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Declaration of Emergency for the Town of Rising Sun

As a result of the weather conditions brought about by winter storm Jonas, Cecil County has entered into **Phase Three of the Snow Emergency Plan**.

In conjunction with the County, the Town of Rising Sun has also entered into **Phase Three of the Snow Emergency Plan, effective at 7:30 PM January 23, 2016**.

The Maryland State Police (MSP) declares snow emergencies with input from MD State Highway Administration and county officials. Once a Snow emergency is declared, there are three phases to the plan which stipulate certain precautions for each phase that are covered by Maryland State Law:

Phase One: Prohibited parking on roads and streets designated as snow emergency routes; and

Phase Two: The use of snow tires/chains (most cars now use all weather tires, so changing to "snow" tires is unnecessary); and

Phase Three: Only Emergency Services Vehicles are permitted on roadways.

The forecast for continued heavy snow, high winds and whiteout conditions through the evening has led us to request that all citizens shelter in place as conditions will continue to deteriorate over the next few hours

NO vehicles are permitted on the Town of Rising Sun roadways and in addition, all snow removal crews and equipment have been removed from the Town.

If you go out and become stranded there are no guarantees that emergency responders will be able to reach you.

This declaration shall remain in effect until lifted.