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**For Immediate Release**

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## **WEATHER ADVISORY**

### **Residents Advised to Secure Outdoor Furniture, Awnings Ahead of Today's Anticipated High Winds**

Newark Public Safety Director Anthony F. Ambrose advises residents to secure outdoor furniture, awnings, refuse and building materials due to today's anticipated high winds.

Today's high winds, with gusts of up to 50 mph, are expected to begin from 4 p.m. and continue through 10 a.m. tomorrow morning. Tree limbs may be blown down and some power outages may result. For fire safety, residents are advised to use flashlights, instead of candles, if their electricity is lost due to this weather event.

For anyone requiring information about sheltering services, contact the shelters listed below or the Department of Health and Community Wellness, Division of Social Services at **(973) 877- 9484, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

<b>Shelter</b>	<b>Address and Phone Number</b>	<b>Population Served</b>
Apostle House	513-515 Avon Avenue, Newark, NJ (973) 482-0625	Women and children only
Isaiah House	238 North Munn Avenue, East Orange, NJ (973) 678 – 5882	Single mothers and families with children
Catholic Charities- St. Rocco's	368 South 7 <sup>th</sup> Street, Newark, NJ (973) 286-4175	Families with children
Circle of Life	55 Tillinghast Street, Newark, NJ (862) 763 – 4859	Adults only LGBTQ Friendly
Fairmont Health	202 Fairmont Avenue, Newark, NJ (973) 643 – 7705	Adults only
H.E.L.P. Center	224 Sussex Avenue, Newark, NJ (973) 705-7200	Adults only

For non-emergency weather related issues, call: 973-733-6000. For emergencies, dial 911.