Sept. 6 - Sept. 8 2001 Severe Storms

Each afternoon and evening from September 6 to 8, thunderstorms produced isolated pockets of wind damage. On September 6, the damage occurred in Grandview, Indiana and southwest Calloway County, KY. On September 7, major structural damage occurred in Shawneetown, Illinois and southwest Caldwell County, KY.

September 6: Around 5 P.M., a severe thunderstorm struck southwest Calloway County, KY. Over a dozen trees were blown down, some across roads and power lines. A little later that evening, damaging winds occurred at Grandview in Spencer County, IN.

September 7: A series of small-scale wind events occurred in southern Illinois and western Kentucky. At Shawneetown, IL, three businesses in town were unroofed. In southwest Caldwell County, KY, eight roofs were blown off, and a mobile home was destroyed. A few reports of trees blown down were received.

September 8: A thunderstorm produced large hail near Ellsinore, MO, in Carter County. Another storm produced strong winds at Calhoun, KY, downing tree limbs. The photos below were taken from the Paducah National Weather Service office, looking southeast. The storms pictured, about 15 to 20 miles away, were not particularly strong.





NOTE for Storm Data below: (GUSTS IN KNOTS - i.e. Thunderstorm Wind (G50) = 58 mph)

ILLINOIS, South

Johnson County 5 S Vienna	07 1115CST Several trees and power lines were blown down on U	0 J.S. Highwa	0 ay 45.	3К	Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Gallatin County Shawneetown	07 1300CST Roofs were peeled off three businesses, including a t	0 avern and c	0 convenies	20K nce store. Numero	Thunderstorm Wind ous trees were blown down
Williamson County 4 E Corinth	07 1420CST Several trees and one outbuilding were damaged	0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Saline County Stonefort	07 1425CST A few trees were blown down.	0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Saline County Texas City	07 1440CST A few trees were blown down.	0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Franklin County Sesser	08 2351CST A few power lines were blown down.	0	0	1K	Thunderstorm Wind (G50)

INDIANA, Southwest

Spencer County Grandview	<mark>06</mark> Nume	1755CST erous trees were blown down in the Grandview	0 area. A la	0 arge tree fe	7 K Ell onto a house, ca	Thunderstorm Wind (G52) ausing considerable damage		
Spencer County	07	1700-007	0	0				
Dale	07 A cou	1700CST pple of large trees were blown down.	0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)		
Spencer County 4 NW Chrisney to 8 W Rockport	07	1700CST 1845CST	0	0		Flash Flood		
o w Kockport	Thunderstorms with torrential rain persisted over western Spencer County for a couple of hours. A trained spotter measured 2.8 inches of rain in just one hour. The result was considerable flooding of some roads, including State Highways 66, 62, and 161.							
KENTUCKY, Southwest								
Calloway County								
Lynn Grove	06 Trees	1555CST were downed across 11 county roads in the Ly	0 nn Grove	0 e area.	4K	Thunderstorm Wind (G52)		
Hickman County								
Clinton	07 Four	1530CST trees were blown down.	0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)		
Calloway County								
Countywide	0 7 Abou	1615CST t six trees were blown down countywide.	0	0	3K	Thunderstorm Wind (G50)		
Caldwell County								
3 SW Princeton	07 Fight	1708CST	0	0 For storage	50K	Thunderstorm Wind		
	Eight	Eight roofs were blown off buildings. One trailer home used for storage was demolished. Three power poles were snapped. Railroad						

crossing arms were broken off, and many vehicles were damaged.

Missouri, Southeast

Carter County					
Ellsinore	08	1749CST	0	0	Hail (0.75)