From: Davis, Susanna

To: Rep. Jay Adams; Rep. Gale Adcock; Rep. John Ager; Rep. Kelly M. Alexander; Rep. Vernetta Alston; Rep. Dean Arp; Rep. John Autry; Rep. Kristin Baker; Rep. Amber Baker; Rep. Cynthia Ball; Rep. Mary Belk; Rep. John Bell; Rep. Hugh Blackwell; Rep. Jamie Boles, Jr; Rep. John Bradford; Rep. William Brisson; Rep. Cecil Brockman; Rep. Mark Brody; Rep. Terry Brown; Rep. Dana Bumgardner; Rep. Deb Butler; Rep. Becky Carney; Rep. Jerry Carter; Rep. Mike Clampitt; Rep. Ashton Wheeler Clemmons; Rep. George Cleveland; Rep. Linda Cooper-Suggs; Rep. Carla Cunningham; Rep. Allison A. Dahle; Rep. Ted Davis; Rep. Jimmy Dixon; Rep. Jeffrey Elmore; Rep. Terence Everitt; Rep. John Faircloth; Rep. Brian Farkas; Rep. Susan Fisher; Rep. James D. Gailliard; Rep. Terry Garrison; Rep. Rosa Gill; Rep. Karl Gillespie; Rep. Edward C. Goodwin; Rep. Charles Graham; Rep. Dudley Greene; Rep. Kyle Hall; Rep. Destin Hall; Rep. Bobby Hanig; Rep. Jon Hardister; Rep. Wesley Harris; Rep. Pricey Harrison; Rep. Kelly Hastings; Rep. Zack Hawkins; Rep. Julia Howard; Rep. Chris Humphrey; Rep. Rachel Hunt; Rep. Howard Hunter III; Rep. Pat Hurley; Rep. Ricky Hurtado; Rep. Frank Iler; Rep. Verla Insko; Rep. Darren Jackson; Rep. Joe John; Rep. Jake H. Johnson; Rep. Brenden Jones; Rep. Abe Jones; Rep. Keith Kidwell; Rep. Donny Lambeth; Rep. Brandon Lofton; Rep. Carolyn G. Logan; Rep. Marvin Lucas; Rep. Nasif Majeed; Rep. Grier Martin; Rep. Pat McElraft; Rep. Jeffrey C. McNeely; Rep. Allen McNeill; Rep. Graig Meyer; Rep. Charles Miller; Rep. Grey Mills; Rep. Tim Moffitt; Rep. Tim Moore; Rep. Marcia Morey; Rep. Ben Moss; Rep. Erin Pare; Rep. Howard Penny; Rep. Ray Pickett; Rep. Garland Pierce; Rep. Larry Pittman; Rep. Mark Pless; Rep. Larry Potts; Rep. Amos Quick; Rep. Robert Reives; Rep. William Richardson; Rep. Dennis Riddell; Rep. David Rogers; Rep. Jason Saine; Rep. Wayne Sasser; Rep. John Sauls; Rep. Mitchell Setzer; Rep. Phil Shepard; Rep. Carson Smith; Kandie Smith; Rep. Raymond E. Smith, Jr.; Rep. Sarah Stevens; Rep. Larry Strickland; Rep. John Szoka; Rep. Evelyn Terry; Rep. John Torbett; Rep. Brian Turner; Rep. Steve Tyson; Rep. Julie von Haefen; Rep. Harry Warren; Rep. Sam Watford; Rep. Diane Wheatley; Rep. Donna White; Rep. Shelly Willingham; Rep. David Willis; Rep. Matthew Winslow; Rep. Michael Wray; Rep. Larry Yarborough; Rep. Lee Zachary; Rep. Jeff Zenger; Sen. Ted Alexander; Sen. Deanna Ballard; Sen. Lisa S. Barnes; Sen. Ernestine Bazemore; Sen. Phil Berger; Sen. Dan Blue; Sen. Danny Britt; Sen. Jim Burgin; Sen. Jay Chaudhuri; Sen. Ben Clark; Sen. Kevin Corbin; Sen. David Craven; Sen. Sarah Crawford; Sen. Warren Daniel; Sen. Don Davis; Sen. Kirk deViere; Sen. Chuck Edwards; Sen. Toby Fitch; Sen. Carl Ford; Sen. Valerie Foushee; Sen. Amy Galey; Sen. Michael Garrett; Sen. Kathy Harrington; Sen. Ralph Hise; Sen. Brent Jackson; Sen. Jeff Jackson; Sen. Steve Jarvis; Sen. Todd Johnson; Sen. Joyce Krawiec; Sen. Michael Lazzara; Sen. Michael Lee; Sen. Paul Lowe; Sen. Natasha Marcus; Sen. Julie Mayfield; Sen. Tom McInnis; Sen. Mujtaba Mohammed; Sen. Natalie Murdock; Sen. Paul Newton; Sen. Wiley Nickel; Sen. Jim Perry; Sen. Dean Proctor; Sen. Bill Rabon; Sen. Gladys Robinson; Sen. DeAndrea Salvador; Sen. Norman Sanderson; Sen. Vickie Sawyer; Sen. Sam Searcy; Sen. Bob Steinburg; Sen. Joyce Waddell; Sen. Mike Woodard

Cc: Davis, Alicia; Davis, Justin T. (NCDPS)

Subject: NCEM Winter Weather Update (January 7, 2021) - AM

Date: Thursday, January 07, 2021 08:16:31 AM

Attachments: NCEM Winter Weather Update (January 7, 2021) - AM.pdf

---

Good Morning,

Expected snowfall totals across the mountains and northwestern Piedmont have continued to trend upward, and Winter Storm Warnings have been issued for portions of these areas.

Western NC:

- The greatest accumulations and impacts are still expected across the mountains, where 3-8" of snow is currently forecast. The highest totals will likely be across the southern mountains, especially at higher elevations.
- Outside of the mountains, a rain/snow/sleet mix will lead to lesser totals, with generally 2-4" of snow expected across the Foothills and far northwestern portions of the Piedmont.
- While snow, sleet, and rain will be the main precipitation types, a brief period of freezing rain is also possible. Portions of the Blue Ridge could see very light ice accumulation (<0.10") tonight and into Friday.
- Precipitation will begin to move into far southwestern NC late this afternoon or during the early evening hours. Impacts will increase overnight as snow spreads northward across the mountains and Foothills, and continues into the day Friday. While most of the precipitation will push eastward later in the day Friday, northwest flow could lead to additional mountain snow showers Friday evening.
- Accumulating snow will likely lead to hazardous travel tonight - Friday, and isolated power outages are also possible in areas that see heavy snow. Temperatures will fall well below freezing Friday night and Saturday night leading to areas of black ice and hazardous road

conditions, especially where snowpack remains.

Central NC:

- The best chance of accumulating snow and hazardous travel will be in areas along and north of the I-85 corridor, where 1-2" of snow is currently expected, with isolated areas of 3" possible. Precipitation will spread into the region overnight and continue through the day Friday. There could be a lull in the precipitation around midday Friday, and areas north of I-85 could see snow mix with rain during lighter precipitation rates before switching back to snow during the afternoon hours.
- Areas south and east of I-85 will likely see rain as the main precipitation type, with a mix of wintry precipitation possible Friday morning during the heavier precipitation rates. The best chance of accumulating snow in these areas will come late Friday afternoon and evening as colder air filters in as precipitation comes to an end.
- Areas south and east of I-85 will generally see a dusting – 1", with isolated higher amounts possible.
- All areas could see slick roads develop Friday night and early Saturday morning as temperatures fall below freezing.

Eastern NC:

- Precipitation will move into the region overnight, mainly in the form of rain. Inland areas could see some snow and sleet mix in at times early Friday morning, but no impacts are expected with ground temperatures well above freezing and the light nature of the precipitation.
- Rain showers are expected throughout the day, before snow and sleet could mix in once again as the precipitation comes to an end late Friday night or early Saturday morning.
- Accumulations would be very light, if any, and limited to inland portions of the region.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Susanna

Susanna Davis
North Carolina Department of Public Safety
Legislative Affairs Director
4201 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-4201
(919)825-2717 Office
(919)817-3385 Cell
Susanna.Davis@ncdps.gov
www.ncdps.gov

E-mail correspondence sent to and from this address may be subject to the provisions of G.S. 132-1, the North Carolina Public Records Law, and may be subject to monitoring and

disclosed to third parties, including law enforcement personnel, by an authorized state official.