



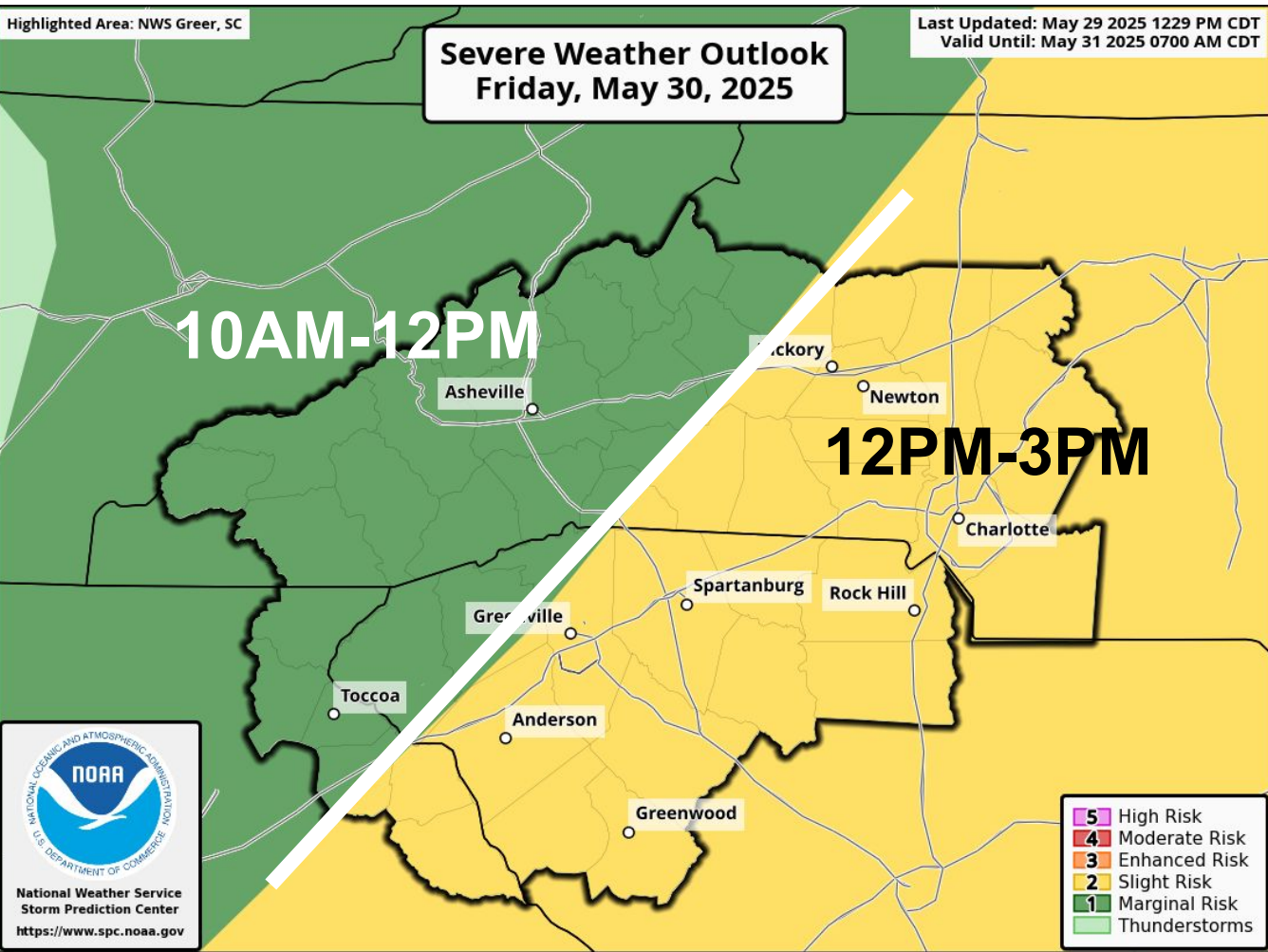
# Severe Thunderstorms Possible Friday

May 29, 2025  
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For the western Carolinas and northeast Georgia

## OVERVIEW

A cold front brings a higher threat for strong-to-severe storms as it crosses the area from late Friday morning through the afternoon.



### TIMING

- The main line of thunderstorms reaches the NC mountains between 10AM and 12AM Friday.
- The line of thunderstorms is expected to reach the I-85 corridor around 12PM to 3PM and continue eastward.

### HAZARDS & IMPACTS

- Damaging wind gusts downing trees and power lines, and causing minor structural damage.
- Hail is possible but not as high of a risk.
- A couple of brief tornadoes are possible Friday afternoon.
- Localized nuisance/minor flooding, mainly in urban areas and other locations with poor drainage.

### FORECAST CHALLENGES

- Some uncertainty remains with the timing of the front and these hazards could play out. Slightly slower timing could result in some increase in the severe weather threat for our entire area, especially east of the mountains and along/south of I-85.

### POST-EVENT OUTLOOK

- A mostly dry weekend is expected behind the front.

### NEXT BRIEFING

- Friday, May 30th by 5 AM

