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City of Canton Opening Additional Warming Centers

(CANTON, Ohio) – January 17, 2025 – Due to next week’s forecasted subzero temperatures, the City of Canton is opening additional warming centers for those in need.

The warming centers will operate as follows:

Canton Memorial Civic Center: 1101 Market Ave. N., 44702

Hours of operation: Sunday, Jan. 19, 8:00 p.m. to Monday, Jan. 20, 8:00 a.m.

Guests will enter through the north entrance. Food and water will be available.

Edward “Peel” Coleman Community Center: 1400 Sherrick Rd. S.E., 44707

Hours of operation: Monday, Jan. 20 to Wednesday, Jan. 22. Open each night from 8:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. Guests will enter through the west entrance. Food and water will be available.

Crossroads United Methodist Church: 120 Cleveland Ave. SW, 44702

Hours of operation: Open nightly from 8:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.

Guests will enter through the Cleveland Ave. entrance. Food and water will be available.

Refuge of Hope: 715 Second St. NE, 44704.

Hours of operation: Monday, Jan. 20 to Friday, Jan. 24 from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday, Jan. 25 from 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Guests must enter through door #4. Food and water will be available.

SARTA will provide transportation to the warming centers during regular operating hours. Individuals can access SARTA from any regular bus stop to the Cornerstone Transit Center on Cherry Ave. SE. Riders will notify drivers they are in route to a warming center and there will be no fee. If traveling to Crossroads United Methodist Church, use route #102 or #105. Route #110 will take riders to the Edward “Peel” Coleman Community Center.

If transportation is needed when SARTA is not available, please call City of Canton dispatch at 330.649.5800.

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