

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Executive Office of the Mayor



Thursday, February 13, 2014

The Cold Emergency Alert will be Activated

The District will operate under a Cold Emergency meaning that additional services and supports are available to help homeless residents. Please note that due to the amount of snow on the streets, **No warming buses will be in operation, additional warming sites will be opened.** Please note, end times indicated below will be adjusted based on the status of the DC Government being open:

- If DC Government is open on time – shelters/warming sites close at normal time of 7:00 am
- If DC Government has delayed opening – shelters/warming sites extend closing by one or two hours
- If DC Government is closed – shelters/warming sites will remain open 24 hours

Action	Location	Population	Start Time	End Time	Status
Warming Bus	5 th and C Streets, NW	Co-ed	NA	NA	closed
Warming Bus	Union Station (2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE)	Co-ed	NA	NA	closed
Warming Bus	17 th and H Streets, NW	Co-ed	NA	NA	closed
Warming Bus	West End Library Parking Lot (24 th and L Streets, NW)	Co-ed	NA	NA	closed
Warming Site	Old DC Council Chamber (441 4 th Street, NW)	Co-ed	open now	7:00 am	open
Warming Site	West End Library (24 th and L Streets, NW)	Co-ed	open now	7:00 am	open
Warming Site	Sherwood Recreation Center (640 10th Street, NE)	Co-ed	open now	7:00 am	open
Alert Night Shelter	Banneker Recreation Center (2500 Georgia Avenue, NW)	Men	open now	7:00 am	open
Alert Night Shelter	Columbia Heights Recreation Center (1480 Girard Street, NW)	Men	open now	7:00 am	open
Alert Night Shelter	Kennedy Recreation Center (1401 7th Street, NW)	Men	open now	7:00 am	open
Alert Night Shelter	New Covenant Church (1301 W Street, SE)	Women	open now	7:00 am	open
Overflow Shelters	various	various	open now	7:00 am	open

- **Alert Night Shelters** are opened every night throughout the season when HSEMA activates the Hypothermia Alert.
- **Overflow Shelters** are opened as needed on a Hypothermia Alert night when Alert Night Shelters have reached capacity. Contact the UPO Shelter Hotline for transport or referral to Overflow Shelters that have been opened.

KEY CONTACT INFORMATION

DC Shelter Hotline	Websites	Twitter	Text Alerts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-800-535-7252 • 202-399-7093 • 311 • uposh@upo.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dmhs.dc.gov • hsema.dc.gov • snow.dc.gov 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • @DCHypothermia • @DC_HSEMA • @mayorvincegray 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Register with Alert DC online at https://textalert.ema.dc.gov/register.php • Register by texting "DC" to 411911
Call Washington Humane Society at 202-723-5730 24 hours/day to report cruelty, neglect and animal emergencies.			