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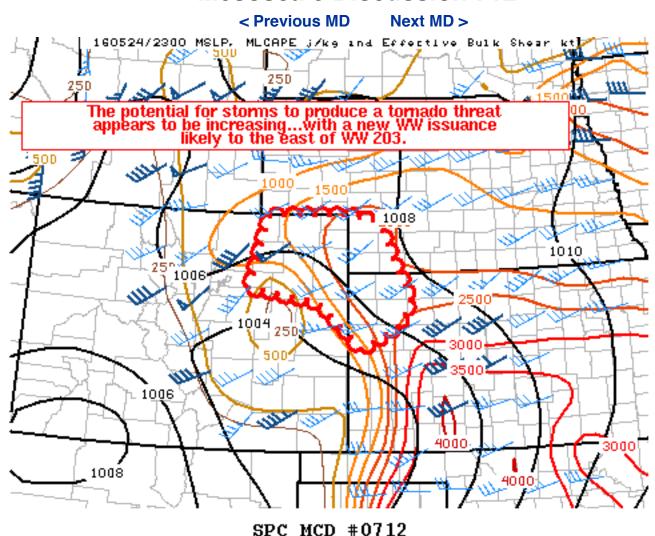
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MESOSCALE DISCUSSION 0712 NWS STORM PREDICTION CENTER NORMAN OK 0646 PM CDT TUE MAY 24 2016

AREAS AFFECTED...NORTHEAST CO/NORTHWEST KS/FAR SOUTHWEST NEB

CONCERNING...SEVERE POTENTIAL...TORNADO WATCH LIKELY

VALID 242346Z - 250115Z

PROBABILITY OF WATCH ISSUANCE...80 PERCENT

SUMMARY...A NEW TORNADO WATCH WILL NEED TO BE COORDINATED SHORTLY FOR THE REST OF NORTHEAST CO INTO NORTHWEST KS AND FAR SOUTHWEST NEB.

DISCUSSION...STRONGER SURFACE HEATING AND NORTH/NORTHWESTWARD MOISTURE TRANSPORT INTO NORTHWEST KS AND NORTHEAST CO TO FAR SOUTHWEST NEB HAS RESULTED IN FURTHER DESTABILIZATION DOWNSTREAM OF THE ONGOING THUNDERSTORM COMPLEX IN NORTHEAST CO TO THE SOUTHERN EXTENT OF THE NEB PANHANDLE. THE STRONGEST STORM IN THIS COMPLEX IS



LOCATED IN SOUTHERN MORGAN COUNTY AND WAS MOVING TO THE EAST AT 25 KT...AND SHOULD EXIT WW 203 BY 01Z INTO YUMA COUNTY CO. THE DRYLINE WAS ANALYZED FROM GREELEY COUNTY KS NORTHWEST THROUGH CHEYENNE COUNTY CO TO NEAR THE STORM IN MORGAN COUNTY. A STRENGTHENING E/SELY INFLOW OF MOIST/MODERATELY UNSTABLE AIR ACROSS THE DISCUSSION AREA WILL ALLOW THE MORGAN STORM AND ANY ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENT TO SPREAD EAST OF WW 203 THIS EVENING...AND POSSIBLY TO THE SOUTHEAST ALONG THE DRYLINE. AN INCREASE IN LOW-LEVEL SHEAR IS EXPECTED ALONG THE SELY LLJ...FURTHER ENHANCING THE TORNADO THREAT.

..PETERS/EDWARDS.. 05/24/2016

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