

Meeting with DIA Air Traffic Controllers and FAA Safety and Operations Representatives on Colorado Tornadoes

Agenda

NCAR Fleishman Building
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- 8:30 am Welcome and introductions*Bruce Carmichael, NCAR/RAL*
- 8:40 am ATC challenges in responding to tornado watches/warnings..... *John Connolly, FAA*
- 9:00 am Phenomenology of Colorado tornadoes *Morris Weisman, NCAR/MMM*
- 9:30 am Colorado tornado events and the DCVZ*Ed Szoke, NOAA/GSD*
- 9:50 am Monitoring/tracking severe weather in vicinity of Denver airports*Rita Roberts, NCAR/RAL*
- 10:10 am Tornado observations from the Doppler On Wheels (DOW) radar..... *Josh Wurman, Karen Kosiba, Center for Severe Weather Research*
- 10:30 am Break
- 10:45 am NWS tornado watches and warning - policies and practices..... *Bob Glancy, Nezette Rydell, NWS-Denver/Boulder*
- 11:00 – 12:30 Open Discussion – Addressing ATC operational needs and response to tornado watches/warnings - *John Connolly, Bruce Carmichael, Bob Glancy, Nezette Rydell*