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## **Emergency Winter Shelter**

The Mental Wellness Team is working to open a temporary emergency winter shelter at the Resource Building (blue building beside the Band Office). The space will be open to Aamjiwnaang community members experiencing homelessness who cannot be housed through existing programs (e.g. The Inn of the Good Shepherd). The hours of operation will be 7 days a week from 11pm to 7am. Staff are also planning a daytime drop-in for outreach services during regular business hours.

Staff are currently preparing the space and hiring temporary workers, with the hopes of opening by mid-February. More details to come as we get closer to opening.

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