



Key Takeaways

- Surge of Arctic air will bring extreme wind chills late Wednesday night through Friday
- Accumulating, blowing, and drifting snow possible beginning late Wednesday night through Thursday afternoon
- Hazardous travel conditions expected

What Has Changed

Update

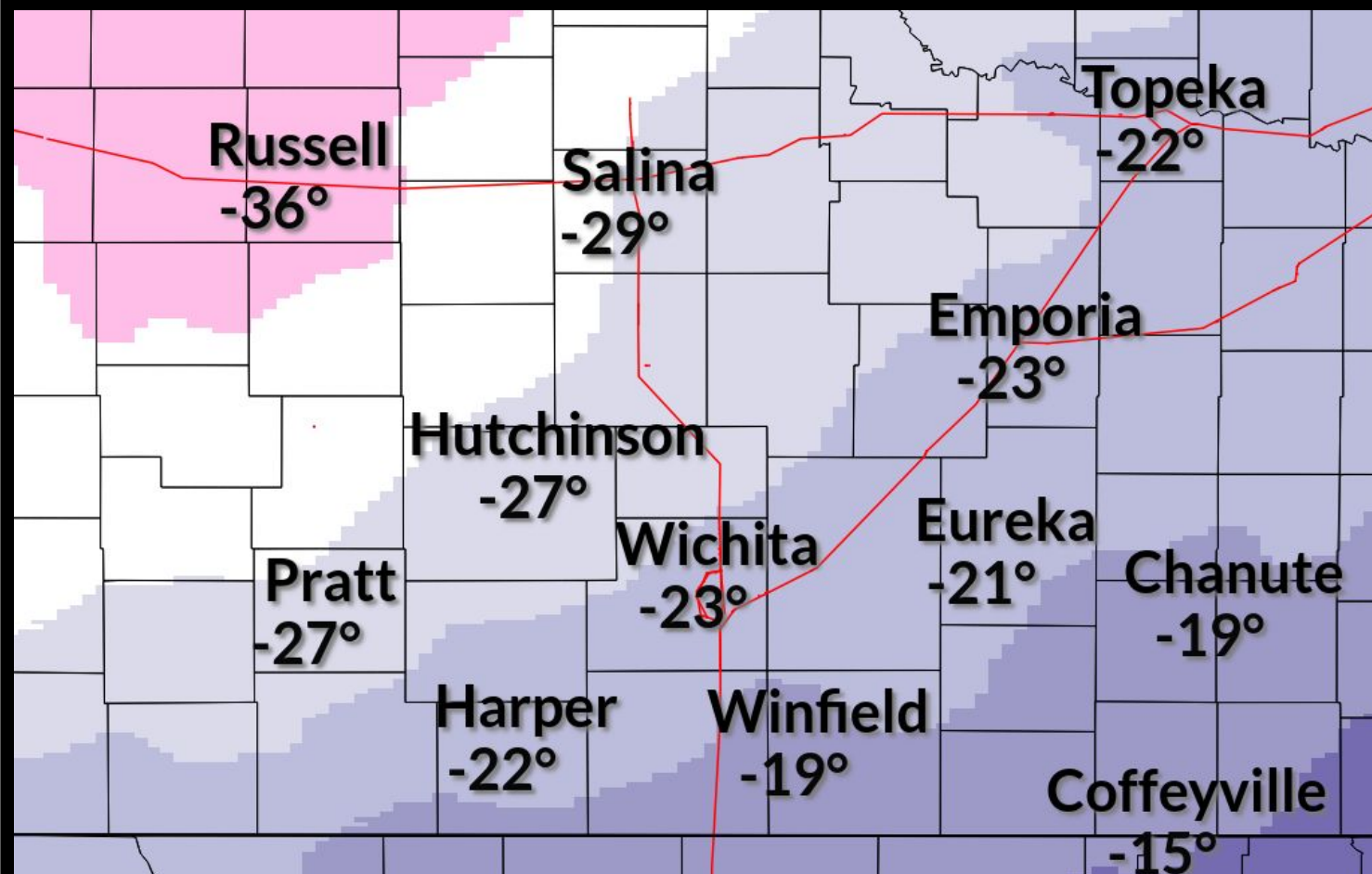
- Put out specific snow amounts
- Dangerous wind chills to move through faster early Thursday morning



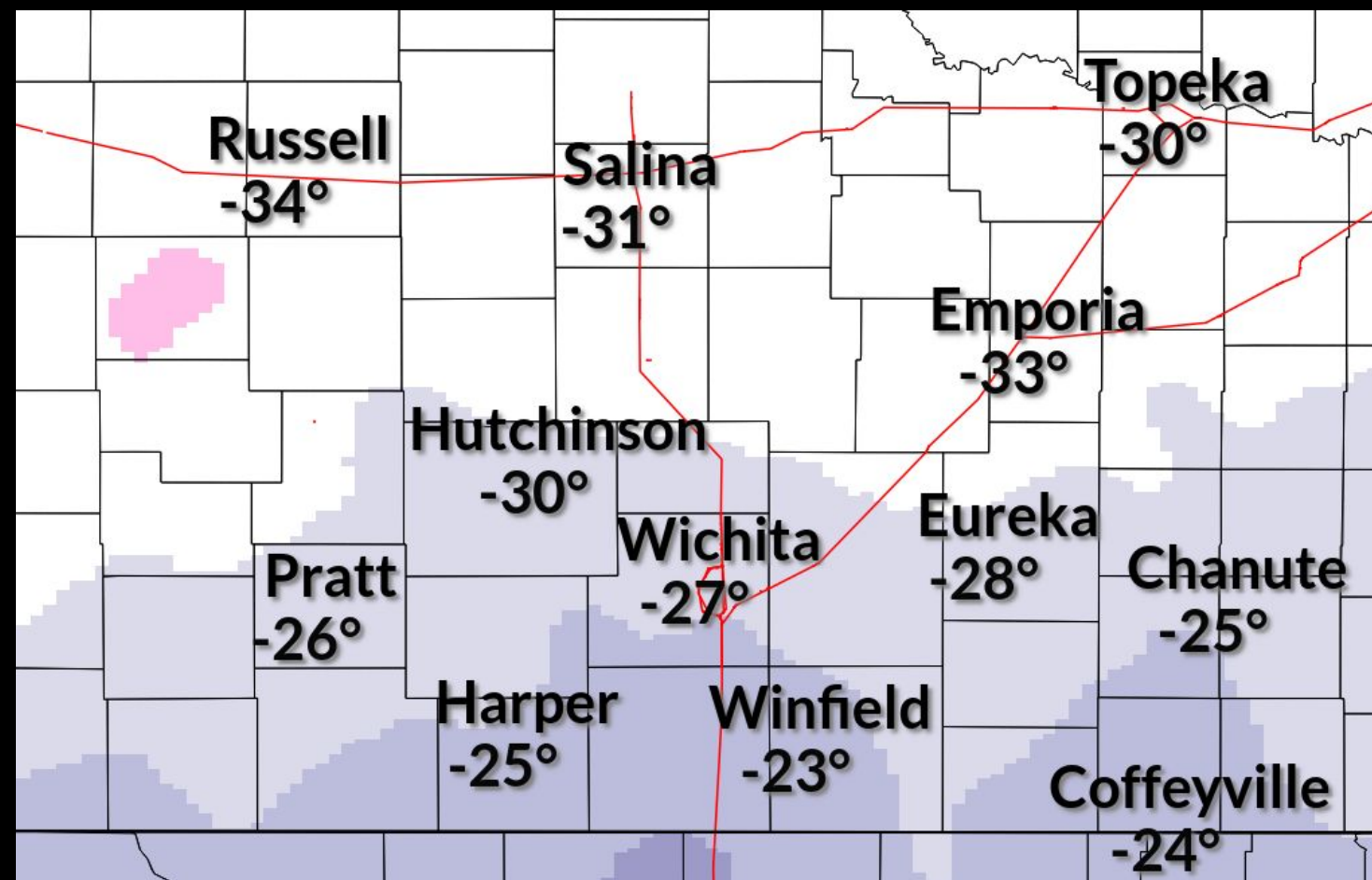
Very dangerous wind chills Thursday and Friday!

December 20, 2022
5:45 AM

Thursday morning wind chills



Friday morning wind chills



Dangerously cold wind chills will likely cause frostbite on any exposed skin



National Oceanic and
Atmospheric Administration
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Wichita, KS



Snow and wind moving-in late Wednesday

Hazards



Snow & blowing snow which will reduce visibility



Strong northwest winds gusting to 50 mph

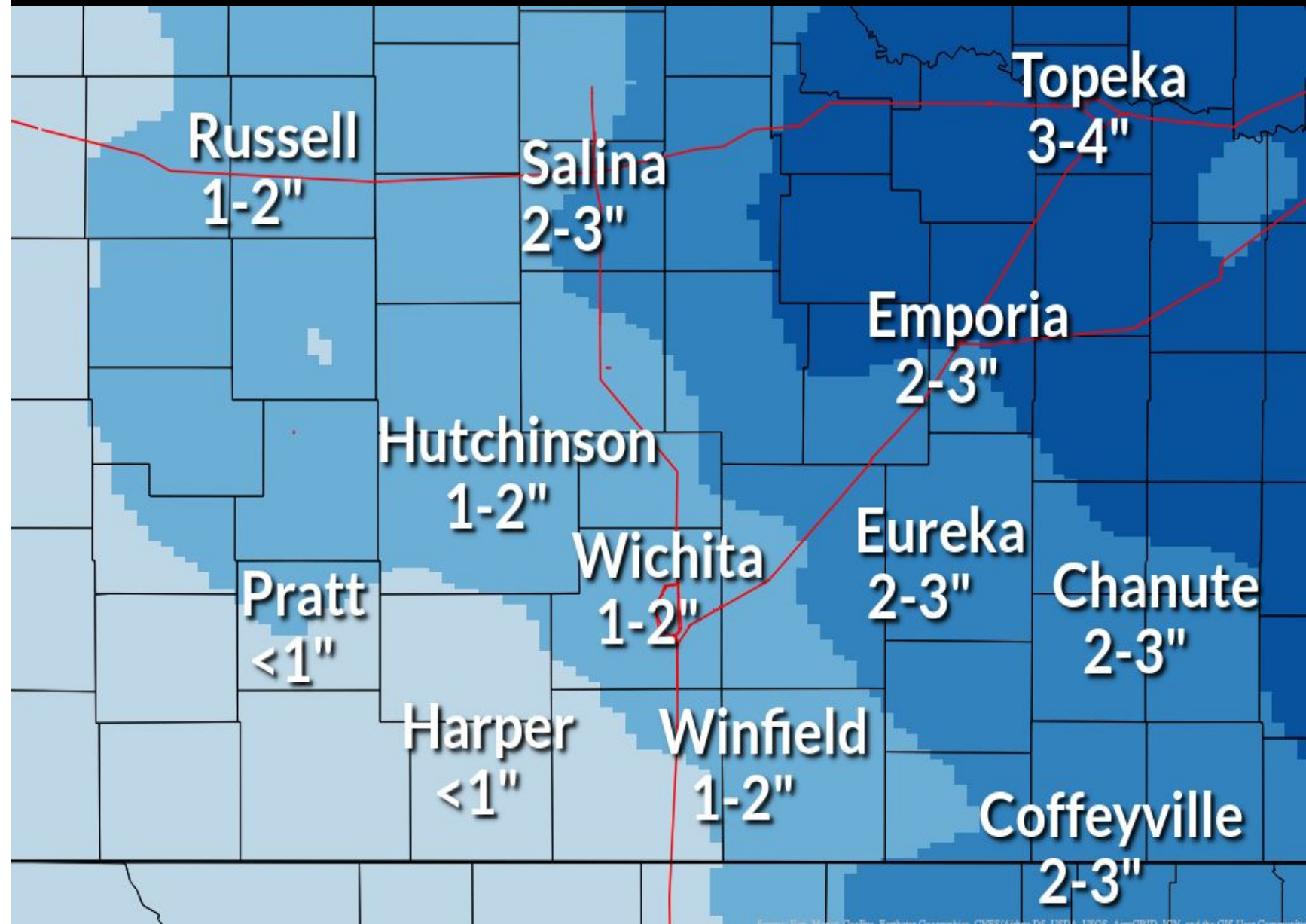
Timing

Wed 11 pm - noon Thu

Action

- Monitor the latest forecast
- Alter travel plans if necessary

Late Wed night through Thursday morning snowfall





Dangerous wind chills

Low

Medium

High

Confidence is high that extreme wind chills will impact the area.

Snow amounts

Low

Medium

High

While confidence in snow amounts is increasing, there still remains some uncertainty

Timing of impacts

Low

Medium

High

Confidence with regards to timing is high. Impacts will start late Wednesday night.



Don't Forget Your Pets
Bring them indoors
Make sure they have a warm dry place with plenty of food and water



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DRESSING FOR COLD WEATHER

COLD



- 2-3 layers
- gloves
- boots water proof
- 1-2 layers
- warm hat
- outer layer to keep out wind, wet snow

EXTREME COLD



- 3+ layers
1 insulating
- gloves
- boots water proof
- 2+ layers
- warm hat
- face mask
- outer layer to keep out wind