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EXTREME STORMS IN THE MIDWESTERN US: CASE STUDIES

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Summary:

This paper will examine how three agencies from the Midwestern US have dealt with extreme storms over the past three winters. The agencies manage winter services for the City of West Des Moines in Iowa, the City of Iowa City in Iowa, and McHenry County in Illinois. Two storms will be considered. The blizzard that struck a large part of the Northern US in February 2011 (for Iowa City and McHenry County), and the storm that hit Western Iowa in December 2012 (for West Des Moines).



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