



# Traffic Alert

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### **Motorists advised to monitor weather for changing road conditions**

*511 Traveler Information System will provide up-to-date information on road conditions*

Travelers and motor carriers should continue to closely monitor local weather and road conditions as heavy snow and blizzard-like conditions are expected to lead to difficult travel conditions in many parts of Wisconsin this evening through Wednesday afternoon, according to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation.

Preparations are being made in anticipation of the need to possibly restrict access to portions of interstate highways in the southern part of the state, should conditions deteriorate.

Travel is not recommended in southern and southeastern – roughly south and east of a line from Prairie du Chien to Manitowoc, Wisconsin – Tuesday night into Wednesday until the storm passes and conditions improve. Oversize/overweight permits in that region are suspended from 5 p.m. Tuesday through noon on Thursday. Motor carriers may check the DOT Web site for further information.

County highway and municipal crews are working out strategies to manage snow removal during and after the storm. In some cases, snow removal crews may be taken off the road if conditions deteriorate to the point drivers can't see where they're going.

The State Traffic Operations Center and Wisconsin State Patrol will be monitoring conditions on the state's highways and will be updating road conditions on the state's 511 Traveler Information System as often as necessary to ensure travelers have the best information available as the conditions change. Motorists can dial 511 or go to [www.511wi.gov](http://www.511wi.gov) to get the latest information on road conditions on main routes across Wisconsin.

If you are involved in a crash, run off the road, or become stranded, call 911.

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