

## **NOTICE OF PROPOSED GUIDANCE DOCUMENT**

Facebook post 2019-02-25 hazardous driving conditions

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 227.112, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation is hereby seeking comment on Facebook post 2019-02-25 hazardous driving conditions, [Wis. Stat. Ch. 346, 347], a proposed guidance document.

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION**

Comments may be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for 21 days by:

1. Department's website: <https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wi/dot/guidance-docs?guidDocId=OPA314>

2. Mailing written comments to:  
Office of Public Affairs  
Wisconsin Department of Transportation  
4822 Madison Yards Way  
PO Box 7910  
Madison, WI 53707-7910

### **WEBSITE LOCATION OF FINAL GUIDANCE DOCUMENT**

The final version of this guidance document will be posted at [wisconsindot.gov](http://wisconsindot.gov) to allow for ongoing comment.

### **AGENCY CONTACT**

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### Wisconsin Department of Transportation

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Hazardous driving conditions from record snowfalls in northern Wisconsin and ice in other areas this weekend caused numerous slide offs and crashes. High winds caused whiteout conditions with zero visibility. On Sunday, the Wisconsin State Patrol responded to 226 vehicle runoffs, handled 199 motorist assists, 59 property damage crashes and 18 personal injury crashes across Wisconsin.

The State Patrol reminds all motorists that when weather conditions make travel treacherous, stay off roads if possible. If you must travel:

- Check [511WI.gov](http://511WI.gov) for winter road condition updates.
- Have a fully charged cell phone and full tank of fuel
- Clear off all of the vehicle windows
- Buckle up, go slow, allow extra time and following distance
- Move over, slow down for stopped emergency vehicles
- If you become stranded, stay buckled up in your vehicle and call for help



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