



OVERVIEW:

- Cluster of brief showers with embedded thunderstorms crosses the region late today. A few of these storms may be strong/severe
- Gusts of 40-50 mph & a few gusts up to 60 mph possible
- Very low but non-zero chance of a brief tornado

TIMING

- Activity crosses the region between 3 to 7 PM
 - Western MA/northern CT after 3 or 4 PM
 - Eastern MA/RI after 5 or 6 PM

HAZARDS & IMPACTS

- Strong wind gusts may down tree limbs & bring power outages

NWS ALERTS

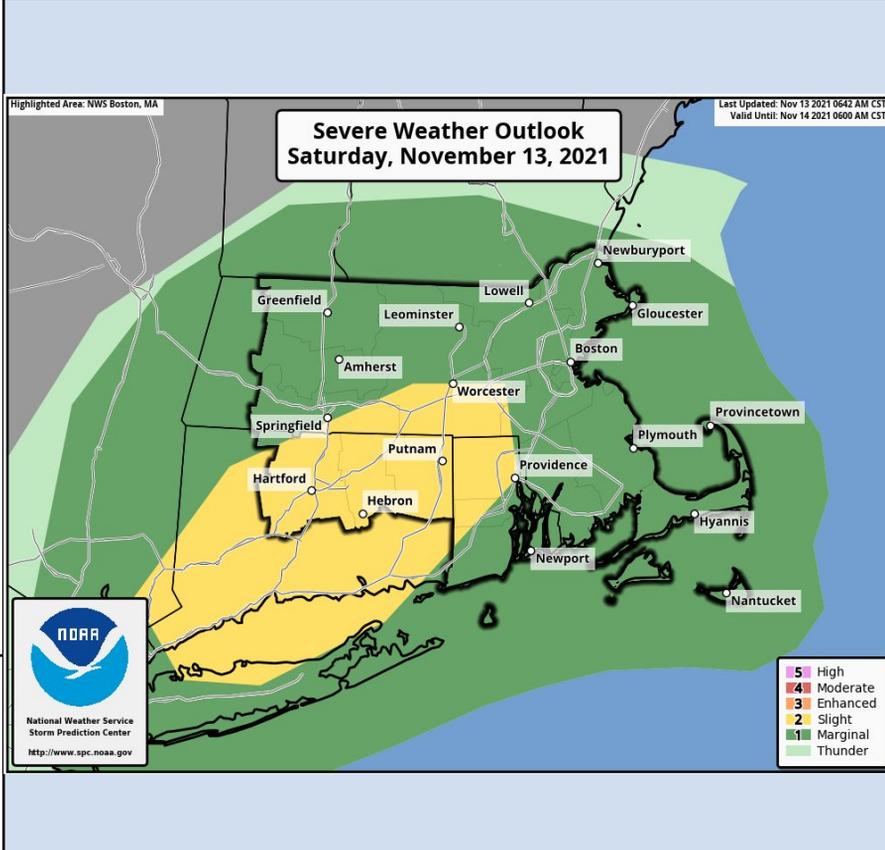
- Special Weather Statement highlighting the risk
- There is a low probability of a Severe Thunderstorm Watch being issued for parts of the area depending on how storms develop this afternoon.

FORECAST CHALLENGES

- Uncertain the coverage of strong/severe storms and damaging wind gusts.

POST-EVENT OUTLOOK

- Rain may briefly turn into snow above 1500 ft. Little to no accumulation.
- Gusts up to 40 mph continuing overnight, diminishing by morning hours.
- Overnight lows low to mid 30s.
- Drier weather returns Sunday.



NEXT BRIEFING

Unless there are significant changes, this will be the last briefing