



Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies
02/21/18 – 2:00 p.m.

Enhanced Weather Hazards Expected:
Winter Weather Advisory is in effect for Greene County until 10am Thursday

Ice Accumulation Elevated

Discussion:
Freezing rain will develop from south to north this afternoon through tonight. Ice accumulations will spread across the entire Missouri Ozarks with total accumulations that can range up to a quarter of an inch.

Temperatures will rise on Thursday, causing precipitation to fall as rain. Over the course of this second round of rain, we are expected to have between 1.5 and 2 inches. However, there remains uncertainty with amounts and timing with the late week to weekend system.

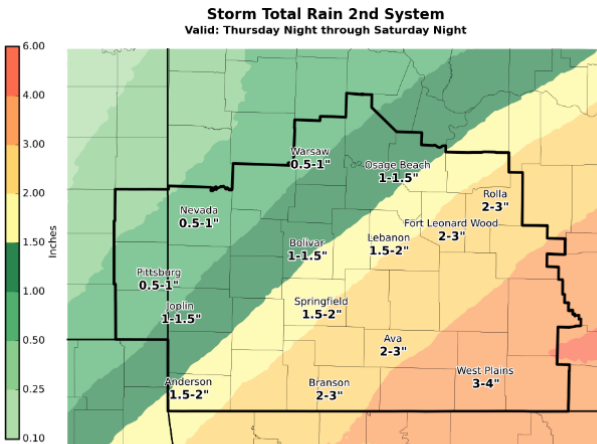
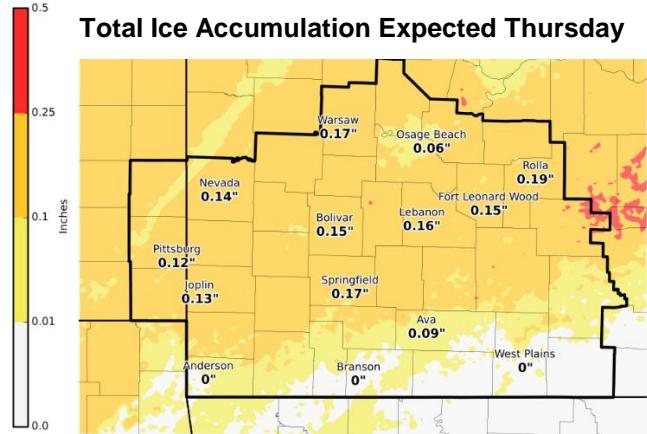
Travel Issues:
Impacts: There remains the potential for roads to be impacted from ice. However, with temperatures only falling to around the 30 degree mark, the current road surface temperatures may stay warm enough for the impacts to be limited to bridges and elevated roads. Additionally, be on the lookout for water standing on the road in low-lying areas as a result of the second round of rain later this week.

Preparedness Considerations: Consider a winter storm kit for your car. Winterize your vehicle. Pay close attention to upcoming weather information. Watch for social media posts from OEM and our affiliated partners.

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Emergency Management Issues:
All partner agencies are prepared to address any issues involving the incoming winter weather:

- OEM will continue to monitor this developing weather situation. Partners should continue to monitor as well.
- Springfield-Greene County EOC is currently at Level 4 Activation (Routine).



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