



Winter Storm Briefing for Central North Carolina Covering Thursday Night through Saturday January 21-23, 2016

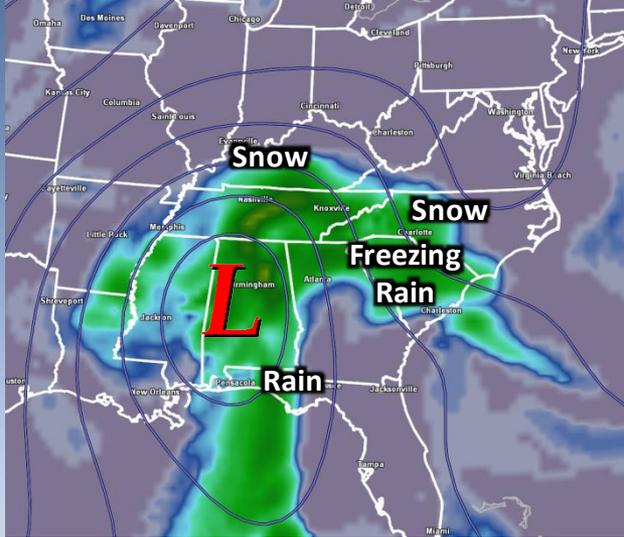
NWS Raleigh, NC

Updated at 600 AM, January 21, 2016

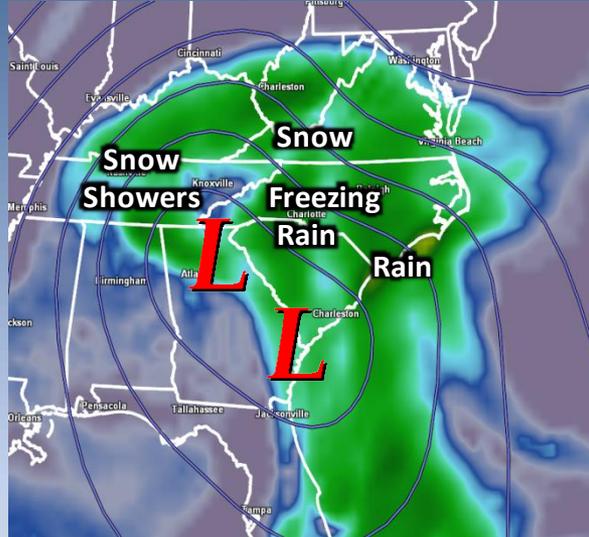
<http://weather.gov/Raleigh>

Winter Storm Arrives Late Tonight and Continues into Saturday

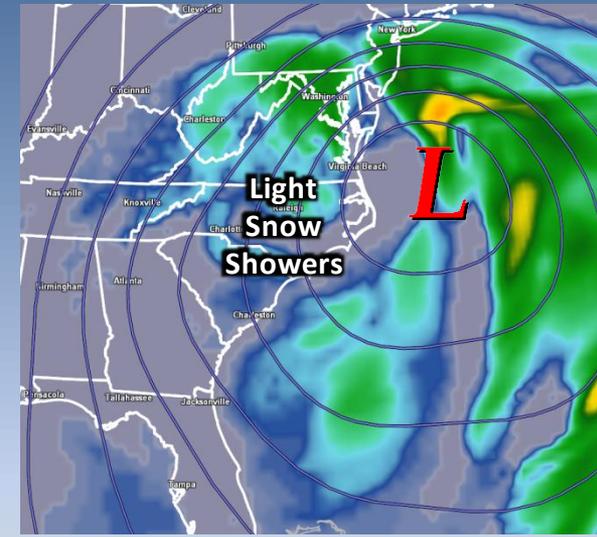
Simulated Radar
Before Daybreak Friday



Simulated Radar
Friday Afternoon



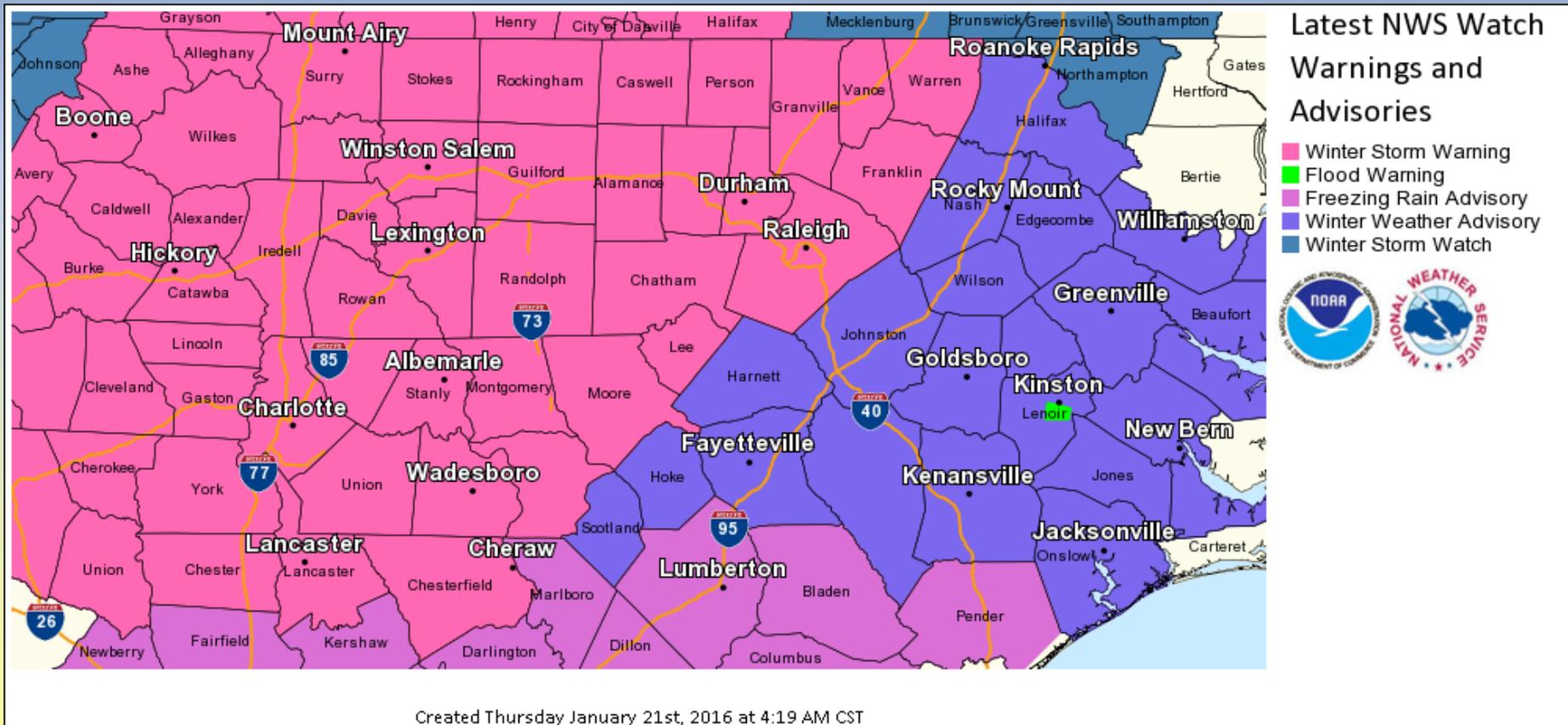
Simulated Radar
Saturday Morning



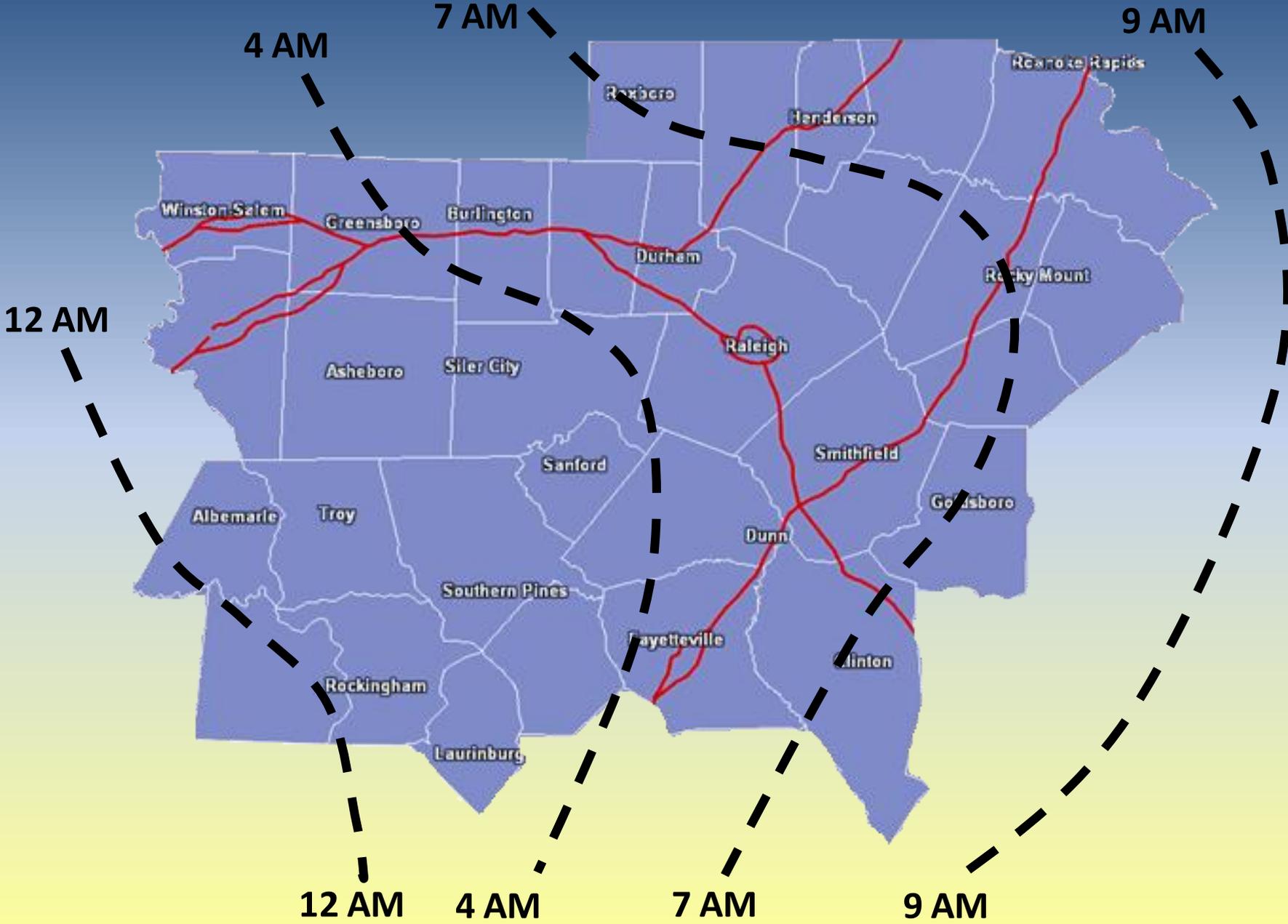
- Now is the time to prepare for winter storm conditions on Friday. Impacts will include locally impassable roads and scattered power outages due to snow and ice!
- A significant winter storm will impact central NC tonight into the weekend.
- The worst conditions are expected along and north of the US-64 corridor.
- Right now, latest model data suggests snow and sleet at the onset late Thursday night, changing to freezing rain Friday, then all rain across southern and southeastern portions of NC Friday afternoon.
- Precipitation will diminish to light rain and freezing rain Friday night.
- Finally, precipitation will change back to snow showers before ending early Saturday.
- Subtle storm track changes can have huge implications on what type and “how much”.

Winter Storm Warning in effect from Midnight tonight through 6pm Saturday for central NC west of I-95

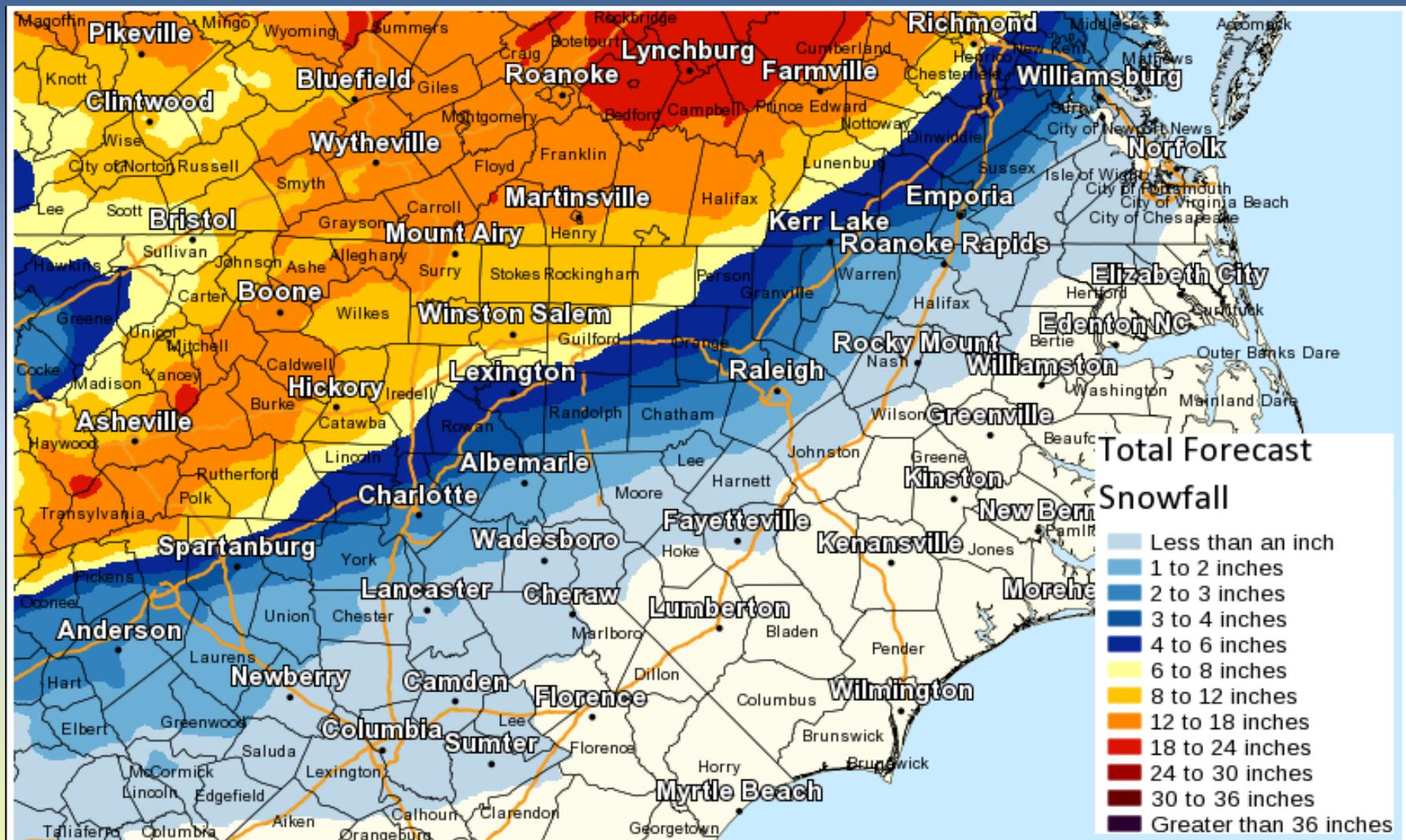
Winter Weather Advisory in effect from Midnight tonight through 6pm Friday for the I-95 corridor and Coastal Plain



Start Time of Wintry Precipitation Thursday Night and Friday Morning



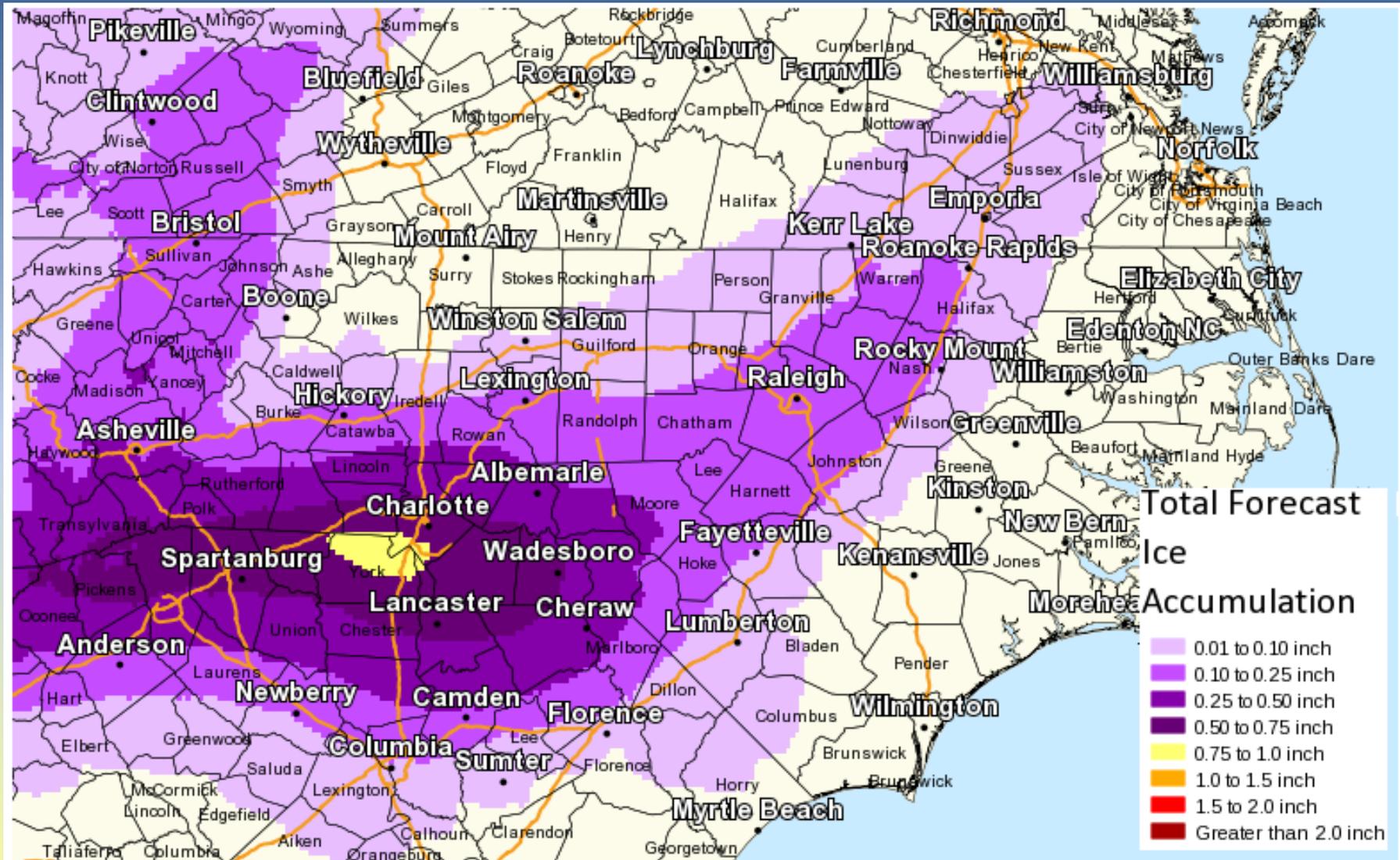
Most Likely Storm Total Snow and Sleet Accumulations



Valid ending at Saturday January 23rd, 2016 at 6 PM CST

Created Thursday January 21st, 2016 at 4:15 AM CST

Most Likely Storm Total Freezing Rain Accumulations



Valid ending at Friday January 22nd, 2016 at 6 PM CST

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For details for your specific area, including all watches, warnings, and advisories...For details for your specific area, including all watches, warnings, and advisories...

Please refer to the following sites:

- Northeast NC: <http://weather.gov/akq>
- Eastern NC: <http://weather.gov/mhx>
- Southeast NC: <http://weather.gov/ilm>
- Central NC: <http://weather.gov/rah>
- Northwest NC (& mountains): <http://weather.gov/rnk>
- Southwest NC (& mountains): <http://weather.gov/gsp>
- Cherokee and Clay Counties: <http://weather.gov/mrx>

For specific hour-by-hour forecast details and trends for your exact location, please visit <http://forecast.weather.gov/gridpoint.php?site=rah&TypeDefault=graphical>

This link will include hour-by-hour forecasts for temperature, wind, wind gusts, wind chill, precipitation chance, etc.