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DATE: 02/10/2013 NATURE OF INCIDENT: DPD Warns Citizens to limit travel during Winter Storm CASE NO.: INCIDENT DATE :02/10/2013 INCIDENT TIME: INCIDENT LOCATION: Duluth, MN SUBJECT: DPD Warns Citizens to limit travel during Winter Storm BY: DPD Public Information Officer Jim Hansen (218) 390-2232

Due to the current Winter Storm in Duluth travel has become difficult and dangerous. Blowing and drifting snow have made driving conditions deteriorate rapidly. The Duluth Police Department is asking that residents stay home and only travel if necessary.

The alternate side parking system is in effect during the ENTIRE **year** and has resulted in better plowing service and increased safety for motorists.

We remind citizens that the alternate side change-over is necessary for snowplowing and for the ability for emergency vehicles to be able get through on roadways; cars not in compliance WILL be ticketed and towed.

On street-weekly alternate side parking: For the alternate side parking system, a week is the period from Sunday 4 P.M. to Sunday 8 P.M.

Your cooperation is requested in minimizing the need for enforcement action.