

Ongoing Winter Weather Event

Key Messages

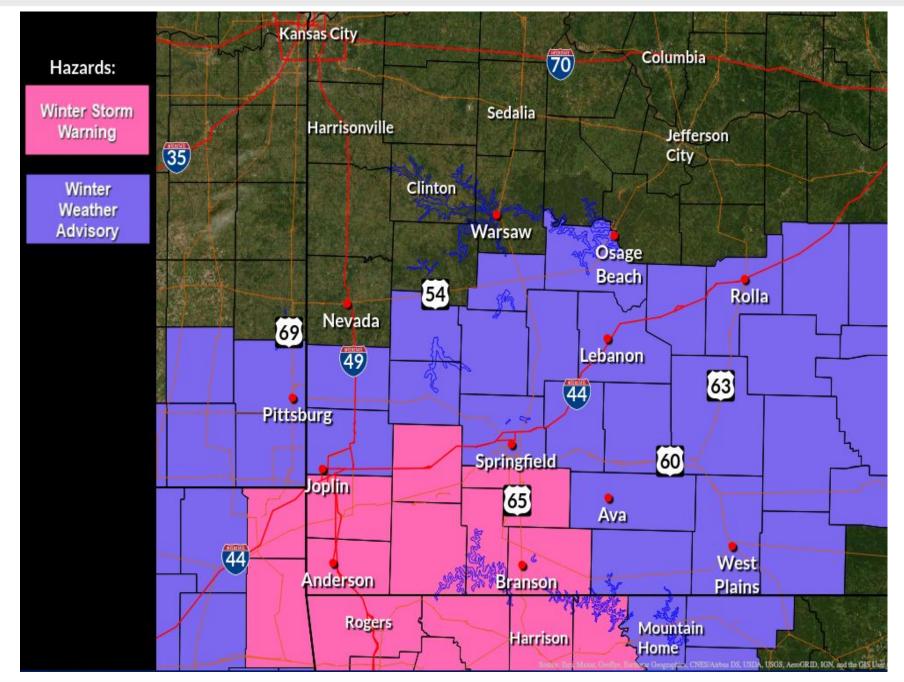
- → A narrow band of moderate to heavy snow will move across southern Missouri.
- → Snowfall amounts will be highly variable, with several inches possible where the band persists longer and little to no snowfall elsewhere.

NEW Important Updates

→ Fine tuning of snowfall amounts

Next Scheduled Briefing

None scheduled at this time





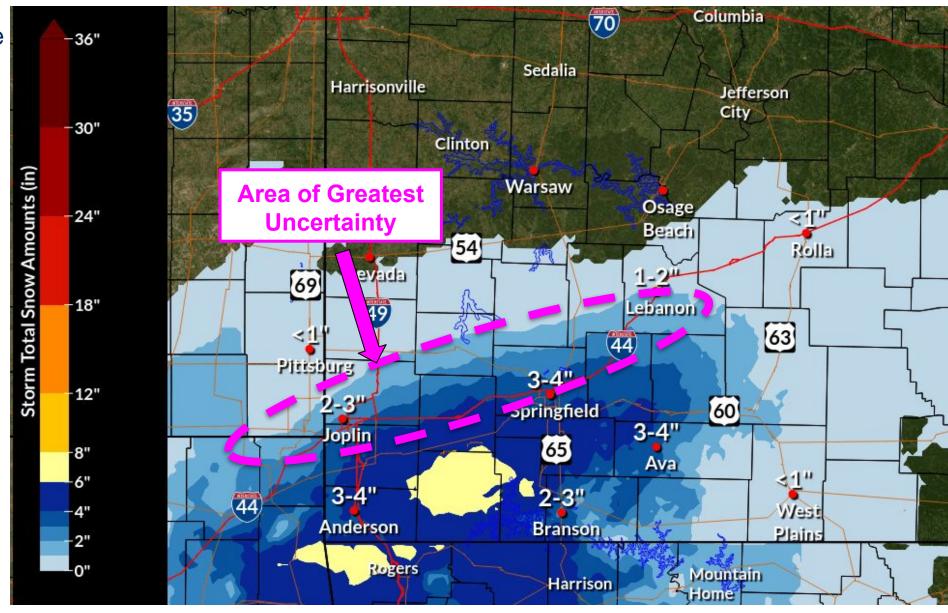
Forecast Snowfall Amounts

Into today

Key Messages

- A moderate to heavy snow band will continue to move across southern Missouri this morning. Hourly snowfall rates of 1-2 inches per hour are possible under heavier bands.
- As the band moves east into south-central Missouri it will weaken and temperatures will be warmer so little to no snow accumulation is expected.
- Localized higher and lower amounts are expected. The area of greatest uncertainty is along Interstate 44 from Joplin to Lebanon.
- Due to warm ground temperatures and air temperatures near freezing, some portion of the snowfall will melt as it falls.

Forecast Snowfall Amounts



Timeline of Precipitation Today



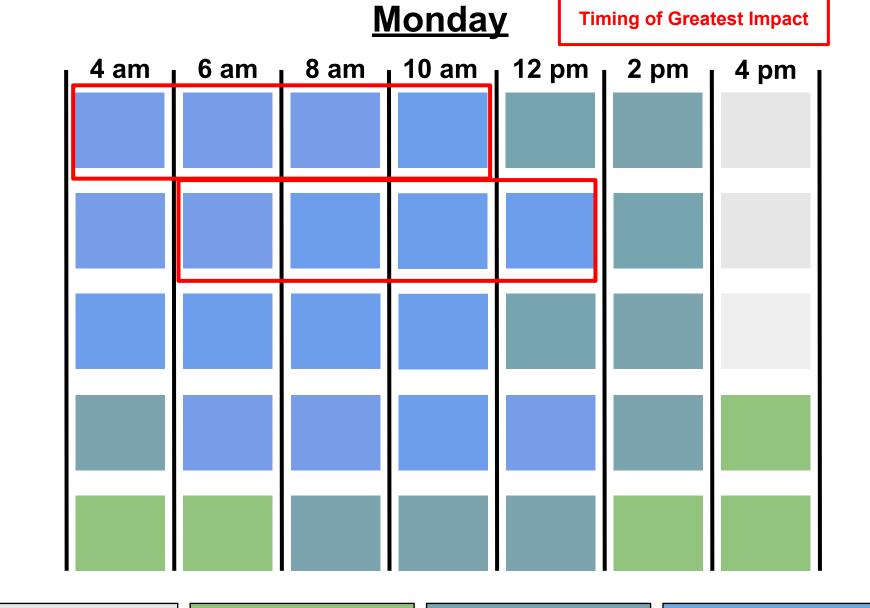
Pineville | Cassville | Joplin

Springfield | Ozark | Branson

Versailles | Camdenton | Lebanon

Rolla | Salem | Houston

Eminence | West Plains | Alton



Precipitation Type

None

Light Rain

Rain/Snow Mix

Snow





Additional Information

For Additional Information

- **NWS Springfield Webpage**
- **IDSS Point Forecasts**
- **Graphical Hazardous Weather Outlook**
- NWS Springfield Probabilistic Snowfall
- **MODOT Travel Map**
- **KDOT Travel Map**
- Winter Weather Safety
- Winter Weather Reference Sheet

ICE & SNOW, TAKE IT SLOW

Each year in the U.S., there are over 1,000 deaths and 100,000 injuries due to vehicle crashes during winter weather.





Clean off your vehicle before driving. Flying snow from cars causes accidents.



Keep it slow, and don't use cruise control. Roads can be slick even if they just look wet.



Leave extra distance between vehicles.

Stay especially far from snow plows.



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