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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

December 12, 2025

DeKalb County Warming Centers to Open on Sunday, December 14 through Tuesday, December 16

DECATUR, Ga. – Due to forecasted freezing temperatures and hazardous wind chills, DeKalb County will activate warming centers beginning at **6:00 a.m.** on **Sunday, December 14**, continuing through **Tuesday, December 16, 2025**:

The following locations will be open on **Sunday** for the 24-hour activation:

- Frontline Response International, 2585 Gresham Rd SE, Atlanta
- St. Vincent de Paul (SVdP), 2050-C Chamblee Tucker Rd, Chamblee
- Exchange Park Intergenerational Center, 2771 Columbia Dr, Decatur

Closed Location:

Mason Mill Recreation Center will not open during this activation.

Transportation Services – Revised Early Morning Schedule for Sunday Only

All routes originate from **Frontline Response Headquarters**, 2585 Gresham Rd SE, Atlanta. To support the early morning activation time, revised transportation pickups will be conducted only on Sunday, December 14. Initial pickups are scheduled for 5:00 a.m. These times are reversed from the standard evening schedule to accommodate the 6:00 a.m. warming center opening.

This revised schedule **applies only to Sunday** morning. All transportation services on <u>Monday night will follow the regular evening pickup schedule.</u>

During warming center activation, transportation pickups will be available to Frontline International according to the following schedule:

Revised Transportation Pickup Schedule – Sunday Morning, December 14 Only

Route 1 – North DeKalb / Chamblee-Tucker

Brookhaven MARTA Station 4047 Peachtree Rd NE, Brookhaven, GA 30319 – 5:00 a.m. Tucker First United Methodist Church 5095 LaVista Rd, Tucker, GA 30084 – 5:15 a.m. Chamblee Walmart 1871 Chamblee Tucker Rd, Chamblee, GA 30341 – 5:30 a.m. Chamblee Library 4115 Clairmont Rd, Chamblee, GA 30341 – 5:40 a.m. St. Vincent de Paul 2050-C Chamblee Tucker Rd, Chamblee, GA 30341 – 5:50 a.m. North DeKalb Senior Center 3393 Malone Dr, Chamblee, GA 30341 – 6:00 a.m.

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Route 2 - Central / Decatur / Emory

- East Lake MARTA Station 2260 College Ave NE, Atlanta GA 30307 5:55 a.m.
- Decatur Library 215 Sycamore St, Decatur, GA 30030 5:40 a.m.
- Emory Decatur Hospital 2701 N Decatur Rd, Decatur, GA 30033 5:25 a.m.
- Mason Mill Recreation Center 1340 McConnell Dr, Decatur, GA 30033 Closed
- Walmart 2525 North Decatur Rd., Decatur, GA 30033 5:05 a.m.

Route 3 - East / Stone Mountain / Candler

- Candler Rd MARTA 2427 Candler Rd, Decatur, GA 30032 6:10 a.m.
- Clifton Springs Mental Health Center 310 Clifton Springs Rd, Decatur, GA 30034 6:00 a.m.
- Hairston Crossing Library 4911 Redan Rd, Stone Mountain GA 30088 5:45 a.m.
- Stone Mountain Walmart 1825 Rockbridge Rd, Stone Mountain GA 30087 5:30 p.m.
- Exchange Park Intergenerational Center 2771 Columbia Dr, Decatur, GA 30034 5:15 a.m.
- Golden Door Warming Center 2944 Ember Dr, Decatur, GA 30034 5:05 a.m.

Route 4 – South Central / Memorial Dr / Wesley Chapel

- Memorial Dr & Columbia Dr Intersection Decatur, GA 30032 6:05 a.m.
- South DeKalb Mall 2731 Candler Rd, Decatur, GA 30034 5:55 a.m.
- QT on Wesley Chapel / Snapfinger Rd 4075 Wesley Chapel Rd, Decatur, GA 30034 5:40 a.m.
- Wesley Chapel Shopping Plaza Bus Stop 2495 Wesley Chapel Rd, Decatur, GA 30035 5:25 a.m.
- Golden Door Warming Center 2944 Ember Dr, Decatur, GA 30034 5:10 a.m.
- Exchange Park Intergenerational Center 2771 Columbia Dr, Decatur, GA 30034 5:00 a.m.

Frontline Response International is contracted by DeKalb County to serve individuals in need during extreme weather conditions. Frontline Response International will provide 24-hour operations during the **Sunday activation**, **including hot meals**, **cots**, **transportation**, **and case management services**. Individuals may arrive directly at Frontline HQ beginning at 6:00 a.m. on Sunday for assistance with warming center placement and additional services.

Contact & Walk-In Information

Transportation & Coordination Assistance:

Frontline Response Dispatch: 404-334-3610

Frontline HQ: 2585 Gresham Rd SE, Atlanta, GA 30316

Walk-In Access

Individuals may arrive directly at Frontline Response Headquarters (2585 Gresham Rd SE, Atlanta, GA 30316) starting at 6:00 a.m. on Sunday, December 14.

For more information about centers offered by DeKalb County and its community partners, visit www.dekalbcountyga.gov/weather.