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City of Westland Responds to Dangerous Heat-Humidity with Cooling Centers- Charging Stations

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Due to the forecasted extreme high temperatures, The City of Westland's Cooling Centers will be operational for the remainder of the week, unless conditions change. When the weather forecast calls for high temperatures, or a combination of precipitation, humidity and temperatures that feel like 98 degrees or above our cooling centers will be open. These locations will also serve as Charging locations for resident's phones or electronic devices. The hot and humid air could lead to potentially hazardous conditions, particularly for the elderly and those with pre-existing conditions.

Bottled water will be provided to keep residents cool. Residents are asked to bring their own reading materials or any personal items they require.

Below is the listing of the locations with their address and the hours the cooling centers will be open until the temperatures have subsided:

- Westland City Hall, located at 36300 Warren Road – Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- Fire Station #1, located at 35701 Central City Parkway), 7 days a week from 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- Fire Station #3, located at 28801 Annapolis, 7 days a week from 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.
- The Police Station, located at 36701 Ford Road) 24 hours 7 days a week
- The Friendship Center, located at 1119 N. Newburgh Road, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 5 p.m.
- Jefferson Barns Community Vitality Center, located at 32150 Dorsey Road, Monday and Thursday 9:00a.m. – 6:00p.m., Tuesday and Wednesday 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. and Friday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- William P. Faust Library, located at 6123 Central City Parkway Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m.– 9:00 p.m., Friday and Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

In addition to these locations, residents seeking to get out of the heat can visit the **H2O Zone Spray Park**, located at 1901 N. Carlson, 7 days a week from 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. (entrance fee required) or the **Westland Shopping Center**, located at 35000 Warren Road from 11:00 a.m. – 8 p.m.

In an emergency please call 911. Please notify friends, family and neighbors who might not have access to this information.

For more information, please call (734) 467-3200.

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