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Brad Dillard, Director
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Mr. Dillard,

We the undersigned members of the southern Illinois StormReady Advisory Board have granted StormReady recognition to Southern Illinois University on this 19th day of February 2019. We congratulate you in your exemplary efforts of hazardous weather response operations.

This recognition is valid for a period of three years from this date. It may be renewed once every three years thereafter. We encourage you to inform a board member of any significant changes to your hazardous weather response capabilities.

As a result of your StormReady recognition, you are now authorized to use the StormReady logo (available at www.nws.noaa.gov/stormready) in any official capacity you deem appropriate. In addition, a StormReady sign will be provided to you at the StormReady Recognition Ceremony. You may acquire as many additional signs as you wish. They can be purchased at a cost of approximately \$50 plus S&H by contacting Oklahoma Correctional Industries at 1.405.962.7007.

We again congratulate you, Kevin Cox, Andy Hawkins and all those at Southern Illinois University who have worked to provide greater protection from hazardous weather.

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Rick Shanklin
Warning Coordination Meteorologist
NWS Paducah KY

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Pulley', written over a horizontal line.

Chris Pulley, Regional Coordinator
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kelly Norris', written over a horizontal line.

Kelly Norris, Director
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