

PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE ALBANY NY
417 PM EDT Wed Jul 13 2022

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Microburst Confirmed Near Fort Miller, New York...

LOCATION Fort Miller, Washington County, New York...

DATE...July 12, 2022

ESTIMATED TIME...Between 3:00 and 3:15 PM

ESTIMATED MAXIMUM WIND SPEED...85 MPH

ESTIMATED PATH WIDTH...1.5 miles

PATH LENGTH...1.0 miles

BEGINNING LAT/LON...43.16956N, -73.58795W

ENDING LAT/LON...43.15818, -73.57189

* FATALITIES...None

* INJURIES...1 person while in home by falling tree.

* THE INFORMATION IN THIS STATEMENT IS PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE PENDING FINAL REVIEW OF THE EVENT AND PUBLICATION IN NWS STORM DATA.

...SUMMARY...

A microburst affected Galusha Island and nearby Fort Miller on July 12, 2022. Winds moved southeastward from the Hudson River across the island, and then across U.S. Route 4 before continuing across Blodgett Road just east of Route 4.

Damage was most concentrated near the Hudson River on Galusha Island where many large hard and soft wood trees were uprooted and a few trees and large branches were snapped. Many trees fell on homes and at least one tree fell on a car. In Fort Miller, two wooden light poles and at least two power poles were snapped. A few trees were down along Blodgett Road including one on a home.

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