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MAJOR STORM DROPS RAIN, HAIL ON AREA RESIDENTS

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Hail and other debris cover a local resident's garden after a surprise storm.

Sacramento — Area residents were caught off guard Sunday afternoon as a major thunderstorm slammed the region with rain, wind gusts, and even marble-sized hail in some places.

The storm only lasted about 20 minutes, but because it developed quickly, many residents were caught outside without warning.

There were scattered reports of minor damage due to the storm's hailstones and unusually high winds. Local resident Wren Rudd, commented, "Thank goodness my roof wasn't damaged, but my petunia garden was torn to shreds."

According to meteorologist Jordan Lee, who was outside in his yard when the storm struck, "That was definitely one of the fastest-moving rainstorms we've seen in a long time."

Things returned to normal after about 4:30 p.m. as the storm passed, though many residents and business owners spent the rest of the afternoon cleaning up.

The forecast calls for clearer skies through the week, with highs in the upper 70's.

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