Wednesday, February 17 Afternoon Update

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17 UPDATE – Road conditions, warming stations, burst pipe information, water update, etc.

ROAD CONDITIONS
Intersections can be slick but all can be traveled with caution. We encourage you to not get out on the roads if you don’t need to. Due to renewed icing, Corpus Christi road closures as of 12:53 p.m. are US 181 to Portland, Joe Fulton Corridor; SH 286 (Crosstown), SH 358 (SPID). TxDOT crews monitoring and treating as weather allows. Please visit https://drivetexas.org/?fbclid=IwAR1fzSF2mp8om889Hx5QimrZ3tXPrv0oBTblzsGb0rW2yAUECO_4z00IP4#/7/32.340/-99.500?future=false to view current road conditions.

BURST PIPES
Some people are seeing their pipes burst from this weather. Watch a video (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RvE6n7rTGnM) on how to cut off the water at your home, if needed. Then call NCWID#4 at 361-749-5201 for further assistance to cut the water off at the meter.

WARMING STATIONS
There is one warming station available in town:

City of Port Aransas Civic Center, 710 W. Ave A - Will be open all day and will provide food. We are trying to maintain COVID-19 restrictions. Masks are required, and social distancing will be encouraged. If you have tested positive in the last 15 days, please send a friend or neighbor for you.

WARMING STATION & OVERNIGHT SHELTER
Port Aransas Baptist Church, 200 N. Station St. – Will be open for overnight to provide shelter.

TRANSPORTATION
If you need transportation to a warming station, please contact City Hall, 361-749-4111. Shuttles will only be available until 5:00 p.m.

TRASH AND RECYCLING
Trash and recycling will not run again today, Wednesday, February 17. We will keep you posted on conditions for Thursday and Friday.

WATER
Port Aransas residents are still required to boil their water. NCWID will be filling up to 5-gallon containers of non-potable water for customers at 902 Port Street until 6:00 p.m. This water is not approved for drinking without boiling. Please sign up for the alert system by clicking this link https://r.i-info.com/rc/cbcan to register for future city alerts.
GAS
Gas service is expected to remain off in the areas of Island Moorings, La Joya, Piper Blvd., The Moorings at Island Mooring, and Island Moorings Parkway until a bypass can be installed. It is expected to be completed by Saturday, February 20, 2021.

POWER UPDATES (FROM ONCOR)
Please click on this link
https://www.aeptexas.com/outages/details.aspx?stormName=Texas+Winter+Storm+-+February+2021 to view current power outage updates from AEP.