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January 25 - 26 Winter Weather

Situational Awareness Briefing

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Key Points:

- Very cold air will remain in place through Monday night.
- Snow will end by afternoon today.
- Dangerously cold wind chills are expected through Monday morning.
- Significant impacts on transportation continue as roads remain slick, especially where untreated.



Timing/Location:

- Snow will continue this morning and early afternoon, mainly along and west of the Pecos River before dissipating late today.



Forecast Confidence:

- **High** confidence on temperatures.



Winter Storm Warning



Through 12 PM Sunday CST

Use Caution if Driving

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**Southeast New Mexico and
most of West Texas**



Storm totals of 1-3 inches of snow for Permian Basin/Trans Pecos & 3-6 inches across Guadalupe Mtns and SE NM.

IMPACTS:



**SLIPPERY -
HAZARDOUS TRAVEL**



**REDUCED
VISIBILITIES**



**DIFFICULT DRIVING
CONDITIONS**

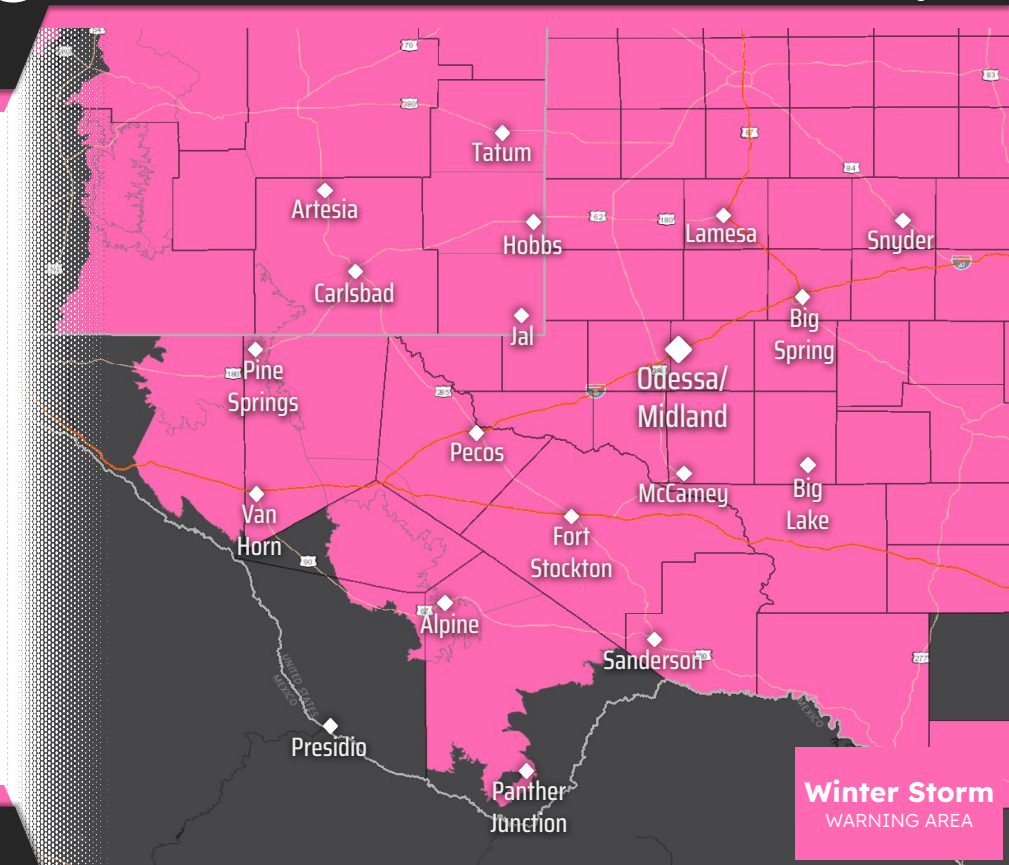
What to Do:



Roads may become impassable - travel is discouraged



Stay at home if possible



**Winter Storm
WARNING AREA**



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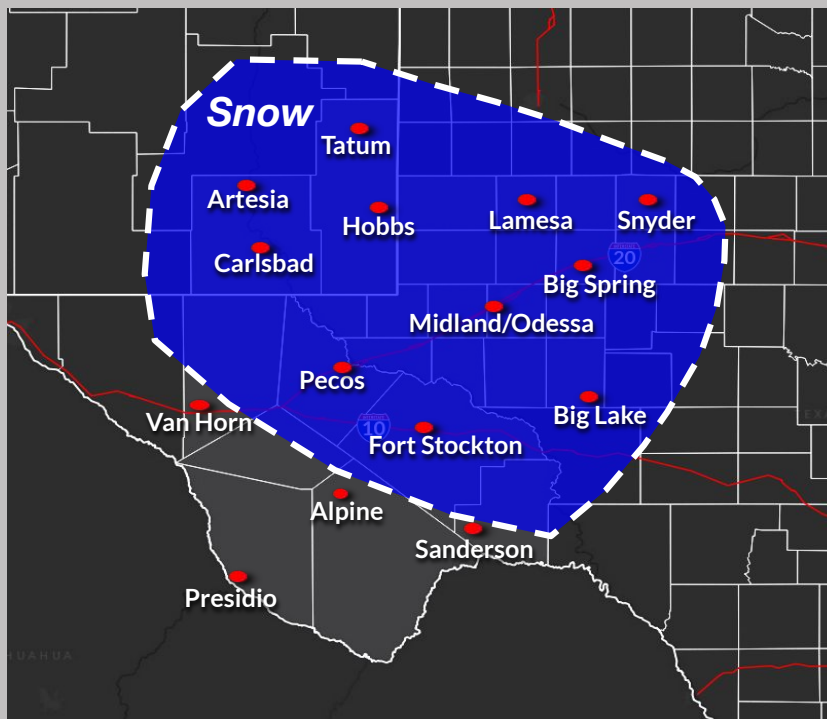
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What to Expect Today

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This Morning - Early Afternoon



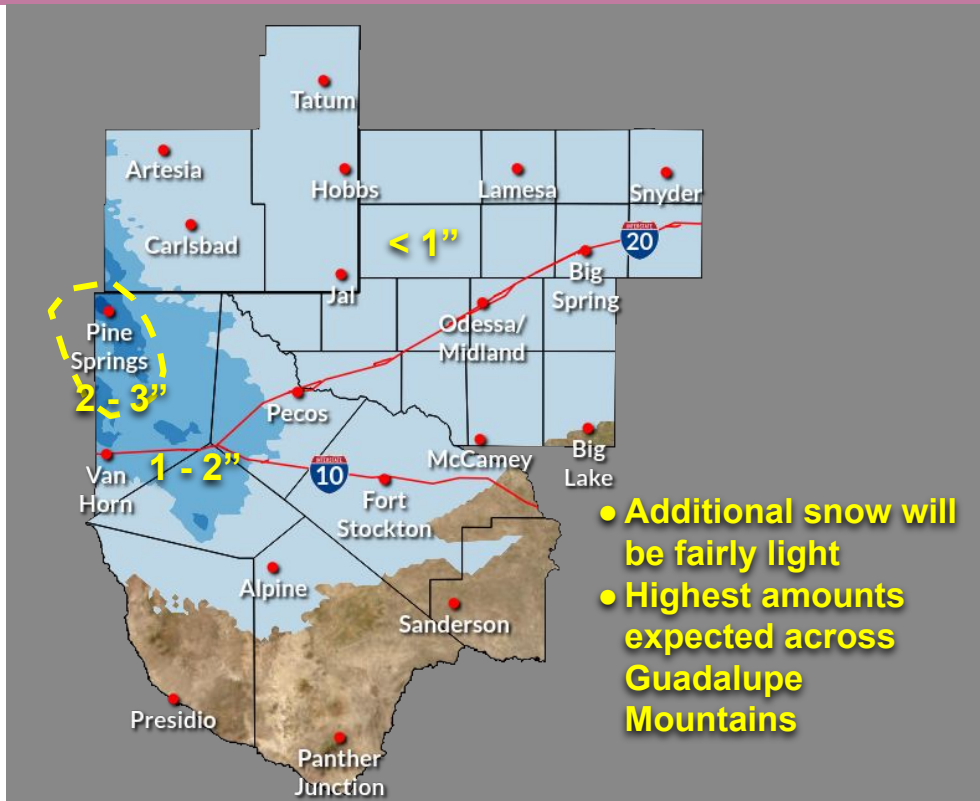
Light precipitation to continue into the early afternoon. Additional snow totals generally less than 3 inches, especially outside of the higher terrain..



Additional Winter Accumulations Forecast

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Snow Amounts through Afternoon



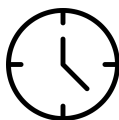
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Hazardous Cold

West Texas and Southeastern New Mexico

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Until 12 PM CST Monday



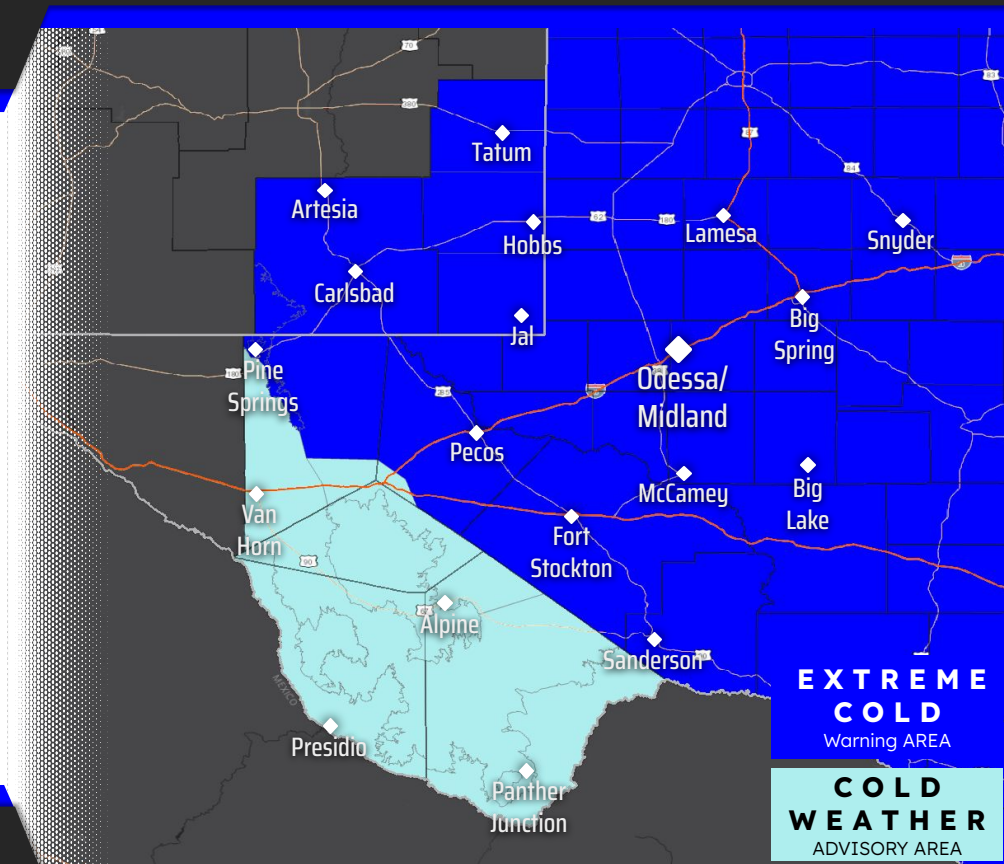
→ **Extreme Cold Warning:** Wind chills as low as 5-10° below

→ **Cold Weather Advisory:** Wind chills as low as 0-10° above

Protect:



People - Pets - Plants - Pipes



**EXTREME
COLD**
Warning AREA

**COLD
WEATHER**
ADVISORY AREA



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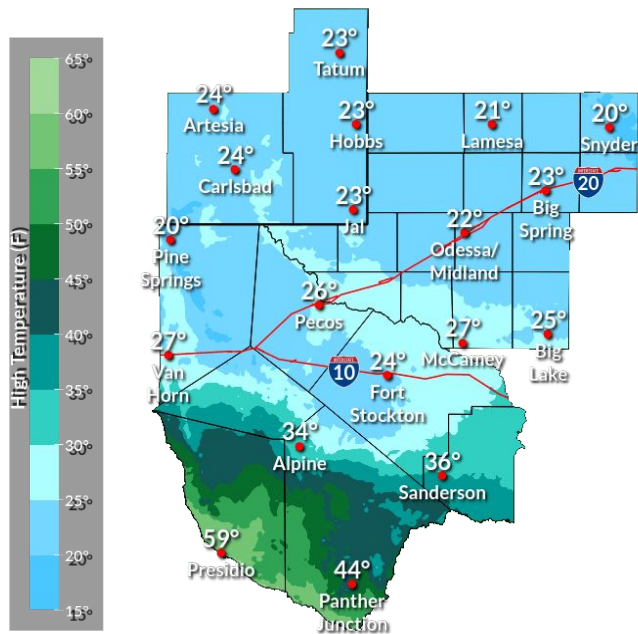
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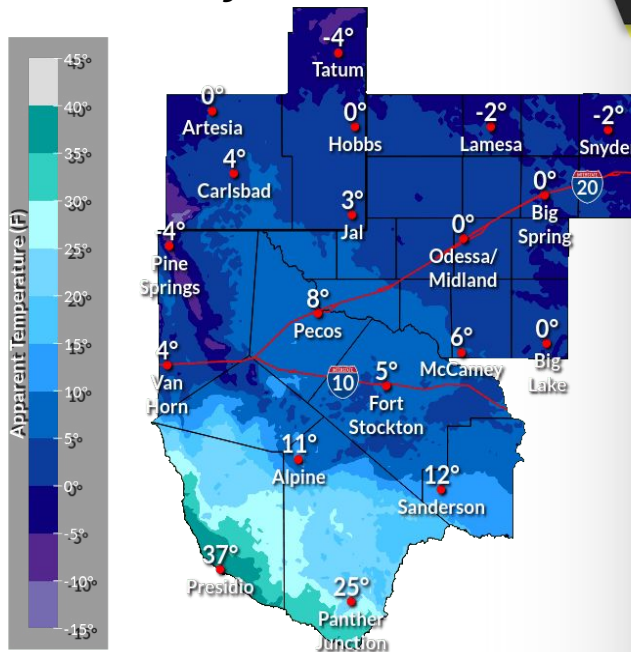
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This Afternoon Temps and Wind Chills

Sunday PM Temps



Sunday PM Wind Chill



Key Points

- Very cold temperatures continue this afternoon with many locations remaining below freezing once again.
- Wind chills will remain in the single digits to below zero for many locations Sunday.
- Little to no melting expected with snow ending by afternoon



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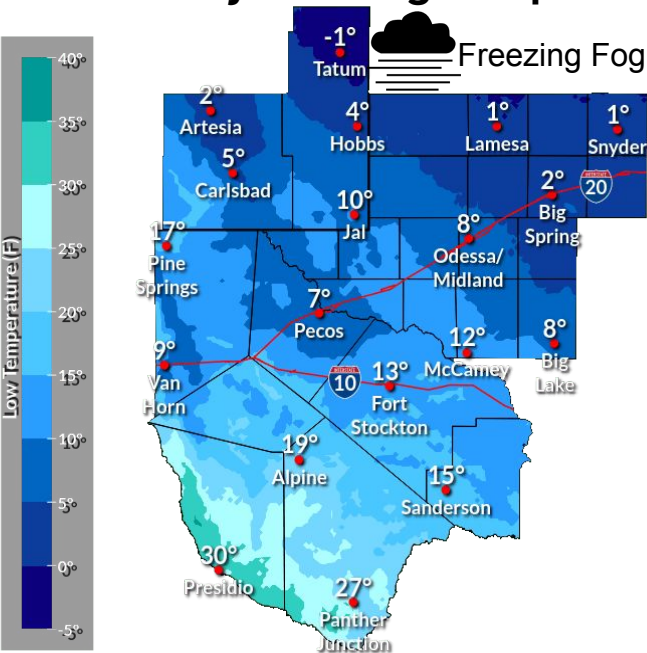
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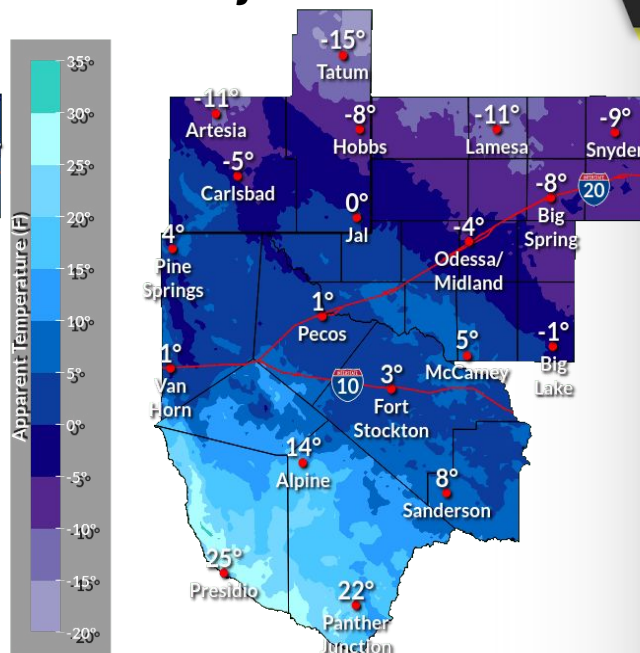
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Monday Morning Temps and Wind Chills

Monday Morning Temps



Monday AM Wind Chill



Key Points

- Record cold temperatures Monday morning, with lows ranging from the single digits to teens for most.
- Freezing Fog could cause more slick spots and lower visibility
- Once again, any melting that occurs during the day will refreeze during the night.
- Dangerously low wind chills expected for many Monday morning.



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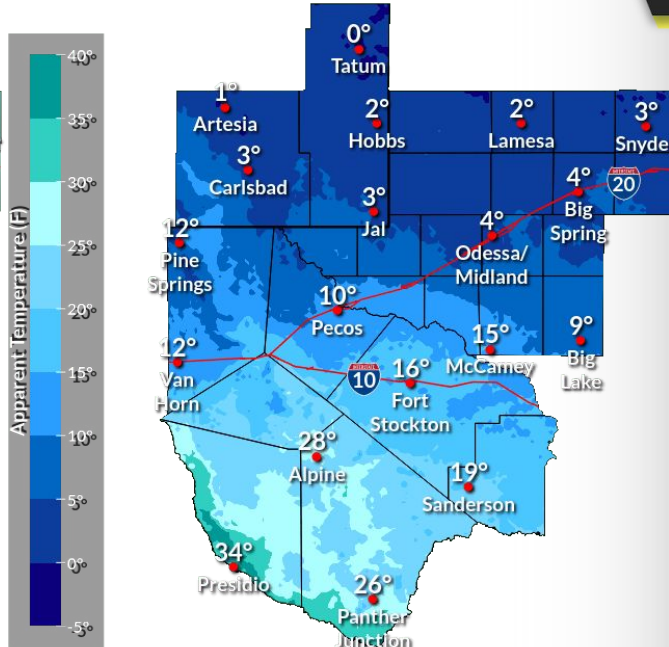
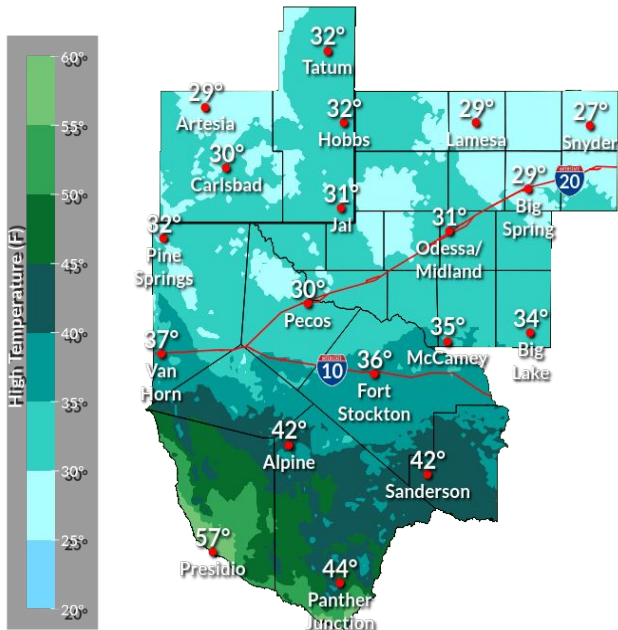
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Monday PM Temps

Monday PM Wind Chill

Key Points

- Temperatures are forecast to remain below freezing on Monday.
- Wind chills remain dangerously cold over many locations north of I-10, with values in the single digits to near zero in some spots.
- Temperatures finally look to get above freezing on Tuesday.



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Winter Travel



Road Trip Safety Tips

SHARE YOUR TRAVEL PLANS
WITH FRIENDS OR FAMILY

PACK AN EMERGENCY
SUPPLY KIT

WINTERIZE YOUR VEHICLE

CHECK ROAD CONDITIONS

GET THE WEATHER FORECAST



Frostbite & Hypothermia: Know Your Actions



If someone might have frostbite or hypothermia,
seek medical attention immediately!



**Get to a
warm area**



**Remove
wet clothing**



**Warm up with
dry layers**
of blankets
or clothing



Place skin affected
by **frostbite** in
warm water
(NOT hot)



Frostbite Caution: Do not use fireplaces or
artificial heat sources for warming. Do not
rub or put pressure on areas with frostbite.



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