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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Henderson County Ice Storm Warning

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Hendersonville, NC – January 23, 2026

An Ice Storm Warning is in effect from **1:00 PM Saturday, January 24, through 1:00 PM Monday, January 26**.

A significant winter storm is expected to impact the area with **heavy icing, accumulating sleet, and snow**. Forecast impacts include:

- **Ice accumulations:** 0.5 to 1 inch
- **Snow and sleet accumulations:** up to 2 inches
- **Wind gusts:** up to 30 mph

These conditions may result in **dangerous or impassable travel, downed trees and power lines, and widespread power outages**.

Governor Stein has declared a State of Emergency.

Residents are urged to **prepare now and limit travel** if possible.

Henderson County is actively planning for potential **emergency shelter needs**. Updates, preparedness actions, and verified information will be shared as they become available at: <https://www.hendersoncountync.gov/em/page/henderson-county-emergency-updates>

Please continue to monitor official updates and take precautions to stay safe.

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