Service Curtailment Notice for Friday February 4, 2022

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Dover, NH – Due to the winter storm that is predicted to hit later today and turn to a mix of ice and snow overnight and for most of Friday, the decision has been made to curtail all service on Friday, February 4, 2022. "The weather forecasts look like travel will be very tricky later tonight and all day Friday, we feel this is the most prudent decision we could make based on the predicted conditions," stated Rad Nichols, COAST Executive Director.

COAST services will operate as normal today, February 3. The expectation is that COAST will return to regular operations starting on Saturday, February 5. When COAST resumes service, expect delays as storm cleanup may still be affecting the roads and walkways.

Nichols commented further, "As always, when traveling after the storm, please be safe on your way to and from bus stops. Please do not wait for the bus on top of snowbanks. Find the nearest driveway opening; make sure you are visible to the bus operator and wave as the bus approaches. In low light conditions wave a lit cell phone or flashlight to make you more visible to the bus operator." COAST recommends wearing bright clothing, having reflectors and carrying a flashlight.

For updated information on COAST services, please tune in to area radio and television news outlets. COAST will also be using its website at www.coastbus.org, Facebook page at www.facebook.com/COASTbus and twitter account @COASTbus to provide additional updates.

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