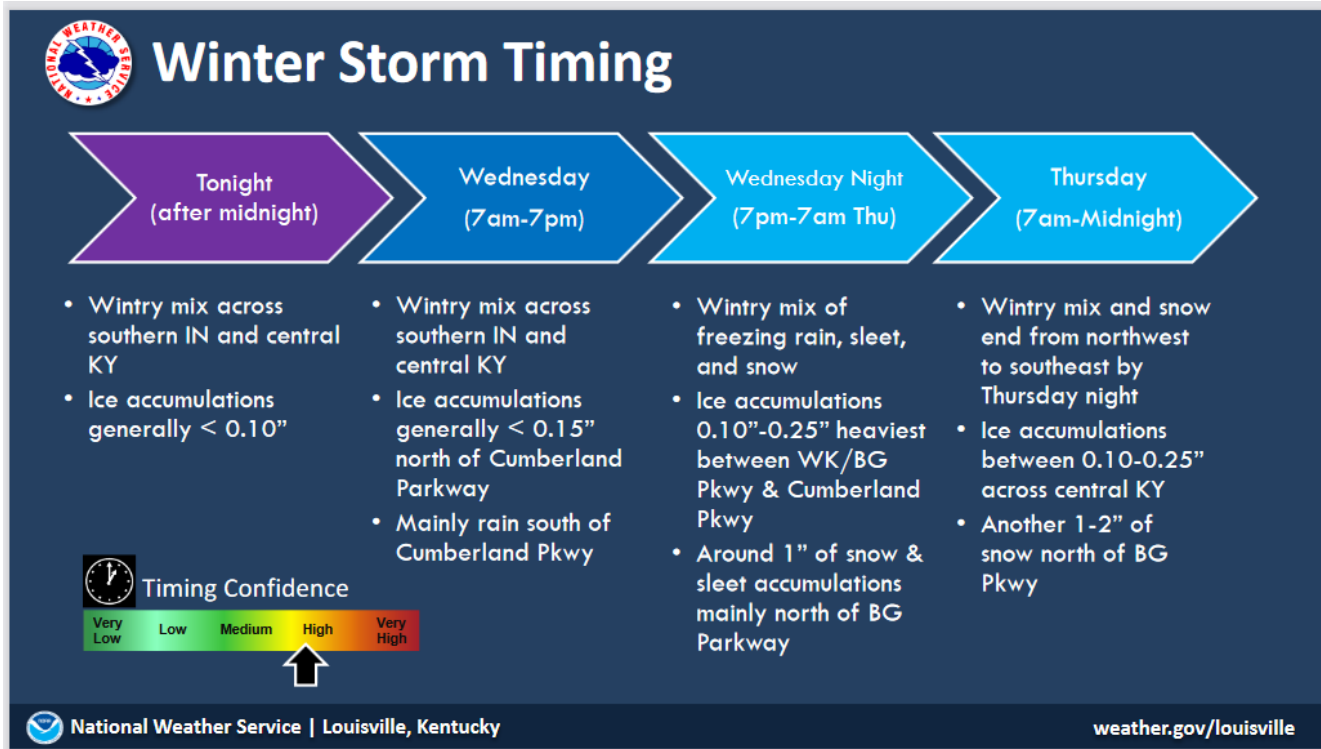


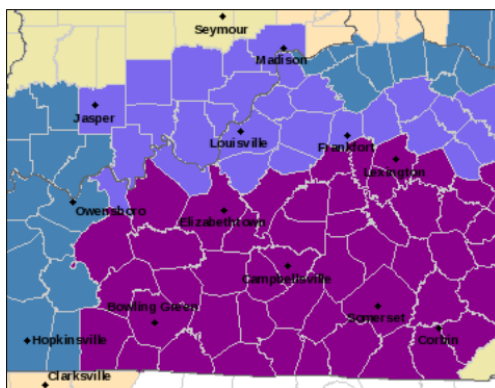


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Winter Storm Watch from Late Tonight through Thursday Evening



(NWS Louisville) A significant wintry precipitation event is expected to start late tonight and continue through the day on Thursday. At this time, significant and dangerous ice accumulations are expected across the southern half of Kentucky, mainly south of the Western Kentucky and Bluegrass Parkways. To the north of the Parkways, a mixture of mainly sleet and snow are expected, though some icing will

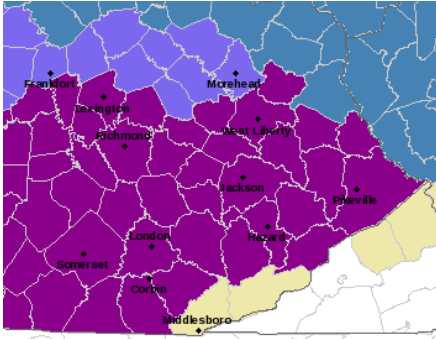


be possible. There still remains a bit of uncertainty on the northward extent of the most significant icing. Changes to the current warning and advisory structure may be required in future forecast updates.

ICE STORM WARNING IN EFFECT FROM 1 AM EST /MIDNIGHT CST/WEDNESDAY TO 7 PM EST/6 PM CST/THURSDAY for much of central and southern Kentucky. Significant icing expected. Total snow accumulations of up to one inch and ice accumulations of two tenths to one half to three quarters of an inch. Isolated higher icing amounts are possible. The heaviest icing is expected to fall south of the Western Kentucky and Bluegrass Parkways. Significant

power outages and tree damage are expected due to the ice. Travel could be nearly impossible. The hazardous conditions could impact the morning or evening commute. Travel is strongly discouraged.

CHECK THE LINKS BELOW FOR THE LATEST FROM YOUR NWS OFFICE, AND THE WATCHES, WARNINGS AND ADVISORIES FOR YOUR STATE.



(NWS Jackson) <https://www.weather.gov/jkl/> ICE STORM WARNING IN EFFECT FROM 1 AM THURSDAY TO 7 AM EST FRIDAY. Significant icing expected. Total ice accumulations of up to one half of an inch. Locally higher amounts of ice accumulation possible. Power outages and tree damage are likely due to the ice. Travel could be nearly impossible.

(NWS Paducah) <https://www.weather.gov/pah/>

(NWS Wilmington) <https://www.weather.gov/iln/>

Watches, Warnings or Advisories for KY:

<https://alerts.weather.gov/cap/ky.php?x=1>

Watches, Warnings or Advisories for IL:

<https://alerts.weather.gov/cap/il.php?x=1>

Watches, Warnings or Advisories for IN: <https://alerts.weather.gov/cap/in.php?x=1>

Watches, Warnings or Advisories for OH: <https://alerts.weather.gov/cap/oh.php?x=1>

Watches, Warnings or Advisories for TN: <https://alerts.weather.gov/cap/tn.php?x=1>

Watches, Warnings or Advisories for WV: <https://alerts.weather.gov/cap/wv.php?x=1>

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