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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## OSHKOSH POLICE DEPARTMENT

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**Public Information Officer** 

Subject: Ice Warning

The Oshkosh Police Department, University of Oshkosh Police and the City of Oshkosh Fire Department have noted snowmobile tracks on parts of the river. Vehicle and snowmobile tracks are not an indication of the ice being safe to walk on.

Though this year's winter temperatures have been very cold, the Fox River is constantly flowing and eroding the ice from below and there are areas that may be thin and unsafe and it is strongly recommended staying off of the river.

We ask that you exercise appropriate caution and do not use the river as a crossing point. Please use the bridges in place for conveyance.

If you have questions about this media release, please contact Officer Joe Nichols. Thank you.

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