

Facilities, operations running as usual during season's first snow event

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Welland, ON – As snow around the Niagara Region accumulates at different levels, services, programs and facilities in the City of Welland are operational and running as usual.

Beginning in the early hours of November 19, City staff have been patrolling the roads and monitoring accumulation. At approximately 5 a.m., plows were deployed to start material application on the streets.

City facility parking lots at arenas, community centre, and City Hall have all been salted, and crews are focusing on the main artery roads and bus routes.

"Our crews have been ready to go throughout the night and are working diligently to keep the roads safe for everyone," said James Sticca, manager of public works. "Our team remains ready to go throughout the storm and will manage whatever snowfall Welland receives."

Critical capital work continues during the snow event, and residents are reminded to be aware of this work and use extreme caution while driving in areas marked with construction signs.

If emergency updates are required, follow the City's <u>social media channels</u> for the most up-to-date information and updates.

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