A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR ANNETTE IAFALLO – LACKAWANNA STATE OF EMERGENCY & TRAVEL BAN REMAINS IN EFFECT – SNOW REMOVAL EFFORTS CONTINUE

Due to the extreme winter storm, the city of Lackawanna remains in a state of emergency with a travel ban in place except for essential works and first responders.

With more heavy snow forecast for late tonight into Sunday morning, it is extremely important to comply with the travel ban and please stay off the roads.

Lackawanna DPW crews have been working around the clock since Thursday night and have made great progress clearing main roads. Crews are now addressing secondary roads and side and dead-ends. But we need your help.

Please follow alternate parking rules and if available, park vehicles in your driveway.

For those living along a secondary road or side street, please do not park vehicles on a major road, for example Abbott Road, South Park Avenue or Electric Avenue, while the secondary or side road is being cleared.

Vehicles parked on these roads make it very difficult for snow removal equipment to get through. And those who park in this manner risk having their vehicle ticketed and towed.

This extreme lake effect snowstorm has been very difficult on everyone and we appreciate your patience. Please know we are doing our best to work through the various snow issues as quickly as possible for ALL people in ALL wards.

I thank you for their cooperation. Please Stay safe and stay home.