

## Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - February 2012

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
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### ILLINOIS, Northeast

#### (IL-Z005) MCHENRY, (IL-Z006) LAKE

	02/23/12 15:00 CST	0	0	Winter Storm
	02/24/12 09:00 CST	0	0	

Heavy snow began falling during the afternoon hours of February 23rd and continued into the morning hours of February 24th. The snow was heaviest over far northern Illinois. Storm total snowfall amounts included 9.3 inches two miles west northwest of Bull Valley; 8.5 inches two miles northeast of Cary; 8.2 inches in Mundelein; 8.0 inches in Lake Zurich; 7.8 inches five miles northwest of Woodstock and 7.5 inches two miles west of Gurnee. A man in his late 80s collapsed while clearing snow with a snowblower in front of his home in Buffalo Grove. He was taken to a nearby hospital where he was declared dead.

#### (IL-Z014) COOK

	02/24/12 00:00 CST	1	0	Cold/Wind Chill
	02/24/12 10:00 CST	0	0	

Direct Fatalities: M61OU

A 61 year old homeless man was found along Lake Shore Drive in the Kenwood neighborhood of Chicago on the morning of February 24th. Low temperatures were in the lower to middle 30s.

#### (IL-Z022) WILL

	02/28/12 00:00 CST	1	0	Cold/Wind Chill
	02/28/12 10:00 CST	0	0	

Direct Fatalities: M43OU

A 43 year old homeless man was found near McDonough Street and Stryker Avenue in Joliet on the morning of February 28th. Low temperatures were in the lower to middle 20s.

### INDIANA, Northwest

#### (IN-Z001) LAKE, (IN-Z002) PORTER, (IN-Z011) JASPER

	02/10/12 12:00 CST	0	0	Lake-Effect Snow
	02/11/12 03:00 CST	0	0	

Lake effect snow fell across parts of northwest Indiana from the afternoon of February 10th into the early morning hours of February 11th. The combination of heavy snow and winds gusting between 35 mph and 45 mph at times caused white out conditions and considerable blowing and drifting snow. Storm total snowfall amounts included 12.0 inches two miles west southwest of Burns Harbor; 10.0 inches two miles north northeast of Lakes of the Four Seasons; 9.5 inches six miles west southwest of Valparaiso; 8.5 inches in Portage; 6.5 inches in Wheatfield and 6.0 inches in Lake Station.