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## **WINTER STORM & POTENTIAL HYDRO OUTAGE NOTICE**

Environment Canada is forecasting a major winter storm is expected beginning early today and continuing into Monday across Ontario, including the Temagami Area. The storm is expected to bring 10 to 20 cm of snow and ice pellets, near zero visibility in heavy snow and blowing snow, freezing rain with 6 to 12 mm of ice build-up, and northeasterly wind gusts of 70 to 80 km/h. Precipitation will likely begin as rapidly accumulating snow before transitioning to freezing rain or ice pellets tonight. Some areas may warm up to rain Monday morning before changing back to snow later in the day.

### **BE PREPARED**

- Ensure generators or backup power sources are working and have extra fuel.
- For community members off the loop fill containers with water in case outages last longer.
- Have medications and basic medical supplies ready.
- Check in with family or vulnerable neighbours.
- Plan to stay somewhere with backup heat such as a wood stove if needed.

### **WARMING STATION**

**Location:** Minowaabandan-gamiing Mawanjahidiwining

The warming station will open **if a power outage lasts longer than 4 hours.**

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