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## City Prepares for Freezing Rain and Slick Roads

Harrisonburg, Va. – The city of Harrisonburg is prepared for the winter weather that is expected to arrive late tonight.

City crews will begin monitoring roads, bridges, and some sidewalks around 11:00 p.m. tonight and will work through the remainder of the storm. The roads, especially bridges and steep hills, will be treated as needed.

“Anytime a storm brings the combination of freezing rain and freezing temperatures, it can be more difficult to treat and manage,” explained Assistant Director Tom Hartman, Public Works.

Motorists are encouraged to be mindful of the wet roads and freezing temperatures, which can create black ice and slippery roadways.

Additional information on the city’s response plan to snow and ice, can be found at [www.HarrisonburgVA.gov/snow-plow](http://www.HarrisonburgVA.gov/snow-plow). Updates regarding the current road conditions and any city-related closings is always available online at [www.HarrisonburgVA.gov](http://www.HarrisonburgVA.gov) or through the city’s [social media channels](#).

*The City of Harrisonburg is centrally located in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. It is home to almost 55,000 people. More information about the City of Harrisonburg is online at [www.HarrisonburgVA.gov](http://www.HarrisonburgVA.gov).*



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