





# Winter Weather Expected Tuesday **Snow Squalls Wednesday** Frigid Temperatures Wednesday night into Thursday

### **Decision Support Briefing #2** As of: 500 PM **December 16, 2019**

#### What Has Changed?

- Snow amounts have increased slightly.
- Ice amounts have increased slightly (southern areas).
- Winter Weather Advisory end times have been adjusted slightly - now in effect until 10 PM Tuesday.







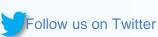




### **Main Points**

Hazard	Impacts	Location	Timing
Wintry Mix of Snow, Sleet, Freezing Rain	Snow this evening will change over to a wintry mix around daybreak Tuesday. Wintry mix changes back over to snow Tuesday evening before ending. Storm total snow accumulation of 3 to 6 inches, with up to two tenths of an inch of ice. Hazardous travel is expected for both morning and evening commutes Tuesday.	Eastern Catskills, mid- Hudson Valley, southern Taconics, southern Berkshires and Litchfield, CT.	10 PM Tonight through 10 PM Tuesday
Snow	Snow begins before daybreak Tuesday and ends Tuesday evening. Storm total snow accumulation of 3 to 6 inches. Hazardous travel is expected for	Northern Berkshires, Litchfield Hills, Mohawk and Schoharie Valleys, Helderbergs, Lake	1 AM Tuesday through 10 PM Tuesday







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commutes Tuesday.



George/Saratoga region, and Capital District

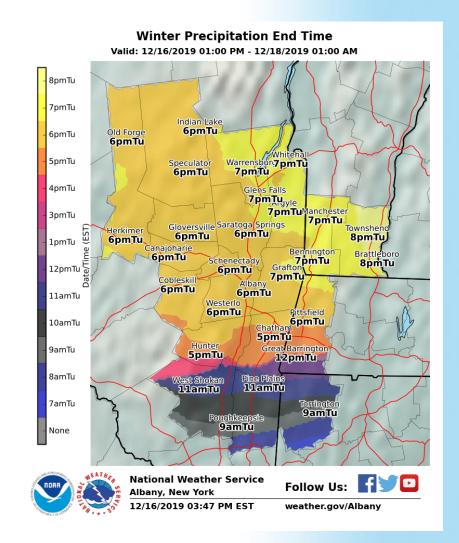






# **Approximate Snow Starting & Ending Times**

#### **Winter Precipitation Onset Time** Valid: 12/16/2019 01:00 PM - 12/18/2019 01:00 AM 10amTu 9amTu Indian Lake 8amTu 8amTu Old Forge 9amTu Warrensbur 8am Tu 7amTu 7amTu 7amTu 6amTu Glens Falls 7amTu, 7amTuMancheste 5amTu 7amTu Gloversville Saratoga Springs 6amTu 6amTu 6amTu 6amTu 4amTu Brattleboro 5amTu 6amTu Schenectady 6amTu 3amTu 5amTu 6amTu Cobleskill 4amTu 5amTu 2amTu Westerlo 3amTu 3amTu 1amTu 2amTu Hunter **Great Barrington** 12amTu 2amTu 2amTu 11pmMo Pine Plains Vest Shokan **1amTu** 2amTu 10pmMo 2amTu Povohkeepsie 12amTu None **National Weather Service** Follow Us: Albany, New York 12/16/2019 03:47 PM EST





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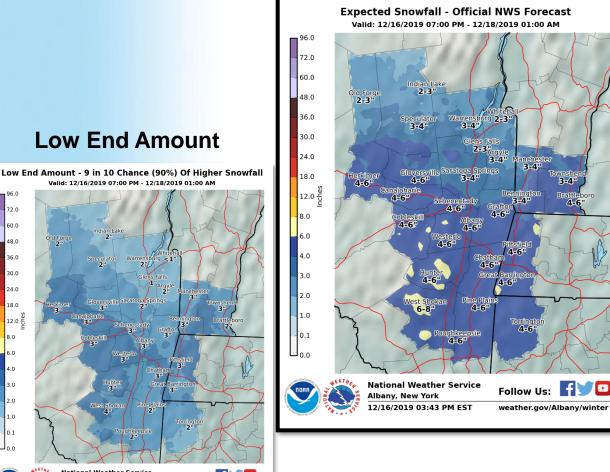




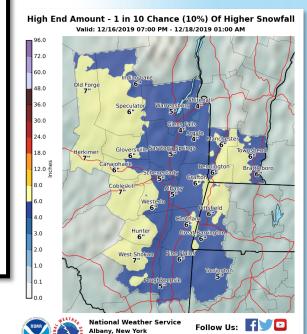


### Probabilistic Snowfall Forecast

#### **Expected Snowfall**



#### **High End Amount**



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**Low End Amount** 

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72.0

60.0

48.0 36.0 30.0 24.0

18.0 12.0



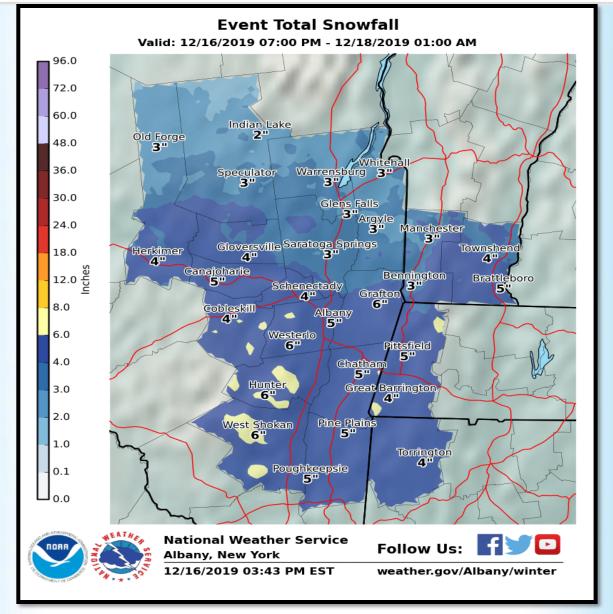






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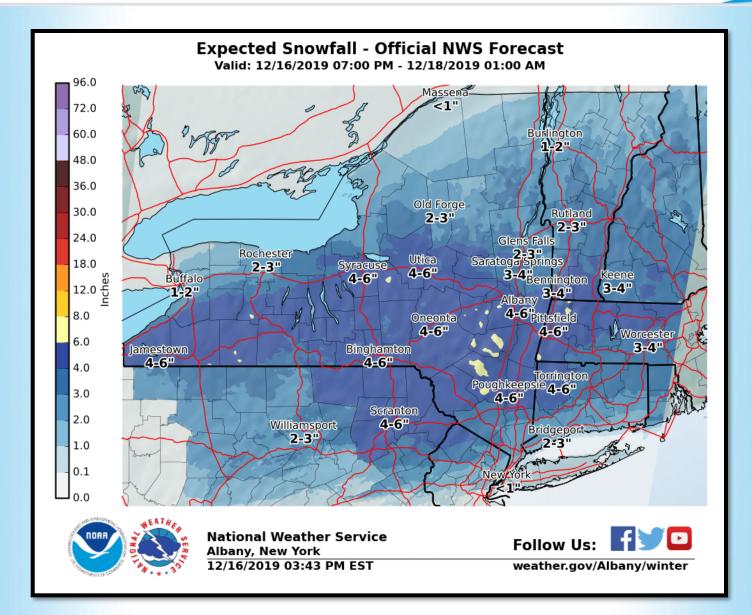








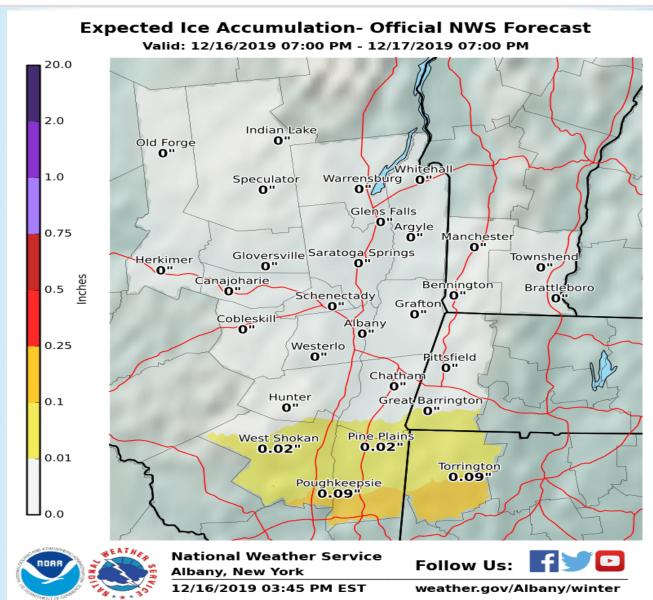










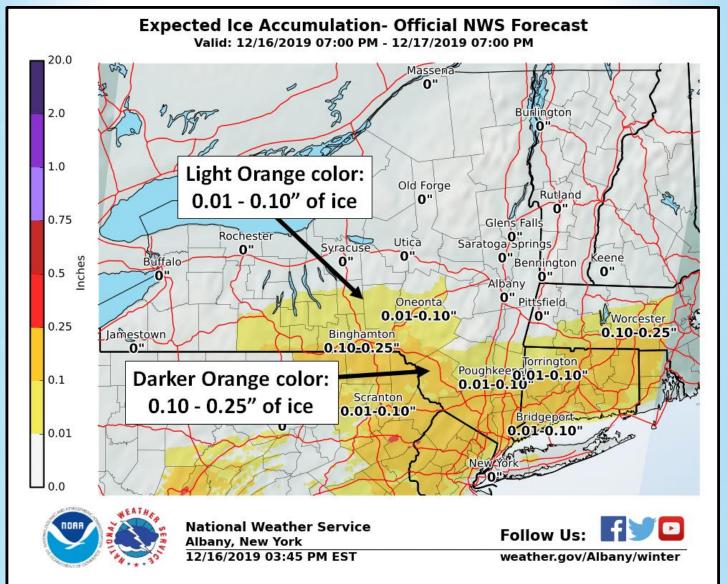


















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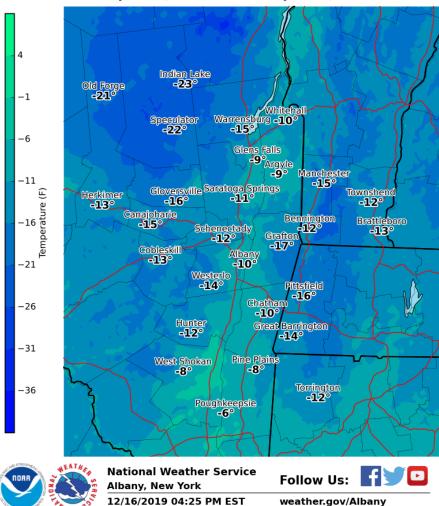




# Coldest Wind Chills Wed Night/Thu morning

#### **Coldest Wind Chill**

Valid: Wednesday Dec 18, 2019 7 PM - Thursday Dec 19, 2019 7 AM EST









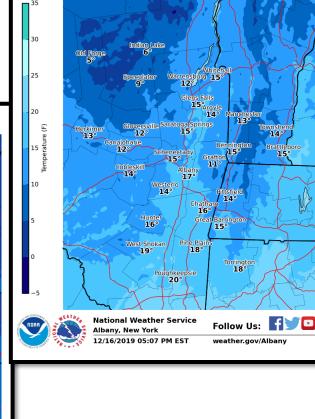




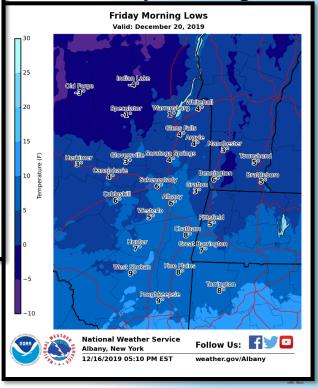
### **Temperature Forecast**

**Thursday Afternoon** 

**Thursday Afternoon High** Valid: December 19, 2019



#### **Friday Morning**



**Thursday Morning** 

**Thursday Morning Lows** 

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# **Event Summary**

Winter Weather Advisories remain in effect for the entire forecast area except the southern Adirondacks and northern Washington/Warren counties for tonight through Tuesday evening...

- Confidence is HIGH that this winter weather event will occur and MODERATE on expected impacts
- Period of greatest impact: Late Tonight through Tuesday evening
- Hazardous Travel Expected during the morning and evening commutes Tuesday



Total snow accumulations of 3 to 6 inches, with up to two tenths of an inch of ice possible for the eastern Catskills, mid-Hudson Valley, southern Taconics, southern Berkshires and Litchfield, CT.



Total snow accumulations of 3 to 6 inches for the Northern Berkshires, Litchfield Hills, Mohawk and Schoharie Valleys, Helderbergs, Lake George/Saratoga region, and the Capital District.

**Snow Squalls possible Wednesday followed by frigid temperatures Wed Night into Thursday** 













# **Contact and Next Briefing Information**

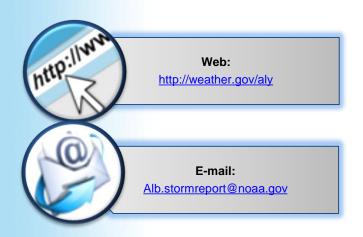


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