

BULLETIN  
HURRICANE LOCAL STATEMENT  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBIA, SC  
11PM EDT THU SEP 21 1989

...TORNADO WATCH IN EFFECT FOR ALL OF THE MIDLANDS UNTIL 2AM  
EDT FRIDAY...

...HIGH WIND WARNING AND FLASH FLOOD WATCH IN EFFECT FOR THE MIDLANDS  
AND NORTHWEST SOUTH CAROLINA TONIGHT...

THIS STATEMENT APPLIES TO RESIDENTS OF THE FOLLOWING SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTIES...  
BAMBERG... CALHOUN... CHESTERFIELD... CHESTER... CLARENDON...DARLINGTON... FAIRFIELD...  
FLORENCE... DILLON.. LANCASTER... KERSHAW... LEE... LEXINGTON... MARION... MARLBORO...  
NEWBERRY... ORANGEBURG... RICHLAND... SALUDA... SUMTER... AND YORK.

IN ADDITION TO HURRICANE FORCE WINDS ALONG THE SOUTH CAROLINA COAST IN ASSOCIATION  
WITH HUGO...WINDS ARE INCREASING SIGNIFICANTLY OVER INLAND PORTIONS OF THE STATE.

THESE COULD BE DANGEROUSLY HIGH WINDS POSSIBLY CAUSING LARGE LIMBS TO FALL AND TREES TO  
BE UPROOTED BLOCKING ROADWAYS. PERSONS SHOULD HAVE PREPARED FOR ELECTRICAL POWER  
OUTAGES DUE TO THE HIGH WINDS. SINCE ALL LOOSE OBJECTS SHOULD HAVE BEEN SECURED. TRAVEL  
IN THE MIDLANDS TONIGHT SHOULD BE RESTRICTED TO EMERGENCIES TONIGHT.

HEAVY RAINS LOCALLY IN EXCESS OF 5 INCHES ARE EXPECTED TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH HUGO. MUST OF  
THIS RAIN COULD PRECEDE HUGO ALONG THE COAST AND CONTINUE TO PUSH INLAND OVER THE  
MIDLANDS AND NORTHEAST PARTS OF THE STATE. LOCALIZED FLOODING IS DEFINITELY A  
POSSIBILITY...SO KEEP POSTED ON FLOODING POTENTIAL TONIGHT AND BE PREPARED TO TAKE QUICK  
ACTION TO PROTECT YOURSELF OR YOUR PROPERTY. YOU SHOULD AVOID TRAVELING THROUGH  
FLOODED ROADWAYS.

ALSO BE PREPARED TO TAKE QUICK ACTION IF A WARNING IS ISSUED FOR TORNADOES OR SEVERE  
THUNDERSTORMS...OR IF EITHER OF THESE ELEMENTS IS SIGHTED. TORNADOES OFTEN OCCUR WITH  
HURRICANES BEFORE OR WHILE THE HURRICANE IS MOVING INLAND.

KEEP UP WITH ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS AND ADVISORIES ON COMMERCIAL RADIO AND TV OR NOAA  
WEATHER RADIO.

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