

Winter Storm Hazard Report

Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management

Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies 01/10/2019 – 16:00

Weather Hazards Expected:

A Winter Weather Advisory is in effect from January 11, 6:00 until January 13, 24:00. No watches or warnings at this time.

	<u>Jan 11</u>	<u>Jan 12</u>
Snow/Sleet Risk	Elevated	Limited
Ice Accumulation	Limited	Limited

Discussion:

A mix of rain and snow will develop Friday in the early afternoon, switching to snow in the overnight hours. This will continue into Saturday when a rain/snow mixture will return. A glaze of ice on elevated objects will also be possible Friday afternoon and evening. The heaviest accumulations of snow and ice are currently expected to be to the east of Greene County.

Additional hazard reports will be published if conditions change in either direction.

Travel Issues:

Impacts: Travel conditions could become hazardous late Friday afternoon, potentially impacting commutes. These conditions could continue through Saturday evening. Extra care should be taken when traversing elevated surfaces and secondary roads.

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.

Follow OEM: <u>Twitter @gcoem and Facebook/SpringfieldGreeneOEM</u> MoDOT: Traveler Information map: <u>http://maps.modot.mo.gov/timi/</u> Ozarks Traffic: <u>http://www.ozarkstraffic.com/</u>

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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