



# HAZARD REPORT WINTER WEATHER

## SPRINGFIELD-GREENE COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

### Emergency Operations Center Partner Agencies

03/04/2025 | 1545 hrs.

Hazard Event #: 25-013

### Watches / Warnings / Advisories:

**Wind Advisory** from midnight tonight until 6 pm Wednesday. **Winter Weather Advisory** from 3 am to 9 am Wednesday.

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| <b>HAZARD</b>     | <b>Mar-05</b>  |
| <b>Snow/Sleet</b> | <b>Limited</b> |

### DISCUSSION

Bands of moderate to heavy snow will continue through the Wednesday morning commute. Light accumulations may result in a few slick spots, especially on elevated roadways. The combination of gusty winds and snow will result in reduced visibilities to a half mile or less at times. Minimum wind chills in the teens to 20s. Gusty winds of 45 to 60 mph continue that Wednesday morning and afternoon, with the highest wind gusts across portions east central Kansas into west central Missouri.

### CITIZEN ACTION STATEMENT

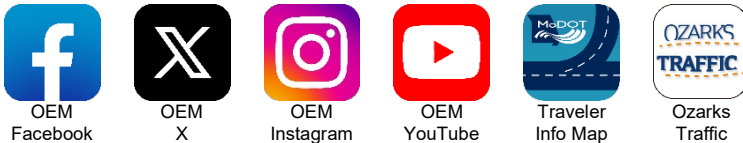
- Consider a winter storm kit for your car & winterize cars.
  - Bring pets indoors or to a warm dry place with plenty of food.
  - Practice generator safety and only use outside of home
- “Carbon Monoxide kills in minutes!”**
- Pay close attention to upcoming weather information.
  - Watch for social media posts from OEM and our partners.

### EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ISSUES

Springfield-Greene County EOC: **OpCon Level 4: Monitoring**

\*\*\* OEM will continue to monitor this developing weather situation. \*\*\*

### ONLINE



### Rain Turns to Snow Later Tonight

Late Tonight into Wednesday Morning

March 4, 2025 2:36 PM

**Key Message**  
Rain transitions to rain/snow mix tonight before turning to all snow late tonight into Wednesday. A dusting to inch, with a few locations up to 1.5 inch. Accumulations would occur on elevated and grassy surface. **Increasing confidence in travel impacts for due to blowing snow reducing visibility to a half mile or less.**

**Hazards**  
A few slick spots and slushy roadways, especially on elevated roadways. Slower commute times can be expected. Reduced visibilities due to strong wind gusts.

**Actions**  
Remain Weather Aware! Give yourself extra time for travel. Continue to monitor the forecast for updates.

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### Timeline of Light Snow and Rain

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|                                  | 12 am      | 2 am       | 4 am       | 6 am                | 8 am                | 10 am      | 12 pm      | 2 pm       |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Nevada   Pittsburg, KS   Joplin  | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Snow | Light Snow | Light Snow |
| Bolivar   Branson   Springfield  | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Snow | Light Snow | Light Snow |
| Versailles   Camdenton   Lebanon | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Snow | Light Snow | Light Snow |
| Rolla   Salem   Houston          | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Snow | Light Snow | Light Snow |
| Eminence   West Plains   Alton   | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Snow | Light Snow | Light Snow |

**Precipitation Type**  
None | Light Rain | Light Rain/Snow Mix | Light Snow

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### Winter Storm Severity Index

Tonight into Wednesday Morning

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- Minor light snow impacts due to gusty winds producing low visibility
- Most likely minor impact area is along and north of I-44 and west of Highway 65.
- Use caution when driving Wednesday morning, especially if snow falls heavier than current forecast.

**Potential Winter Storm Impacts**

- Minor Impacts**  
Expect minor disruptions to daily life. Limited impacts on travel and power.
- Moderate Impacts**  
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- Major Impacts**  
Expect major disruptions to daily life. Major impacts on travel and power.
- Extreme Impacts**  
Expect extreme disruptions to daily life. Extreme impacts on travel and power.

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