Winter Readiness
Material & Personnel

Salt

- Division has 5 domes and a salt shed
- 24,000 capacity citywide

Liquid De-Icer

- 34,800 capacity citywide

Salt Brine

- The Division now has the ability to manufacture salt brine,
- The Division has the capacity to store 5,800 gallons of salt brine at one time
- The Division has the capability to manufacture salt brine @ 5,000 gallons every 1-1.5 hours.

Snow Fleet

- Front Line Snow Fleet 63
- 1 – 2 ton dumps 10
- 4X4 pick ups 10
- Road Graders 14
- End Loaders 11 - 19

<u>Winter Readiness</u>
Snowfall Response Levels, (Normal-Emergency)

Normal Operations

- Snowfall < 2”
- No Ice conditions
- 48 hour forecast shows moderate temperatures and light snow

Main and Secondary Street Services:

- Drivers alerted 2 hours before snow is forecast to begin.
- Dispatched drivers will remain on routes until snow subsides and roads are in good condition. (Goal of 4 to 8 hours after snow ends).
- Park Maintenance services Stadium steps, bridges, and the bridge sidewalks on East 9th and West 3rd prior to Browns games.
- Clear all lift bridges and walkways on downtown bridges

Residential Street Services:

- Minimum Residential Service
- Spot salting around schools, hills and dangerous curves.

Category 1

Conditions and Operations

- Snowfall > 2”
- Ice conditions existing
- 48 hour forecast shows temperatures remain below freezing

Main and Secondary Street Services:

- Drivers dispatched 2 hours before snow is forecast to begin.
- Drivers remain on routes until snow subsides and roads are in good condition (Goal 8 to 12 hours after snow ends).
- Park Maintenance services Stadium steps, bridges, and the bridge sidewalks on East 9th and West 3rd prior to Browns games as required.
- Clear all lift bridges and walkways on downtown bridges

Residential Street Services

- Full Residential Service
- Systematic plowing and salting as required on all residential streets until roads are clear (Goal of 24 to 36 hours after main streets are clear)

Communications and Possible Actions

- Notifications: Director, Chief Operating Officer, Mayor's Office of Communications, Director of Public Safety, CPD, ODOT (evening rush hour only).
- Request Director of Public Safety to implement parking ban on posted streets.
- Activate downtown evacuation plan as required with CPD and ODOT.

Category 2 (Emergency)

Conditions and Operations

- Snowfall > 4"
- Ice Conditions
- 48 hour forecast shows temperatures remain below freezing.

Main and Secondary Street Services:

- Drivers dispatched 2 hours before snow is forecast to begin.
- Tandem plowing implemented based on current conditions and salt as required.
- Drivers remain on routes until snow subsides and roads are in good condition (Goal of 8 to 12 hours after snow ends).
- Park Maintenance services Stadium steps, bridges, and the bridge sidewalks on East 9th and West 3rd prior to Browns games.
- Clear all lift bridges and walkways on downtown bridges

Residential Street Service

- Full Residential Service
- Systematic plowing and salting as required, all residential streets until roads are clear (Goal of 36 to 48 hours after main streets are clear).

Communications and Possible Actions

- Notifications: Director, Chief Operating Officer, Mayor's Office of Communications, Director of Public Safety, CPD, ODOT (evening rush hour only).
- Request Director of Public Safety to implement parking ban on posted streets.
- Implementation of the Emergency Snow Routes (AM and PM Rush Hours) Police assistance in clearing priority routes