

Significant Winter Storm on Sunday

National Weather Service

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What Has Changed?


- ✓ Winter Storm Warning for the South Coast and into SE MA
- ✓ Winter Storm Watch for much of the rest of southern New England
- ✓ Winter Weather Advisory for SW CT away from the coast

Current Winter Weather Hazards





Main Points

Hazard	Impacts	Location	Timing
Heavy Snow 	<p>Significant snow accumulations of 6+ inches, along with high snowfall rates, resulting in hazardous travel</p>	<p>A significant part of southern New England will be impacted for travel</p> <p>Wet snow may bring the risk for some power outages in RI and southeast MA</p>	<p>Beginning Sunday morning and ends Sunday evening</p>

Summary of Potentially Greatest Impacts



Heavy Snow: Potential for 6"+ across parts of the region

None

Limited

Elevated

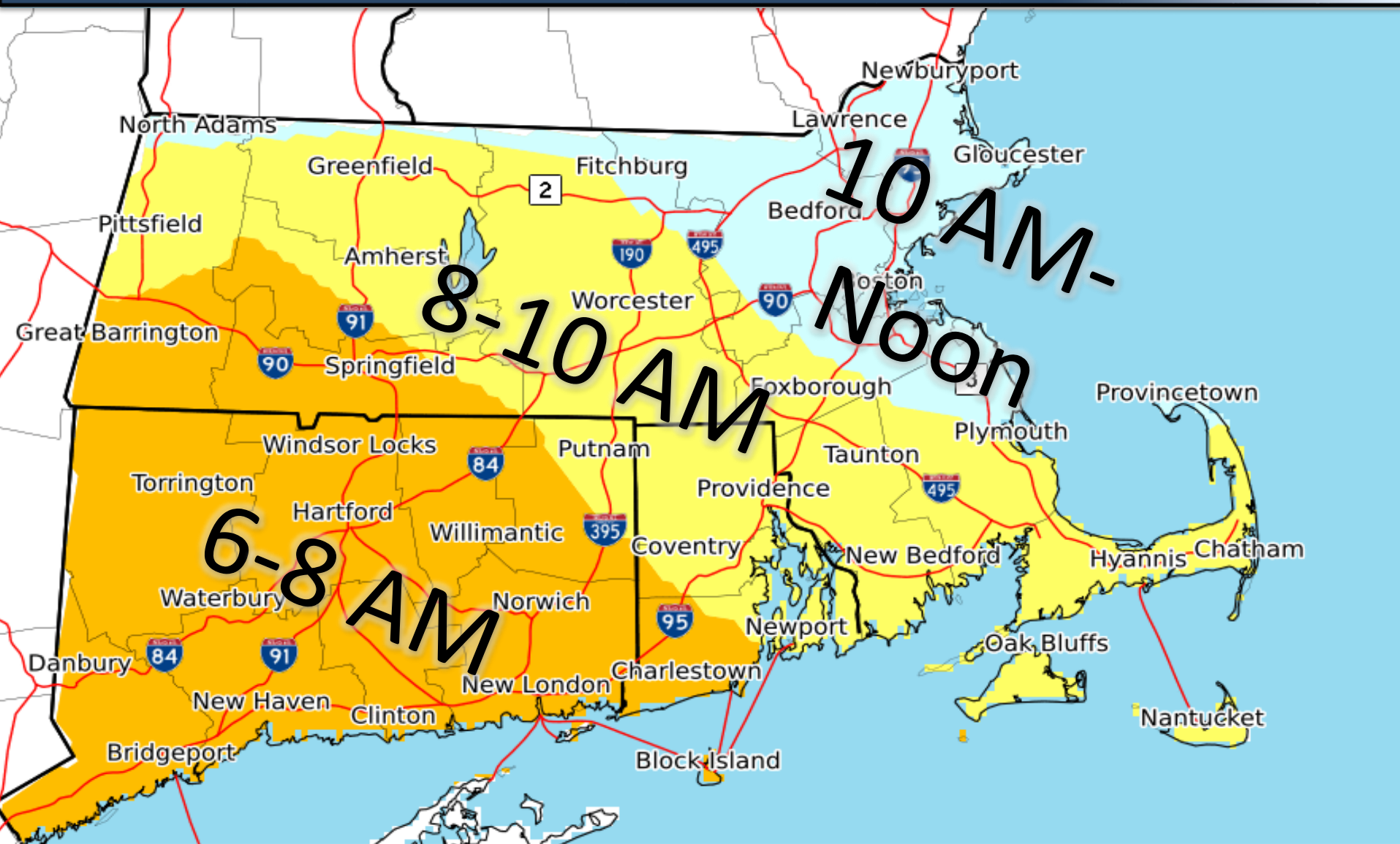
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Extreme





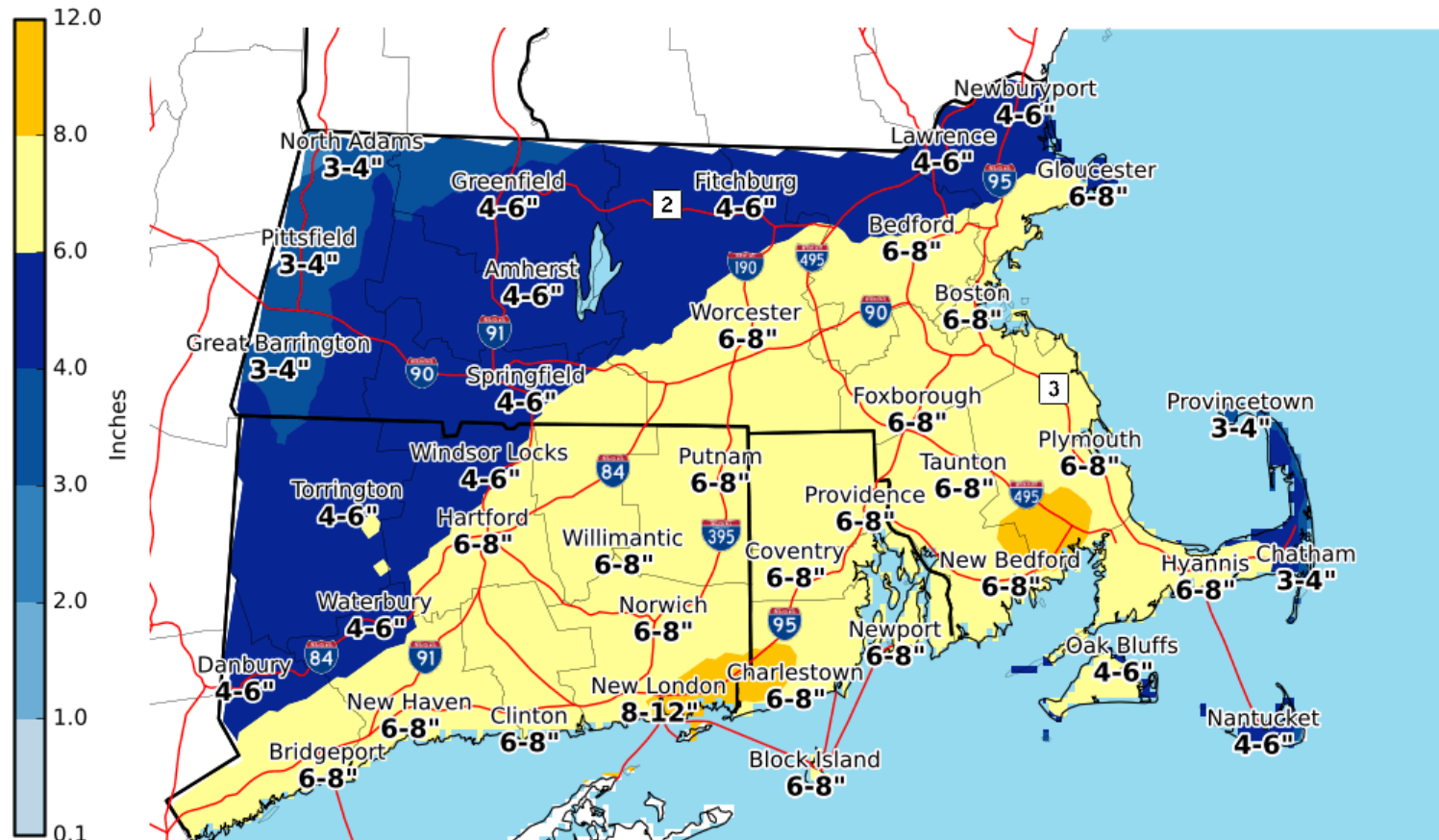
Snowfall Onset Time on Sunday



Forecast Storm Total Snowfall

Expected Snowfall - Official NWS Forecast

Valid: Sunday

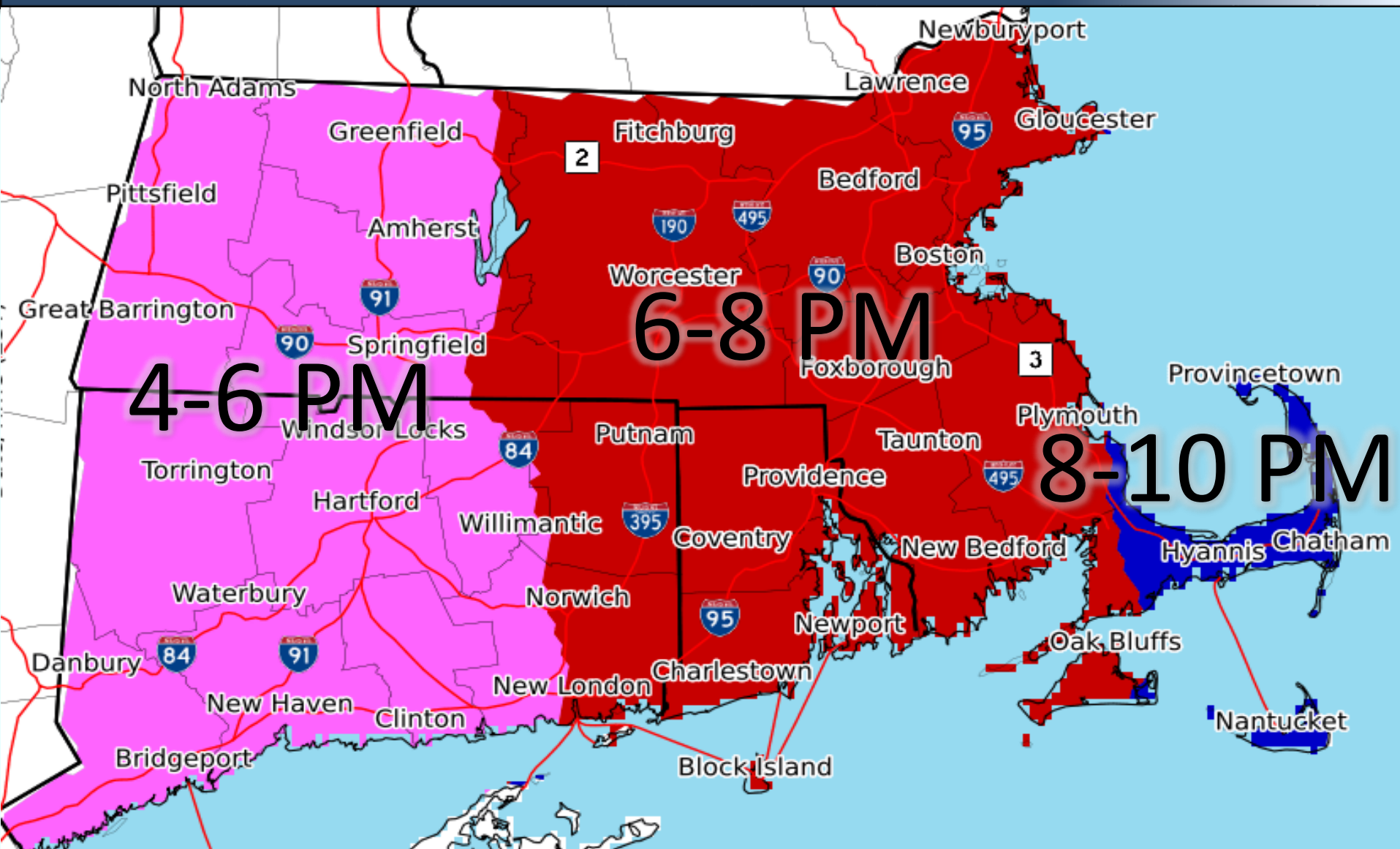


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End Time of Snowfall on Sunday

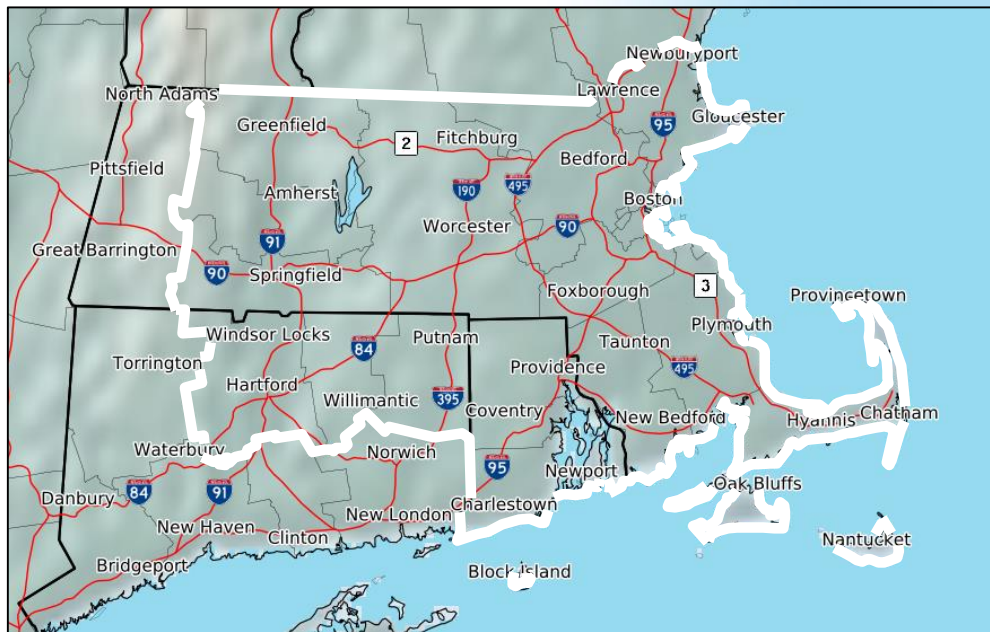


Threat Event Summary

- ✓ **Confidence**: Confidence highest where the Winter Storm Warning has been issued. Uncertain on the northwest extent of heaviest snow, but confident in a plowable snow across most of southern New England
- ✓ **What:**
 Significant snow across much of southern New England
- ✓ **Where**: Plowable snow anticipated across most of southern New England. There is a risk for some power outages across southeast MA and RI due to heavy wet snow
- ✓ **When**: Sunday

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