

# WINTER VEHICLE PREPARATION CHECKLIST



FOLLOW THE CHECKLISTS BELOW TO MAKE SURE YOUR VEHICLE IS PREPARED FOR THE WINTER

**Have your vehicle checked by a mechanic and fully winterized:**

- Winter tires
- Heater
- Windshield wipers
- Lights
- Vehicle fluids should be filled and refills stowed in the trunk

**Store a Winter Storm Survival Kit in your vehicle (accessible from the inside) and make sure it includes:**

- Compass and road maps in case mobile device batteries die
- Small can and waterproof matches to melt snow for drinking water
- Large empty can, tissues and paper towels to use as emergency toilet
- Flares or bright cloth to draw attention to stranded vehicle
- Candles and matches for light and heat
- Tow rope and tool kit
- First aid kit and small knife
- Mobile phone, charger, and extra batteries
- Blankets/sleeping bags
- Flashlight with extra batteries
- High calorie, non-perishable food
- Extra clothing, waterproof boots
- Sack of sand or cat litter for wheel traction
- Windshield scraper, brush, and snow shovel
- Battery booster cables

