



Creedmoor Maha Water Supply Corporation

Beginning Sunday, January 14 and into next week, some of the coldest air that we've experienced since December 2022 will come upon us. Temperatures will plummet from the 50's and 60's to possible lows of 22 to 13 degrees over the next few days. Do not wait to winterize your home and property. Prepare today!

Find winter weather information at <https://www.ready.gov/winter-weather>.



Below are some IMPORTANT TIPS for winterizing your home!

Insulate Your Pipes:

Outdoor pipes are considered priority so tackle those first and then tackle indoor pipes.



Turn Off Outdoor Faucets:

Locate the isolation valves on the water lines leading to the external water supply. Once you've turned off your outside water supply, open your outside faucets until all the water is drained. At the same time, disconnect your garden hoses and fittings from the hose bibbs.



Keep the Heater on in Your Home:

Set your thermostat to at least 55°F to prevent your pipes from freezing.



Let Your Closed-In Pipes Breathe:

Open cabinets that encase pipework in your kitchen and bathroom. Near to outside walls, these pipes can become cold, but by opening the cabinet doors, they can benefit from the warm air inside your house.



Clear Out Your Gutters & Drains:


Removing debris from your gutters and drains will allow water to flow more freely. If water is allowed to linger, it's more likely to turn into ice when the chill sets and then block pipes.



Run Your Faucets:

It's harder for water to freeze if it's moving, so turn your taps on and off regularly to keep it flowing. If you're worried about wasting water or the cost as you're on a water meter, simply save the water to use later.

Be Prepared!!:

- ❖  Keep an emergency kit in the trunk of your car, including an ice scraper, jumper cables, a flashlight, warm clothes, blankets, bottled water, cell phone charger, sand for better tire traction, and non-perishable snacks.
- ❖ Install and test smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors with battery backups.