

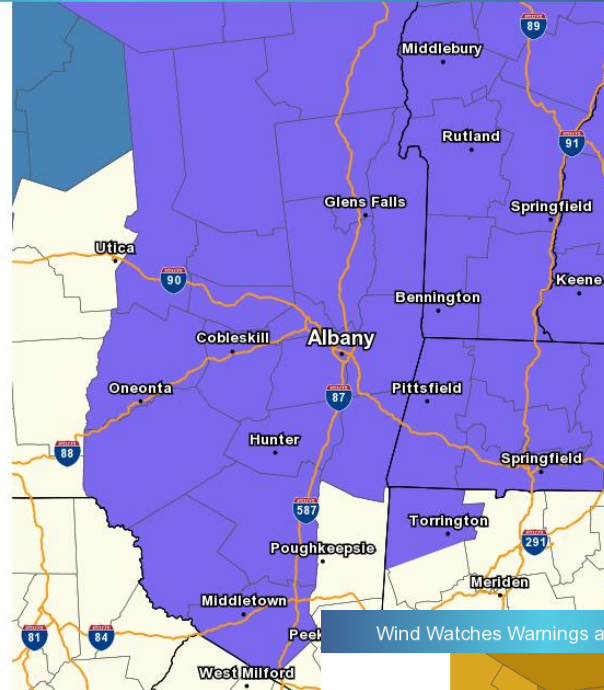
Wintry Mix & Strong Winds

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Winter Watches Warnings and Advisories

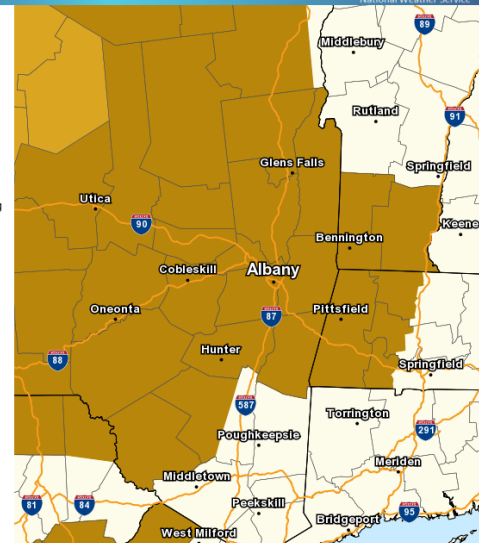
■ Winter Weather Advisory
■ Winter Storm Watch



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Wind Watches Warnings and Advisories

■ High Wind Warning
■ High Wind Watch





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What Has Changed?

- ✓ High Wind Watch expanded across more of the region
- ✓ Winter Weather Advisory issued for tonight for much of the region

Main Points

Hazard	Impacts	Location	Timing
Wintry Mix of Snow, Sleet and Freezing Rain 	A light mix of snow, sleet and freezing rain will make for slippery travel and hazardous walking conditions	Most of eastern New York and western New England	Tonight into Sunday Morning
Damaging Wind 	Winds may be strong enough to down large tree limbs and some trees, resulting in scattered to widespread power outages	Most of eastern New York and western New England	Sunday evening into Monday evening

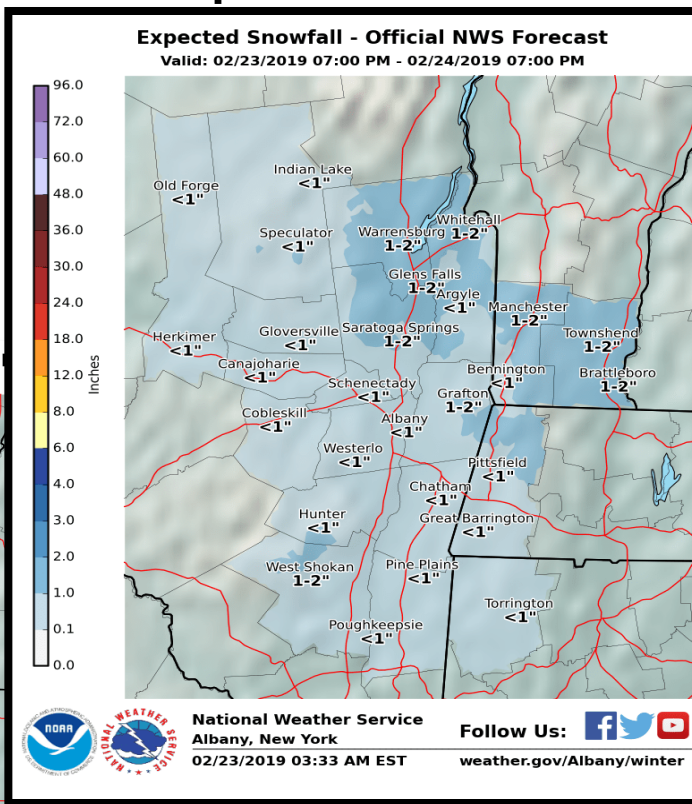
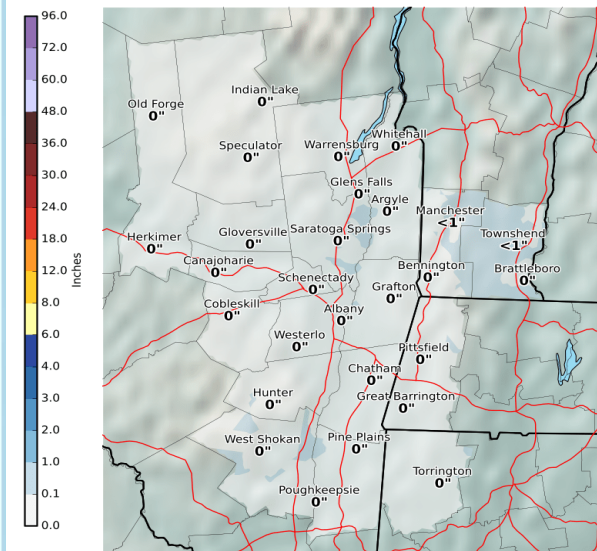
Probabilistic Snowfall Forecast

Expected Snowfall

Low End Amount

Low End Amount - 9 in 10 Chance (90%) Of Higher Snowfall

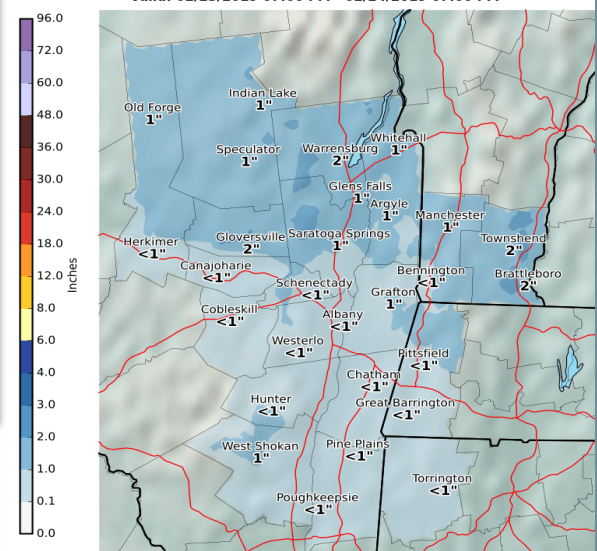
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High End Amount

High End Amount - 1 in 10 Chance (10%) Of Higher Snowfall

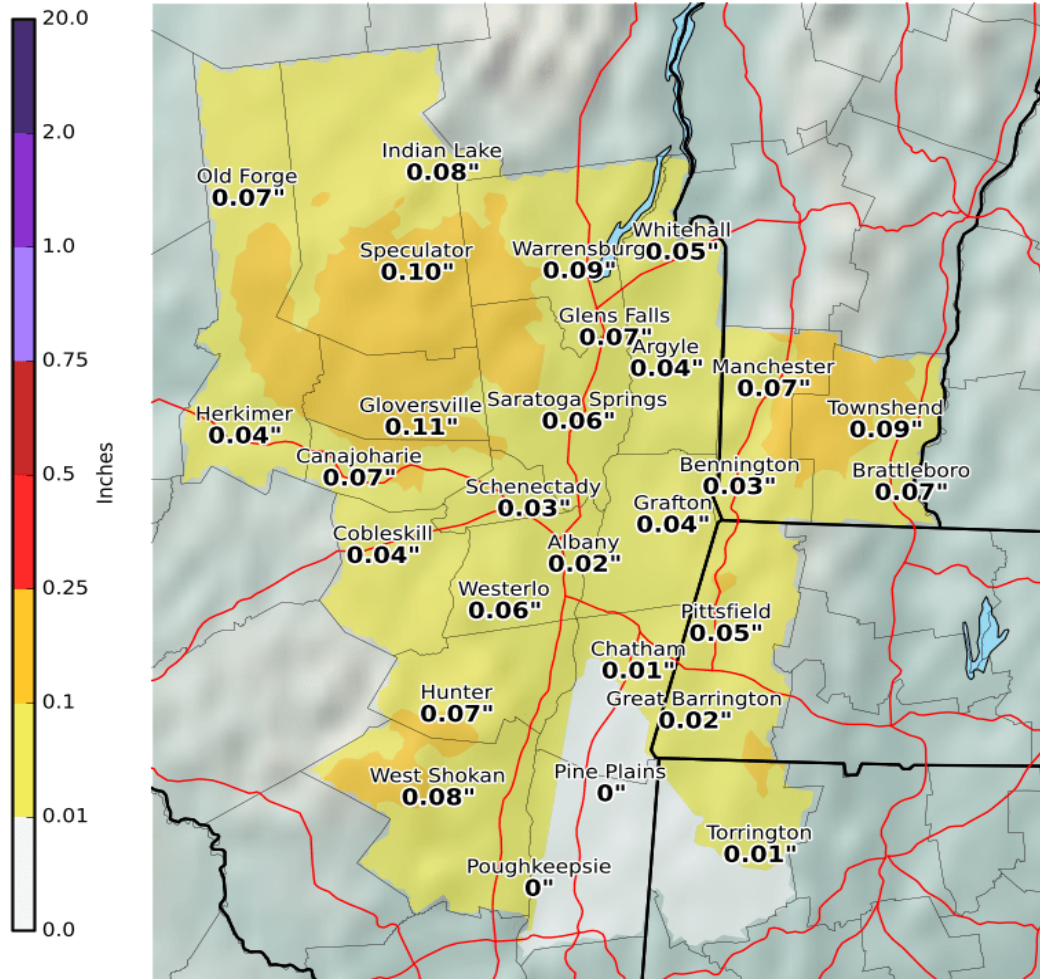
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Expected Ice Accumulation- Official NWS Forecast

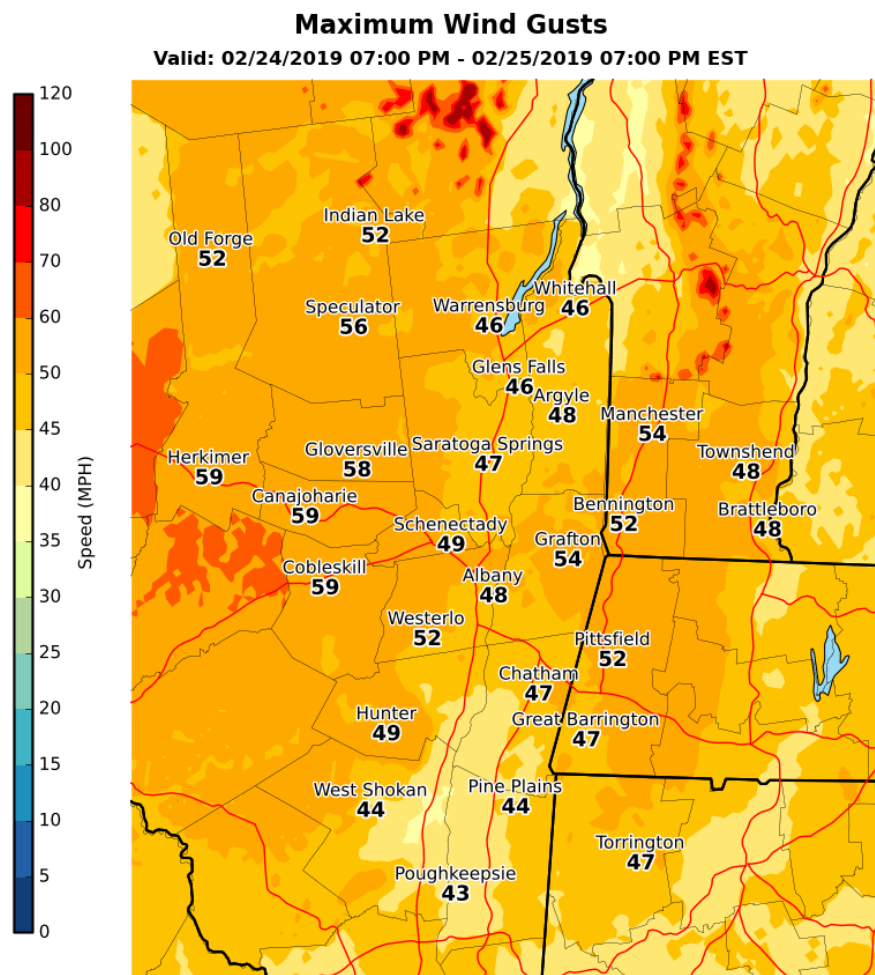
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Impacts and Timing:

- ✓ Precipitation will initially begin as snow or sleet late in the evening and change to freezing rain and then plain rain by later in the night.
- ✓ Ice accretion of up to one tenth of an inch may result in hazardous travel and slippery walking conditions.

****Preliminary Strongest Wind Gust Forecast****



Impacts and Timing:

- ✓ Strong to damaging westerly winds will develop Sunday evening and last into Monday evening. Wind gusts up to 60 mph will be possible.
- ✓ The strong winds may down large tree limbs and some trees, resulting in scattered to widespread power outages.



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Event Summary

**Wintry Mix tonight into Sunday morning, then strong to damaging winds
Sunday evening through Monday evening....**

- ✓ Confidence is **MODERATE** that this event will occur and **MODERATE** on expected impacts
- ✓ Period of greatest impact: Tonight for wintry mixed precipitation and Sunday evening into Monday evening for strong winds.

Winter Weather Advisory (9 PM this evening through 7 AM Sunday): All of eastern New York except for Dutchess County and all of western New England except for southern Litchfield County, CT.



Wintry mix will develop late this evening and transition over to plain rain by morning Sunday. Up to an inch of snow/sleet & a glaze of ice will make for slippery travel and hazardous walking conditions.

High Wind Watch (Sunday Evening through Monday Evening): western Adirondacks, Mohawk Valley, Schoharie Valley, Helderbergs, eastern Catskills, Hudson River Valley, Taconics, Berkshires & southern Vermont.

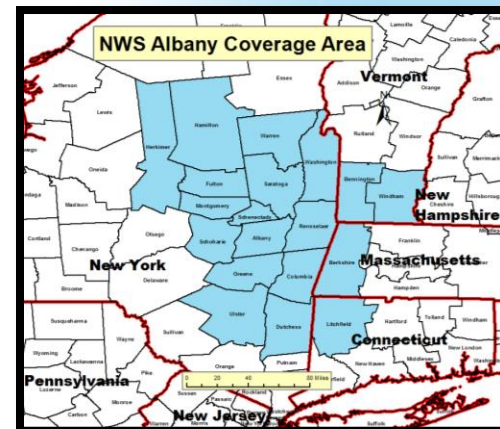


Strong to damaging westerly winds of up to 60 mph may result in downed trees & scattered to widespread power outages, especially for areas west of the Hudson Valley.

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