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Images from the aftermath...

- "High-end" EF4 tornado
- Across 4 counties
- 16 deaths
- 24 miles, 800 structures in Faulkner County
- Cities of Mayflower & Vilonia took direct hits
- Business districts hit, particularly Vilonia

































































Planning & Development:

- Pre-Incident Planning, Grants, Resourcing
 - Internal staffing
 - Proactive thought leadership. After all, you're the planning & development professionals who are focused on P & D
 - Dedicated full-time P & D resource for disaster
 planning, capacity building, response, & mitigation
 - Grants, grants, grants.

Planning & Development:

- Post-Incident Planning, Grants, Resourcing
 - Use of your organization to fit into the response & recovery organization that will stand up. Fitting into the response & recovery organization is key.
 - Be a source of ideas for grants & resourcing (EDA grants, e.g.).
 - Interfacing with bricks & mortar planning organizations, engineers, & architectural planning.
 - Grants for temporary additional staffing internally & externally (embedded, forward deployed resources: DWS transitional workers; Recovery Managers for under staffed local governments)