

# Heavy Rain Sunday/Monday



Boston/Norton, MA

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## OVERVIEW:

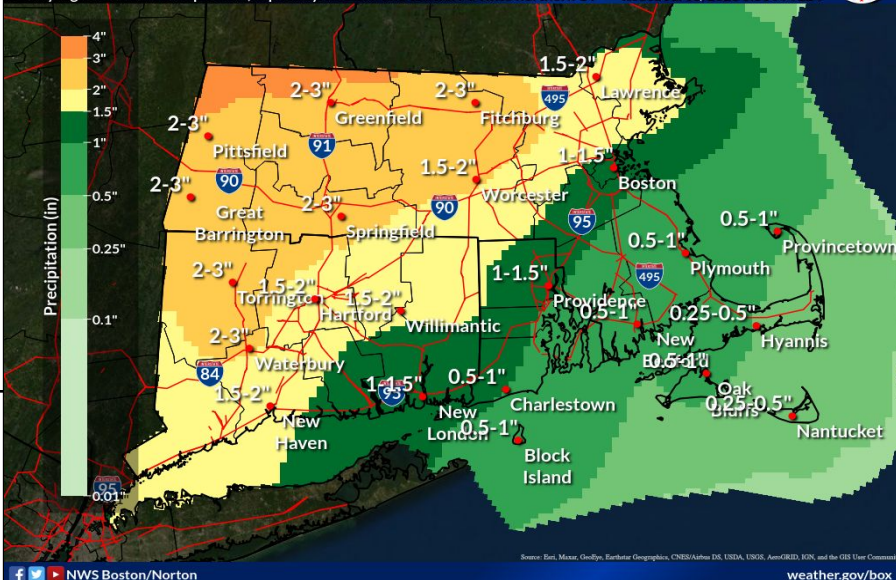
- Heavy rainfall expected late Sunday into Monday, with up to 4 inches with locally higher amounts possible.
- Slow moving thunderstorms with heavy downpours may lead to localized flash flooding.
- Greatest risk Sunday includes most of western New England, including the Hartford and Springfield areas, then into much of Southern New England Monday and Monday night.

<b>TIMING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Rain and thunderstorms late Sunday and Sunday night, focused mostly in western and central MA and western CT.</li><li>▪ Rain will expand in coverage into the remainder of Southern New England Monday into Monday night.</li></ul>
<b>HAZARDS &amp; IMPACTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Persistent excessive rains may cause flooding of streets, urban and poor drainage areas. Flooding of structures and road closures are possible.</li><li>▪ Rivers and streams may experience rapid rises with flooding possible along river channels. River flooding may linger after causative rains have ended.</li></ul>
<b>NWS ALERTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Flood Watch Sunday night through early Tuesday morning, for western &amp; central MA and all of CT.</li></ul>
<b>FORECAST CHALLENGES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Moderate confidence on heaviest rain locations, but lower confidence on amounts. There may be localized higher totals under persistent storms.</li><li>▪ Areas most susceptible to flooding will be influenced by previous days' rain, which is uncertain.</li><li>▪ Isolated strong/severe storms on Monday though coverage is limited.</li></ul>
<b>POST-EVENT OUTLOOK</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ More hit-or-miss showers and storms on Tuesday but less coverage.</li><li>▪ Warm and humid weather continues.</li></ul>
<b>NEXT BRIEFING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ By 6 am Sunday.</li></ul>

### Storm Total Rain Late Sunday to Tuesday Morning

Locally higher rain amounts possible, especially western and central MA into northern CT

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