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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Severe thunderstorm watch in effect today

(Kahnawake – 27, Onerahtohkó:wa/May 2015) The Community Protection Unit of the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke would like to inform the community that Environment Canada has issued a severe thunderstorm watch for the region, including Kahnawà:ke, for early afternoon today (Wednesday).

During the thunderstorm, there are possible developments of strong wind gusts, large hail and heavy rain. As a caution, severe thunderstorms may produce tornadoes.

To prevent flooding from heavy rain, please ensure your household has eave drainage pointed away from the house and that the sump pump is in working order. A backup battery sump pump also helps, should there be a power outage.

For more information on emergency preparedness, contact the Community Protection Unit at (450) 632-0635.

SUGGESTED INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEDIA

Please mention at your discretion until Wednesday, May 27th at 4pm.

For information on this release contact Justus Polson-Lahache at 450-632-7500 ext. 2267