

Alert Detail Report - Tornado Warning

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Alert Information

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Event: Tornado Warning

Severity: Extreme

Status: Actual

Message Type: Alert

Urgency: Immediate

Certainty: Observed

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Sent: 2026-03-31 19:10 EDT (23:10 UTC)

Expires: 2026-03-31 19:45 EDT (23:45 UTC)

Headline

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Tornado Warning issued March 31 at 7:10PM EDT until March 31 at 7:45PM EDT by NWS Northern Indiana

Description

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TORIWX The National Weather Service in Northern Indiana has issued a \* Tornado Warning for... Central Defiance County in northwestern Ohio... Northern Paulding County in west central Ohio... \* Until 745 PM EDT. \* At 710 PM EDT, a severe thunderstorm capable of producing a tornado was located near Hicksville, moving east at 50 mph. HAZARD...Tornado. SOURCE...Radar indicated rotation. IMPACT...Flying debris will be dangerous to those caught without shelter. Mobile homes will be damaged or destroyed. Damage to roofs, windows, and vehicles will occur. Tree damage is likely. \* This dangerous storm will be near... Defiance around 725 PM EDT. Other locations impacted by this tornadic thunderstorm include Mark Center, Cecil, Arthur, Brunersburg, and The Bend.

Instructions

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TAKE COVER NOW! Move to a basement or an interior room on the lowest floor of a sturdy building. Avoid windows. If you are outdoors, in a mobile home, or in a vehicle, move to the closest substantial shelter and protect yourself from flying debris.

Affected Areas

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Area Description: Defiance, OH; Paulding, OH  
SAME Codes: 039039, 039125

UGC Codes: OHC039, OHC125

Source Information

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