

STEELE COUNTY WEATHER
SEVERE THUNDERSTORM WATCH

- On the Steele County Main Frequency (SL-SCLE MAIN) announce:
 - “Attention all units and stations in Steele County- The National Weather Service has issued a **SEVERE THUNDERSTORM WATCH** for Steele County including the cities of (insert cities in affected area: Owatonna, Ellendale, Blooming Prairie or Medford) from now until ____.” (REPEAT)
- Send out complete weather bulletin from the National Weather Service (NWS) on portals to the RSCALLA message group in CAD. These should also come to your email as a backup if there is an issue with portals.
 - Continue to send out follow-ups from the NWS to the RSCALLA group.

IF A CITIZEN NOTIFICATION IS REQUESTED TO OUR AREA, REFER TO THE IPAWS AND/OR EVERBRIDGE CITIZEN NOTIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS TABS IN THIS MANUAL.

IF THERE IS SEVERE DAMAGE ANYWHERE IN THE COUNTY OR CITIES OR IF THERE IS A NEED TO OPEN THE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER (EOC), REFER TO THE EOC TAB IN THIS MANUAL.