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EOC ACTIVATES IN PREPARATION FOR WINTER WEATHER

Call 9-1-1 In An Emergency

The Wake County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) activated to Level Three at **12 p.m. TODAY, Wednesday, February 12, 2014**, in preparation for an anticipated winter storm.

A level three activation means that equipment and personnel are responding and the EOC is staffed on a continual basis. This staffing includes a call center that is available to handle non-emergency calls in English and Spanish. The call center phone number is 919-856-7044. People should call 9-1-1 in an emergency.

Tips for preparing for winter weather, items to include in an emergency kit and how to call for non-emergency assistance in Wake County are available anytime at www.WakeGOV.com/ReadyWake.

Wake County recommends that residents stay at home and off the roads. The County anticipates winter weather through Thursday. Residents are encouraged to pay close attention to the local radio and television stations for information specific to Wake County and their specific town. Anyone interested in receiving the latest updates on urgent situations, including winter weather in Wake County can sign up to follow @ReadyWake on Twitter.

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