Icy Roads Possible



OVERVIEW:

 Areas of black ice overnight as leftover road moisture from light rain Thursday combines with temperatures falling below freezing overnight into Friday morning.

TIMING

 After midnight thru 9 AM Friday morning across most of Massachusetts, Rhode Island & Connecticut, excluding Cape Cod & the Islands.

HAZARDS & IMPACTS

Areas of black ice will result in slippery travel especially on secondary roads, bridges and overpasses.

NWS ALERTS

A Special Weather Statement has been issued to increase public awareness regarding icy roads overnight into the Friday morning commute.

FORECAST CHALLENGES

 How quickly temperatures fall below freezing and will subfreezing temperatures make it to the south coast of MA & RI.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

■ Emergency Managers - please forward this message to DOT and DPW.

POST-EVENT OUTLOOK Temperatures are expected to rise above freezing by 9 or 10 am Friday. Therefore ending the threat of black ice.

Morning Lows Friday
Valid: January 15, 2021

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