

**Snow and Ice Response Plan****OVERVIEW**

The goal of this plan is for academic and administrative functions of the University to proceed with minimal disruption, and for members of the community to enjoy safe access to public buildings and events. This document describes the coordinated support various campus departments will provide when hazardous conditions due to inclement winter weather exist. Several campus, city, county, state, and local agencies cooperate in the snow and ice abatement effort to enable timely utilization of a variety of resources to address hazardous conditions that impact roadways, building entrances, walkways, and parking lots. Responsibility for specific areas is apportioned among the following parties:

A. Facilities Management Department (FMD) will be responsible for managing snow and ice abatement on campus streets, public sidewalks, Education and General Purpose (E&G) building entrances and priority parking lots. FMD may attempt to hire on-call private contractors to assist with abatement operations, particularly in parking lots.

B. Auxiliary (AUX) enterprises such as the Arkansas Union, the Athletics department, UA Housing, Printing Services, and Scientific Supplies will be responsible for the alleviation of slick conditions at porches, patios, steps, etc.. of their facilities. Their responsibility will extend out to points of adjacent public sidewalks accessible to FMD's mechanized snow removal equipment.

C. The Transit and Parking Department (T&PD) will bear the financial cost of snow and ice abatement in UA parking lots. FMD will be responsible for actions to ensure reasonable availability of priority parking lots, priorities set by T&PD.

D. The Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) maintains Arkansas highway 112 where it crosses the campus. The Grounds Shop foreman will contact AHTD's local maintenance foreman as one of the initial notifications when the snow plan is activated, and as needed until AHTD's responsibilities have been met.

E. The City of Fayetteville Street Department maintains several streets that border the campus. The Grounds Shop foreman will contact the city street superintendent's office initially when the snow plan is activated, and as needed until their streets have been adequately addressed.

[Note: While each organization is free to use any methods or materials it deems appropriate, FMD stocks for sale in its warehouse effective, environmentally safe, and economical deicing chemicals, or can provide a pre-approved list of acceptable materials. Limestone grit (container not provided) for traction assistance is available for sale to AUX's for use around their facilities. Damage to concrete or other surfaces caused by the use of deicers will be the responsibility of the applying department, including cost of repair or replacement.]

The University's snow and ice response is set into motion by the University Police Department (UAPD). After normal work hours and based on hazardous road conditions, UAPD will telephone the FMD Grounds Shop Foreman by 1:45 a.m. Equipment operators, groundskeepers, and other appropriate staff will be notified and are expected to get to campus by 3:30 a.m. to begin the snow and ice abatement process on streets, sidewalks, and parking lots. FMD night shift custodians (if on duty) will start to clear the prioritized "snow entrances" at each E&G building while other shifts are expected to begin work by 5:00 a.m. The majority of E&G priority areas can, in the absence of heavy accumulations of snow or ice - or ongoing precipitation - be addressed before most routine campus activities begin.

If, at 4:30 a.m., the UAPD shift supervisor determines that conditions warrant the possible closure of the campus, UAPD Director, or alternate, will immediately initiate a telephone conference call. Participants in the conference call will include the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs or, in his absence, the Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration; Associate Vice Chancellor for Facilities, or alternate; Transit and Parking Director, or alternate; the University Relations Communications Director, or alternate; and the President of the Associated Student Government, or alternate.

Responsibility for effectively implementing this plan will lie with the FMD Associate Director of Facilities Operations and Maintenance, exercised through the Grounds Shop Foreman, who will utilize the supervisory skills of the Labor Shop Foreman and the Grounds Shop and the Labor Shop Assistant Foremen. The assistant foremen will be utilized as needed by the Grounds Shop Foreman to manage the FMD weather essential personnel and volunteers during all phases of snow and ice removal. Supervisors will also oversee the mixing and delivery of traction assistance and deicing materials and will monitor the disposition of equipment that may need repair. Radio communication will play an essential role in the timely assessment of progress and the deployment of resources.

To provide campus winter inclement weather support, all personnel employed in the FMD Grounds Shop, Labor Shop, Custodial Services, Central Utilities Plant, Zone Maintenance personnel, and other employees called in to handle special needs and/or emergencies are all considered "Weather Essential Personnel". When the University of Arkansas is officially closed for a day, or part thereof, Weather Essential Personnel are expected to be at their work stations at normal work hours, and at other times during the inclement winter weather period designated by their supervisors as needed to handle campus needs.

Employees working in inclement winter weather conditions will be provided needed equipment and supplies, and are required to report to work in proper winter clothing, including shoes/boots with adequate traction.

Priority service will be directed in support of emergency services such as the University Police Department and the Pat Walker Student Health Center; transit bus routes; other campus streets; sidewalks; parking lots; and E&G building entrances (especially handicapped access).

Priority streets, sidewalks, parking lots, and E&G building entrances as determined by appropriate areas of responsibility are as follows:

### **PRIORITY STREETS**

Leaving FMD North entrance:

1. W on Mitchell to Eastern
2. N on Eastern to NW of Printing Services/ University Warehouse Press (PRES)
3. E to Environmental Health & Safety Storage Building (EHSS) then S to Mitchell
4. E on Mitchell to Razorback
5. N on Razorback to SE of Administrative Services (ADSB)
6. W into Lot 47S (University Police Department (UAPD) lot)
7. N on Razorback to Maple
8. E on Maple to Garland
9. N on Garland to Cleveland
10. W on Cleveland to Razorback
11. S on Razorback to NW of Reid Hall (REID)
12. E then N through lot 41 to Cleveland
13. E on Cleveland to Lot 40 entrance
14. S then E then N through Lot 40 to Cleveland

15. E on Cleveland to Garland
16. S on Garland to Maple
17. E on Maple to Whitham
18. N on Whitham to Douglas
19. W on Douglas to Leverett
20. S on Leverett to Maple
21. E on Maple to Arkansas
22. S on Arkansas to Dickson
23. W on Dickson to Garland
24. N on Garland to Intermodal Transit Facility/Parking Deck (IMTF)
25. IMTF entrance and exit only
26. S on Garland to Dickson
27. E on Dickson to Arkansas
28. N on Arkansas to Maple
29. W on Maple to Garland
30. S on Garland to Dickson
31. E on Dickson to Ozark 3
32. S on Ozark to Fairview
33. E on Fairview to Harmon
34. N on Harmon to Dickson
35. S on Duncan to Williams
36. E on Williams to Lot 74
37. Circle Chiller Plant (CHIL), turn E on Williams
38. S on Duncan to Center
39. W on Center to Fairview
40. Circle McIlroy House (MCHS)
41. N on Ozark to Chemistry (CHEM)
42. S to Dickson, then W to Garland
43. N on Garland to Maple
44. W on Maple to Razorback
45. S on Razorback to Meadow
46. E on Meadow to Stadium
47. S on Stadium to California
48. W then S on California to Garland
49. S on Garland to Lot 56
50. N side of Lot 56 to Razorback
51. N on Razorback to Leroy Pond
52. E on Leroy Pond to California
53. N on Stadium to Maple
54. E on IMTF drive to Arkansas Union (ARKU)
55. W to Stadium then N to Maple
56. E on Maple to Garland
57. S on Garland to W of Humphreys Hall (HUMP)
58. W then S then W on Upper Service Drive to Stadium
59. N on Stadium to Meadow
60. W on Meadow to Health, Physics, Education and Recreation (HPER)
61. N on service alley W of HPER
62. Turn around at SW CHIL
63. Return to Meadow
64. W on Meadow to Razorback

## **PRIORITY SIDEWALKS**

The main campus sidewalks (i.e.: those moving the larger numbers of people across campus) will be cleared as soon as possible, with the smaller walks which lead to campus building priority entrances being cleared as a part of the process.

## **PRIORITY PARKING LOTS**

1. IMTF entrance and exit drives (596 spaces)
2. Lot 56 (1400 spaces)
3. Lot 44 (805 spaces)
4. Lot 71 (123 spaces)
5. Lots 31, 31N, 32, 35, 35N and 38 (216 total spaces)
6. Lot 40 (163 spaces)
7. Lot 47N (111 spaces)
8. Lot 57 and 57A (195 spaces)
9. Lot 73 (120 spaces)
10. Lot 25, 26 and Union (83 spaces)
11. Maple Street (south side parking)
12. Lots 7, 8, and 9 (83 spaces)
13. Lot 56B (169 spaces)
14. Lots 4 and 5 (60 spaces)
15. Lots 47S (57 spaces)
16. Lot 29 (47 spaces) 4

## **PRIORITY E&G BUILDING ENTRANCES**

Academic Support Building (ASUP)

1. Second floor, southwest entrance
2. First floor, north entrance

Administration Building (ADMN)

1. North entrance
2. South entrance
3. Basement level east entrance

Administrative Services Building (ADSB)

1. South side, east entrance
2. Northeast entrance
3. South side, west dock entrance

Agricultural Annex Building (AGRX)

1. South entrance
2. North entrance

Agriculture Building (AGRI)

1. West entrance
2. North side, center entrance
3. East entrance
4. South entrance

Alumni Building (ALUM)

1. West entrance
2. North entrance
3. South entrance
4. East entrance

Animal Food and Life Sciences Building (AFLS)

1. South side, center entrance
2. Northwest entrance
3. Southeast entrance
4. West side, dock entrance

Archeological Survey (ARAS)

1. East entrance
  2. North loading dock entrance
- Army ROTC Building (ARMY)
1. North entrance
  2. East entrance
  3. West entrance
- Bell Engineering (BELL)
1. Second floor, south entrance
  2. Third floor, north entrance
  3. First floor, south entrance
- Botany Greenhouse (BGHL)
1. West side, north entrance
  2. West side, south entrance
- Biomass Research Center (BIOR)
1. West side, north entrance
  2. West side, south entrance
- Center of Excellence for Poultry Science (POSC)
1. North entrance
  2. West entrance
  3. South entrance (dock)
- Central Chiller Plant (CHIL)
1. Northeast entrance
- Central Heating Plant (HEAT)
1. South entrance
  2. North entrance
- Chancellor's House (CHHS)
1. East entrance
- Chemistry Building (CHEM)
1. North entrance
  2. South entrance
  3. East entrance
  4. West entrance
- Chemistry/Biochemistry Building (CHBC)
1. Southwest entrance
  2. East entrance
- Clay Pottery Studio (CLAY)
1. West entrance
- Continuing Education Center (CTED)
1. East entrance
  2. South entrance
  3. West entrance
- Engineering Hall (ENGR)
1. South entrance
  2. North entrance
  3. Southwest entrance
  4. East entrance
  5. West entrance
- Engineering Research Center (ENRC)
1. West entrance (ADA)
  2. Southeast entrance
- Facilities Management Building (FAMA)
1. East entrance
  2. North side, east entrance
  3. North side, west entrance

Ferritor Hall (FERR)

1. West entrance
2. East entrance
3. West B1 entrance
4. East B1 entrance
5. South B2 entrance
6. North B2 entrance 6

Fine Arts Center (FNAR)

1. Southeast entrance
2. Southwest entrance
3. North entrance

Fulbright Institute of International Relations (FIIR)

1. North entrance
2. South entrance

Gibson Annex (GIBX)

1. South entrance
2. North entrance

Graduate Education Building (GRAD)

1. North entrance
2. First floor, southeast entrance
3. Second floor, southeast entrance

High Density Electronics (HDEC)

1. North entrance

Home Economics Building (HOEC)

1. Northeast entrance
2. Northwest entrance
3. South entrance
4. East entrance

Home Management House (HMGH)

1. West entrance
2. South entrance

Hotz Hall (HOTZ)

1. North entrance
2. South entrance

Health, Physics, Education, & Recreation building (HPER)

1. Second floor, north entrance
2. Third floor, east entrance
3. Second floor, pool entrance
4. First floor, west entrance

Infant Development Center (INDC)

1. North entrance
2. Southwest entrance

Innovation Center (INOV)

1. South entrance

J.B. Hunt (JBHT)

1. North Entrance off Dickson
2. Southeast Entrance off Harmon
3. South Entrance inside Quad

Kimpel Hall (KIMP)

1. Second floor, center entrance
2. East side, dock entrance
3. Second floor, north entrance
4. Second floor, southwest entrance
5. First floor, northwest entrance 7

KUAF

1. East entrance

Lewis E. Epley Band Building (BAND)

1. East entrance

Law Programs Center (LAWP)

1. South entrance

Maple Hill

1. East Entrance

2. West Entrance

McIlroy House (MCHS)

1. East entrance

2. West entrance

Mechanical Engineering (MEEG)

1. Second floor, north entrance

2. First floor, southeast entrance

3. Second floor, southwest entrance

Memorial Hall (MEMH)

1. First floor, north entrance

2. Second floor, west entrance

3. First floor, south entrance

4. First floor, southeast entrance

5. First floor, northeast entrance

Mullins Library (MULN)

1. West entrance

2. East entrance

Music Building (MUSC)

1. South entrance

2. West entrance

3. North entrance

National Center for Reliable Electricity (NCRE)

1. East entrance

Old Geology Building (GEOL)

1. East entrance

2. South entrance

Old Health Center (OLDH)

1. North entrance

2. South entrance

Old Main (MAIN)

1. North entrance

2. South entrance

3. Northwest entrance

4. Southwest entrance

5. Second floor, east entrance

6. Second floor, west entrance 8

Ozark Hall (OZAR)

1. West side, center entrance

2. North side, west entrance

3. North side, east entrance

4. East entrance

5. West side, south entrance

6. South entrance

Pat Walker Health Center (HLTH)

1. Northwest entrance
2. Southeast entrance
3. Northeast entrance
4. Southwest entrance

Peabody Hall (PEAH)

1. East entrance
2. South entrance

Physics Building (PHYS)

1. North entrance
2. East entrance

Plant Science Building (PTSC)

1. Northeast entrance
2. Southeast entrance

Poultry Science Center (POSC)

1. South entrance
2. Northeast entrance

Reynolds Center (RCEN)

1. Northwest entrance
2. West entrance

Rosen Alternative Pest Control Center (ROSE)

1. Northwest entrance
2. Southwest entrance

Science Building (SCIE)

1. First floor, east entrance
2. Second floor, east entrance

Science Engineering Auditorium (SEAU)

1. Southeast entrance
2. Northwest entrance

Science Engineering Building (SCEN)

1. Second floor, west entrance
2. First floor, west entrance
3. Second floor, east entrance

Silas H. Hunt Hall (HUNT)

1. North side, east entrance
2. East side, north entrance

Speech Clinic Building (SPCL)

1. Northwest entrance
2. Southwest entrance 9

Suzuki School of Music (SUZM)

1. North entrance

University House (UNHS)

1. Northwest entrance
2. Southwest entrance

University Museum (MUSE)

1. East entrance

Vol Walker Hall (WALK)

1. East entrance
2. West entrance

Willard J. Walker Hall (WJWH)

1. East Entrance
2. Quad Entrance

Walton College of Business (WCOB)

1. Third floor, west entrance
2. Second floor, east entrance
3. First floor, southeast entrance
4. Second floor, northwest entrance
5. Second floor, south side, center entrance
6. First floor, southwest entrance
7. East side, dock entrance

Waterman Hall (WATR)

1. Northwest entrance
2. Northeast entrance
3. South entrance
4. East entrance

West Avenue Annex (WAAX)

1. South entrance
2. West entrance

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