



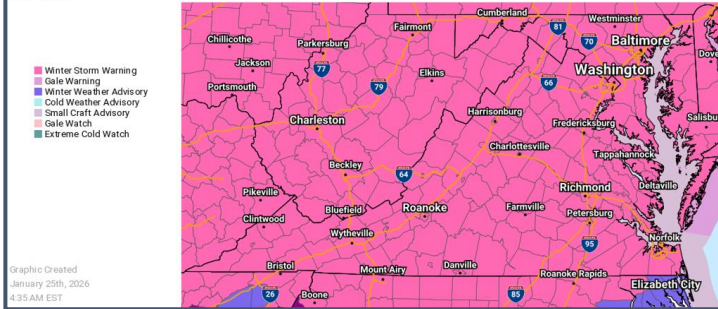
# Daily Weather Briefing

January 25, 2026  
6:00 AM

Prepared by National Weather Service Wakefield, VA

## Headlines / Hazards

### Current Watches, Warnings, and Advisories



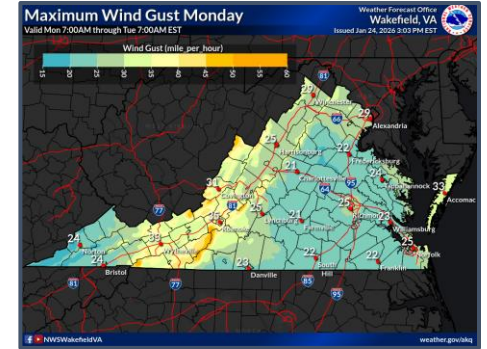
### Watches and Warnings:

**Winter Storm Warnings are in effect for the entire state until tomorrow evening.**

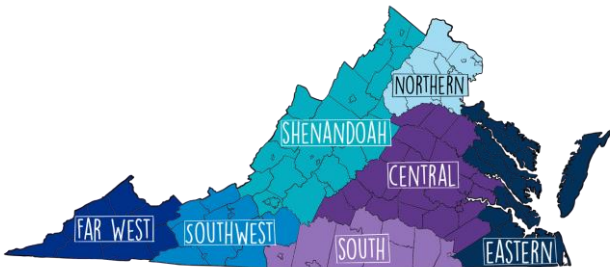
## Additional Ice Today



## Tomorrow's Wind Gusts



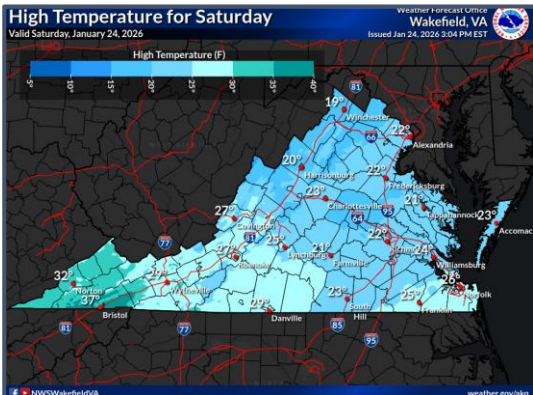
## Today's Regional Weather



**Northern:** Snow/sleet. Highs: mid 20s, Lows: teens.  
**Shenandoah:** Wintry mix. Highs: low 20s, Lows: teens.  
**Southern:** Wintry mix. Highs: mid 20s, Lows: low 20s.  
**Southwest:** Wintry mix. Highs: mid to upper 20s, Lows: teens.  
**Far West:** Rain/freezing rain. Highs: 30s, Lows: teens.  
**Eastern:** Freezing rain/rain. Highs: 40s, Lows: 30s.

**Outlook:** The winter storm continues today, bringing everything from rain to freezing rain and sleet, snow, and a mix thereof. Road conditions will continue to deteriorate throughout the day. Everything refreezes tonight with lows well below freezing, so icy spots are expected even for those who see just rain in SE VA. The storm wraps up for everyone tomorrow morning, then winds pick up during the day. The wind gusts with weight of ice could cause additional power outages.

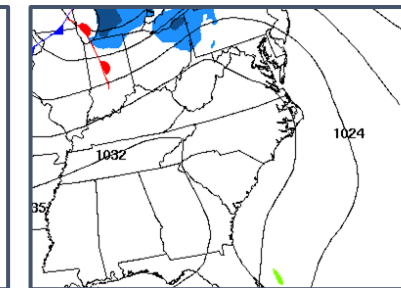
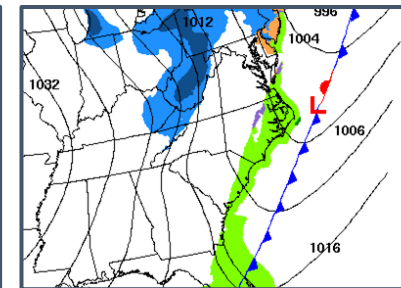
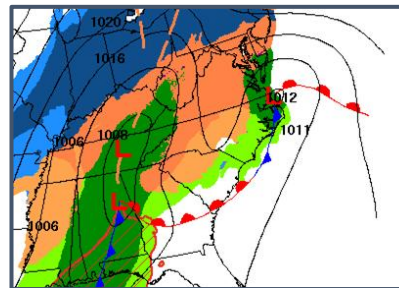
## Today's Highs



## Snow Forecast For the Next 3 Days



## Fronts & Precipitation



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## Significant Activity by Lifeline

### Public Safety and Government

Incident #	CIR	Description	Status	Location
7196	1.4.A, 1.4.H, 1.5.H	Change in Local EOC status Local Emergency Declaration Notification of Winter Weather Event	Open	Various Localities
7205	1.4.C	VEST Activation Level Change	Open	Virginia
7252	1.4.M	State level declaration of a State of Emergency in any state adjacent to Virginia including Washington DC	Open	West Virginia

### Utility Infrastructure

Incident #	CIR	Description	Status	Location
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### Transportation

Incident #	CIR	Description	Status	Location
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### Health and Medical

Incident #	CIR	Description	Status	Location
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### Human and Animal Support

Incident #	CIR	Description	Status	Location
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### Hazardous Materials

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### Communications

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## Commonwealth Summary

### VEOC Status: **Full Activation**

#### Important Information:

- Effective November 13, 2025, the VDEM Situational Awareness Unit (SAU) transitioned to a new 24-hour phone number: **804-750-8845**, replacing the previous number (804-674-2400), the 1-800 line, and TDD line. Please update your contact lists and share this change widely within your organization and networks to ensure continued seamless communication.

#### Ongoing Significant Incidents:

- Winter storm expected to impact the Commonwealth through tomorrow morning

#### VEST Operational/Planning Posture:

- Core Team B is on call, prepared to support VDEM Regions and State Agencies as needed.
- Effective 0900, January 24, 2026, the VEST transitioned to Red: Full Activation in preparation for the incoming winter weather moving into the Commonwealth. The VEST will continue to coordinate with local and state agency partners to prepare for and respond to the potential impacts.

#### Regional Activity:

- Regions 1-6: Nothing significant to report
- Region 7: The Regional Coordination Center is activated to Orange: Partial Activation with ESF support. Staff have been coordinating closely with local, state, and regional partners through multiple channels, including Regional Partner Calls and Region 2, 3, and 7 weather briefings. Preparations for activation are complete, and one Request for Assistance has already been processed for a local jurisdiction. No needs at this time.

### EOC Status

EOC Status	Response Teams Status
FEMA R3 <b>Monitoring</b>	VANG 34 CST <b>Available</b>
FEMA R4 <b>Enhanced Watch</b>	VANG 34 CERFP <b>Available</b>
DC <b>Enhanced Watch</b>	REG. HAZMAT TEAMS <b>Available</b>
MD <b>Full Activation</b>	REG. TECH RESCUE TEAMS <b>Available</b>
NC <b>Full Activation</b>	INCIDENT MGMT TEAMS <b>Available</b>
TN <b>State of Emergency</b>	COMMS CACHE <b>Available</b>
KY <b>Partial Activation</b>	
WV <b>Partial Activation</b>	

### EOC Communications

EOC Communications	Status
PHONES	<b>Active</b>
STARS	<b>Active</b>
COMLINC	<b>Active</b>
WEBEOC	<b>Active</b>
EOC HVAC	<b>Active</b>

### Major Upcoming Events

Date	Event	Location
2/1	International Festival	Loudoun Co
2/1	Snowball Festival	Chesterfield Co
2/6-2/7	Special Olympics Polar Plunge	City of Virginia Beach
2/6-2/8	Chocolate Lovers Festival	City of Fairfax
2/24	George Washington Birthday Parade	City of Alexandria

### VDEM Incident Activity - Last 24 Hours

Incident #	Description/Comments/Disposition	Status	Location

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