



PRESS RELEASE

County of Dufferin
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ROADS AND SHELTER UPDATE

Dufferin County–

Last evening several motorists were stranded on local roads due to blizzard conditions. County staff arranged for two shelters to be opened: Honeywood Fire Hall (County Road 21) and Community Living Dufferin (065371 County Road 3). No additional shelters have been opened at this time.

The County Emergency Operations Centre has been activated at the County municipal office in Orangeville. The OPP has snowmobiles coming from the Bracebridge area to help with retrieving people from their vehicles.

Here's what is known at this time:

Roads

Roads are deemed to be closed. Do not try to travel on any County of Dufferin Roads.

Paramedics

Paramedics are at full capacity and one ambulance has been stuck.

Waste Pick Up

GFL (the County's waste contractor) will not be collecting waste today in the Monday Zones. For those affected, please double-up your garbage next week. If you have any questions, please contact Dufferin Waste at 519-941-2816, x2620 or through email at dufferinwaste@dufferincounty.ca. Alternatively, you may also contact GFL directly at 1-888-941-3345, ext. 1".

Information will be provided as it becomes available.

Contact Info:

Please direct inquiries to County Administration Office at 519-941-2816 (2500), email: info@dufferincounty.ca or visit dufferincounty.ca

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For more information, please contact:

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