

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - January 2020

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

KANKAKEE COUNTY --- BONFIELD [41.15, -88.05]

01/10/20 19:00 CST	0	Heavy Rain
01/11/20 05:00 CST	0	Source: Public

Rainfall of 2.38 inches was reported.

(IL-Z003) WINNEBAGO

01/10/20 19:00 CST	0	Ice Storm
01/11/20 09:00 CST	0	

COOK COUNTY --- PARK FOREST [41.48, -87.68]

01/10/20 20:00 CST	0	Heavy Rain
01/11/20 07:00 CST	0	Source: Trained Spotter

Rainfall of 2.01 inches was reported.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY --- 1.2 ESE ROWE [40.92, -88.65], 1.0 WNW (PNT) PONTIAC MUNICIPAL AIRPORT [40.92, -88.64], 1.1 WSW (PNT) PONTIAC MUNICIPAL AIRPORT [40.91, -88.64], 1.6 WSW (PNT) PONTIAC MUNICIPAL AIRPORT [40.91, -88.65]

01/10/20 23:00 CST	0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
01/11/20 18:00 CST	0	Source: Social Media

Flooding of agricultural land and possibly some rural roads was reported near Interstate 55 and Route 23.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY --- 1.9 NW CHATSWORTH [40.77, -88.31], 1.2 NNE CHATSWORTH [40.77, -88.27], 0.9 SSE CHATSWORTH [40.74, -88.27], 1.8 WSW CHATSWORTH [40.74, -88.31]

01/10/20 23:00 CST	0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
01/11/20 18:00 CST	0	Source: COOP Observer

Minor flooding of agricultural fields was reported in the Chatsworth area.

IROQUOIS COUNTY --- 2.2 S CHEBANSE [40.97, -87.92], 2.2 S CHEBANSE [40.97, -87.92], 1.9 N CLIFTON [40.96, -87.92], 1.9 N CLIFTON [40.96, -87.93]

01/11/20 00:00 CST	0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
01/11/20 18:00 CST	0	Source: Emergency Manager

Flooding was reported on Old Route 45 north of 3100 North Road.

(IL-Z003) WINNEBAGO, (IL-Z004) BOONE, (IL-Z005) MCHENRY, (IL-Z006) LAKE, (IL-Z008) OGLE, (IL-Z010) LEE, (IL-Z011) DE KALB, (IL-Z012) KANE, (IL-Z013) DU PAGE, (IL-Z014) COOK

01/11/20 15:00 CST	0	Winter Weather
01/11/20 21:00 CST	0	

Heavy rain moved across parts of northern Illinois during the evening of January 10th and continued into the early morning of January 11th producing localized flooding. Across parts of northwest Illinois, temperatures were cold enough for the rain to fall as freezing rain. A quarter inch of ice was reported on trees in Winnebago, in Winnebago County with a thin layer of ice on pavement and a quarter inch of ice was measured at Rockford Airport. Another area of light freezing rain moved across northwest Illinois during the afternoon of January 11th with a light glaze reported in many areas. The precipitation switched to snow with a quick 1 to 2 inches of snow accumulation during the evening.

(IL-Z006) LAKE, (IL-Z014) COOK

01/11/20 00:00 CST	25M	Lakeshore Flood
01/12/20 02:00 CST	0	

Strong northeast winds gusting as high as 50 mph produced waves as high as 18 feet along the Lake Michigan shore of northeast Illinois. These high waves combined with high lake levels produced flooding, erosion and damage. Flooding was reported along South Shore Drive at 67th Street and 72nd Street. Flood waters were several inches deep as far as 400 feet inland from the lake. Waves reached residential structures along Eastlake Terrace in Rogers Park and a parking garage under one of these structures was flooded. Several cars were destroyed by the water. Two beaches in Rogers Park were permanently closed after significant beach erosion. Large sections of Loyola Beach were flooded including sidewalks and portions of the breakwall. Elliot Park near Evanston was flooded. Asphalt was damaged on the Chicago Park District bike path at Ohio Street Beach due to battering high waves.

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LEE COUNTY --- 1.0 NNE KINGDOM [41.91, -89.40], 1.2 SSW KINGDOM [41.88, -89.41], 1.0 E SWISSVILLE [41.85, -89.46], 1.2 SSE LINCOLN HGTS [41.83, -89.51], 0.8 SSE LINCOLN HGTS [41.84, -89.51], 1.8 NNE SWISSVILLE [41.87, -89.46], 2.4 N SWISSVILLE [41.88, -89.49], 4.5 WNW KINGDOM [41.92, -89.48]				
	01/21/20 06:00 CST		0	Flood (due to Ice Jam)
	01/22/20 06:00 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter

An ice jam on the Rock River caused flooding between Grand Detour and Dixon. Flooding was also reported in an agricultural area due to backwater on Pine Creek.

Flooding occurred along portions of the Rock River due to an ice jam.

INDIANA, Northwest

LAKE COUNTY --- CEDAR LAKE [41.37, -87.45]				
	01/10/20 20:00 CST		0	Heavy Rain
	01/11/20 09:00 CST		0	Source: Public

Rainfall of 3.15 inches was reported.

LAKE COUNTY --- 0.4 NNE WINFIELD [41.41, -87.28], 0.5 NE WINFIELD [41.41, -87.27], 0.4 NE WINFIELD [41.40, -87.27], 0.3 NNE WINFIELD [41.40, -87.28]				
	01/11/20 01:00 CST		0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	01/11/20 18:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

Flooding was reported on 117th Avenue at Decatur Street.

LAKE COUNTY --- 1.0 SSW WHITING [41.67, -87.51], 0.9 SSW WHITING [41.67, -87.51], 1.5 SSW WHITING [41.66, -87.51], 1.6 SSW WHITING [41.66, -87.51]				
	01/11/20 01:00 CST		0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	01/11/20 18:00 CST		0	Source: Department of Highways

Indiana DOT reported Route 41 (Calumet Avenue) was partially flooded at 129th Street due to a combination of rainfall and Lake Michigan extra-tropical storm surge.

PORTER COUNTY --- 1.8 ENE SOUTH HAVEN [41.54, -87.14], 1.8 ENE SOUTH HAVEN [41.54, -87.14], 1.7 ENE SOUTH HAVEN [41.54, -87.14], 1.6 ENE SOUTH HAVEN [41.54, -87.14]				
	01/11/20 01:00 CST		0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	01/11/20 18:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

Millport Drive was closed at Long Run Road due to flooding.

PORTER COUNTY --- 1.8 S FURNESSVILLE [41.62, -87.00], 1.8 NNW BURDICK [41.62, -86.99], 1.6 NNW BURDICK [41.62, -86.99], 1.7 NNW BURDICK [41.62, -87.00]				
	01/11/20 01:00 CST		0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	01/11/20 18:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

County Road 1300 N was closed near County Road 375 E due to flooding.

PORTER COUNTY --- 0.9 SSE HURLBURT [41.36, -87.16], 1.0 SSE HURLBURT [41.36, -87.16], 1.4 SSE HURLBURT [41.35, -87.16], 1.4 SSE HURLBURT [41.35, -87.16]				
	01/11/20 02:00 CST		0	Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	01/11/20 18:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

Flooding was reported on County Road 500 W from Cornell Ditch.

Heavy rain fell across parts of northwest Indiana from the evening of January 10th through the morning of January 11th producing localized flooding.

(IN-Z001) LAKE, (IN-Z002) PORTER

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	01/12/20 06:00 CST		0	

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