

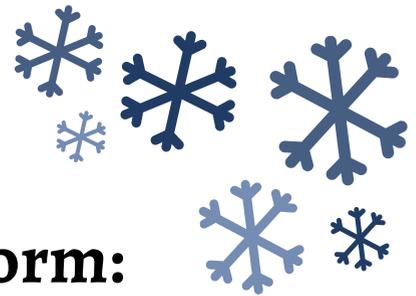


ARE YOU PREPARED?

Follow these Winter Storm Safety Tips!

Before the Storm:

- Watch and/or listen to the forecast and decide how you want to stay informed.
- Charge your phone and fill your car up with gas
- Have basic supplies and 3 days of non-perishable food and water on hand
- Pick up prescriptions if needed
- Know where your flashlight is and check batteries
- Bring pets inside
- Obey the parking ban



During & After the Storm:

- Stay up to date with storm happenings and timelines via tv, radio, websites, or apps.
- Minimize travel - let the plows do their jobs!
- Prevent carbon monoxide poisoning - clear heating vents if necessary
- Do not use ovens or cooktops to heat a home and never leave space heaters unattended.
- Pace yourself when shoveling and exercise caution with equipment, such as a snowblower
- Protect your skin with layers and limit exposure to cold temps.
- Use rock salt or sand to increase traction
- Check on neighbors when safe and appropriate

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