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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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DeKalb County Extends Warming Center Activation Until Tuesday, November 17, at 9 a.m.

DECATUR, GA – DeKalb County's warming center activation began at 6 p.m. on Friday, November 13, and was initially scheduled to end at 9 a.m. on Monday, November 16. Due to continued freezing weather, **the County is extending the activation until 9 a.m. on Tuesday, November 17, 2026, subject to further extension based on weather conditions.**

The Golden Door, located at 2944 Ember Drive in Decatur, remains the only warming center location being used for this activation.

All transportation routes originate from **Frontline Response Headquarters, 2585 Gresham Road SE, Atlanta. Initial pickups begin at 6 p.m. and are scheduled to be completed by 7:30 p.m.** Following the initial routes, final sweeps will continue from 7:30 p.m. until 10 p.m.

TRANSPORTATION PICKUP SCHEDULE

Route 1 – North DeKalb / Chamblee-Tucker

- North DeKalb Senior Center – 3393 Malone Dr., Chamblee, GA 30341 – 6:05 p.m.
- St. Vincent de Paul – 2050-C Chamblee Tucker Rd., Chamblee, GA 30341 – 6:15 p.m.
- Chamblee Library – 4115 Clairmont Rd., Chamblee, GA 30341 – 6:25 p.m.
- Chamblee Walmart – 1871 Chamblee Tucker Rd., Chamblee, GA 30341 – 6:40 p.m.
- Tucker First United Methodist Church – 5095 LaVista Rd., Tucker, GA 30084 – 7 p.m.
- Brookhaven MARTA Station – 4047 Peachtree Rd. NE, Brookhaven, GA 30319 – 7:20 p.m.
- Golden Door Warming Center – 2944 Ember Dr., Decatur – 7:30 p.m.

Route 2 – Central / Decatur / Emory

- East Lake MARTA Station – 2260 College Ave. NE, Atlanta, GA 30307 – 6:10 p.m.
- Decatur Library – 215 Sycamore St., Decatur, GA 30030 – 6:25 p.m.
- Emory Decatur Hospital – 2701 N. Decatur Rd., Decatur, GA 30033 – 6:45 p.m.
- Walmart – 2525 North Decatur Rd., Decatur, GA 30033 – 7:15 p.m.
- Golden Door Warming Center – 2944 Ember Dr., Decatur – 7:30 p.m.

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Route 3 – East / Stone Mountain / Candler

- Candler Rd. MARTA – 2427 Candler Rd., Decatur, GA 30032 – 6:10 p.m.
- Clifton Springs Mental Health Center – 310 Clifton Springs Rd., Decatur, GA 30034 – 6:25 p.m.
- Hairston Crossing Library – 4911 Redan Rd., Stone Mountain, GA 30088 – 6:45 p.m.
- Stone Mountain Walmart – 1825 Rockbridge Rd., Stone Mountain, GA 30087 – 7:05 p.m.
- Golden Door Warming Center – 2944 Ember Dr., Decatur – 7:30 p.m.

Route 4 – South Central / Memorial Drive / Wesley Chapel

- Memorial Dr. & Columbia Dr. intersection – Decatur, GA 30032 – 6:10 p.m.
- South DeKalb Mall – 2731 Candler Rd., Decatur, GA 30034 – 6:25 p.m.
- QT on Wesley Chapel / Snapfinger Rd. – 4075 Wesley Chapel Rd., Decatur, GA 30034 – 6:45 p.m.
- Wesley Chapel Shopping Plaza Bus Stop – 2495 Wesley Chapel Rd., Decatur, GA 30035 – 7 p.m.
- Golden Door Warming Center – 2944 Ember Dr., Decatur – 7:15 p.m.

Frontline Response International is contracted by DeKalb County to serve individuals in need during extreme weather conditions.

Walk-In Access

Walk-in access began at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, November 13, 2026. Individuals may arrive directly at The Golden Door, 2944 Ember Drive, Decatur, for assistance with warming center placement, showers, laundry, and additional services.

Transportation and Coordination Assistance

Contact Frontline Response Dispatch at 404-334-3610.

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