

Severe Weather Reporting:

Local WX Net on _____ MHz with an offset of ____ and a tone of _____ Hz.

Net Control, this is _____, Spotter # _____, over [Wait for acknowledgment]

I am located near _____ and _____

I am seeing _____ to the (direction) _____, about _____ away.

Rain in excess of 1 inches per hour with 0.5" in an hour or less already measured at your location. In rural vegetated areas report 1.5 inch per per hour hour.

Burn scars areas: > .3 in 15 min.

A simple report of: "Heavy rain" is not needed.

Hail greater than 1/2 inch (mothball) or accumulated and become a traffic danger.

Damaging Winds of 58 mph (50 Knots) or greater measured & how it was measured

(Estimates without an anemometer will generally be discounted.)

Winds resulting in damage to houses, broken branches or trees down should be reported.

Flash Flooding of streams, creeks, or roads (6" or more of water flowing across a road is considered flash flooding). Minor puddling of water on highways or sheeting of water on highways is not normally considered flash flooding.

Tornadoes – touching the ground / also report to 9-1-1

Fires Started as a result of lightning / also report to 9-1-1

Persistent Wall Clouds

Rotating Wall Clouds

Persistent Funnel Clouds

Storm Damage

EXAMPLE Landmark guides from your locations: *(you should customize your own list)*

Water Tank	.4 mi. to the North
E470 & Lowell Blvd.	.7 mi. to the NE
Good Sams Hosp. (Hwy 287)	2 mi. to the West
Erie Tri-County Airport	3 mi. to the NNE
DIA	20 mi. to the SE

The **local Net Controls** should log, confirm, and evaluate the reports. Then relay them to the Regional NWS Office. The Boulder NWS will be monitoring the RMRL 146.940 (-) with a 103.5 tone. If you are outside the repeaters range NWS also monitor DMR North.

