



## **PRESS RELEASE**

County of Dufferin  
55 Zina Street  
Orangeville, ON L9W 1E5

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## **ROADS AND SHELTER UPDATE #2**

*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.

Here's is an update:

### Roads

Road conditions remain dangerous due to blowing and drifting snow, nil visibility and abandoned vehicles. Plowing operation are being hinder by numerous abandoned vehicles. OPP, snow clearing crews and tow truck operators are working to clear the roads. Progress is slow. Please be patient and stay off the roads.

### Paramedics

Paramedics are at full capacity.

### 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](mailto: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](mailto:info@dufferincounty.ca) or visit [dufferincounty.ca](http://dufferincounty.ca)

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**For more information, please contact:**

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