



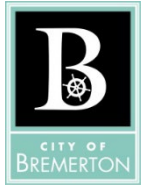
MAYOR'S REPORT

December 21, 2022

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Snow Response Update

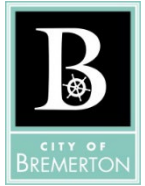


December Inclement Weather Response:

- Monday 12/19 at 4:00AM - crews called in to apply salt brine primary/secondary roads in preparation for freezing weather. 24-hour operations initiated
- Tuesday 12/20 – 24-hr operations continue; continue plowing snow/slush to remove ahead of deep freeze. Began applying sand/salt mix
- Wednesday 12/21 – 24-hr operations continue; primary and secondary routes constantly being monitored; focus is on hilly areas and residential streets.



Snow Response Update



Recent Improvements in Snow Response Equipment & Procedures

Added in 2019

- One new Dump Truck with plow and sander
- One $\frac{3}{4}$ -ton Truck with plow for the Fire Department
- One plow for existing $\frac{1}{2}$ -ton truck for City Facilities

Added in 2020

- One 5/4-ton with plow for Wastewater
- One new Dump Truck for Wastewater with Plow and Sander
- City fabricated a 1000-gallon deicer applicator to fit on existing trucks
- All snowplow vehicles were fitted with GPS to live stream deicer application, sand application, and plowing. Website updated.
- Snow and Ice Procedures updated; available at <http://www.bremertonwa.gov/DocumentCenter/View/6973/Inclement-Weather-Procedures-PDF>

Added in 2021

- Two new sander beds for 5/4-ton trucks
- Customer response worked through the weekend to respond & dispatch
- Will update Snow and Ice Procedures to add Puget Sound Blvd (Bayside)

Added in 2022

- Doubled salt supply. Began incorporating salt with sand for improved snow and ice response

Total Equipment Currently Available for Snow Response

- Five 12-CY dump trucks with sanders and plows
- One 5-CY dump truck outfitted with a 1000-gallon brine applicator
- Four 1-ton dump trucks with sanders and plows. These trucks have replaceable beds; two beds were fabricated as brine applicators
- Four small trucks with plows for Wastewater, Facilities, Parks & Fire Department