Remember your <u>CAP</u> this winter season to save time, money, and protect water resources

CAP is a smart winter maintenance practice that emphasizes **Calibration**, **Application**, and **Planning**

C. Calibration

- Calibrate equipment before each winter season to ensure the proper amount of material is dispensed.
- · Follow recommended rates and track treatments.
- Frequent calibration can save a company 5% 50% in costs.



A. Application

- Application rates are highly variable and should be adjusted based on temperature and precipitation.
- Shovel and plow early and often to decrease salt application.
- Conduct annual hands-on training with staff.
- Adjusting application rates can save a company 42% 50%
 in costs.



P. Planning

- Frequently check the upcoming weather forecast and plan for the storm.
- After the storm, track effectiveness of application and identify areas that need improvement.
- Planning can save a company 10% 75% in costs.



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