

# Impactful Snow for Holiday Travel

Moderate snowfall expected late Thursday through early Saturday

## **Key Messages**

- Moderate snowfall expected beginning Thursday evening, bringing impacts to Thanksgiving return travel through Saturday morning.
- Locally heavy snow possible for portions of the northern foothills.
- Cold...Remaining below-freezing both Friday and Saturday

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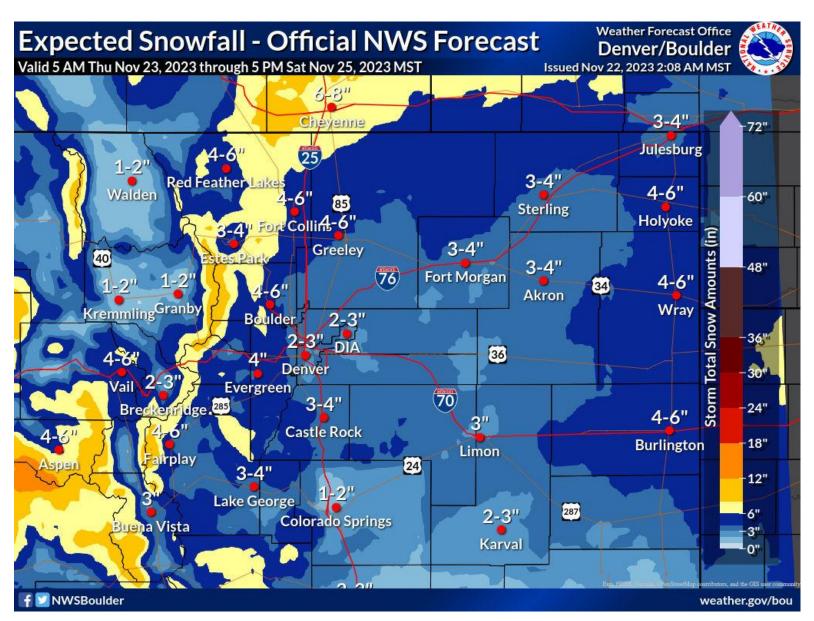
## **What Has Changed**

Winter Storm Watch issued for the northern foothills (Boulder/Larimer Counties)

## **Next Scheduled Update**

Wednesday afternoon





### **Most Likely Snowfall Totals National Weather Service Denver/Boulder, CO**

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# **Current Winter Weather Highlights**

For the Upcoming Storm

### Winter Storm Watch

- **Northern Front Range Foothills:** 4 PM  $\rightarrow$ Thursday through 4 PM Friday
  - Heaviest Snow Thursday evening and overnight.
  - Accumulations 5-12" expected. Local amounts near 14" can't be ruled out for favored locations.
  - Slick conditions and difficult travel likely for Highways 34, 36 and 14.





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# **Forecast Confidence**

## Timing

High Medium Low **Snowfall starts Thursday evening for** foothills/urban corridor. Heaviest through sunrise Friday. Lingering light snow through Saturday.

# **Snowfall Amounts**



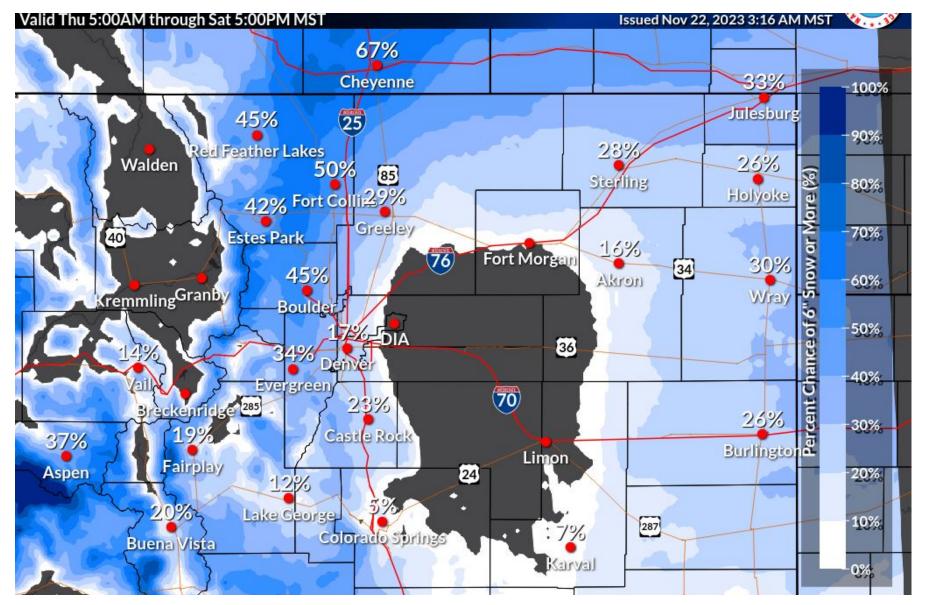
in the foothills in particular. Some changes in forecast amounts are likely in coming hours.

### Impacts



Widespread minor travel impacts expected. Locally moderate impacts possible.



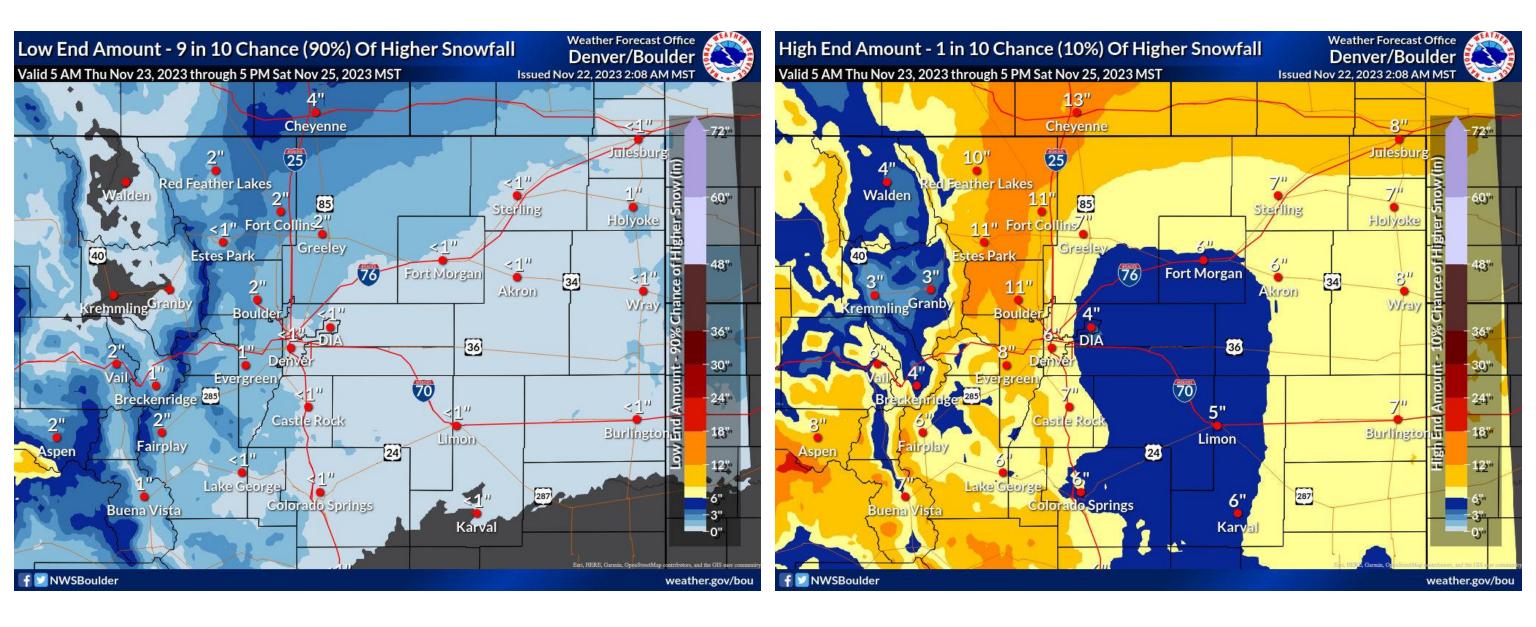


### **Probability of 6" of Snow or More**

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# High & Low End Forecast Amounts



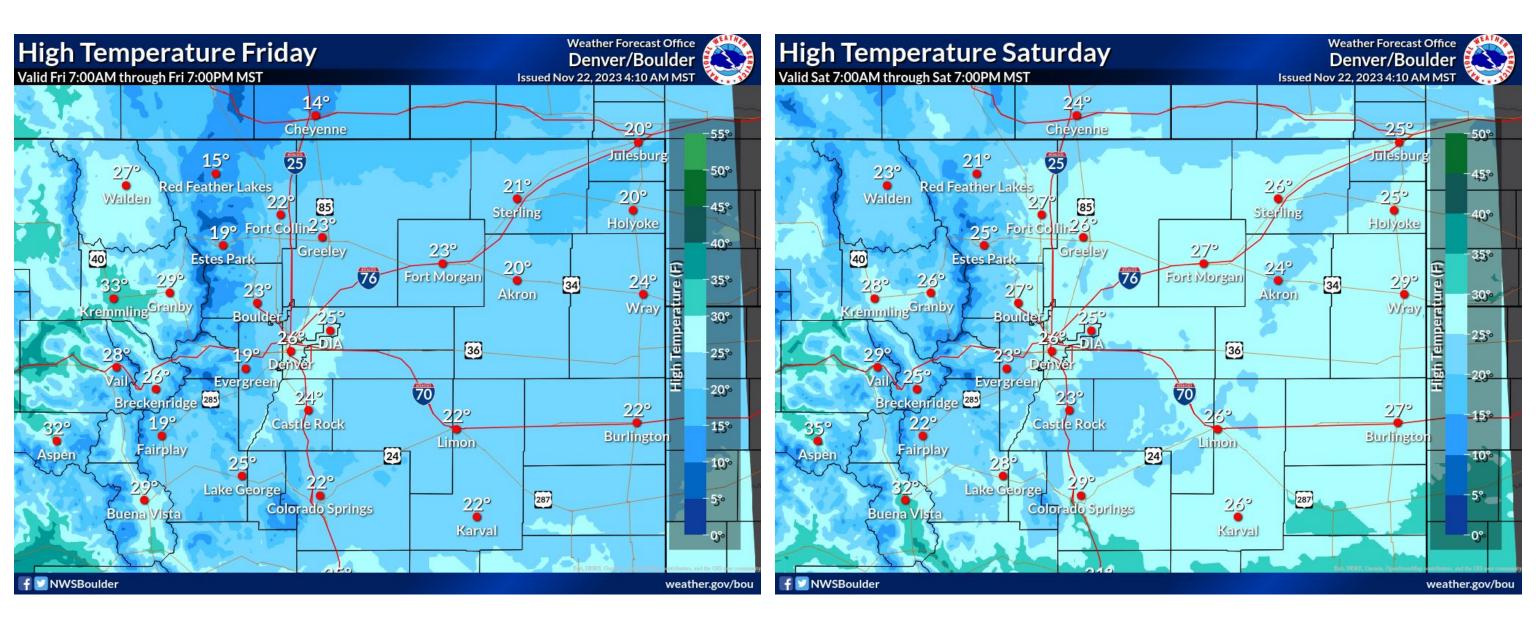


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# **Much Colder Friday and Saturday**

**Temperatures will remain well below freezing both days** 





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# **County Information**

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# Winter Safety Information

# KNOW BEFORE 2 07 YOU GO

### Check road conditions.

Call 511 or visit your state's DOT webpage to check on road conditions. Choose a different route or adjust your travel plans if road conditions are poor.

### Pack an emergency supply kit.

Stock your vehicle with a mobile phone, charger, batteries, blankets, flashlight, first-aid kit, high-calorie, non-perishable food, candle to melt snow for drinking water, sack of sand or cat litter for traction, shovel, scraper, and battery booster cables.

Get the weather forecast. Change your travel plans if hazardous weather is expected.

Check your battery, wipers, coolant, and other systems affected by cold temperature. Make sure your tires have good tread. Clear snow, ice or dirt from your windows, lights and camera.

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### **Ready your vehicle.**