

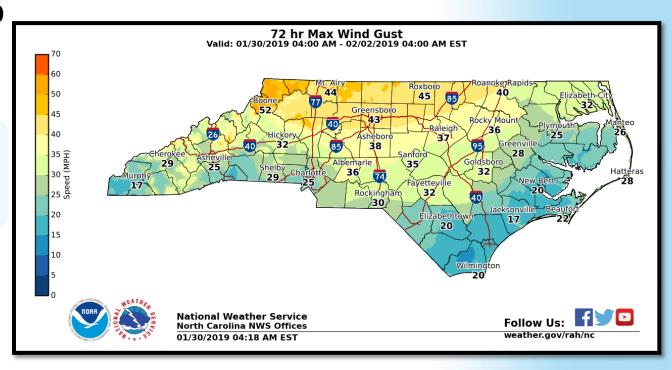


Windy conditions this afternoon

Briefing 4 as of: 5 AM, Wednesday January 30th, 2019

What Has Changed?

✓ Issued a wind advisory for the northern Piedmont and northern Coastal Plain.













Main Points

Hazard		Impacts	Location	Timing
Ice	*	Patchy black ice will be possible this morning	Central NC	Early this morning
Wind	1	Sustained west southwesterly winds of 15 to 25 MPH, with peak wind gusts mostly between 35 and 45 MPH. Isolated wind gusts between 45 and 50 MPH will be possible northwest of I-85/40.	Northern Piedmont and norther Coastal Plain of NC	The period of strongest gusts will occur between 11 AM and 4 PM
Power Outages		Scattered Power Outages	Northern Piedmont and norther Coastal Plain of NC	Today

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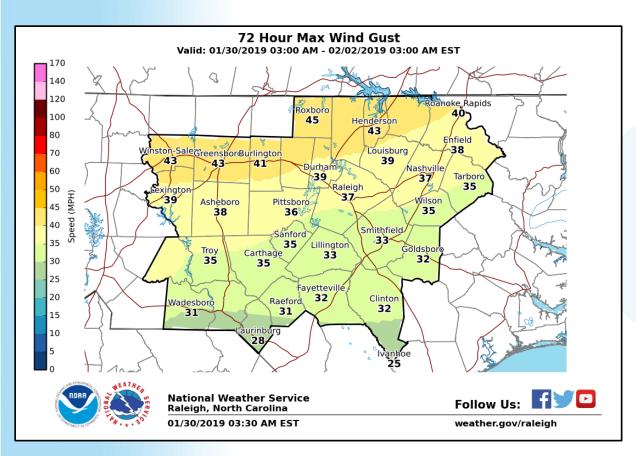








Expected Highest Wind Gust



Impacts and Timing:

- ✓ Period of strongest winds will occur between 11 AM and 4 PM.
- ✓ Tree damage and some power outages will result.

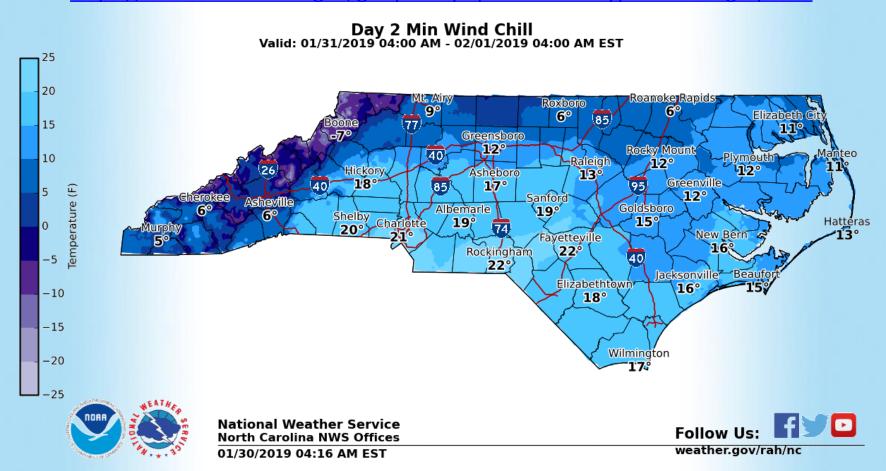






Lowest Wind Chill Values Tonight

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The combination of arcitc cold and light winds will result in wind chill values in the single digits and teens tonight through Thursday morning.









Event Summary

- ✓ Patchy black ice is possible where deeper puddles of water aren't able to dry out in time.
- ✓ Strongest wind gusts will occur between 11 AM and 4 PM today. Wind gusts will peak mostly between 35 and 45 MPH. Isolated wind gusts 45 and 50 MPH will be possible northwest of I-85/40.
- ✓ Wind chills:
 - Daytime today: Below freezing across the NW Piedmont.
 - Tonight: Readings will drop into the single digits and teens across all of central North Carolina.











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