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## **City living combats Siberian snow**

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The UK ground to a halt today as the result of a straining transport network brought to its knees by the heaviest snowfall in 18 years...

The effect was most stark in London, which saw all of the capital's buses confined to their depots and only a handful of train services running and only one tube line functioning. The Federation of Small Businesses (FSB) has estimated that 1 in 5 workers were not able to make it into the office, at a cost to the economy of £1.2 billion per day.

Young Group's CEO, Neil Young commented, "The cost of the adverse weather is staggering, but it has been those lucky enough to live in city centres, close enough to walk to work, who have been left holding the economy together."

Young Group promotes city living by investing in developments across London that are convenient for commuting on foot or by bike.

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