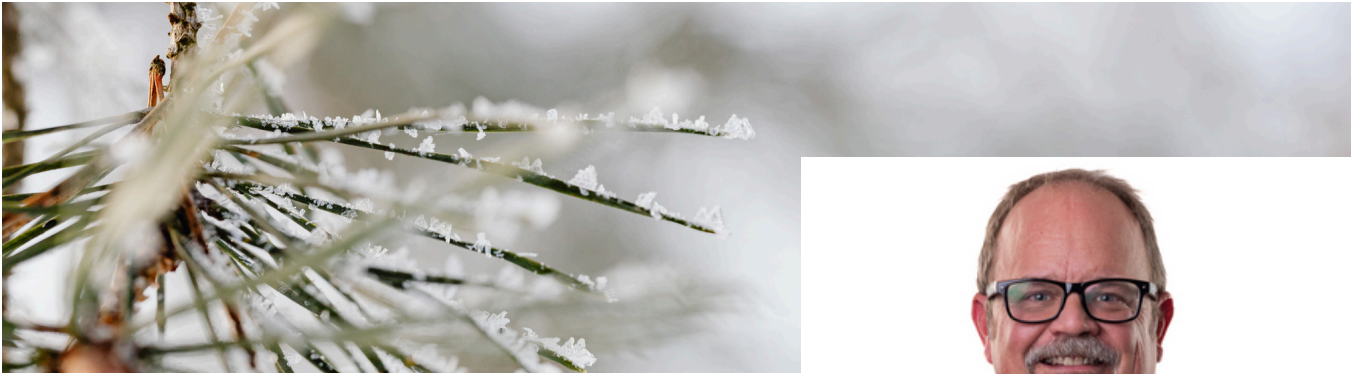




LOSS CONTROL NEWSLETTER



TIPS FOR WINTERIZING YOUR HOME

As winter approaches, preparing your home can keep your family safe, comfortable, and energy-efficient.

Start with the exterior:

- Inspect roofs, gutters, and downspouts; clear debris and repair any damage to prevent ice dams and water leaks.
- Seal gaps around windows, doors, and exterior pipes to reduce cold drafts and heating costs.
- Check insulation in attics, walls, and crawl spaces; add or replace where needed.
- Service furnaces and heating systems; replace filters and consider a programmable thermostat.
- Stock winter essentials: snow removal tools, ice melt, and emergency supplies in case of power outages.
- Test smoke and carbon monoxide detectors to ensure proper operation.

These steps protect your home, save energy, and keep your family safe throughout the season.



MEET BUCKNER'S LOSS CONTROL EXPERT

JOSH SCHULTZ

As the Director of Loss Control Services at the Buckner Company, Josh has vast knowledge of the importance of managing risk, and educating our clients on why it's important.

PREPARE NOW FOR WINTER WEATHER RISKS FOR COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES

Winter can return quickly, impacting every industry. Now is the time to ensure your people, facilities, and operations are ready for cold snaps, storms, and hazards. Early preparation reduces downtime, prevents injuries, and protects property.



*Early
Preparation
Protects Your
Property*

KEY REMINDERS:

- Inspect roofs, gutters, and drains; prevent ice dams.
- Test heating systems, boilers, and backup generators.
- Review snow and ice removal contracts and response times.
- Stock ice-melt, shovels, and winter PPE.
- Reinforce winter driving policies and pre-trip inspections.
- Identify slip-and-fall hazards on walkways, docks, and parking lots.
- Update emergency communication plans and contact lists.

A little preparation now helps keep your organization safe and resilient when winter arrives.

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HOLIDAY SEASON SAFETY: STAYING SAFE AT WORK AND HOME

The holidays bring celebrations—but also added risks. Keep employees, clients, and families safe with these simple precautions:



Decorating Safety:

- Use ladders on stable surfaces; maintain three points of contact.
- Inspect lights and cords; avoid overloading outlets.
- Turn off decorations when unattended; secure outdoor décor and keep live trees watered.

Fire & Home Safety:

- Keep décor away from heat sources.
- Test smoke alarms and ensure fire extinguishers are accessible.
- Use candles carefully or choose flameless alternatives.

Holiday & New Year's Activities:

- Plan for safe driving and winter road conditions.
- Designate sober drivers and stay alert for fatigue.
- Watch for crowded areas and seasonal distractions.

A little preparation ensures a safe, happy, and healthy holiday season—from now through the New Year.

SAFETY REMINDER

Safety First - All Season Long! With the hustle and bustle of the holiday season it's important to prepare for any potential risks.

FUTURE LOSS CONTROL CLASSES

Here you will find our future Loss Control Classes. Click the button below to access our Eventbrite to see the upcoming classes for this quarter.

Upcoming Classes:

- **OSHA 300 Record Keeping Requirements**
 - January 22nd 2026

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