

## PRESS ALERT CITY OF GRETNA

## For Immediate Release

Gretna Water Department 504-363-1540 Gretna City Hall: 504-363-1500 Please call the Water Department directly to report any water issues.

## Reminders: Closures, Cancellations, & Precautions

We know that everyone wants to be out in this beautiful phenomenon, but please do so close to your home! We have been notified that the number of accidents being reported is increasing. We urge you to stay off the roads during this weather event. Emergency vehicles cannot maneuver well on impacted roads, making accidents difficult or impossible to reach.

As a reminder, the following are closed and/or cancelled due to this severe winter weather that we are experiencing:

All City of Gretna offices: CLOSED Wednesday, January 22 and will re-open on Thursday, January 23, pending conditions.

Garbage collection: SUSPENDED on Wednesday, January 22 and is expected to continue as normal on Thursday, January 23, pending conditions.

Gretna Mayor's Court: CANCELLED through Friday, January 24 and will resume on Monday, January 27. Please contact the Gretna Clerk of Court for any questions – 504-227-7325.

Roads may became more unsafe once snow begins to turn into ice. The City remains vigilant and stands ready to meet the needs of the community, but we ask that our residents do their due diligence by staying tuned to your local weather authority and by staying off icy roads to avoid dangerous circumstances.

All City emergency services will continue throughout this freeze event. To report City-related emergencies, call 504-363-1500. For all other emergencies, dial 911. You may also visit www.gretnala.com or facebook.com/CityOfGretna for additional information and regular updates.