Gov. Jindal Declares State of Emergency Due to Snow Storm, Urges Louisianians to Get a Game Plan

<p>Governor Bobby Jindal held a Unified Command Group meeting today at the Governor’s Office of Homeland Security to get an update on the state’s preparations for the oncoming winter storm. Governor Jindal declared a State of Emergency due to the winter weather and he urged Louisianians to get a game plan for their families.</p>

The National Weather Service has issued a Winter Storm Warning starting at 6 AM tomorrow morning for Southwest Louisiana, South Central Louisiana, and Central Louisiana through 6 AM tomorrow morning. We will start to see freezing temperatures and snowfall until tomorrow morning and then snowfall until Tuesday night. Now is the time to get a game plan for you and your family. As always, we hope for the best and prepare for the worst.</p>

While the snowfall will only last until Tuesday night, the impacts of this storm will happen until at least Thursday morning because of freezing temperatures in the forecast. We have a plan that will help commuters and businesses that will be on the road, but given the freezing temperatures and the impact on the roads and power, a plan for each family in South Louisiana is important.