

Kansas City, MO hail — 19 Aug 2026 recap

Storm date **19 Aug 2026** (CDT). 7 reports ≥ 1.25 in within ~3 miles of the Nominatim place centroid. Max **1.75 in** (golf ball). Heading/path: **ESE**.

On 19 Aug 2026, thunderstorms produced hail up to 1.75 in (golf ball) at Kansas City, MO. 7 NOAA/NWS Local Storm Reports of 1.25 in or larger were logged within about 3 miles of the Nominatim Kansas City centroid, at 1:41 a.m. CDT and 1:50 a.m. CDT. Hail fell on or next to the town street grid (ENE of the town centroid; N of the town centroid; NE of the town centroid). Largest: 1.75 in at 1 NNE Kansas City Kansa (1:41 a.m. CDT); 1.75 in at 1 SSE North Kansas City (1:50 a.m. CDT); 1.75 in at 2 SE North Kansas City (1:50 a.m. CDT). This meets HailDataHub in-town qualify (2+ stones ≥ 1.25 in near the place centroid), not a rural offset or a single-report pin. Storm motion from the timed reports was toward the ESE. Chasers and PDR/roof crews tracking the swath would treat Kansas City as an in-town hit. Census ACS population is 510,612. Public LSR only — not a damage certificate and not insurance.

Census / ACS

Population: **510,612** (MOE ± 174) — Kansas City, MO.

Median household income: **\$69,166** (MOE $\pm 1,445$).

Primary industry / how people make a living (ACS employment by industry): Educational services, health care, and social assistance (23%); Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management (15%).

Median age: **35.8** (MOE ± 0.4).

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, ACS 2024 5-year. Profile:

<https://censusreporter.org/profiles/16000US2938000/>. Figures are ACS estimates, not invented. If a cell is missing in ACS, it is listed as not published.

NOAA / NWS hail reports (≥ 1.25 in)

Times converted from LSR VALID UTC to local. Miles are haversine to the Nominatim place centroid (39.1001, -94.5781).

LOCAL TIME	LOCATION	SIZE	OBJECT	SOURCE	MILES
1:41 a.m. CDT	1 NNE Kansas City Kansa Wyandotte County, MO	1.75 in	golf ball	Public	3.05 mi
1:44 a.m. CDT	1 NW North Kansas City Clay County, MO	1.25 in	half dollar	Public	3.45 mi
1:45 a.m. CDT	1 NW Kansas City Jackson County, MO	1.25 in	half dollar	Public	0.93 mi
1:47 a.m. CDT	1 NNW North Kansas City Clay County, MO	1.25 in	half dollar	Public	2.79 mi
1:49 a.m. CDT	1 SSE North Kansas City Jackson County, MO	1.50 in	ping pong	Public	1.19 mi
1:50 a.m. CDT	1 SSE North Kansas City Jackson County, MO	1.75 in	golf ball	Public	1.19 mi
1:50 a.m. CDT	2 SE North Kansas City Jackson County, MO	1.75 in	golf ball	Public	2.67 mi

Qualify proof: 7 reports, max 1.75 in, centroid miles 0.93–3.45 (threshold ~3 miles).

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Sorry Chaisers, No Hooters Near By

NOAA/NWS LSR via IEM. Public reports, not a damage certificate, not insurance, no dollar damage.

Population, income, industry, and age: U.S. Census Bureau ACS 5-year via Census Reporter / [data.census.gov](#) tables B01003, B19013, B01002, C24050. Place match: Census 2025 Gazetteer. Town centroid: Nominatim.

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