

## **Efficient team successfully clearing the snow | some stranded motorists and trucks are now moving**

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Mooi River, R108: Indeed there is light at the end of the tunnel. Thanks to the hard working and efficient team from Road Traffic Inspectorate.

The team has successfully cleared the snow on some parts of the N3 and other routes working with affected municipalities.

We can report that some stranded motorists and trucks are now moving.

We request the media and members of the public to note the following:-

- R103 from Estcourt to Mooi River is cleared;
- Kokstad to Underberg cleared traffic is moving now;
- N11 between Amajuba and Volkrust is cleared.

Since early this morning, I have moving up and down N3 co-ordinating the teams from Pietemaritzburg and Ladysmith.

The focus has been on rescuing stranded motorists and to allow disaster management teams to bring in much needed relief.

Despite small pockets of success in terms of clearing the snow, people are requested to stay away from some of the major routes affected by the snow in order to remain safe.

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