Winter Weather Briefing

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For Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio, and Northern West Virginia

Decision Support Briefing #7

➔ As of 1:00 PM Friday, January 30, 2026

Key Messages

➔ **Cold Weather Advisory** remains in effect for 7PM tonight through 11AM Saturday for the ***entire region***

➔ Prolonged cold weather ***lingers into mid-February***

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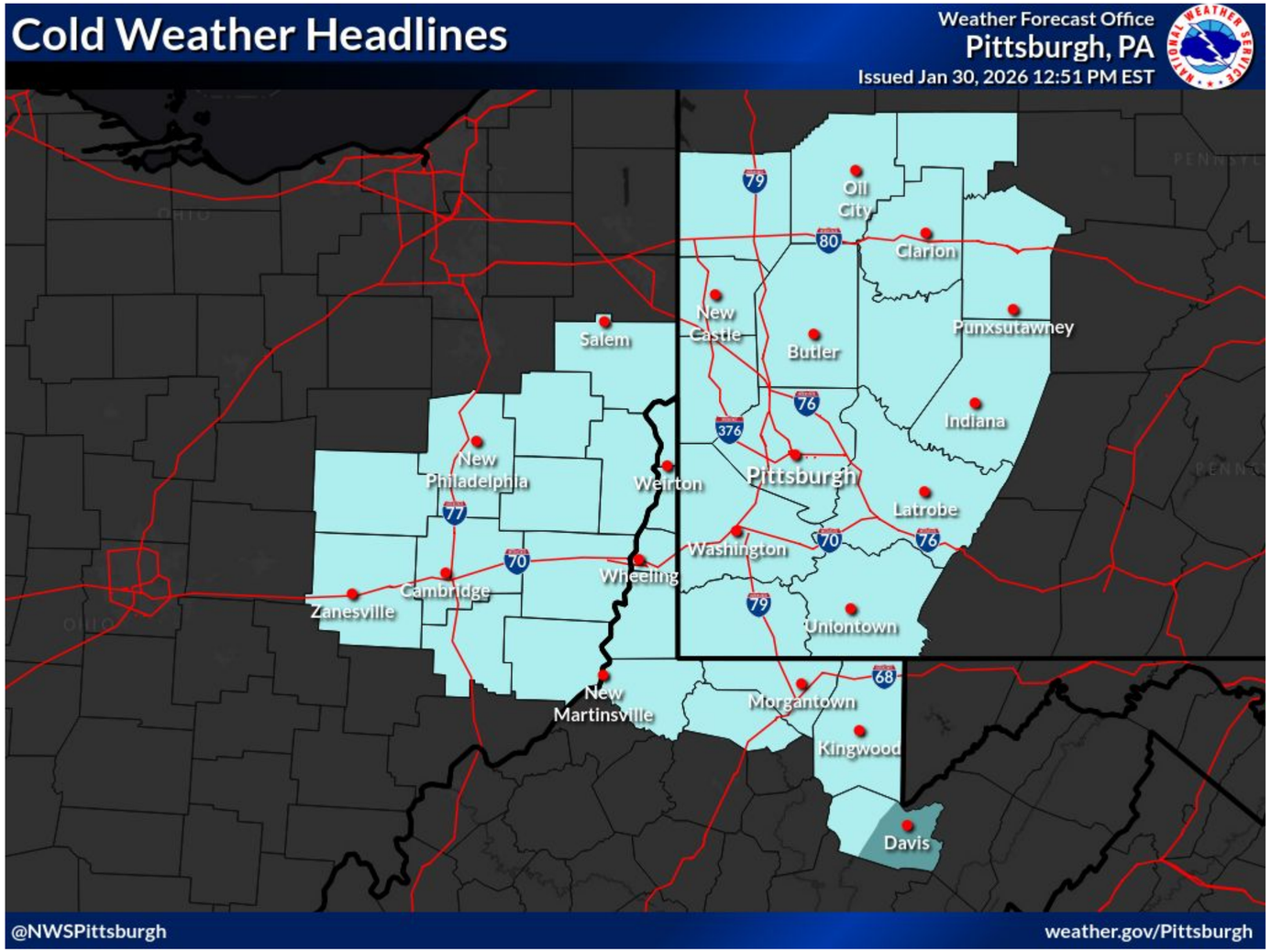
➔ **Extreme Cold Watch** issued **for eastern Tucker County only** from 7 PM Saturday to 1 PM Sunday



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Wind Chill Values : Tonight - Monday

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Minimum Wind Chill Forecast (°F)

	1/30 Fri		1/31 Sat								2/1 Sun								2/2 Mon						
	6pm	9pm	12am	3am	6am	9am	12pm	3pm	6pm	9pm	12am	3am	6am	9am	12pm	3pm	6pm	9pm	12am	3am	6am	9am	12pm	3pm	6pm
Clarion	0	-3	-7	-9	-9	-2	1	4	-2	-4	-8	-10	-8	-4	2	6	2	-1	-3	-5	-4	0	8	12	13
Coshocton	4	-2	-7	-8	-8	-3	0	4	1	0	-1	-3	-5	-2	6	11	6	5	2	1	-2	0	9	15	17
Davis	-4	-2	-4	-5	-13	-10	-2	-4	-10	-13	-16	-19	-20	-16	-10	-6	-7	-7	-9	-11	-10	-4	6	10	6
Dubois	-8	-12	-7	-9	-8	-10	-2	1	-4	-9	-12	-13	-12	-8	-1	3	-3	-7	-8	-9	-9	-4	3	8	7
Franklin	-7	-9	-5	-7	-7	-9	1	1	-5	-6	-8	-11	-13	-7	1	4	0	-3	-4	-7	-6	-1	7	12	10
Indiana	-6	-7	-7	-10	-10	-4	-1	2	-2	-6	-11	-13	-13	-8	-1	3	-1	-5	-7	-8	-8	-2	6	10	7
Kittanning	2	-3	-8	-12	-11	-4	4	7	2	-3	0	-2	-8	-3	5	8	4	0	5	3	3	4	11	15	15
Latrobe	4	0	-5	-8	-8	-1	3	5	2	-1	2	-8	-7	-5	0	5	4	0	-3	-4	-3	1	9	15	14
Morgantown	8	4	0	-4	-4	0	0	4	5	1	-1	-3	-4	-3	3	7	8	5	2	0	0	4	12	17	16
New Castle	0	-5	-10	-12	-11	-4	1	4	0	4	3	-7	-8	-3	3	9	6	7	4	1	1	1	9	16	17
New Martinsville	7	4	0	-3	-4	0	2	7	4	2	7	5	0	1	6	11	8	9	6	5	5	5	14	19	20
New Philadephia	3	-4	-8	-11	-11	-8	-1	3	-1	-1	6	-4	-6	-3	3	8	7	5	0	-1	-4	-2	7	14	17
Pittsburgh	2	-2	-7	-9	-9	-4	2	4	1	-4	-7	-9	-8	-5	2	8	5	1	-1	-3	-3	2	10	16	14
Uniontown	5	1	-3	-6	-6	-1	2	4	5	-1	3	-6	-5	-4	1	7	6	3	0	-2	-1	4	11	16	17
Washington	-4	-7	-5	-8	-8	-6	-2	2	-1	-4	-7	-9	-10	-6	0	6	2	-2	-4	-7	-7	-1	8	14	13
Weirton	3	-2	-6	-9	-9	-3	2	5	2	-2	-3	-4	-6	-2	4	9	6	1	4	-6	-5	1	10	16	16
Wheeling	-2	1	-3	-6	-7	-2	1	6	2	0	-1	-3	-4	-1	5	9	6	1	-1	-3	-2	2	10	17	16
Zanesville	2	1	-4	-7	-7	-2	1	6	3	2	7	-2	-4	-1	6	11	8	5	2	2	2	5	11	18	20

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Potential For Record Cold Temperatures

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Forecast Morning Low & Afternoon High Temperatures (°F)

	Saturday Jan 31st		Sunday Feb 1st		Monday Feb 2nd		Tuesday Feb 3rd		Wednesday Feb 4th	
Butler, PA	-13°	14°	-2°	18°	0°	23°	13°	28°	12°	27°
Carrollton, OH	-11°	14°	-1°	19°	-1°	24°	14°	28°	14°	25°
Coshocton, OH	-9°	16°	2°	22°	0°	26°	15°	31°	16°	27°
Davis, WV	-6°	11°	-4°	10°	0°	21°	11°	26°	16°	27°
DuBois, PA	-10°	13°	-2°	18°	1°	19°	10°	25°	10°	24°
Indiana, PA	-11°	14°	-3°	18°	2°	22°	12°	28°	14°	27°
Latrobe, PA	-10°	14°	-1°	18°	3°	24°	14°	30°	16°	29°
Mercer, PA	-11°	13°	-2°	17°	0°	22°	13°	26°	11°	24°
Morgantown, WV	-5°	14°	3°	19°	6°	26°	17°	31°	19°	30°
New Castle, PA	-13°	15°	-2°	20°	0°	25°	14°	29°	12°	27°
Oil City, PA	-8°	14°	-1°	18°	2°	22°	13°	27°	10°	26°
Pittsburgh, PA	-10°	14°	1°	20°	3°	25°	16°	31°	16°	28°
Washington, PA	-8°	14°	2°	20°	3°	25°	16°	31°	17°	28°
Weirton, WV	-10°	15°	2°	20°	1°	26°	16°	31°	16°	27°
Wheeling, WV	-7°	16°	3°	20°	4°	26°	18°	31°	19°	29°
Zanesville, OH	-8°	16°	2°	20°	0°	26°	16°	31°	18°	28°

January 31st Record Low Temperatures In Jeopardy Saturday Morning:

- **Dubois, PA:** -10°F (2019)
- **Pittsburgh, PA:** -5°F(2019)
- **Wheeling, WV:** -8°F (1948)
- **Zanesville, OH:** -8°F (1955)
- **Wheeling, WV:** -8°F (1948)

Temperature Outlook: Mid-February

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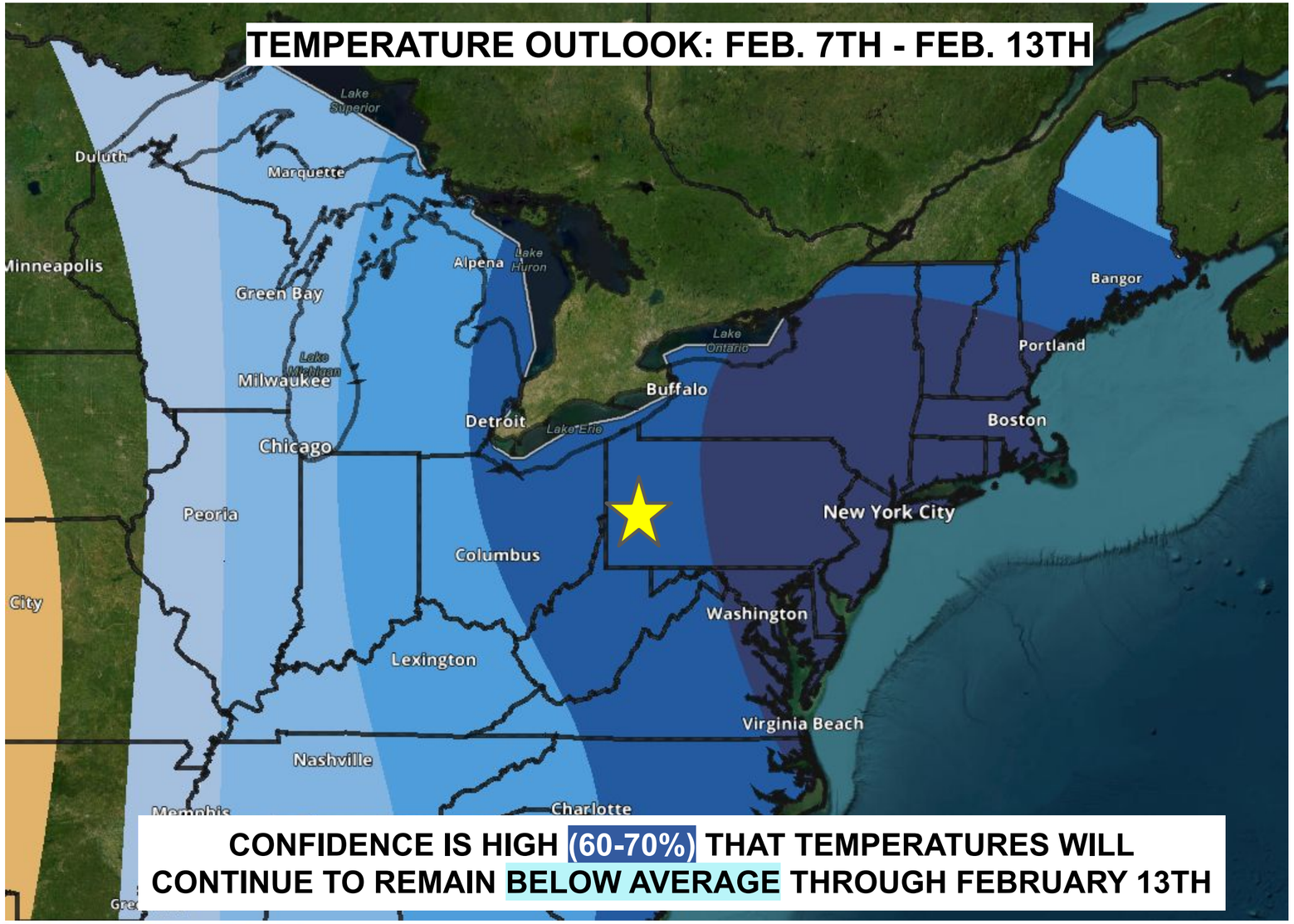

CPC Day 8-14 Temp Outlook
February 7, 2026 - February 13, 2026

- 90-100%
- 80-90%
- 70-80%
- 60-70%
- 50-60%
- 40-50%
- 33-40%
- Near Normal
- 33-40%
- 40-50%
- 50-60%
- 60-70%
- 70-80%
- 80-90%
- 90-100%

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River Ice Growth Will Continue

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- Significant ice accrual is anticipated on all rivers and tributaries into February
- Some freeze-up jams are possible
- Average temperature will range from 5-20 degrees through the next 10 days (or more) allowing for 8-12 inches of ice growth
- This could rival the ice years of 2018 and 2015

LINK TO REPORT RIVER ICE:
https://www.weather.gov/pbz/reports

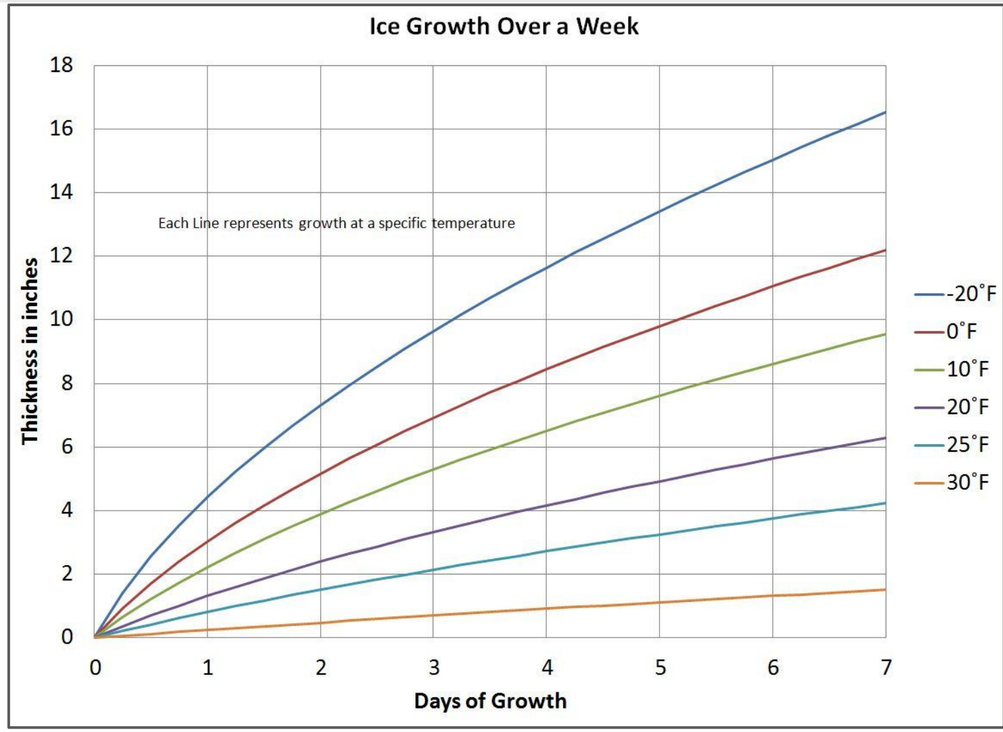

Image right shows average river ice growth over a week based on average temperature

Regional Temperature Forecast

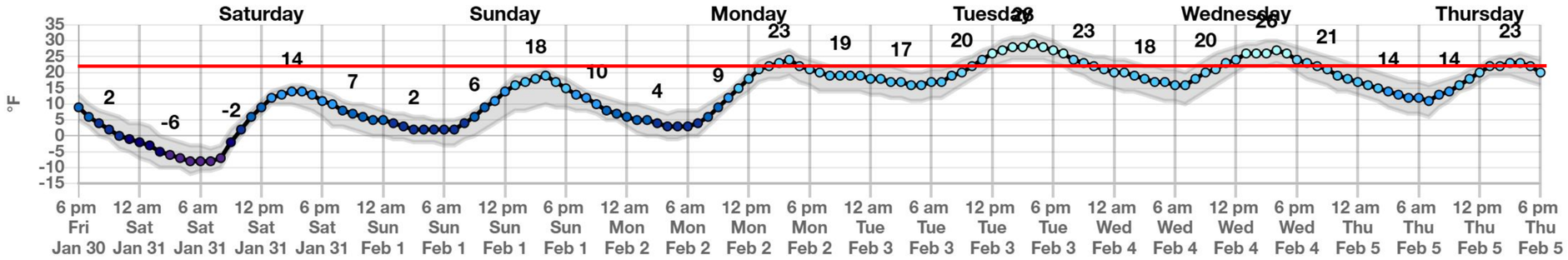

Image left shows average temperature for the region (upper Ohio Valley) through Thursday. Red line is 22 degrees (average temperature needed for ice growth)

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