



The City & County of Broomfield has installed the THOR GUARD lightning prediction system at The Broomfield County Commons. This consists of a sensor placed at The Commons to measure electrostatic charges at ground level and in the atmosphere. When conditions indicate that a lightning occurrence is probable, a signal is sent to alarm horns to provide an 8-12 minute warning to clear the area and seek shelter.

Citizens will be warned by our THOR GUARD lightning prediction system which sounds ONE prolonged blast for 15 seconds signaling suspension of all play. All citizens should leave their respective fields and go to their cars or a lightning rod equipped shelter.

Resumption of play is signaled by THREE five second blasts of the horns.

IF YOU HEAR A WARNING AND CONTINUE TO PLAY, YOU DO SO AT YOUR OWN RISK.

LIGHTNING SAFETY TIPS

SEEK

Recreation Center Maintenance Buildings Automobiles/Trucks Lightning Shelters

When one of the above is not available, seek....

- Dense woods
- Low Lying Areas



AVOID

Open Area
Water
Tall Trees
Metal Fences
Overhead Wires
& Power Lines
Elevated Ground
Cellular Phones
Radios

AT NO TIME SHOULD THIS SYSTEM BE UNPLUGGED!!