## **Pre-Storm Checklist**

When the forecast calls for significant snow, make sure these are on your "to do" list:

- ✓ Rethink travel plans Fewer cars on the road means more room for snow plows
- ✓ Fuel up vehicles
- ✓ Fuel up generators and snow blowers
- ✓ Replace batteries in battery-operated radios and flashlights
- ✓ Charge your portable electronic devices
- ✓ Be prepared in case you lose power with non-perishable food items, bottled water and a bag or two of ice
- ✓ Make sure you have adequate rock salt or ice melt
- ✓ Consider hitting the ATM to have cash on hand
- ✓ Check on those who you think might need assistance. If you see someone who is dealing with homelessness, connect them to Your Way Home by dialing 211 or 1-866-964-7925. If it's a life or death situation, call 911.

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