



Situation Report

Wisconsin Emergency Operations Center

Department of Military Affairs ■ 2400 Wright Street ■ Madison WI 53704

DATE: December 20, 2012

TO: Governor Scott Walker

FROM: Patrick O'Connor, SEOC Manager

SUBJECT: **Situation Report #1 on Severe Weather
Operation Snow White**

The State of Wisconsin Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) elevated to Level 3 on December 19, 2012 at 8:00 pm. Staff from WEM, Wisconsin National Guard, State Patrol, Department of Transportation, Department of Natural Resources, and representatives from the Governor's Office began the initial operations.

Wednesday, December 19, 2012, Governor Walker had declared a state of emergency and activated the Wisconsin National Guard. The National Guard pre-staged ten Winter Support Force Packages and opened designated armories for warming and shelter operations.

The Wisconsin State Patrol extended the afternoon shift of some troopers and other troopers will come in early for the day shift in the districts affected by the storm.

The Department of Natural Resources has 14 wardens on standby to support the state patrol and assist with any potential rescue operations.

Wisconsin Emergency Management is providing continuous information on the storm through its website and Twitter/Facebook dispatches.

As of 2:45 am.