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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

DATE: **February 1, 2016**
TO: **KOGA/KMCX, EOC**
CC: **City Council, Richard Brown, Dave Kling, Dell Simmerman**
FROM: **Aaron Smith, City Manager**
RE: **Declaration of Snow Emergency**

The City of Ogallala has declared a snow emergency that will go into effect at 5:00 p.m. Monday February 1, 2016. This emergency will remain in effect until further notice. The snow emergency routes affected by this declaration are STAGES 1 and 2. For questions on which streets are included in the snow emergency visit the City's website www.ogallala-ne.gov or call 284-6001.

During the hours the snow emergency is in effect, no vehicles may be parked on the City's affected snow emergency routes. The City encourages people to utilize the downtown parking lots and the diagonal parking spaces. The routes can be identified by the red, white and blue snow emergency signs posted every few blocks on these streets.

The Ogallala Police Department will be contacting residents on the affected routes this evening to make them aware of the City's snow emergency and the need for vehicles to be removed from the snow routes. Vehicles remaining on the snow routes after 5:00 p.m. may be towed at the owner's expense.

Motorists are encouraged to limit their travels until the inclement weather subsides and the streets are cleared. Your patience and cooperation will help the snow removal crews to complete their work in a more expedient and efficient manner.

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