

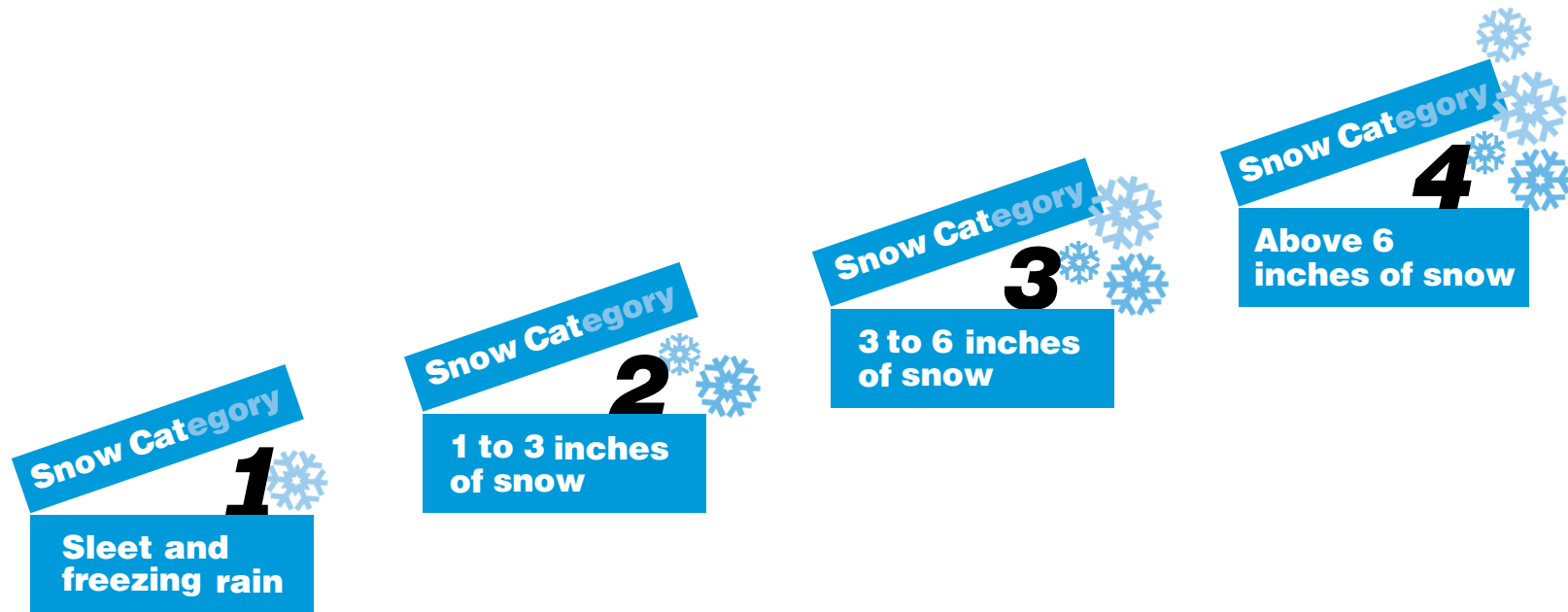


Welcome to
SnowCat

**The City of Philadelphia's new
system to alert and prepare you
for disruptive winter weather.**

SnowCat (as in Snow CAT-egory)

- Identifies various categories of weather conditions
- Indicates what the City's response will be to each category
- Indicates how residents and businesses can help



This helpful information prepares citizens for disruptive winter weather and alerts them regarding the following:

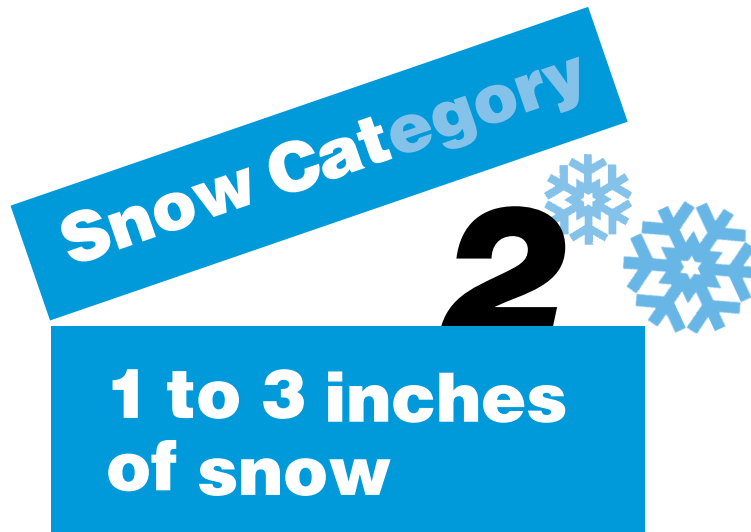
- **How snow and ice treatment and removal may affect road conditions**
- **When rubbish and recycling collections may be delayed**
- **When to move your vehicle from a Snow Emergency route**
- **Whether to be on alert for a Snow Emergency declaration**



SnowCat 1

warns of street

and road conditions that require caution but do not need major efforts by the City, residents, or business owners.

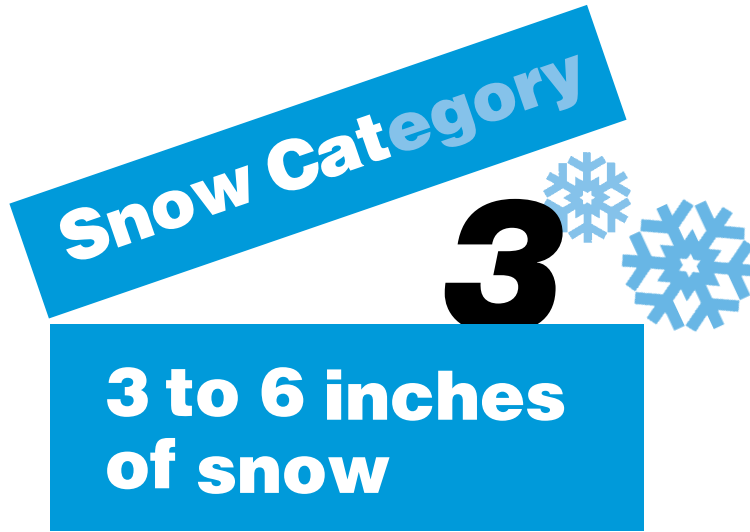


SnowCat 2

alerts us to a

level of snow that can significantly affect our ability to travel.

It can remain and accumulate if freezing temperatures continue.



SnowCat 3
is a heavier
snow fall that requires more
extensive use of lifting, salting,
and plowing vehicles.
Trash and recycling collection
may be affected.



SnowCat 4

DEEP SNOW!

Extreme winter conditions.

Mayor may declare a "SNOW EMERGENCY." Plan ahead for travel to work, school, and shopping.

Below freezing temperatures can create health risks.

**To learn more about SNOWCAT
use our handy new reference booklet:**

- **See how the City responds**
- **What residents and businesses are required to do**

**To have a booklet mailed to you call the
Streets Department Consumer Affairs Unit**

(215) 686-5560

**Or visit Streets Department web site at
www.phila.gov/streets
for detailed information**