

Winter Weather Advisory Continues

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Key Messages

→ A **High Wind Warning** for portions of northeast NE & a **Wind Advisory** for portions of eastern NE & western IA will go into effect from **9 AM through 6 PM today**.

◆ **High Wind Warning:** Winds at 30 to 40 mph, gusts up to 60 mph

◆ **Wind Advisory:** Winds at 25 to 35 mph, gusts up to 50 mph

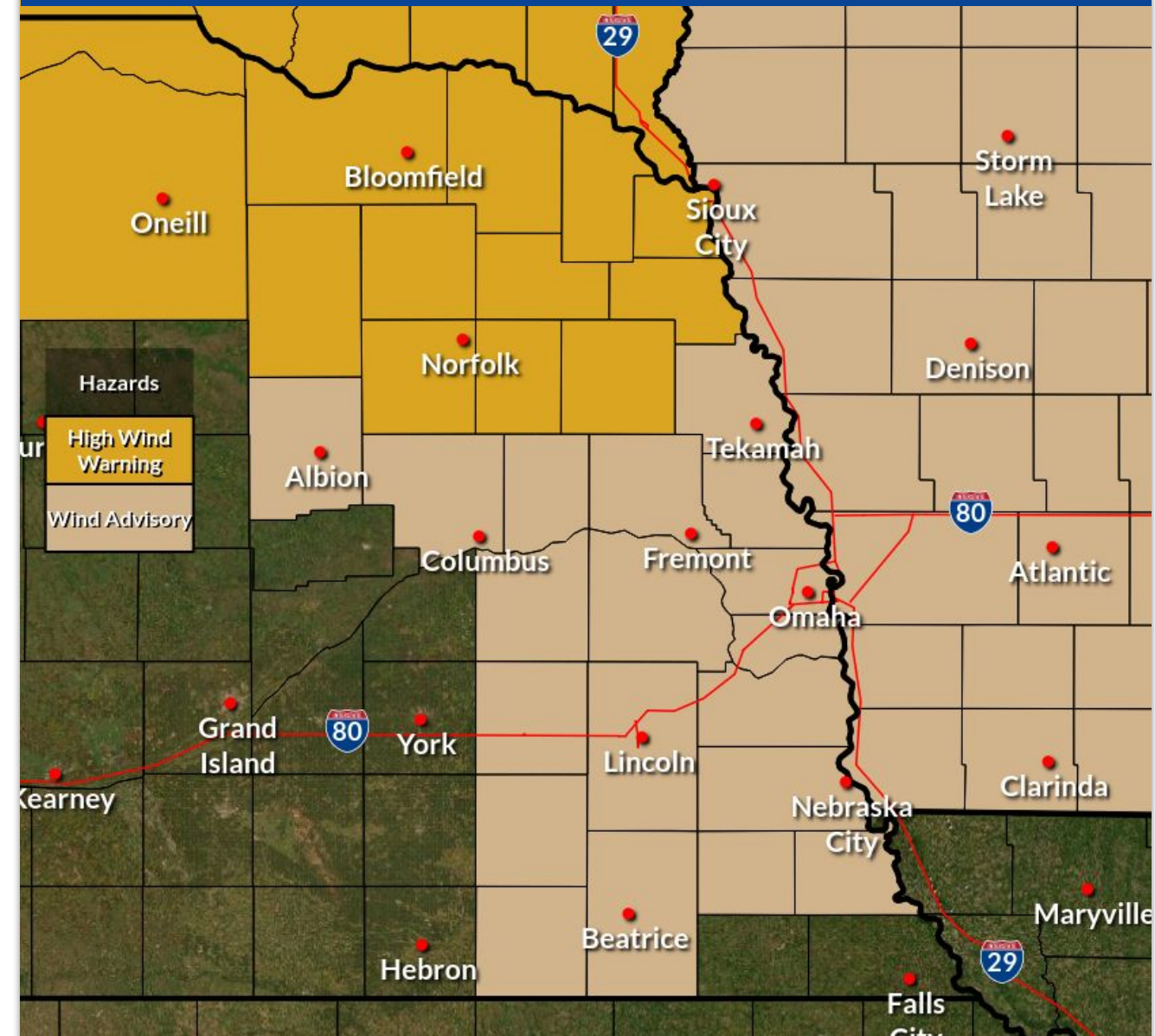
→ Winds will begin out of the southwest and gradually shift clockwise to northwesterly

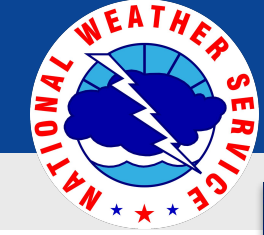
→ Strong winds & low relative humidity will lead to elevated fire weather concerns today.

Overall Forecast Confidence



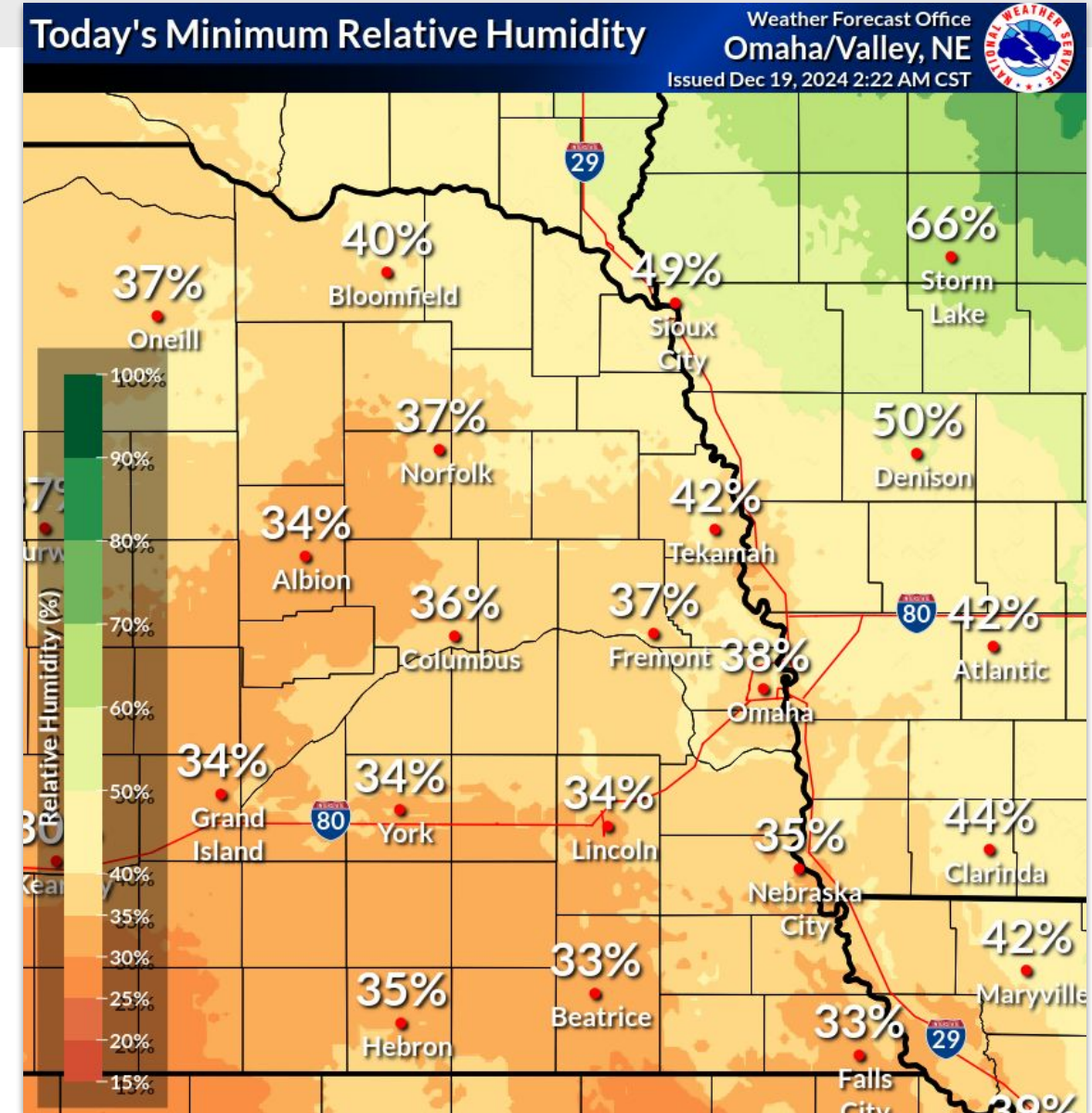
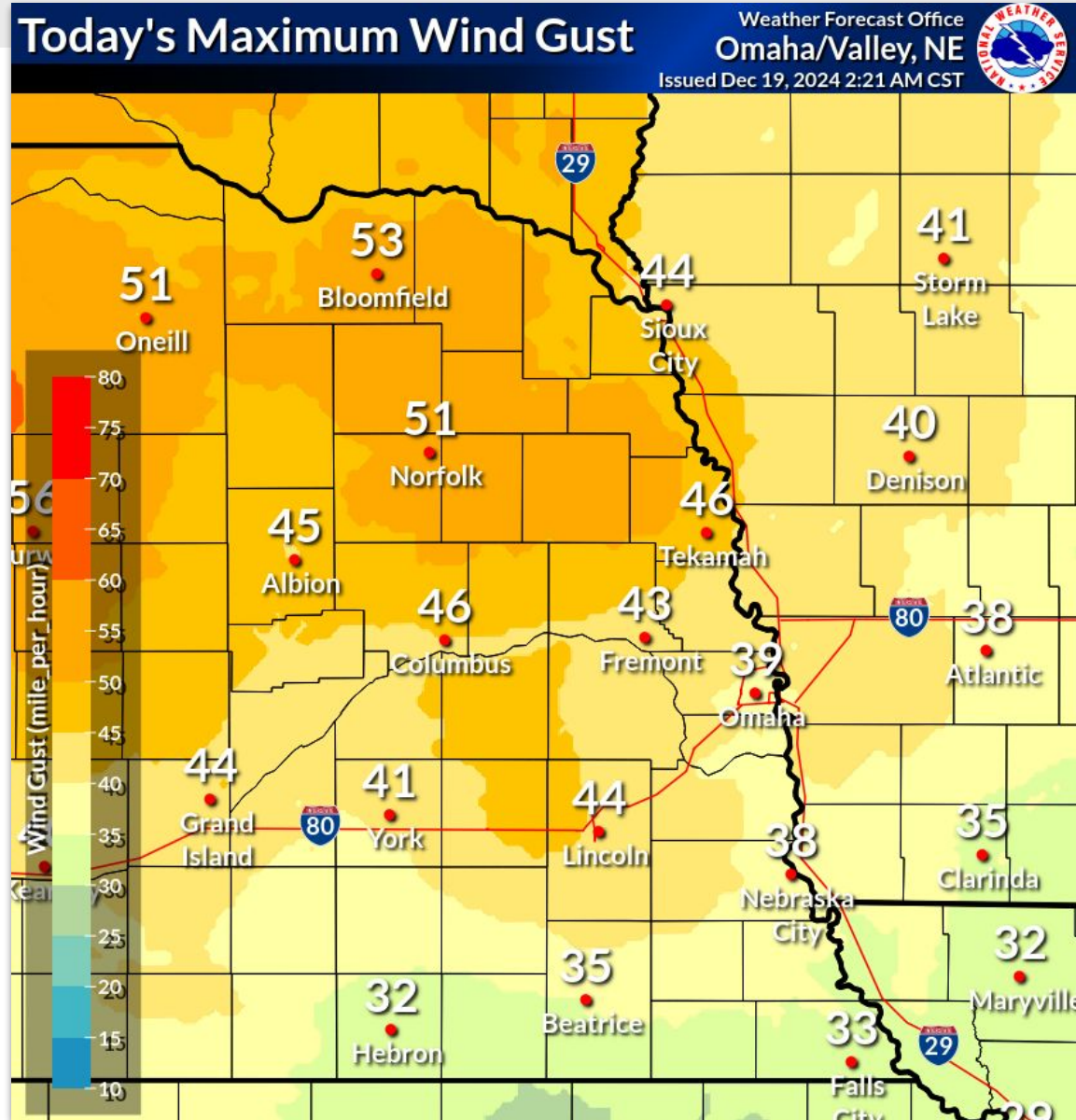
Today's High Wind Warning & Wind Advisory





Maximum Wind Gust & Minimum Relative Humidity

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→ Winds will begin out of the southwest and gradually shift clockwise to northwesterly

→ Low relative humidity values will bring enhanced fire weather concerns today.





Wind Gust & Relative Humidity Timing

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Maximum Wind Gust Forecast (mph)

	12/19 Thu														Maximum			
	7am	8am	9am	10am	11am	12pm	1pm	2pm	3pm	4pm	5pm	6pm	7pm	8pm	9pm	10pm	11pm	
Albion	29	30	33	36	39	41	44	45	44	44	43	39	37	35	31	30	28	45
Beatrice	25	25	24	24	26	29	32	33	35	35	35	33	31	30	28	28	25	35
Bloomfield	35	38	41	45	49	52	53	53	51	48	46	44	41	40	36	33	31	53
Clarinda	25	25	24	25	26	28	30	32	35	35	33	33	32	31	29	28	28	35
Columbus	24	25	28	31	35	38	43	44	44	43	39	37	33	32	28	28	25	44
Fairbury	23	23	22	23	25	26	29	30	31	31	31	30	29	29	28	25	24	31
Falls City	26	25	24	25	25	26	30	31	32	33	31	30	30	29	28	28	25	33
Fremont	24	25	26	30	33	36	39	41	43	41	40	37	35	33	30	29	28	43
Harlan	28	28	28	31	32	35	37	38	38	39	39	37	36	33	31	31	29	39
Hartington	33	37	40	45	48	51	52	52	49	48	46	41	40	39	35	33	31	52
Lincoln	28	26	28	29	32	36	39	43	44	44	43	38	36	33	30	28	26	44
Nebraska City	24	23	24	25	29	31	33	35	37	38	37	35	32	31	28	28	26	38
Neligh	31	35	36	40	43	47	47	48	47	46	44	40	38	36	31	30	28	48
Norfolk	29	32	36	39	41	47	49	51	49	48	45	41	40	38	32	32	30	51
Omaha	23	24	23	25	29	30	35	38	39	39	37	35	33	31	28	28	26	39
Onawa	29	29	32	35	38	41	44	45	46	45	44	41	39	37	35	33	32	46
Red Oak	28	25	25	28	30	31	35	38	38	37	37	35	33	33	31	31	29	38
Seward	25	26	29	31	36	39	43	45	46	46	43	39	37	35	31	29	28	46
Tekamah	25	26	30	35	38	41	45	46	46	46	44	40	38	36	33	32	30	46
Wayne	31	33	36	40	45	48	51	51	49	48	45	41	40	38	35	32	31	51
West Point	30	32	35	38	43	47	51	52	51	48	45	43	41	39	36	35	32	52

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Minimum RH Forecast (%)

	12/19 Thu														Minimum			
	7am	8am	9am	10am	11am	12pm	1pm	2pm	3pm	4pm	5pm	6pm	7pm	8pm	9pm	10pm	11pm	
Albion	66	66	62	51	42	38	34	35	34	34	41	44	47	51	51	53	56	34
Beatrice	85	85	75	55	48	41	36	35	35	33	38	41	41	46	48	50	52	33
Bloomfield	69	66	69	59	52	48	40	45	42	40	54	56	58	61	64	64	66	40
Clarinda	100	100	92	73	63	56	52	48	46	44	48	47	45	57	59	62	65	44
Columbus	75	78	72	57	47	44	37	40	38	36	43	48	42	54	56	59	61	36
Fairbury	85	85	75	55	49	44	38	38	34	33	40	41	45	46	50	52	52	33
Falls City	81	78	72	57	49	46	39	35	33	33	38	38	42	41	46	48	47	33
Fremont	81	82	72	60	51	46	40	40	38	37	45	50	44	54	59	59	61	37
Harlan	96	96	89	73	62	58	53	51	46	44	55	57	45	65	67	70	70	44
Hartington	75	75	72	59	57	52	42	45	46	44	56	59	44	64	70	70	70	42
Lincoln	78	78	67	51	48	41	36	36	34	34	38	38	43	44	48	50	54	34
Nebraska City	85	82	75	58	51	46	39	37	36	35	41	43	46	48	50	52	56	35
Neligh	66	66	64	53	47	43	38	39	38	36	46	47	44	56	61	58	61	36
Norfolk	69	69	67	55	47	41	38	37	37	38	46	50	44	56	58	58	61	37
Omaha	85	85	78	62	56	49	46	42	40	38	45	46	40	52	57	57	59	38
Onawa	85	88	78	64	53	49	45	43	40	40	48	52	49	59	59	64	64	40
Red Oak	96	100	92	67	60	54	48	46	42	41	46	49	43	57	59	65	67	41
Seward	78	75	69	53	44	41	38	37	36	35	40	43	38	48	52	56	59	35
Tekamah	85	85	78	65	55	49	43	45	42	42	53	55	49	59	62	64	64	42
Wayne	78	78	70	62	53	50	43	44	41	41	52	54	46	61	64	67	67	41
West Point	81	78	72	60	51	45	41	41	40	38	48	52	44	59	59	64	61	38

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Safety and Resources

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Check your local forecast at weather.gov/oax

Points to Remember

- Winds this strong can make driving difficult, especially for high profile vehicles. Use extra caution.
- Make sure outdoor items such as decorations and furniture are secured.
- The strong winds will also create very high fire danger.

Additional Resources

- [NWS Omaha Web Page](#)
- [NWS Omaha Winter Page](#)
- [Wind Safety](#)
- [Reporting Wind Impacts](#)
- [NE 511](#) | [IA 511](#)

Social Media: [Facebook](#) | [Twitter](#)

3 STEPS FOR

WIND SAFETY





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SECURE LOOSE OBJECTS
Secure outdoor items such as decorations, trash cans, and lawn furniture to prevent them from being blown away.

AVOID OUTDOOR BURNING
Breezy winds can spread sparks, increasing the risk of fires. Be sure to check and follow local burn restrictions.

USE CAUTION WHEN DRIVING NEAR HIGH PROFILE VEHICLES
Maintain a safe distance from high-profile vehicles like trucks, buses, and trailers. Strong wind gusts can potentially tip over trailers, posing a significant hazard.

