

Virginia Emergency Operations Center (VEOC)

Virginia Department of Emergency Management (VDEM)
Virginia Emergency Response Team (VERT)

2014-02-12&13 Winter Weather

Situation Report #8

1500 February 17, 2014

New information is in bold.

Summary: A winter storm brought over 20 inches of wet snow, sleet, and freezing rain throughout much of the Commonwealth. Governor McAuliffe declared a state of emergency on February 11; [Executive Order #7](#). Power outages during the event were minimal and were quickly restored. Hazardous driving conditions caused by the wintry precipitation, snow melt, and cold temperatures continue to improve.

The next situation report will be issued around **1500 Tuesday, February 18, 2014**.

Total local declarations (as of 1400): 19; 5 rescinded

Local IDAs submitted (as of 1400): 2

VDEM/VEOC

- Increased Readiness with VERT Section Chiefs monitoring the situation.

ESF # 1 Transportation

- Road closures
 - Secondary – 4
- Impacted road segments
 - Interstate – 2
 - Primary – **59**
 - Secondary – 2

ESF# 14 Recovery and Mitigation

- VDEM continues to gather snowfall totals to verify localities that matched or exceeded their snow storm of record. **Preliminary information, which must be verified, indicates several localities may have matched or exceeded their snow storm of record.**

Weather Forecast

- **Statewide**
Tuesday: Light rain will be possible into Tuesday morning across Eastern VA and far Southwest VA with a mix of light snow, light sleet and light freezing possible across Northwest, Northern, Central, and West Central VA with precipitation forecast to end between 9 am and 12 pm. There is potential for 1-2 inches snow and sleet with a trace to .05 of an inch ice across Northwest VA and Northern VA; 1 inch or less snow and sleet and no ice across areas of Central VA north of Richmond; half-an-inch or less snow and sleet with a trace to .05 of an inch ice across West Central VA. High temperatures low 50s to low 60s, low temperatures low to upper 30s with winds 5-10 mph and gusts between 15 and 20 mph.

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