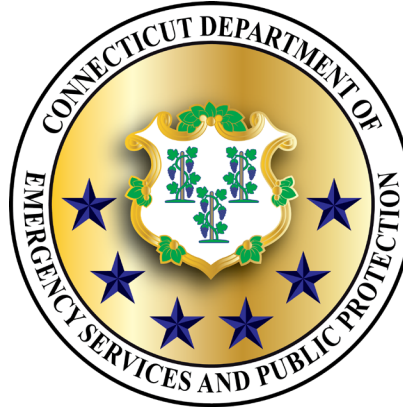


EXTERNAL HEAVY
RAINFALL AND
FLOODING UPDATE
AT 8:00 AM



UPDATE FROM DESPP/DEMHS

FLASH FLOOD WARNINGS ISSUED FOR SOUTHERN FAIRFIELD COUNTY

VERY HEAVY RAIN AND SOME URBAN FLOODING EXPECTED THIS MORNING

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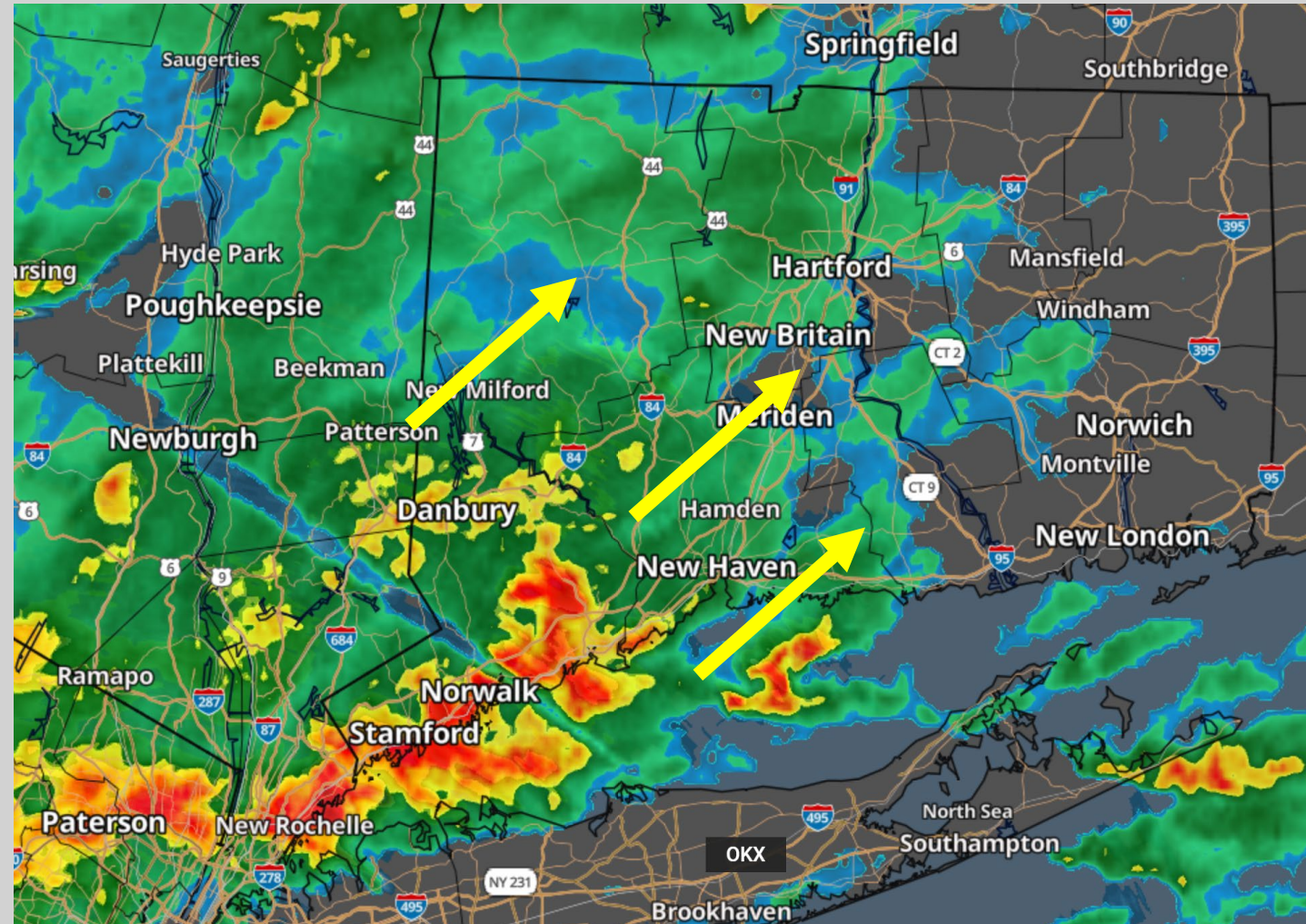


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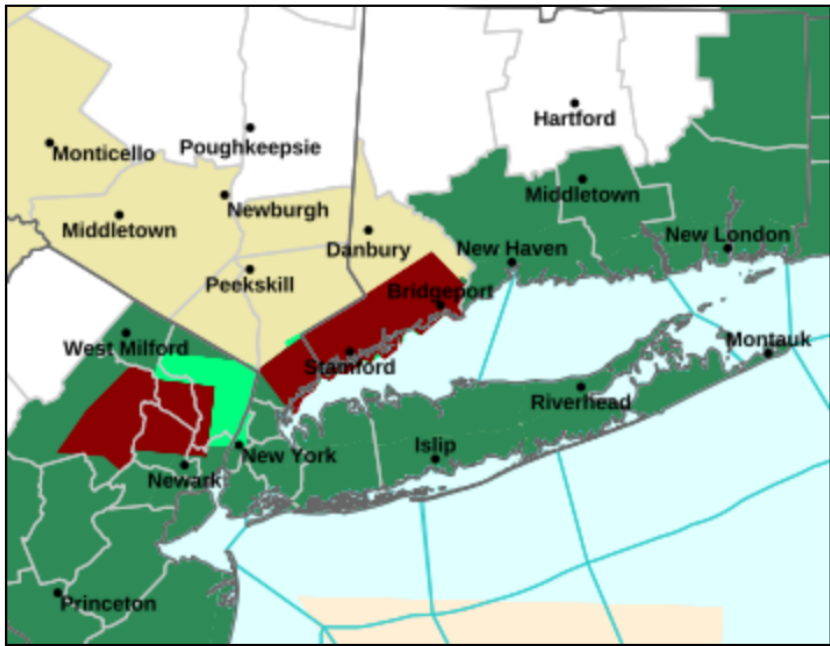
Current radar at 7:35 AM shows a cluster of very heavy showers moving into southwestern CT at this time. These heavy showers will move across the state over the next 4 - 6 hours.

Rainfall rates in some of these showers may briefly exceed 3" per hour.



Flash Flood Warnings have been issued for southern Fairfield County until 10:00 AM.

Flood Watches are in effect for southern Fairfield County and all of New Haven, Middlesex, New London and Windham Counties. Flood Watches are in effect until 2:00 PM this afternoon except for Windham County which is in effect until 6:00 PM.



Last Map Update: Sun, Sep 13, 2026 at 7:34:43 am EDT

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Flash Flood Warning	
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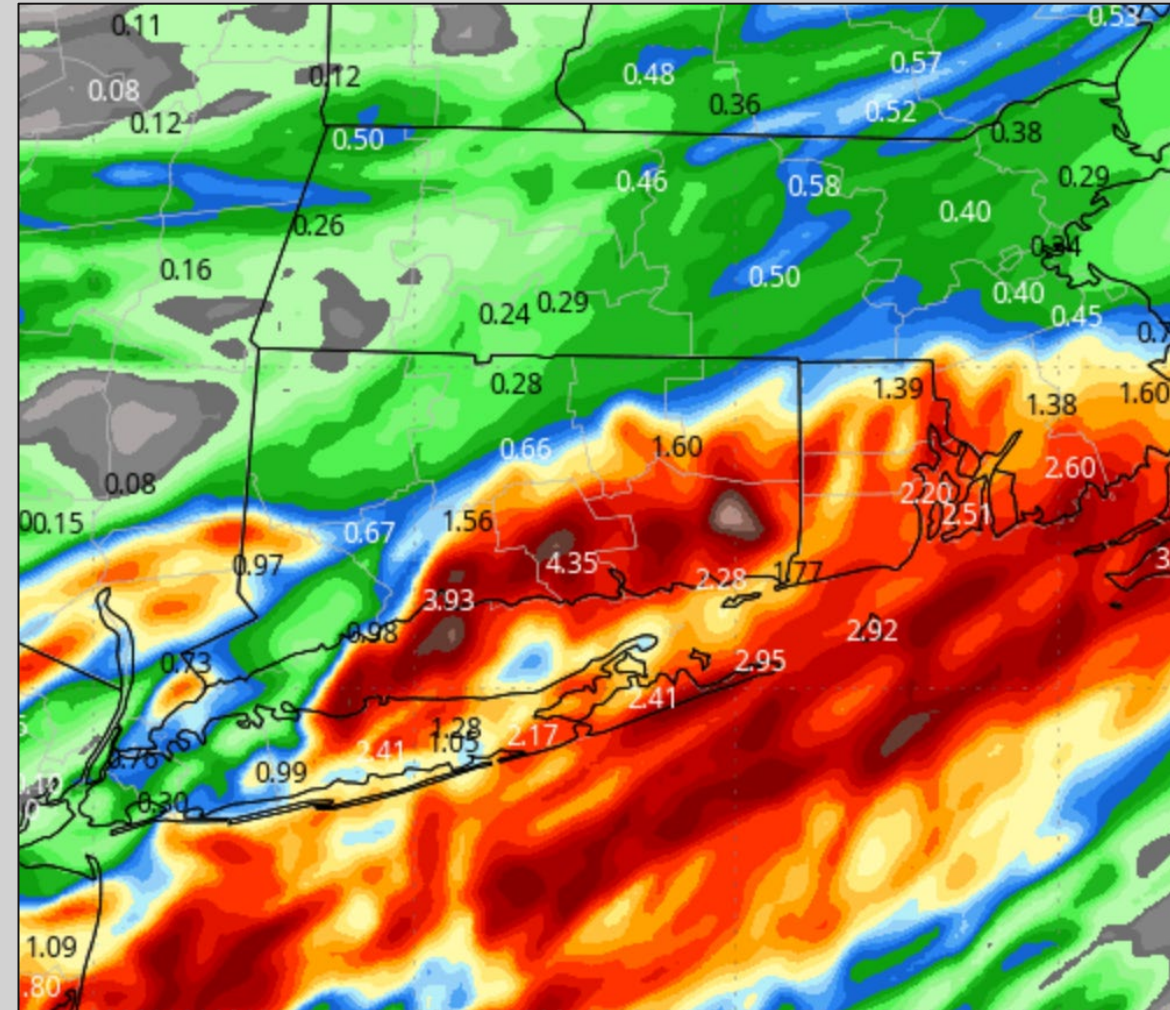


HRRR RAINFALL FORECAST...



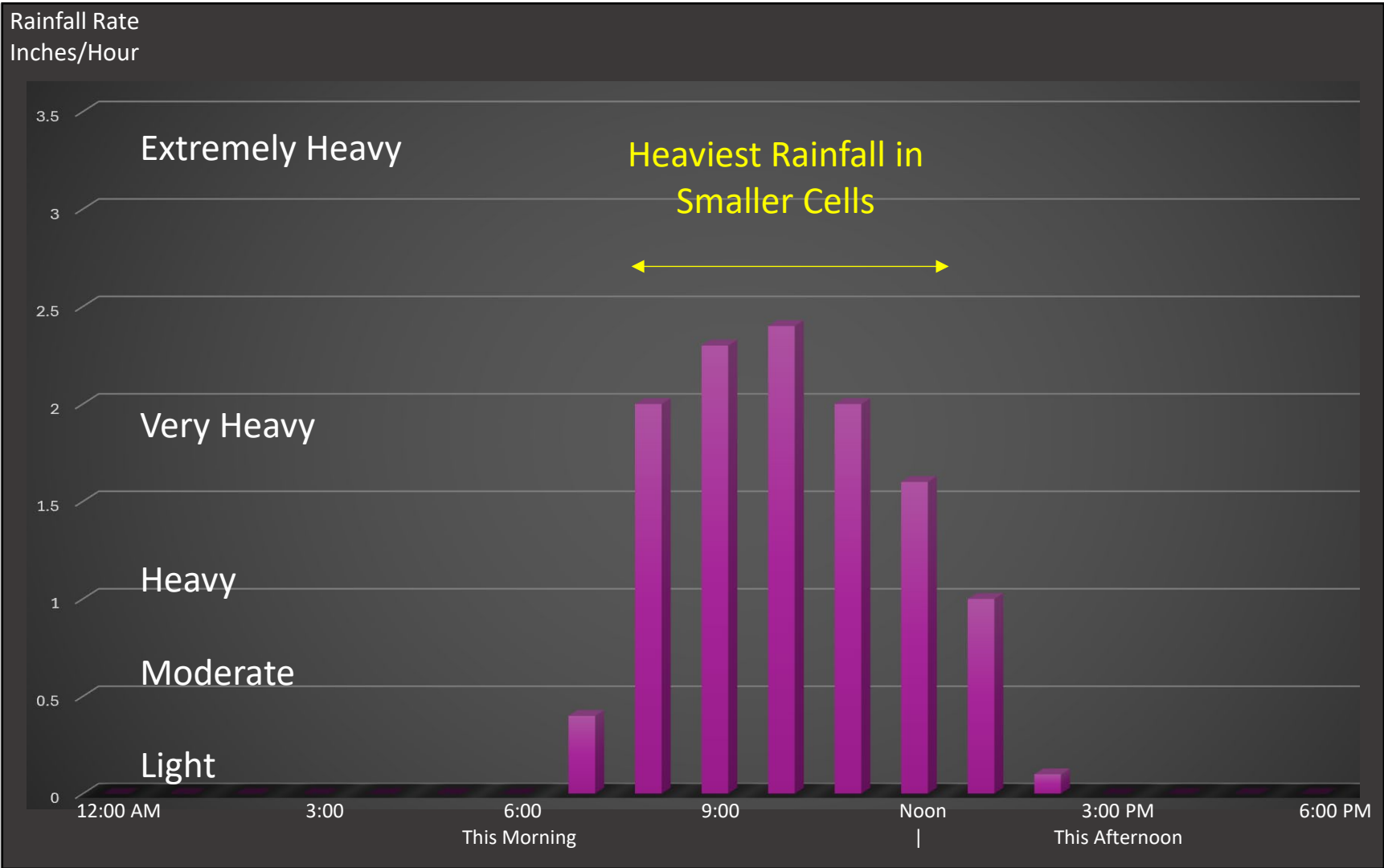
The short-range high-resolution HRRR model is currently forecasting that a band of heavy rainfall will move across southern and southeastern CT this morning. Total rainfall amounts are forecast to range from 1" – 3" with a few towns perhaps seeing amounts up to 4 - 6".

Towns are advised to closely monitor any cells of extremely heavy rainfall moving in their direction this morning.



Shown to the right is a forecast from the HRRR model showing a period of heavy rainfall this morning into early this afternoon across southern and southeastern CT.

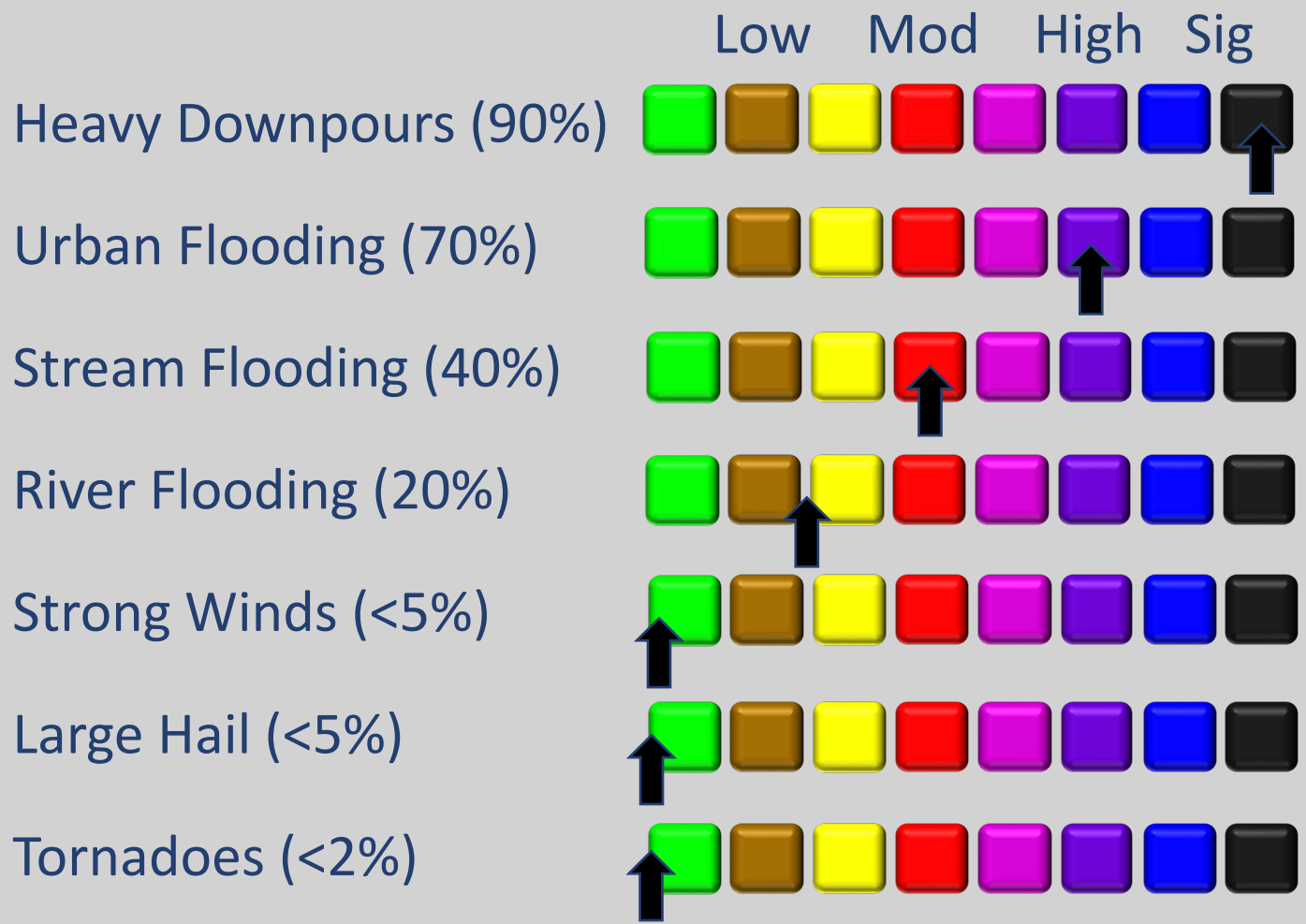
Towns can expect brief torrential downpours lasting up to 60 minutes in some cases.





Hazards Expected On Sunday...

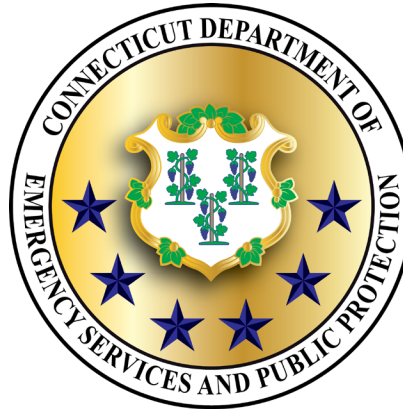
PRIMARY HAZARDS



The greatest risk from this event is expected to be from torrential downpours which are likely to cause urban flooding.

No significant threats exist for severe weather with this event.

Next Update This
Morning at 9:30 AM



DESPP/DEMHS Will Continue To Closely Monitor Conditions Over The
Next 4 – 6 Hours.

Another internal update will be sent out at 9:30 AM.

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