

WINTER SERVICE ON A PAGE

Bradford in Winter



Over 50% of the population of Bradford lives around and above 500 feet above sea level



WE HAVE 24,000 Tonnes of rock salt stockpiled before the start of each season

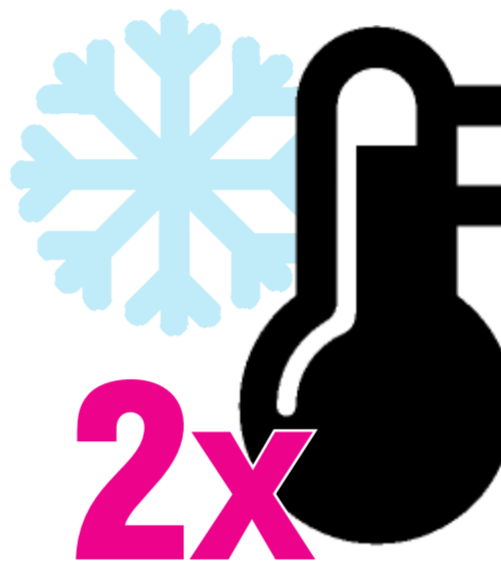


The Rock Salt used is from a mine in Cheshire

Bradford's Winter Service



STAFF ON CALL 24/7 from OCTOBER TO APRIL



We have two dedicated weather stations in Queensbury and Silsden feeding road surface temperatures

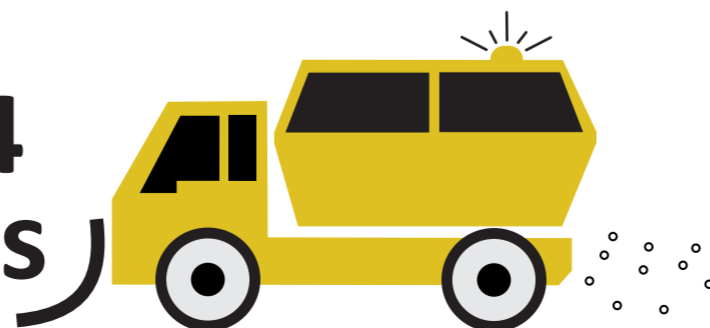


WE GRIT 24 routes covering over 700 miles which equates to 62% of the Highway Network



WE PROVIDE over 550 grit bins across the District

WE HAVE 34 Gritters



WE HAVE 50 Drivers on stand-by

Winter Review

In 2012-13 we completed 117 gritting runs using 22,000 tonnes of rock salt



WORST WINTER

In 2016-17 we completed 40 gritting runs using 7,000 tonnes of rock salt



LAST WINTER



On average we treat the network 68 times each winter which equates to 48,000 miles a year - almost enough to circle the world's equator twice