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Greetings Mayor and Council

Besides tomorrow being New Year's Eve, it is going to be a very busy day. The weather forecast for Saturday is calling for wet snow and rain at higher elevations for the first part of the day, before the rain turns to snow in the late afternoon, when the snow level drops to sea-level. We are expecting anywhere from 2 to 5cm of snow tomorrow.

The snow is expected to stop around midnight, just in time to countdown in the new year. Contrary to some rumors, we have plenty of salt supplies.

The EOC will be up and running for NYE celebrations. I'll send you any reports of issues that come up. The Engineering DOC will be activated tomorrow pulling double duty - coordinating the garbage collection and the snow fight.

Sanitation will have 10 Salters on tonight, with the ability to ramp up when required. Streets will have 27 Salter /Plows starting at 7am tomorrow to deal with arterial roads, bridges, collector streets, emergency access routes and bike ways.

We will also have 2 Hand Salting Crews starting at 7am to deal with any 311 calls we receive. Sanitation will have additional staff starting at 7pm tomorrow.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Best

Sadhu

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Bell network.