DATE: March 5, 2013  4:00 p.m.

TO: Governor Scott Walker

FROM: Brian M. Satula, WEM Administrator

SUBJECT: Situation Report #2 on Snowstorm

Overview - The snowstorm that has impacted much of Wisconsin today is starting to wind down. There are still pockets that will receive another 1-2” of snow this afternoon. The heaviest snow has been reported in western Wisconsin with some areas receiving 8-10”. Areas in southwest Wisconsin are reporting 3-6”.

The National Weather Service anticipates the Winter Weather Warnings and Advisories will be cancelled after the rush hour traffic. Earlier today, there were numerous reports of slide offs and accidents. Roads are slippery and snow packed and travelers should anticipate slow commutes.

Snow Totals: As of 3:00 p.m., the NWS reports the following snow totals:

- Trempealeau –10”
- Arcadia – 8”
- Osceola – 7”
- LaCrosse – 6-7”
- Thorp – 6”
- Madison – 5-6”
- Grant County – 5”
- Juneau County – 4”
- Milwaukee – 2-4”
- Eau Claire – 2”

Wisconsin Emergency Management remains engaged with the local officials and the National Weather Service. The State Emergency Operations Center currently remains at Level 3, monitoring events. Staff members with Wisconsin Emergency Management, WI National Guard, WI State Patrol and WI Department of Transportation are in the EOC. As of 3:00 p.m. there has been no request for state assistance.