

Warming and Cooling Station Policy

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At the request of the Groton Emergency Management (GEM), the Groton Public Library can be designated as a relief center as needed during town emergencies. The building will serve as a warming or cooling center during hours of operation as well as a designated location with heat and electricity during emergencies such as storms and power outages (after GEM has verified that GPL has necessary services). Should there be a need to extend emergency services past hours of operation, the Library Director will determine the necessary staff to keep the building open and request their assistance.