



**Council for the Homeless issued a Severe Cold Weather Alert for the emergency shelter system in Clark County for the night of Saturday, February 1st, and may extend through and may extend through Wednesday, February 5th.**

**Additional resources and increased shelter capacity will be activated during this time period.**

**Daytime Warming Centers:**

Saint Paul's Lutheran Church (1309 Franklin Avenue; Vancouver WA, 98660)

Days open: Monday, February 3rd - Wednesday, February 5th

Hours: 8:30 am - 4 pm

Enter down the stairs on the East side of the building nearest the 13th Street side.

Nearest C-Tran #25 line ID numbers:

3492 Mill Plain & Franklin EB

6069 Franklin & 13th St SB

**For up to date shelter information:**

<https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/viewer?ll=45.72417492590432%2C-122.54998275&z=11&mid=1kBdSaFSvF4FdiRkzDxA6rpGz-I9FPPE>

**Please direct people who need shelter and housing assistance to the Council for the Homeless Housing Hotline at (360) 695-9677.**

**Monday-Friday from 9am-8pm**

**Weekends and holidays from 11am-5pm**

**A message from C-Tran:**

"During extreme temperatures, C-TRAN will not turn anyone away who is riding to a warming center. Passengers should tell the operator as they board that they're heading to a warming

center, and fares will not be enforced. We also encourage anyone to plan ahead and stay hydrated if they expect to be out traveling."

**A message from Marlow Macht, Clark County EMS, Medical Program Director:**

"Particularly in the dry cold, people with limited access to water can become dehydrated because thirst cues decrease, but the body uses a lot of moisture to warm the air; people have fewer thirst cues in the dry cold. No need to hyper-hydrate; just have water or warm drinks available when possible."

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