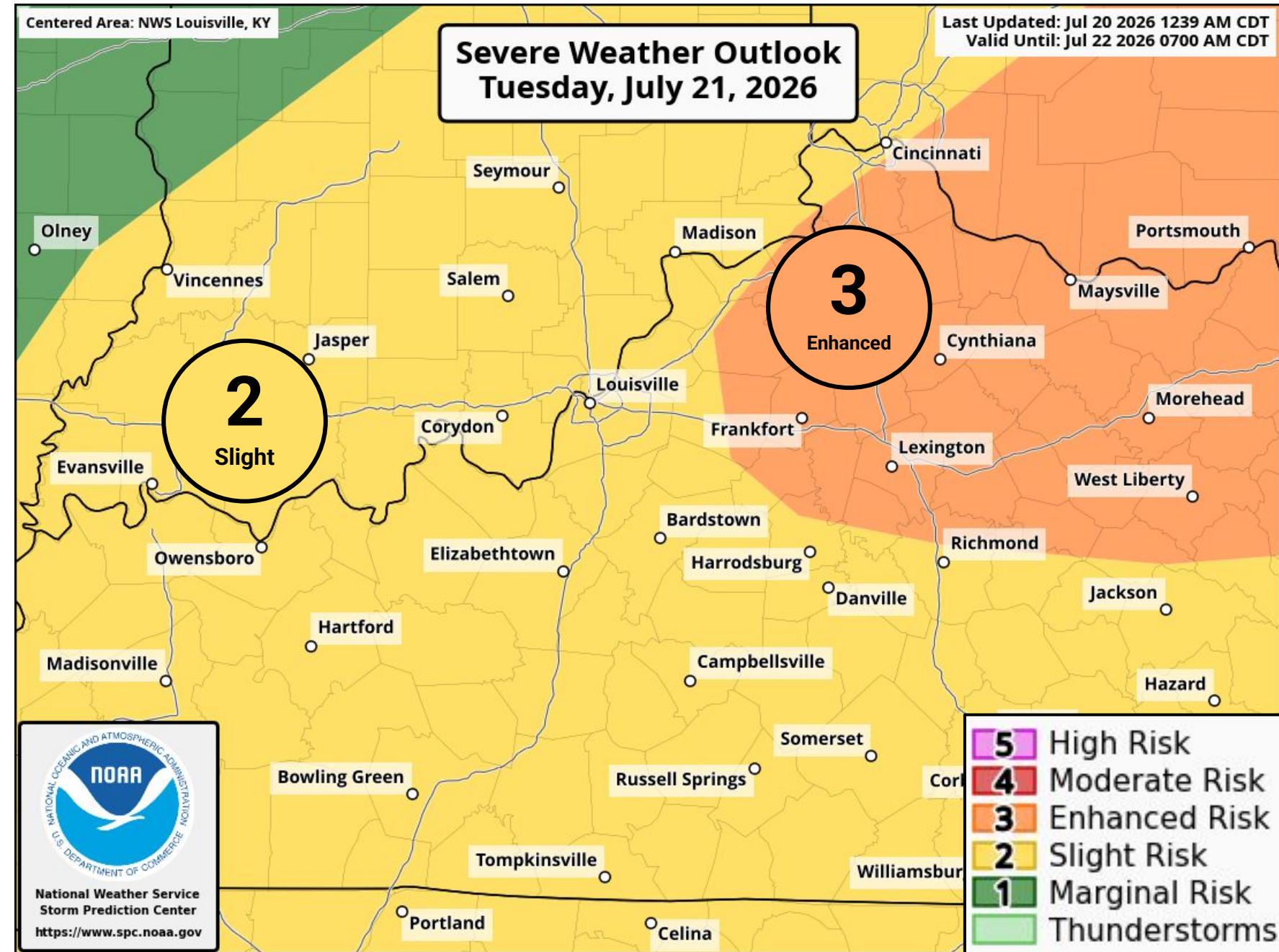
FLASH FLOODING
POSSIBLE

Confidence in Severe Weather

Low

Medium

High



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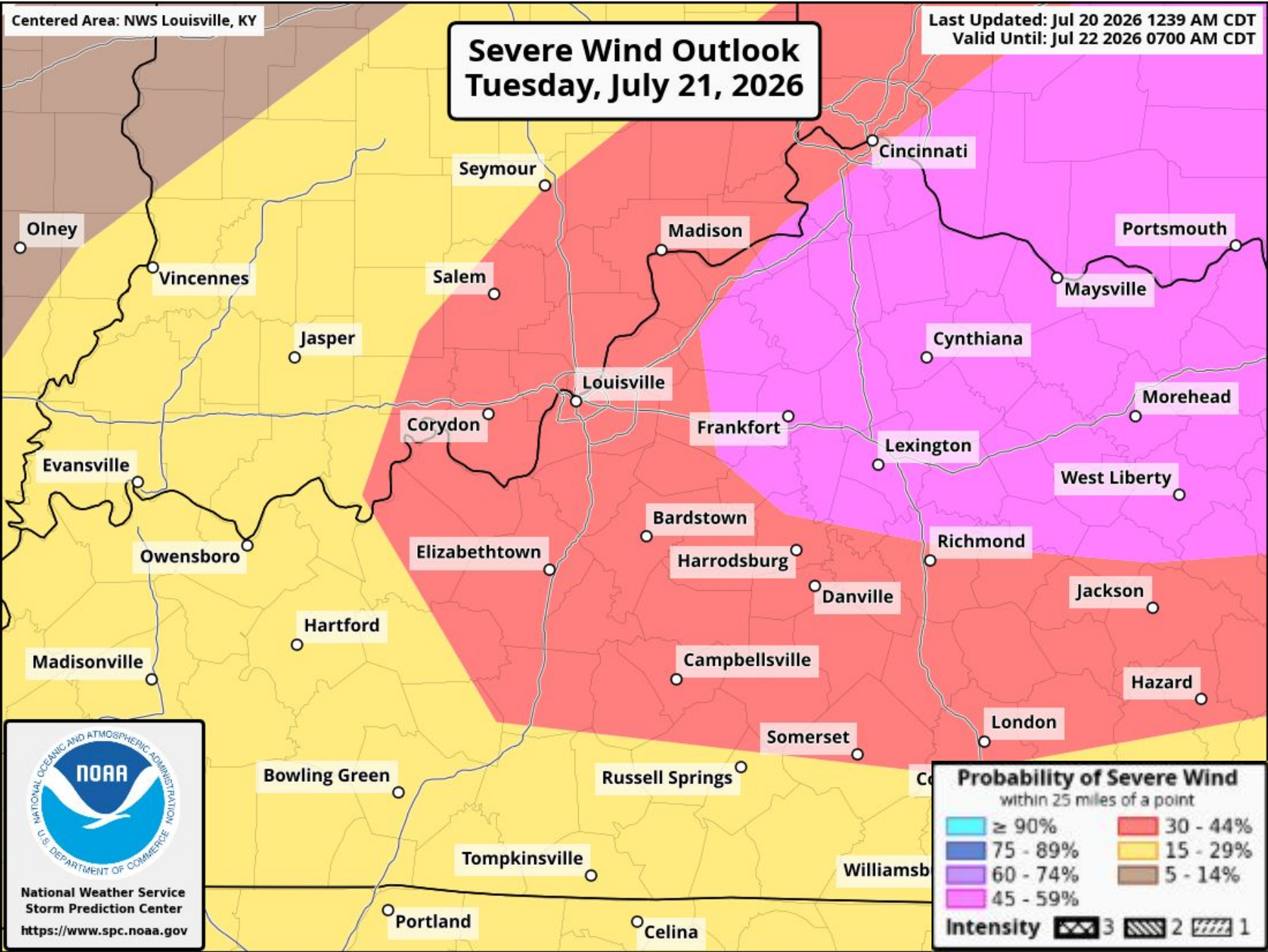
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Severe Weather: Wind Outlook

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 **Wind**

Reasonable Max Wind Speed

60 mph

70 mph

80 mph

90+ mph

- Stronger winds may be possible



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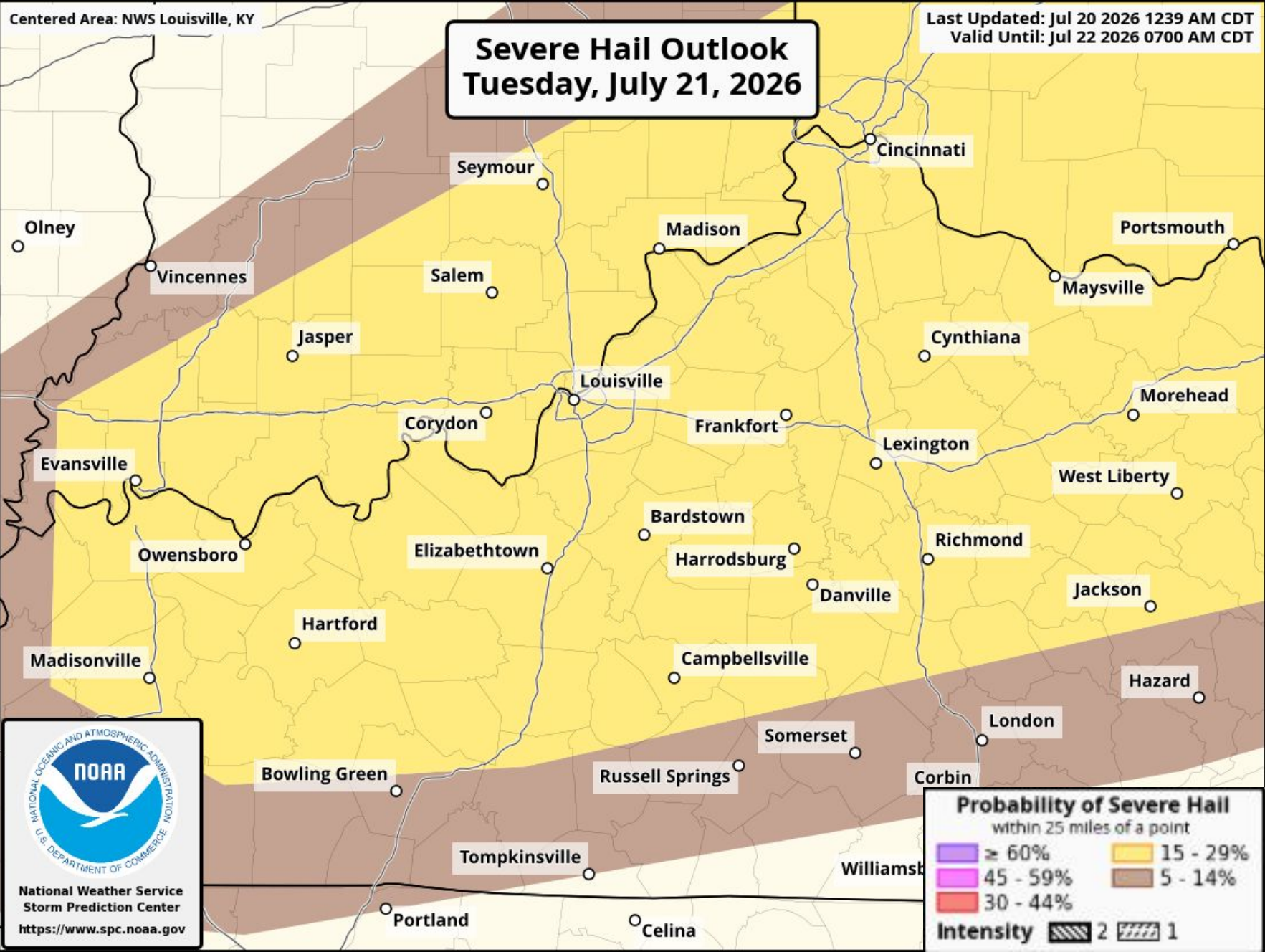
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Severe Weather: Hail Outlook

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Hail

Reasonable Largest Hail Size

< 1.0"	1 - 2"	2 - 3+"
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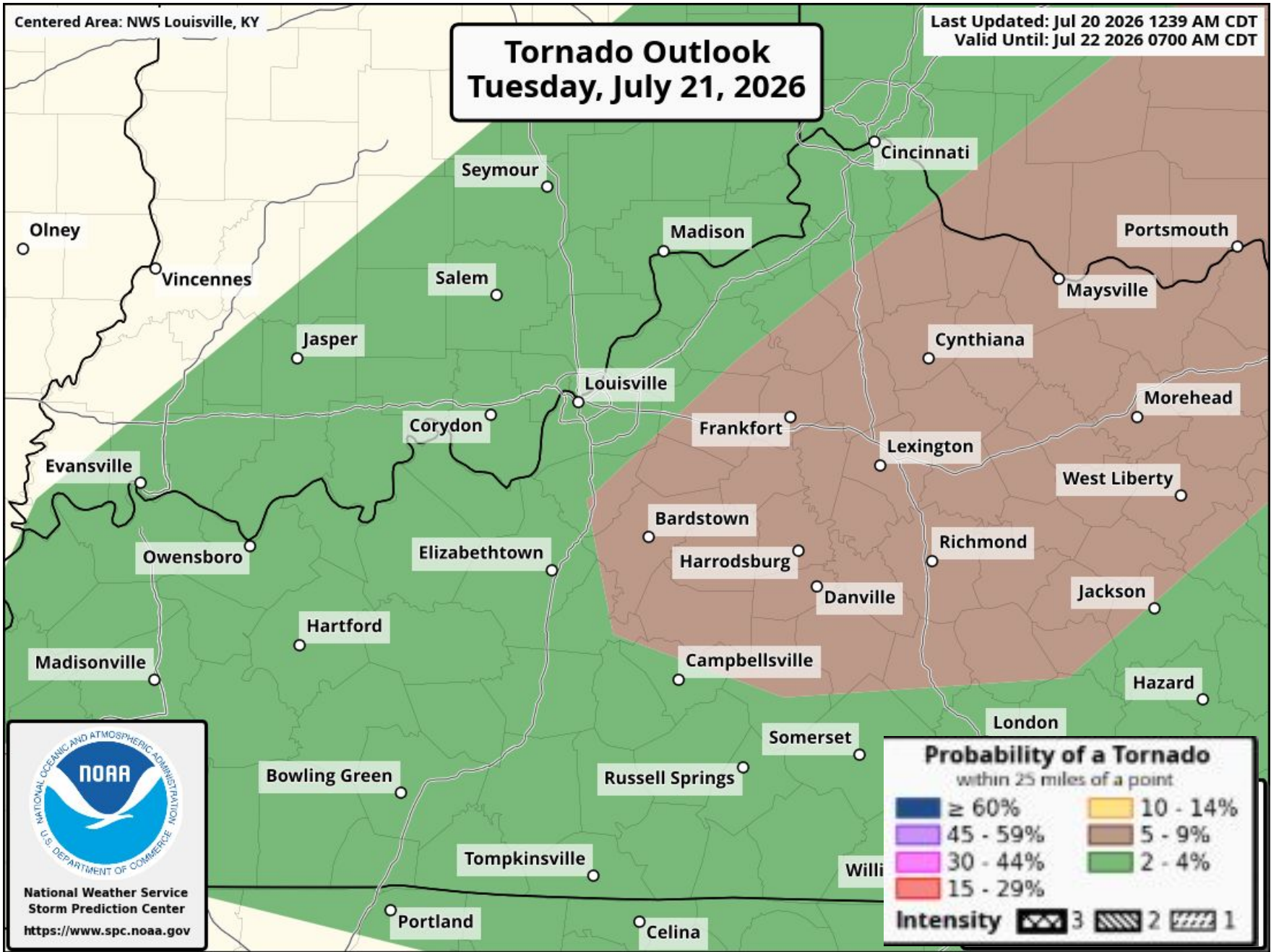




Severe Weather: Tornado Outlook

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Tornado

Probability of Tornado(es)

Unlikely

Possible

Likely



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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!