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TRAVEL ADVISORY

HAZARDOUS ROAD CONDITIONS

County Executive Joanie Mahoney has issued an Onondaga County Travel Advisory for Tuesday February 16th effective immediately and extending until 6am Wednesday February 17th.

This travel advisory does not restrict travel. It is a warning to motorists that hazardous driving conditions may exist. A combination of rain, snow, and ice has created hazardous travel conditions throughout the county. As rain transitions to snow, roads will become hazardous and the potential for localized flooding exists.

There are reported areas of standing water in roadways due to blocked drains. Temperatures remaining around freezing will continue to hamper travel conditions through the evening commute.

Please monitor local forecasts and conditions as the impact varies depending on location.

Please pay attention for future notices in case the situation worsens.

Precautionary/preparedness actions

The continued precipitation will create severe winter weather conditions and increase the chances of pooling water on roadways.

For the safety of all residents, the general public is encouraged to consider the need to be on the roads during the above time frame and to use extreme caution while traveling in or around Onondaga County. If you must travel, allow additional time to reach your destination. Travel at reduced speeds to allow for increased reaction time.