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A tornado watch is in effect for southwest SC until 3pm today.

While the Weather Service is predicting severe weather in various parts of the state, it does not appear to be of a magnitude that will require large-scale emergency operations. This is fairly typical spring weather for this time of year. We can expect these types of forecast to continue for the next several weeks as wind damage and minor flooding may occur.