* Winterizing here in 500’ Broadhurst:

October 15th is the general date for frost. We are in the convergence zone where rain turns to snow.

* + Take hoses off faucets & bring hoses in
  + Cover hose bibs with styro covers
  + Shut down sprinkler system
  + Drain water features
  + Dig geraniums, dahlias, Salvia
  + Divide plants that are overgrown
  + Order bulbs & plant them
  + Buy salt for home & car
  + Have a car kit for emergencies
  + Be sure you have a snow shovel
  + Have ice scrapers for car
  + Be sure your generator is ready
  + Clean, sharpen, and oil tools
  + Cover outdoor furniture
  + Relocate any plants now
* What to do when it snows:
  + Back road in and out of Broadhurst
  + Knock snow off hedges and trees
  + Protect containers
  + If freezing over several days drip a faucet