

# Four Ways You Can Prepare for Winter Now.

Winter is a challenging time of year across all industries, but it can be especially difficult for loading docks. Blowing snow obstructs truck driver vision and buries exterior dock equipment while freezing rain makes loading and unloading perilous at times.

Blue Giant has winter-compatible dock equipment and accessories that keep the loading dock area clear and dry, prevent parked trailers from shifting on icy driveways, and improve outdoor visibility during winter storms.



#### **STRONGARM™ RVR303**

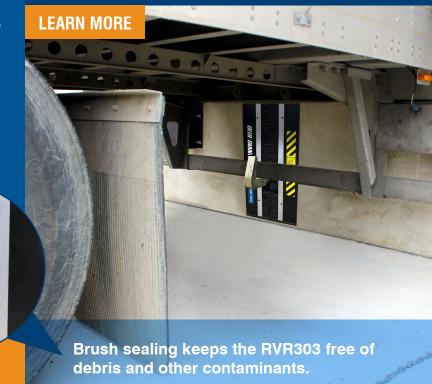
The latest addition to the award-winning StrongArm<sup>™</sup> line of vehicle restraints, the **RVR303** has a recessed hook design that keeps parked trailers firmly in place, even during wet and icy conditions.

The high-visibility restraint hook works together with the Blue Giant VersaLock™ technology to maintain a snug hold throughout the horizontal operating range.

After each use, the **RVR303** is stored within the dock face, keeping it away from snowplow traffic, while brush sealing protects the apparatus from snow, ice, and debris.

To view the complete line of weatherresistant **Blue Giant StrongArm™** vehicle restraints **CLICK HERE** 

## Tip # 1



## Tip # 2



#### **HINGEMASTER™**

Generally designed to accommodate 10' wide by 10.5' high door openings, the Blue Giant **HingeMaster™** is a full-access dock shelter with a tight sealing ability that keeps snow, ice, and water off the loading dock floor.

When barn-style trailer doors are open, the hinge gap around the sides creates the equivalent of a 2½ square foot opening. The **HingeMaster™** J-hooks close off these access points, keeping warm air inside the building and keeping cold temperatures and blowing snow outside where they belong.

Blue Giant has a complete line of durable **dock shelters** that keep your loading bay safe and dry year-round. For more information, **CLICK HERE.** 

#### **ICE WHEEL CHOCKS**

Blue Giant **Ice Wheel Chocks** remain firmly in place thanks to tooth-shaped cleats that dig into and grip icy, slippery surfaces.

These chocks are powder-coated in high visibility safety yellow, preventing corrosion and making them easy to locate on dark winter days.

Lightweight and dependable,

**Ice Wheel Chocks** 

meet all OSHA requirements.

To view the different Blue Giant wheel chock models, CLICK HERE. Wheel chock kits are also available CLICK HERE

## Tip # 3



Serrated cleats keep ice chocks in place on wet and icy surfaces.

## Tip # 4



#### **REFLECTIVE GUIDES**

Blue Giant **Reflective Guides** are a costeffective and energy-efficient method of guiding incoming trucks during severe weather conditions. Because they require no electricity to operate, safe and correct positioning is made possible even during power outages.



These reflective guides return up to five times the light intensity of standard bead reflectors, ensuing visibility during the worst snowstorms.

Blue Giant has a wide range of protective systems available for your loading dock. For more details **CLICK HERE.** 





Don't let snow and ice have a negative impact on your loading dock operations.

Blue Giant has solutions for all of your cold weather requirements, so you can enjoy a safe, productive, and profitable winter season.

### For additional winter safety and comfort at the loading dock, we recommend the following:



VERTICAL STORING DOCK LEVELER



**HVLS FANS** 



**RAIN SHROUD** 



ENERGY SAVING SOLUTIONS

