

Earthquake in NYC area live updates: EarthCam captures shocking moment 4.8 magnitude earthquake shook NYC

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A rare earthquake shook the New York area Friday morning, rattling parts of the Big Apple, Long Island, Connecticut and New Jersey.

The preliminary 4.8-magnitude earthquake struck near Lebanon, New Jersey, around 10:23 a.m., according to the US Geological Survey.

The site later reported that a 2.0 aftershock was felt in Bedminster, N.J, around 1 p.m. Two other aftershocks, another 2.0 and a 1.8 happened in the afternoon, but are “normal and are not expected to cause further damage,” New York Gov. Kathy Hochul said.

Follow the Post’s live updates for the latest news and reactions from the 4.7 magnitude earthquake:

EarthCam captured the moment a 4.8-magnitude earthquake centered in New Jersey shook residents in surrounding states and New York City on Friday morning.

The earthquake was the strongest in the Garden State since 1884.