



Weather Forecast

2014 Verve Cup

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Monitor *official* forecasts and warnings

Available via continuous VHF broadcast NOAA All Hazards Radio

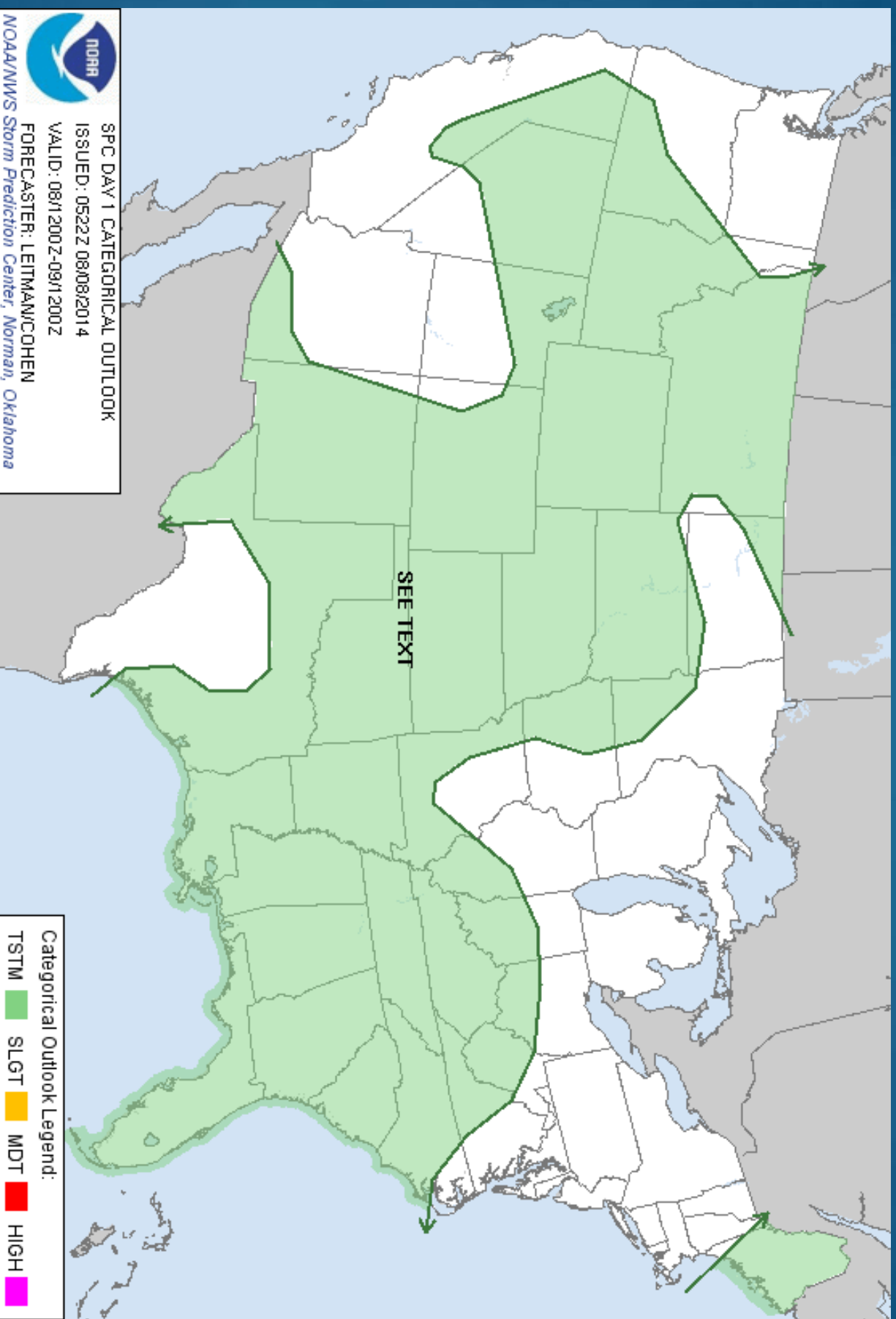
You are responsible for the safety of your crew.

Weather can and will change quickly.

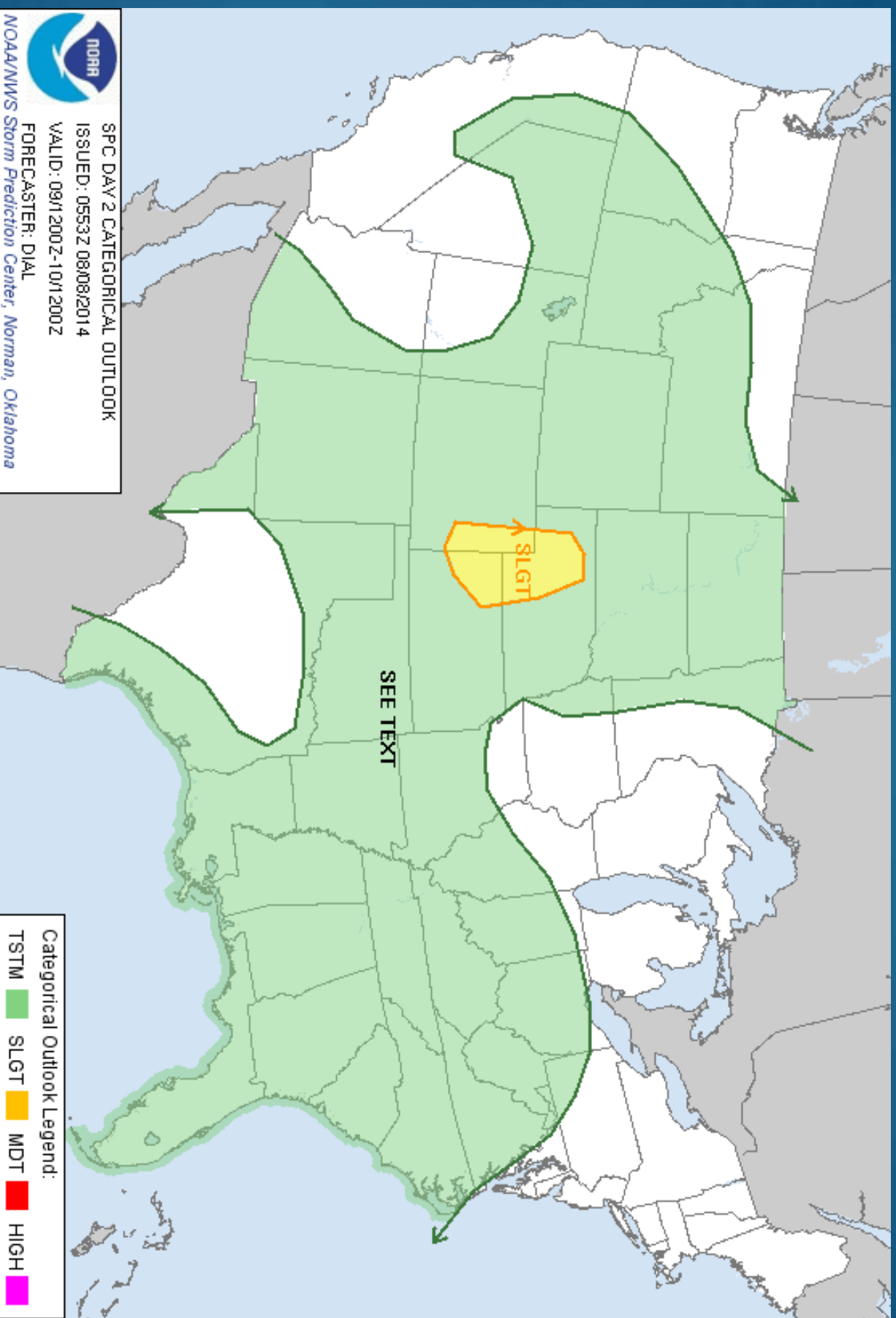
Monitor official sources for up-to-date information.

Be pro-active. Safety first. Racing second.

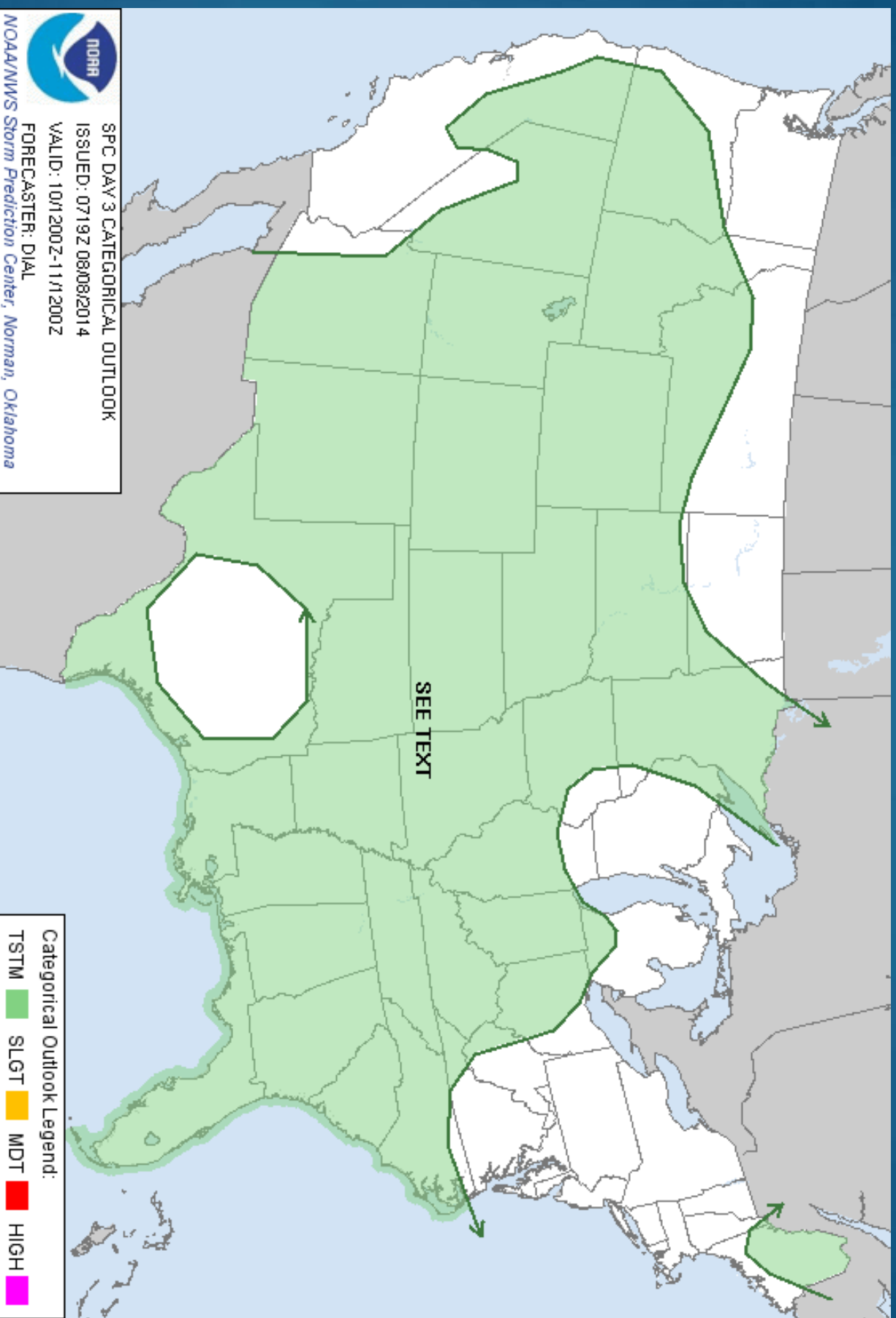
Severe Weather Outlook - Today



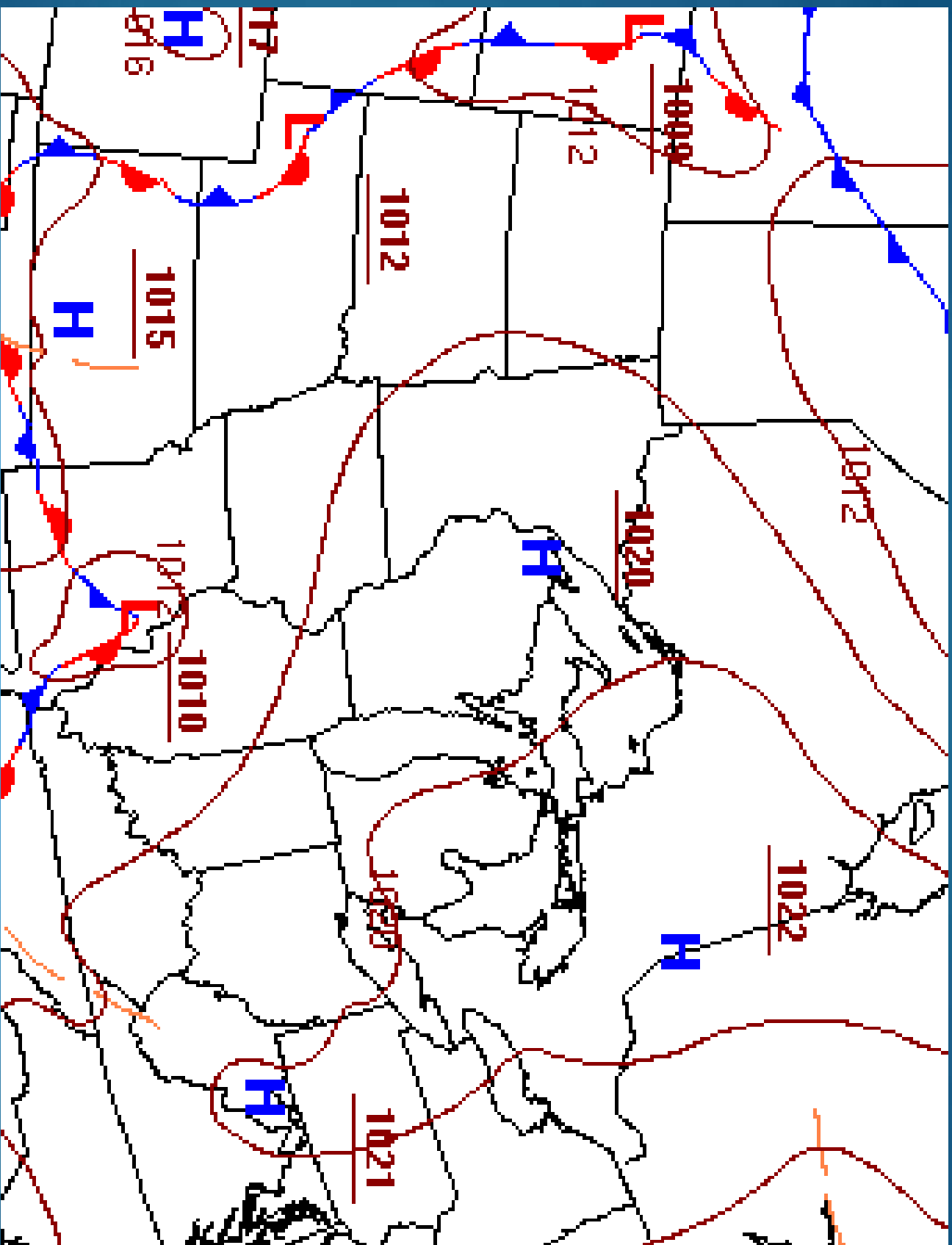
Severe Weather Outlook – Saturday



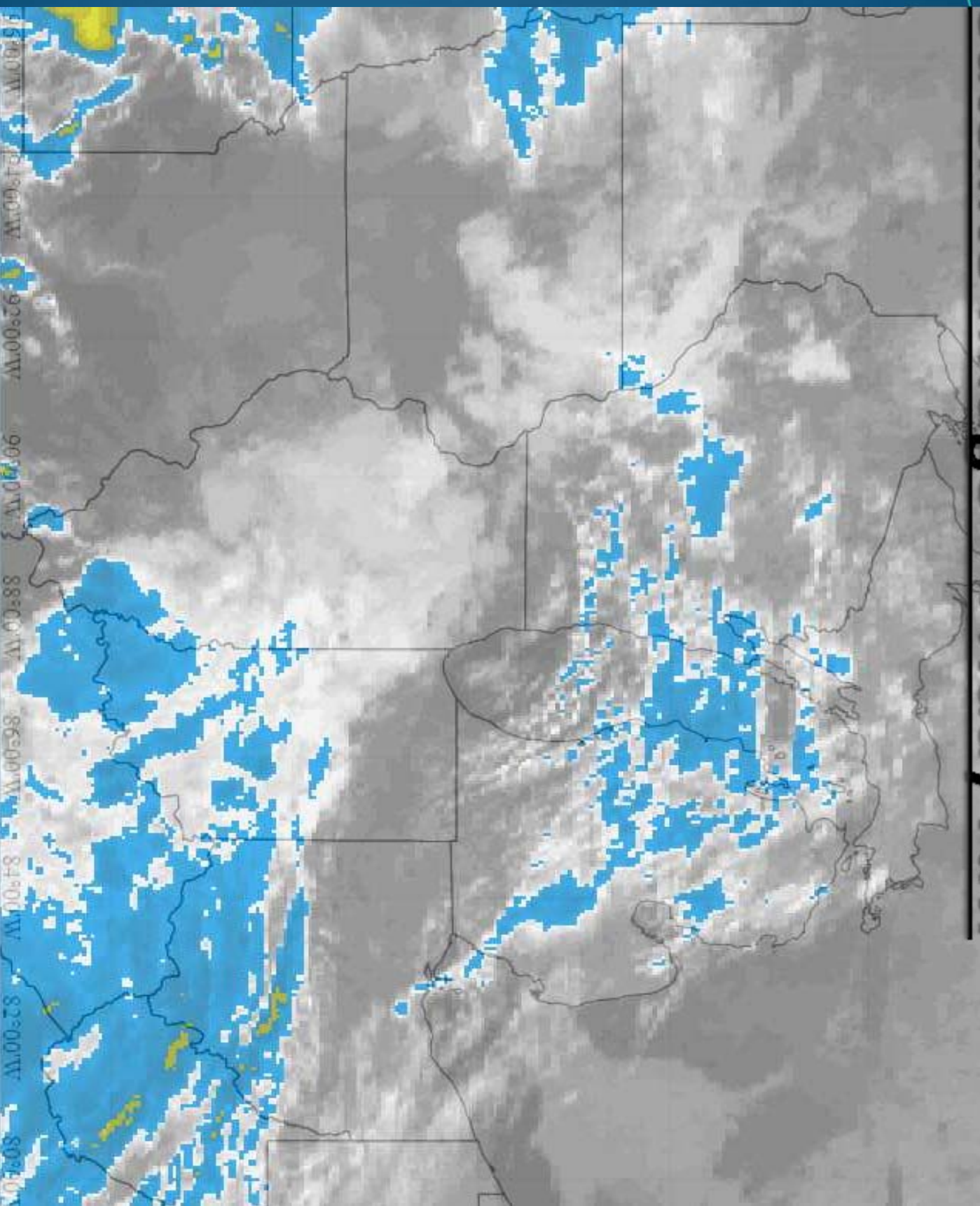
Severe Weather Outlook – Sunday



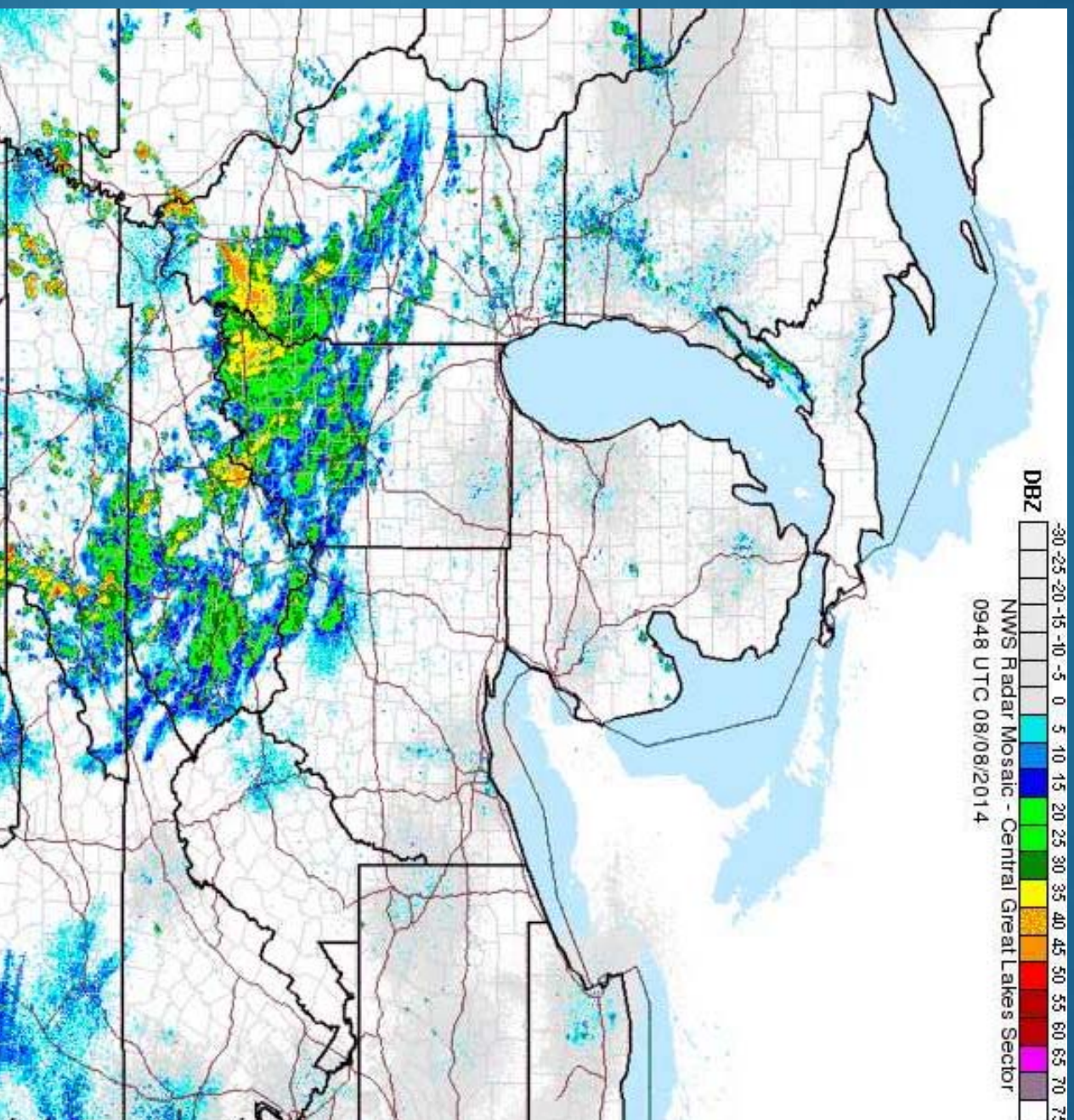
Surface Weather – Friday AM

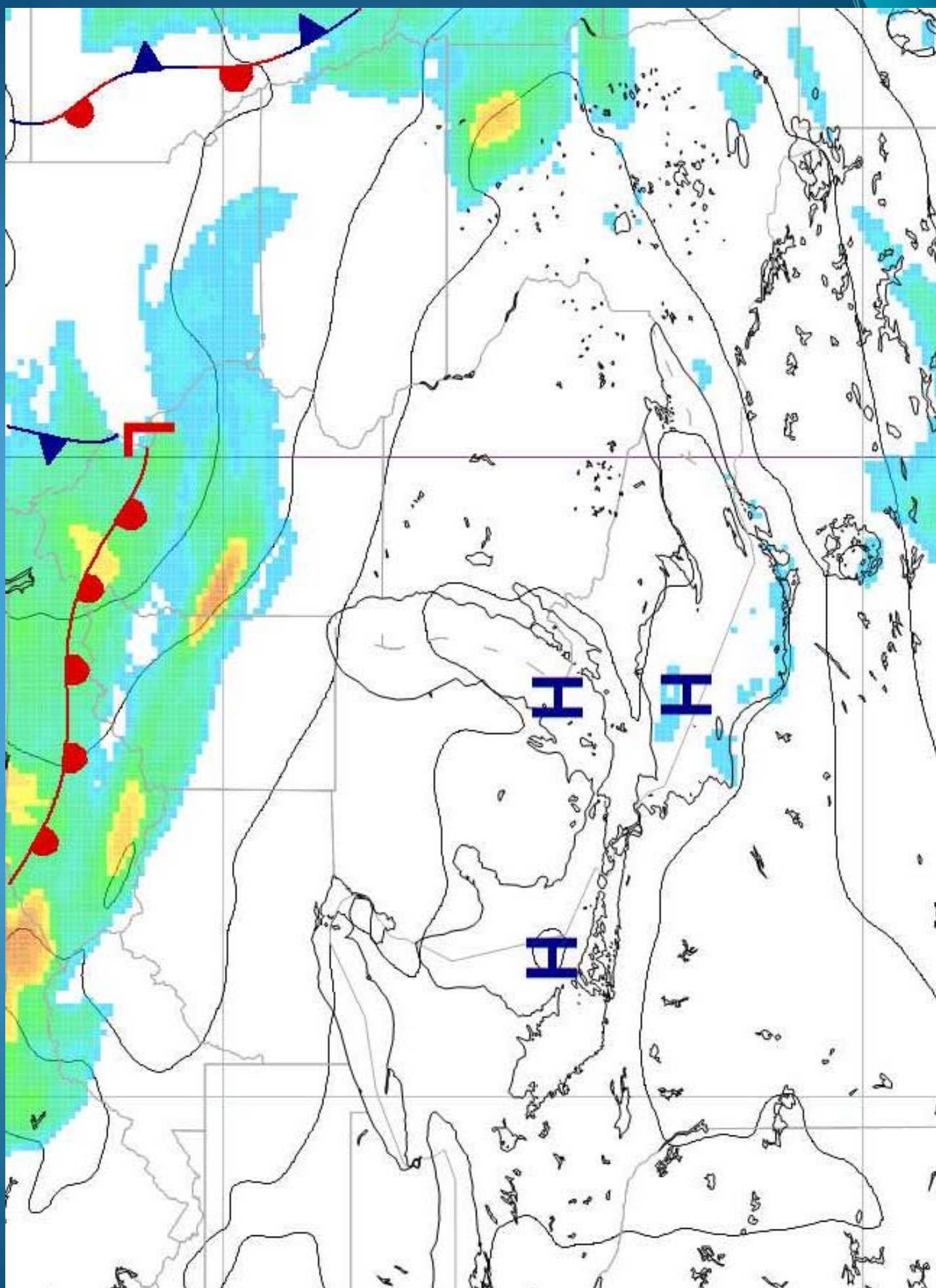


Satellite Image – Friday AM

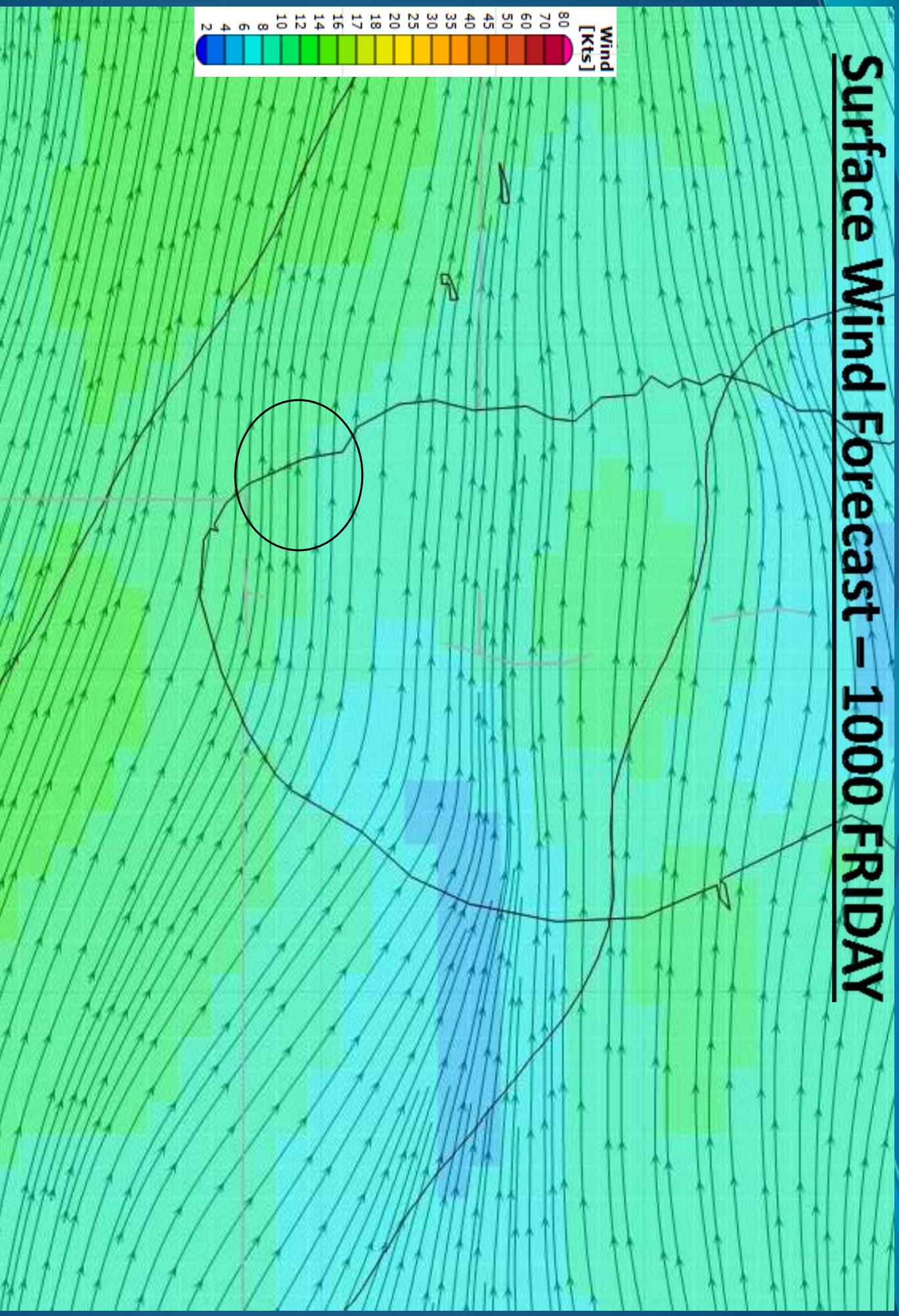


Radar – Friday AM

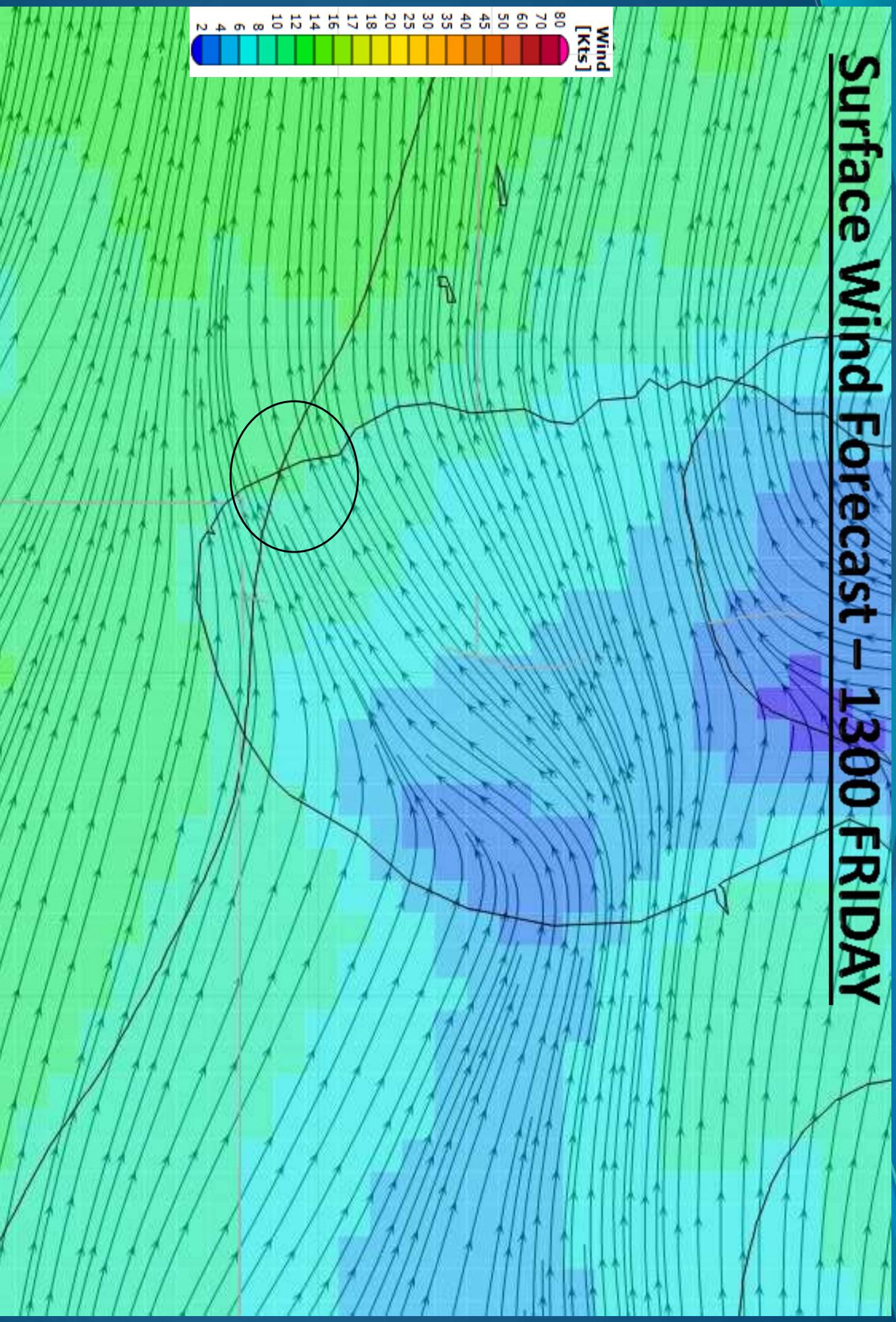




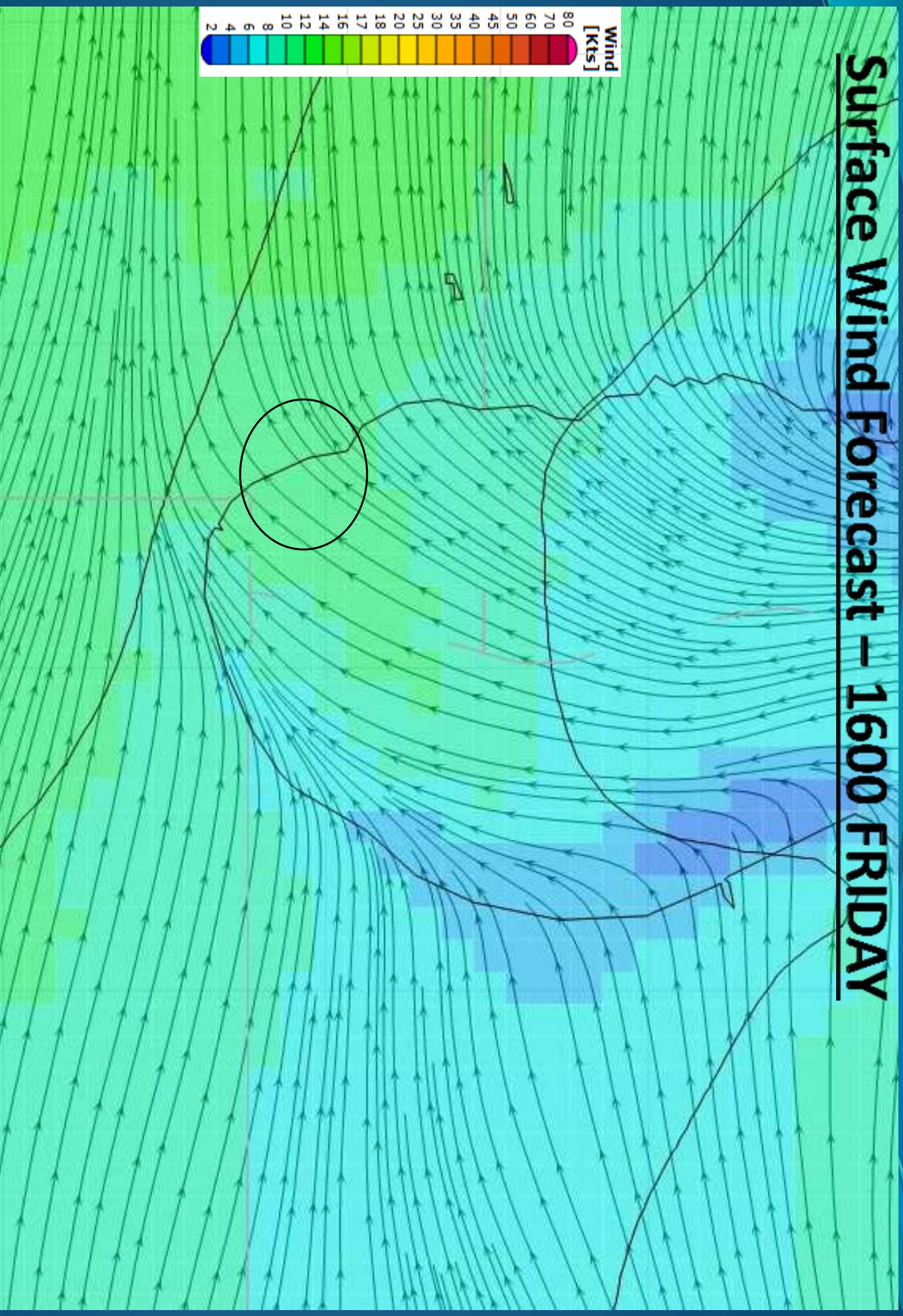
Surface Wind Forecast – 1000 FRIDAY



Surface Wind Forecast – 1300 FRIDAY



Surface Wind Forecast – 1600 FRIDAY



Summary for Friday

AM: Stronger E/ESE breeze 12-16 offshore already filling into the coast so all areas 11-15 late morning. Some puffs 20 lulls 7.

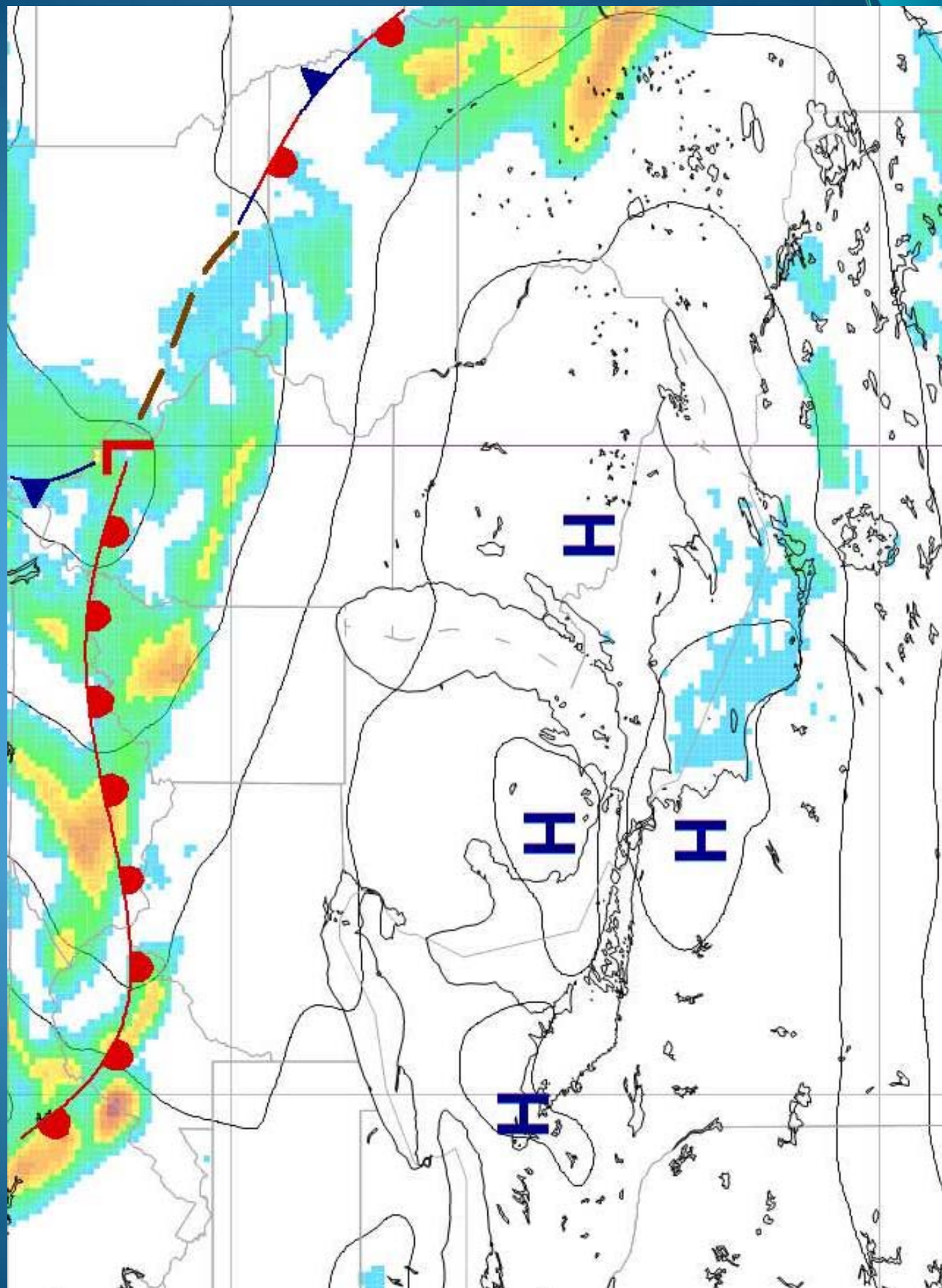
Mid-day: Some easing and backing E/ENE 9-14.

PM: Backing E/ENE to ENE/NE and easing 8-12. Chance sub 8 toward later afternoon.

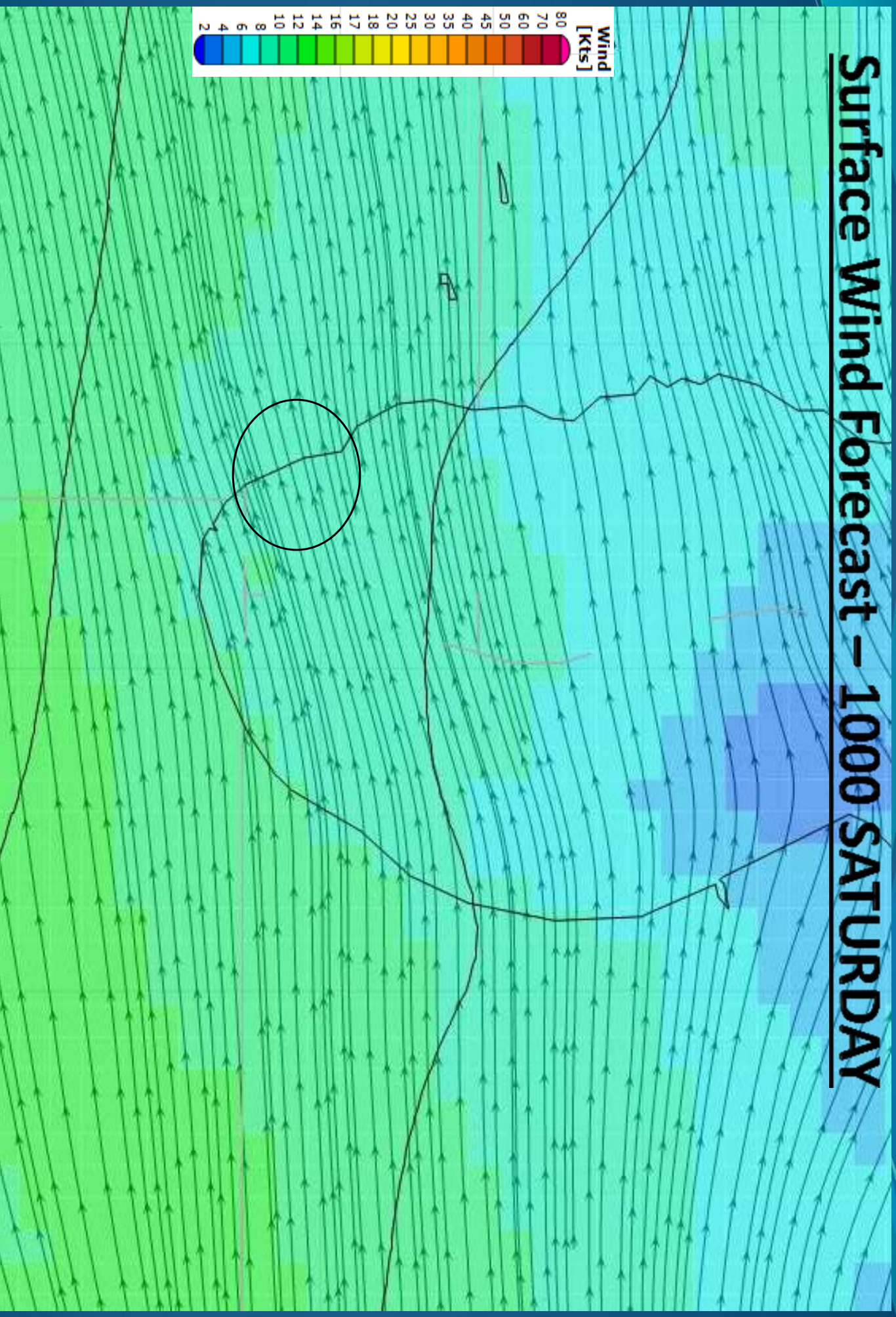
Weather: Mix of sun and clouds all day. Generally, more cloud than sun.

Seas: 2-3 ft this morning, decreasing slowly PM

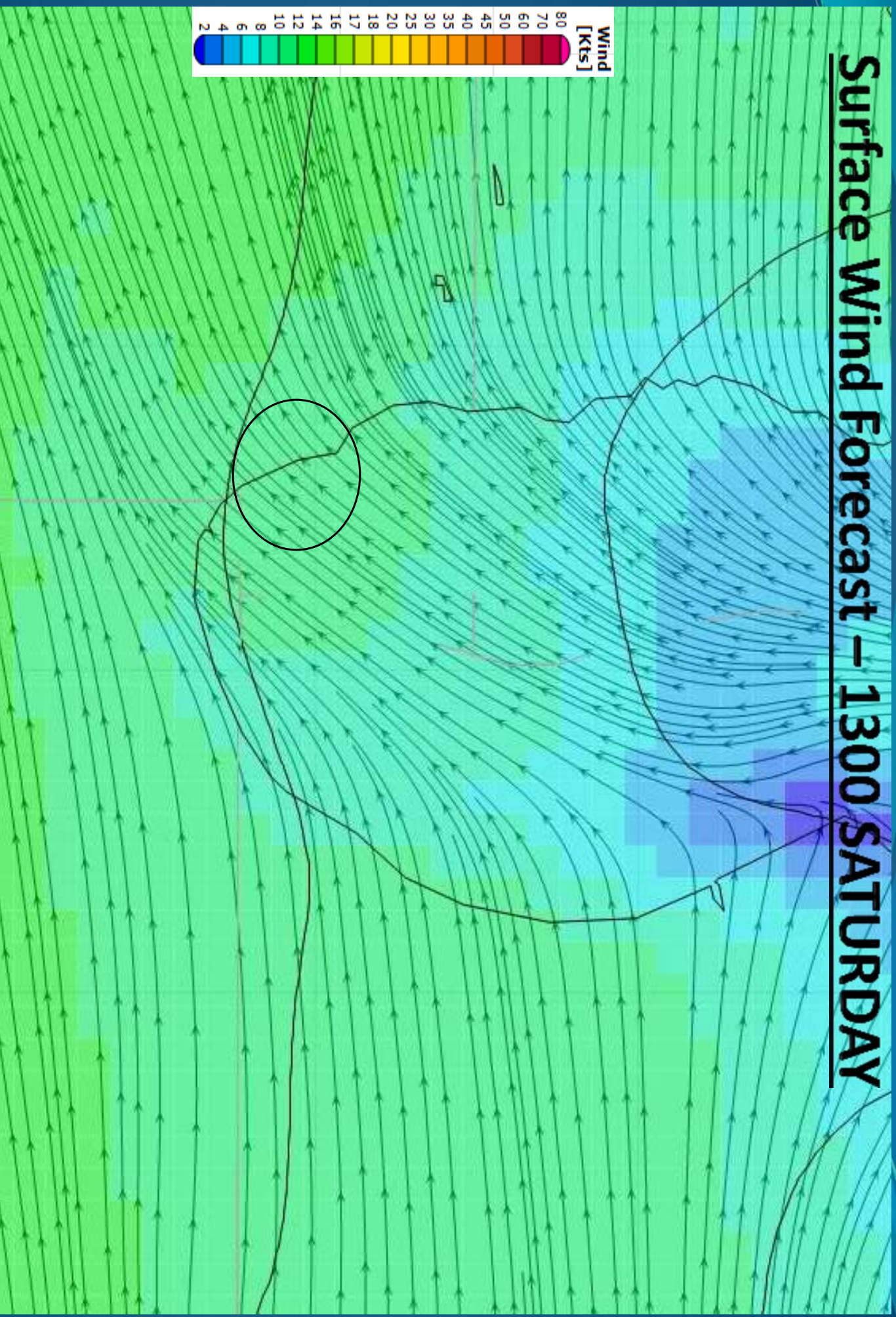
Temperature: Mid-60sF / Mid-70sF



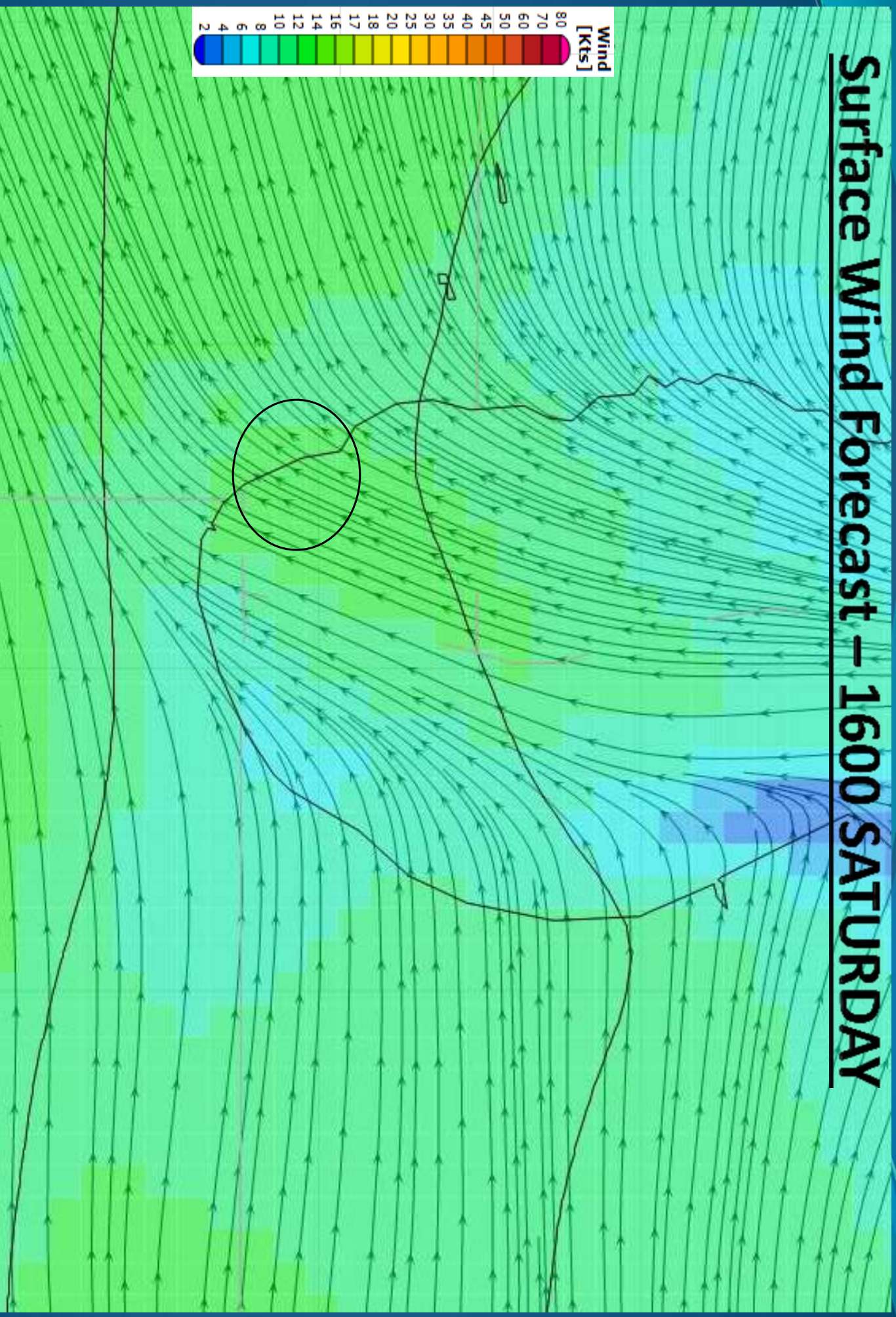
Surface Wind Forecast – 1000 SATURDAY



Surface Wind Forecast – 1300 SATURDAY



Surface Wind Forecast – 1600 SATURDAY



Summary for Saturday

AM: Generally E/ENE at 7-12. Lighter at the coast at first and stronger offshore. Perhaps up to 15 just outside course area. Stronger breeze from offshore will fill into shore mid-/late-AM.

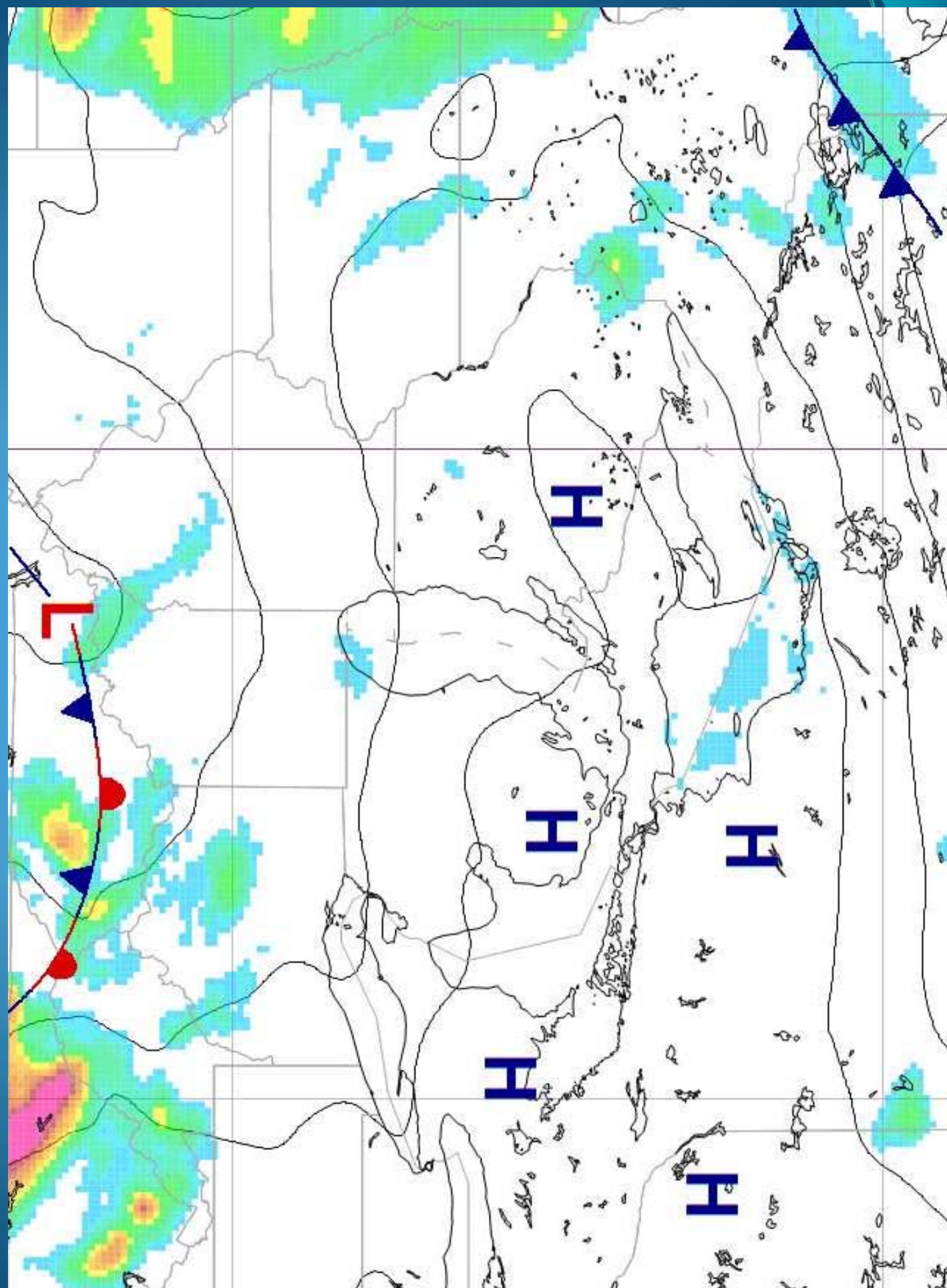
Mid-day: Backing ENE/NE increasing 10-14. Some signs of tending NNE and easing.

PM: Backing NE/NNE and holding more or less 10-14. Outside chance 12-16.

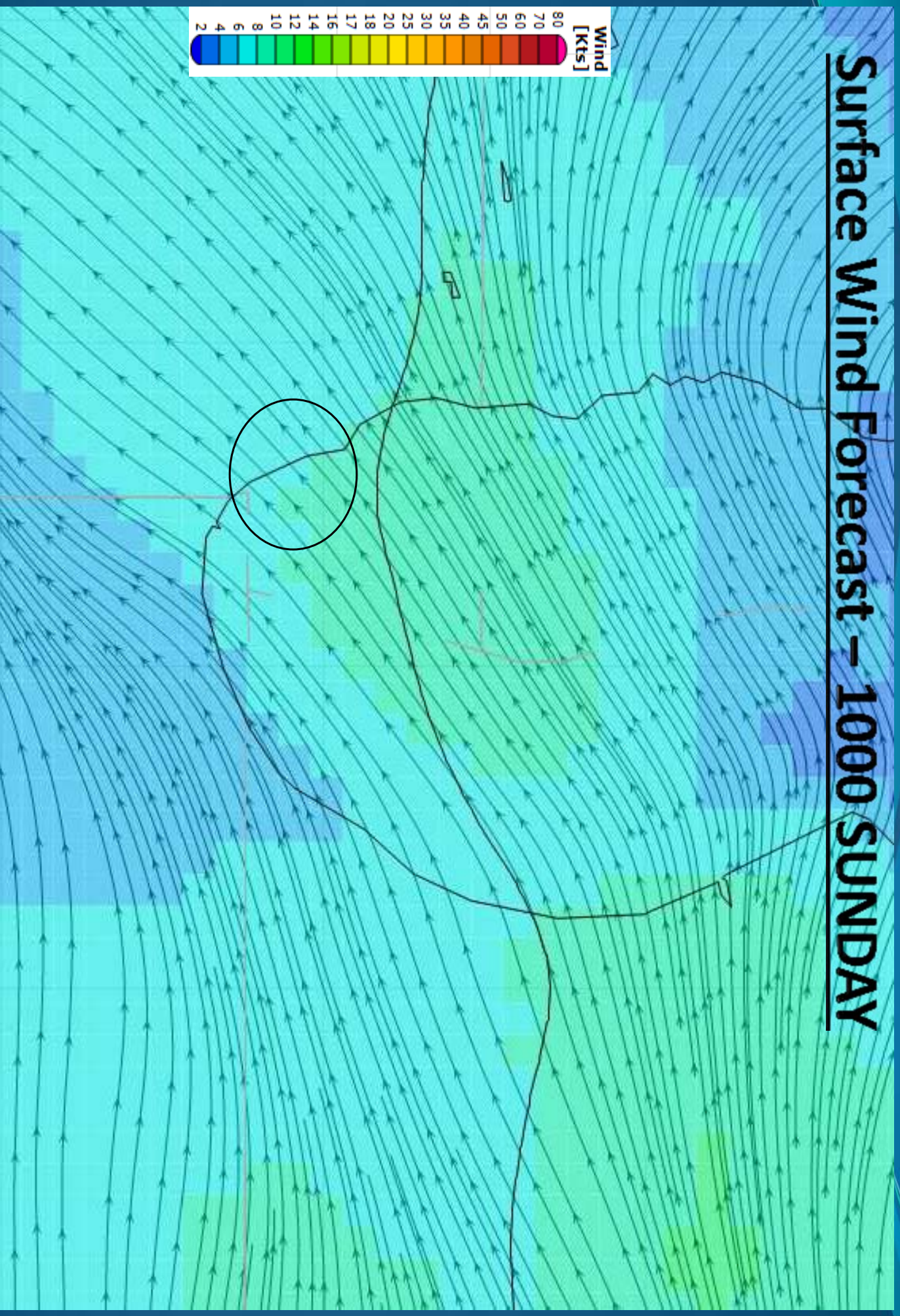
Weather: A mix of sun and cloud. There is a small chance of showers in the morning (20%). Becoming partly cloudy PM and risk of showers decreasing (0%).

Seas: Moderately rough 2-3 ft.

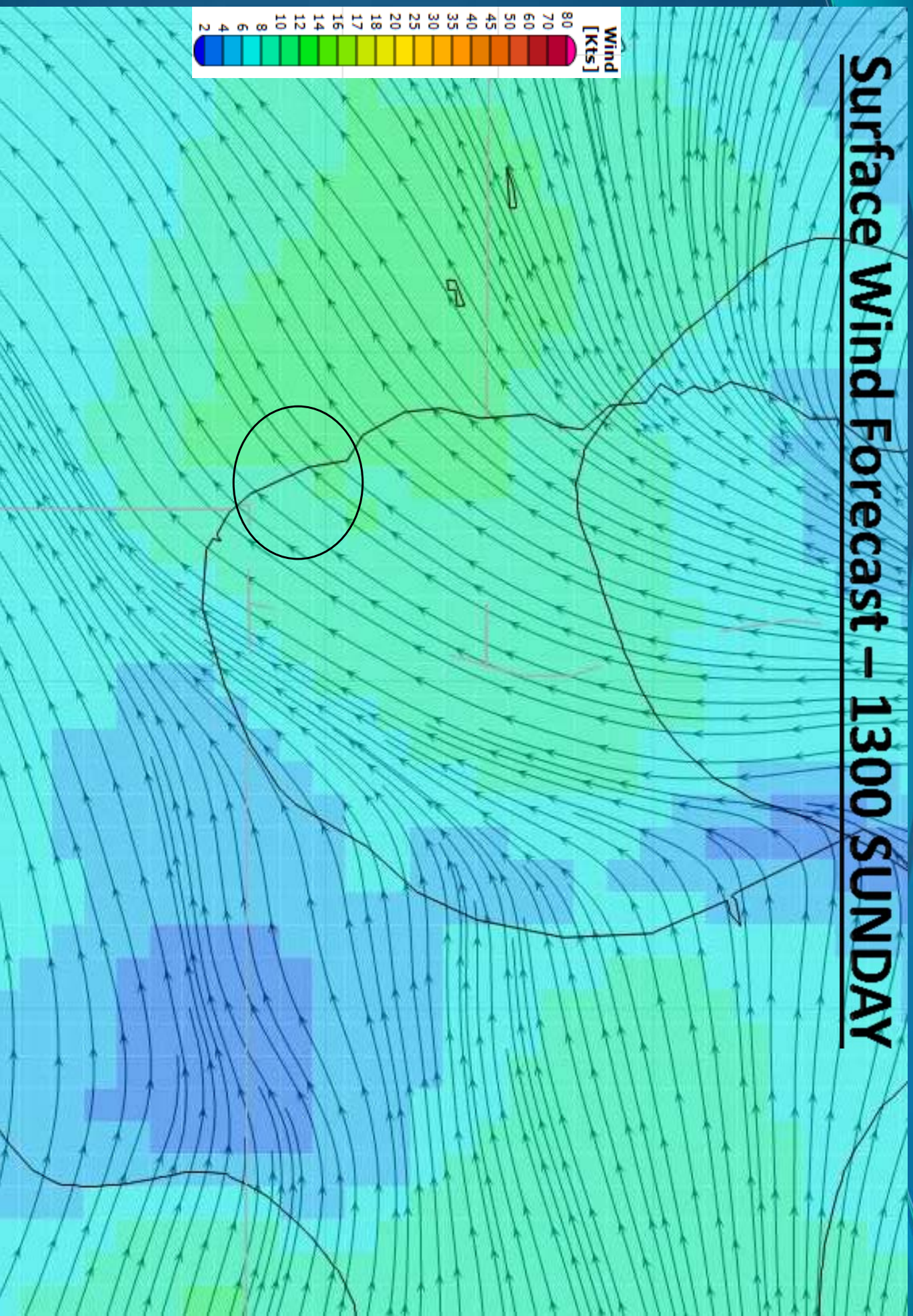
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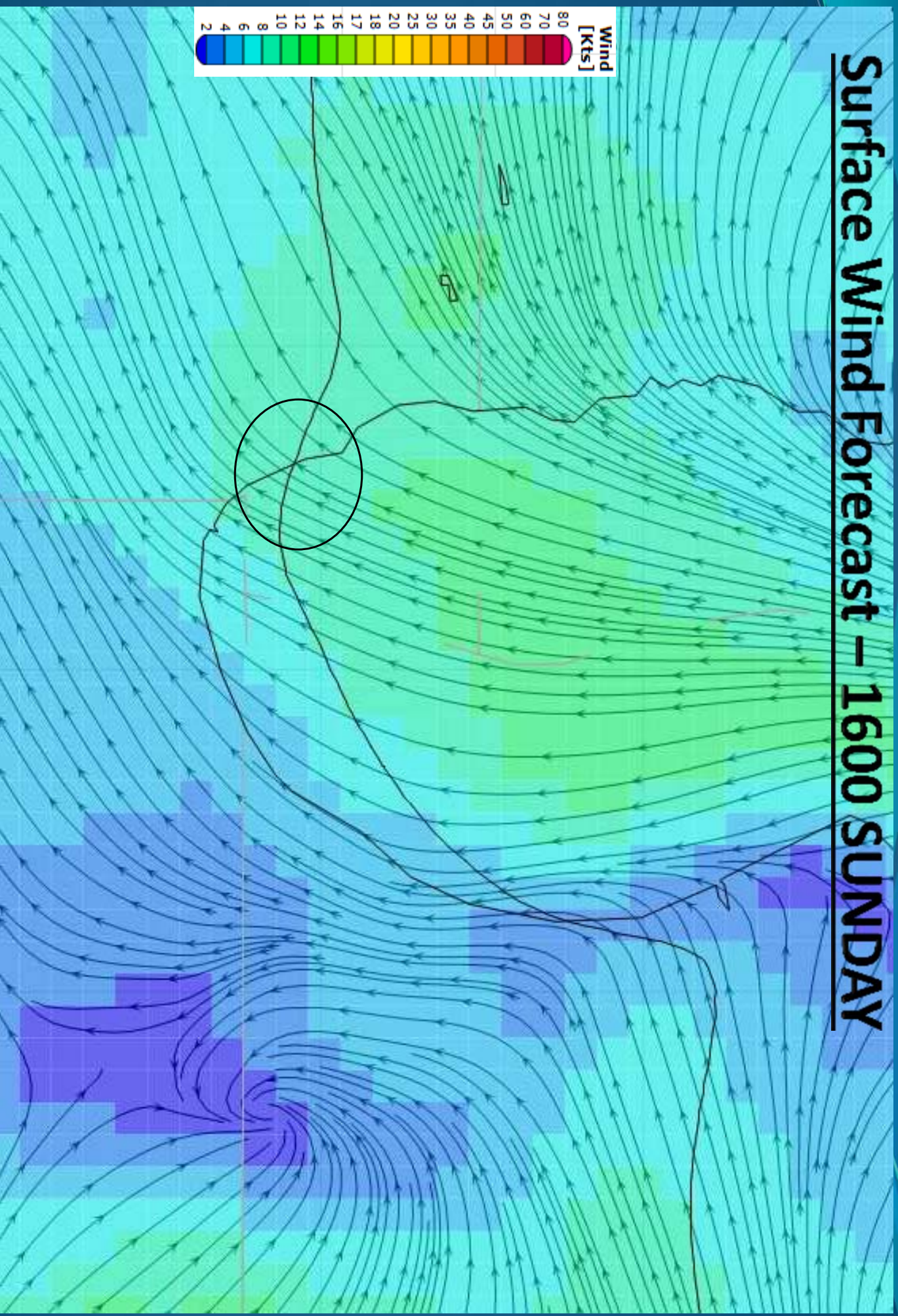
Surface Wind Forecast – 1000 SUNDAY



Surface Wind Forecast – 1300 SUNDAY



Surface Wind Forecast – 1600 SUNDAY



Summary for Sunday

AM: Near calm at the shore at first. But NE 6-10 just offshore. NE'y fills all the way into shore mid-/late-AM.

Mid-day: Backing NE/NNNE with a lull to 4-8 during the shift.

PM: Becoming NNE and increasing 8-12. Chance of 10-14 offshore side of course area by mid-afternoon.

Weather: Partly cloudy.

Seas: 1 ft increasing 1-2 ft.

Temperature: Mid-60sF / Mid-70sF

GOOD LUCK!

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