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Dear Members,

Re: Extreme Winter Conditions

Winter conditions have hit numerous areas of the province, and we want to remind all APBC members to take extra precautions when organizing transport to work. If road conditions are treacherous, please plan ahead. Pack an emergency kit for your car with food, water, clothing, and blankets. Allow extra time for commuting if need be. Contact the BCEHS Scheduling Department or your direct Supervisor if you will be late.

While we always suggest planning ahead and allowing extra time, sometimes road conditions are unpredictable. If you are delayed, remember- do NOT drive to arrive on time; drive to arrive safely.

I appreciate your dedication to providing high-level paramedic and dispatch services to our communities, and please be safe out there.

On behalf of your union executive,

Jason Jackson Provincial President Ambulance Paramedics of BC CUPE Local 873

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