



Wind, Severe, and Marine Weather Briefing

March 14, 2026
2:30 PM EDT

For Northern Ohio and Northwest Pennsylvania

Decision Support Briefing #1

→ As of 2:30 PM, Saturday, March 14, 2026

NEW Key Messages

- Another system will bring strong winds to the region on Sunday with southerly gusts of 50 to 60 mph possible.
- Upstream showers may enter on Sunday night and bring the potential for damaging wind gusts and a low end tornado threat.
- Strong winds may persist into Monday with southwest to west wind gusts of 40 to 50 mph.
- Gale force winds are possible on Lake Erie on Monday with the southwest to west flow.

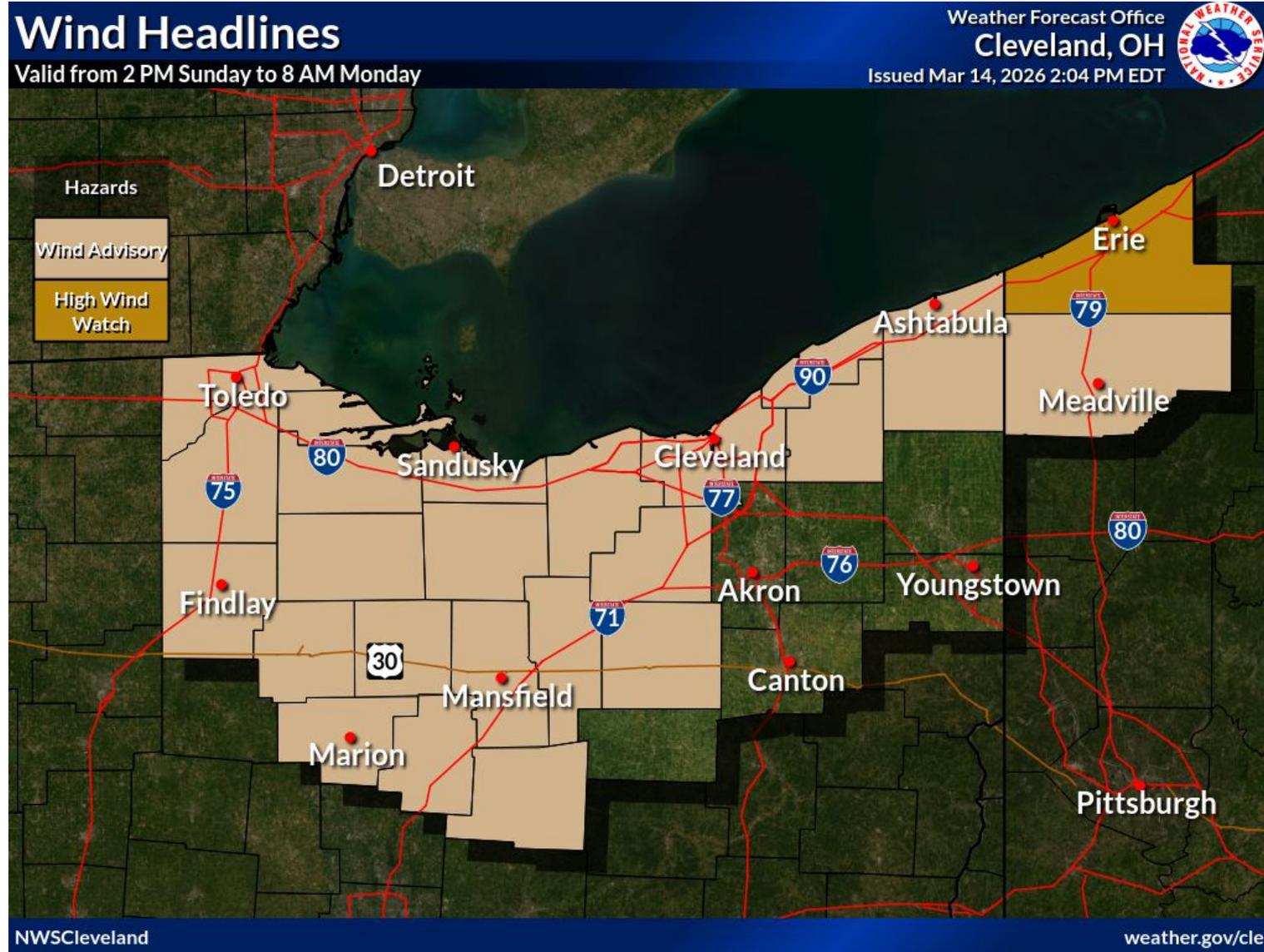




High Wind Watch and Wind Advisories

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Hazards Map



Where:

High Wind Watch - Erie County PA
Wind Advisory - Northern Ohio & Crawford PA



When:

2 PM Sunday - 8 AM Monday



What:

- South winds 20 to 30 mph with gusts up to 50 mph expected in the advisory area
- Gusts could reach 60 mph in Erie County PA
- Southwest to west wind gusts on Monday could also approach 50 mph and the wind advisory may be extended later



Impacts:

Strong winds can blow around unsecured objects, down tree limbs, and cause power outages. Winds could also cause difficult driving conditions, especially for high profile vehicles.

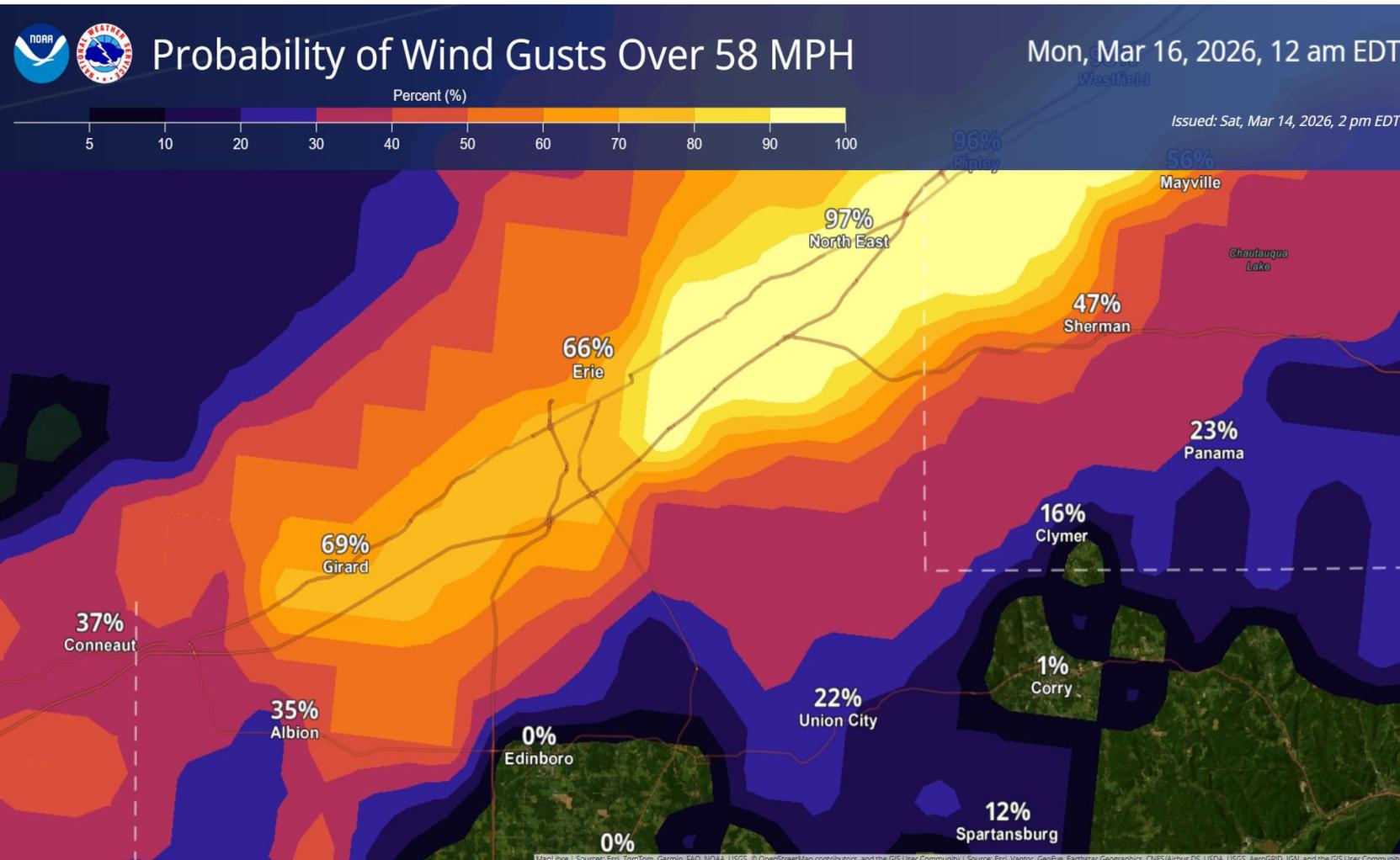




Wind Gust Forecast

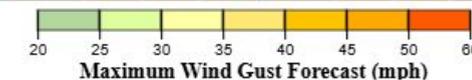
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Probability of Wind Gusts Over 58 MPH On Sunday Night in Erie County PA



Wind Gust Forecast and Timing

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Ashtabula	26↑	33↑	37↑	39↑	46↑	44↑	43↑	37↑	35↑	37↑	38↑	37↑	38↑
Bowling Green	33↑	46↑	48↑	48↑	46↑	47↑	44↑	46↑	46↑	46↑	46↑	44↑	39↑
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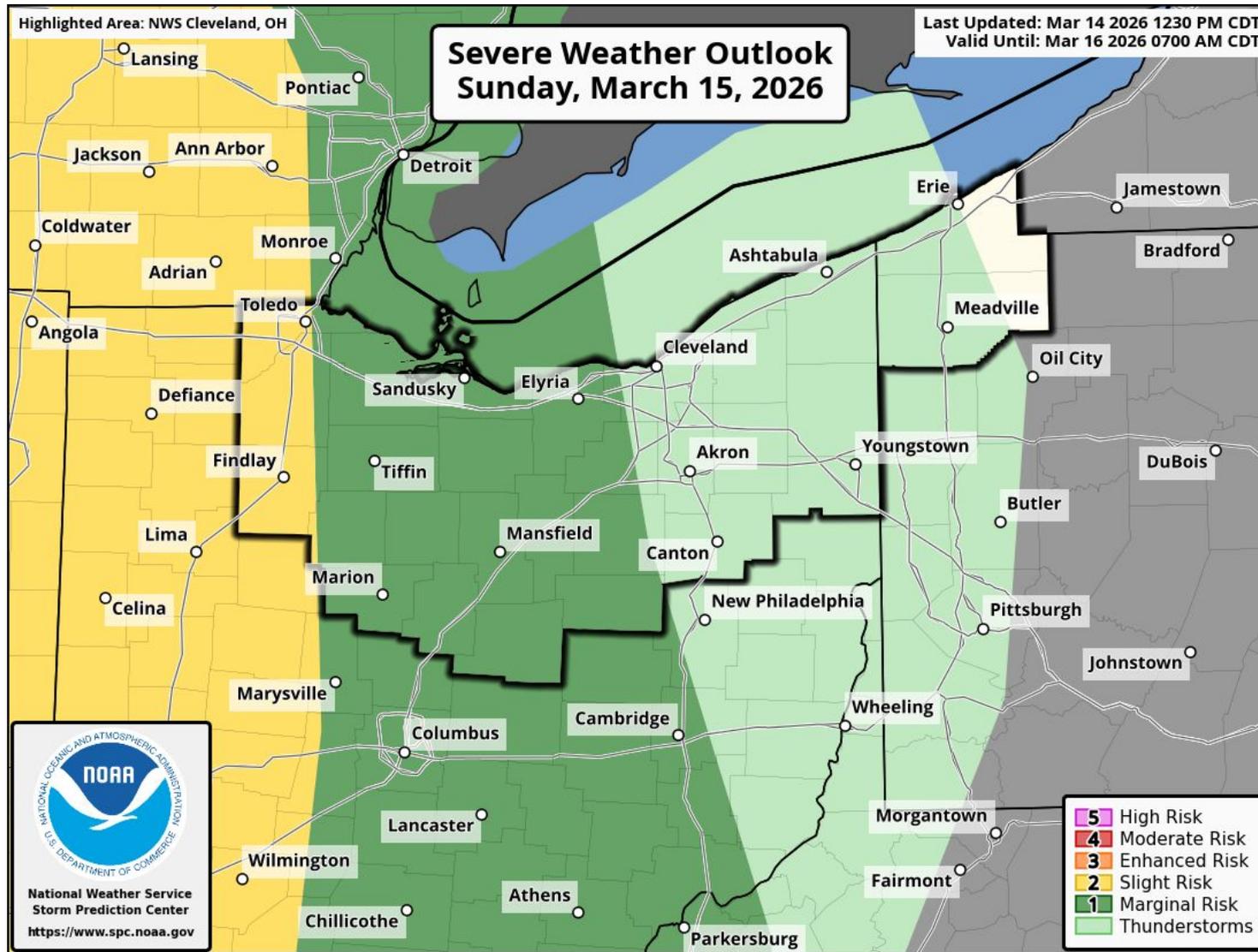




Sunday Night Severe Threat

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Day 2 SPC Outlook



Where:

Mainly Northwest and North Central Ohio



When:

After Midnight on Sunday Night



What:

- Showers will enter from the west on Sunday night ahead of a cold front
- These showers will be diminishing in intensity and may not have lightning or thunder
- These showers could still pose a risk for damaging wind gusts and even a low end chance of a tornado



Hazards:



**Damaging
Wind Gusts**



**Low Chance
for a Tornado**





Gale Watch - Lake Erie

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Where:

Gale Watch - All of Lake Erie



When:

8 AM Monday - 8 AM Tuesday



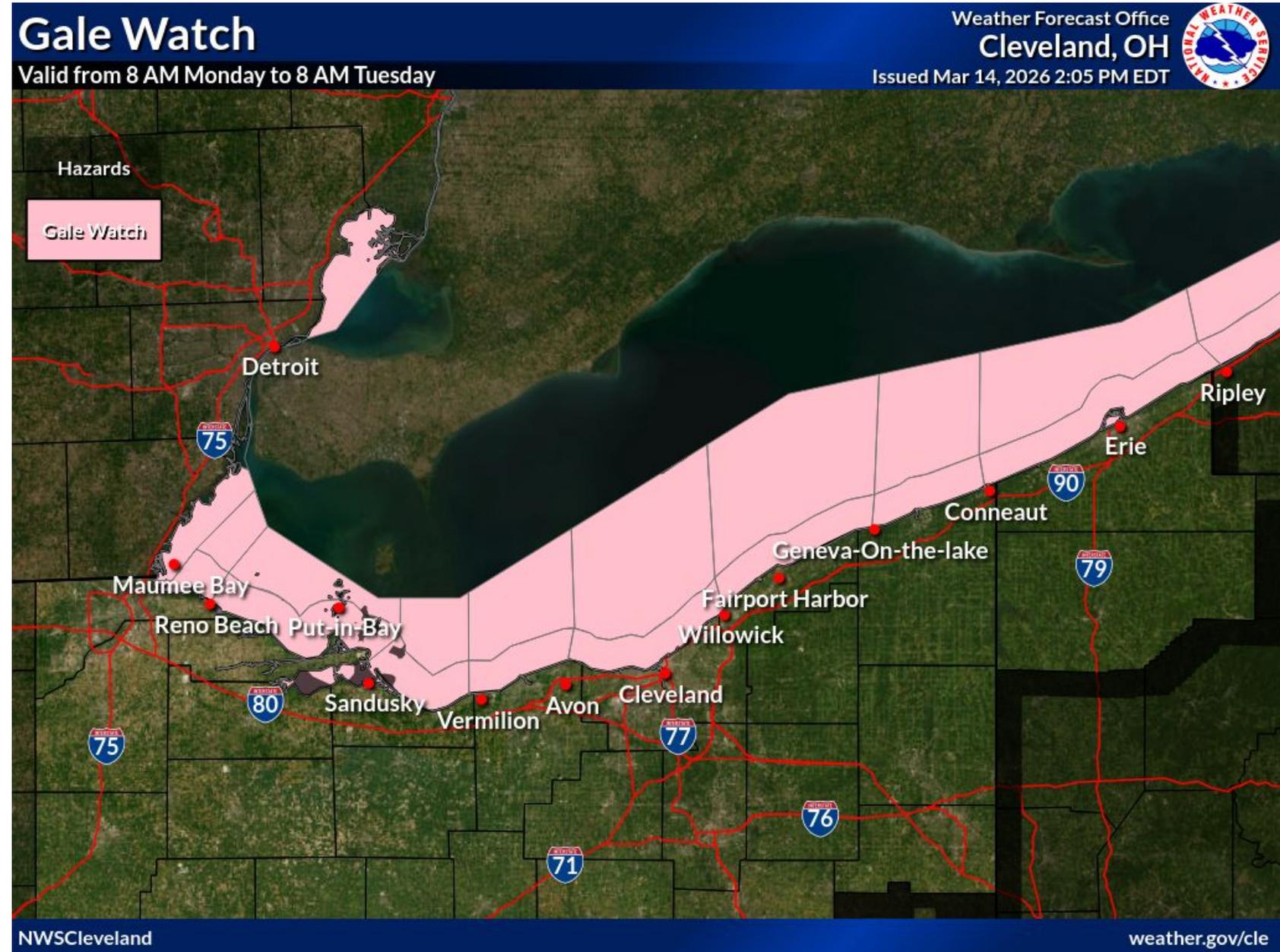
What:

- Southwest winds 30 to 35 knots becoming west with gusts up to 45 knots expected.
- Waves 6 to 13 feet.
- Water levels across the western basin could fall close to the critical mark for safe navigation on Monday night.



Impacts:

Strong winds can cause hazardous waves which could capsize or damage vessels and reduce visibility.





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Prepare your home by trimming trees, repairing loose siding & shutters, and securing loose items



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