

## **OVERVIEW:**

- Strong and possibly damaging wind gusts of 45 to 55 mph are expected from early tonight into Thursday.
- Strongest winds will occur on Thursday when some locations could see gusts as high as 60 mph.

TIMING	<ul> <li>Wind gusts increase this evening with the strongest winds expected on Thursday before subsiding Thursday evening.</li> </ul>	
HAZARDS & IMPACTS	<ul> <li>Downed branches, power lines, and weakened trees. Power outages are possible.</li> <li>Hazardous wind and sea conditions on the MA/RI coastal waters.</li> </ul>	
NWS ALERTS	<ul> <li>Wind Advisory for Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Rhode Island.</li> </ul>	
FORECAST CHALLENGES	<ul> <li>Confidence in how widespread 60 mph gusts will be is currently too low for a High Wind Warning. If confidence increases, some areas could be upgraded to a High Wind Warning later today.</li> </ul>	
POST-EVENT OUTLOOK NEXT	<ul> <li>Below-normal temperatures I return Friday through the weekend. Highs on Friday will be in the 30s, with the possibility of sub-freezing highs this weekend.</li> <li>Gusts of 20 to 30 mph continue through the weeknd.</li> <li>6 PM Wed.</li> </ul>	Max Winds and Stamp of the set of
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