



Methodology: Gritting Service

Our service is triggered by predictive weather forecasts issued daily, and dependant on forecasted conditions our crews will then be dispatched in the early evening/night to commence salt application to the required properties.

Please see attached sample forecast with colour coded alerts:



Red

Frost, Ice and/or snow are likely to occur



Orange

Road surface temperatures and forecast to be +0.5C or below (including dry roads below 0.0C) - there is still a risk of frost, ice or snow.



Yellow

Road surface temperatures are forecast to be between +0.6 and 1.9C - there is a lower risk of frost, ice or snow.



Green

Road surface temperatures and forecast to be +2C or higher

We will mobilise automatically based on 'RED' forecast alerts and can extend this to 'ORANGE' or 'YELLOW' reports on request.

A copy of the daily met report will be forwarded each day to confirm gritting requirements.

The contract period will run from **1st November 2024 – 31st March 2025** unless a variation to this is requested

