

**Video: Snowplow coming around curve.**

*Audio:* When winter weather is in the forecast, drivers need to keep these tips in mind.

**Video: Cars on snow road.**

*Audio:* First, try and keep a safe distance of at least five seconds between yourself and the vehicle in front of you.

**Video: State police with vehicle that has skidded off of snowy road.**

*Audio:* This gives you time to react and if you don't give yourself time you don't give yourself a chance.

**Video: Tractor trailer that has skidded into a ditch on snowy road.**

*Audio:* Please always wear your seatbelt.

**Video: Ice on trees with highway in background.**

*Audio:* When driving, be aware of potentially icy areas,

**Video: Traffic going under bridge in snow**

*Audio:* especially shady spots and bridges, as those freeze more quickly than the regular roadway.

**Video: VDOT snowplow on highway with ice-covered plants in foreground.**

*Audio:* Speaking of ice, when you are driving on ice, try not to slam on your brakes.

**Video: Traffic following behind snowplow on snowy road.**

*Audio:* Travel gently. Turn slowly and brake slowly.

**Video: Shot from inside car of another car that has gone into a ditch on a snowy road at night.**

*Audio:* Those sudden changes can cause your car to spin out of control.

**Video: Snow plow scrapes snow toward camera position**

*Audio:* Of course you can always get the latest road conditions on interstates and primary roads all across Virginia,

**Video: Graphic appears listing 511 and 511virginia.org Web site**

*Audio:* Just call 511 or go online to [www.511Virginia.org](http://www.511Virginia.org).

**Video: Snow plow goes down cleared road.**