



WATERSHED CONDITIONS

Flood Outlook Statement

Credit Valley Conservation

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Issued to: Municipalities, Police, Emergency Services, School Boards, Media, Local Conservation Authorities, CVC Staff and Board Members

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The Surface Water Monitoring Centre from the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry advises that a continuing series of low-pressure systems are forecast to cross the Southern Region over the next 3 days, bringing periods of rain and showers. Forecast accumulations range from 10 – 40 mm over Southern Ontario. These low-pressure systems will have embedded thunderstorms with some reaching severe limits. Locally, thunderstorms may be possible starting later this evening through the over night hours and into the early afternoon on Saturday.

No significant flooding along the Credit River or its major tributaries is expected. However, heavy downpours associated with thunderstorms could result in flooding of highly urbanized areas.

All streams, rivers, and shorelines could become dangerous, especially in the vicinity of culverts, bridges and dams. People should be warned to stay away from all watercourses and shorelines, especially children and pets.

CVC will continue to closely monitor weather and water levels in the watershed. The Watershed Conditions Statement for Flood Outlook will be in effect through **Sun-Aug-30-2020** or until further notice.



To view current watershed conditions, please visit our real-time monitoring website:

<https://cvc.ca/watershed-science/watershed-monitoring/real-time-monitoring/>

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NOTE: A Flood Outlook Statement is issued as an early notice of the potential for flooding based on weather forecast of heavy rain, snow melt, high wind or other conditions that could lead to high runoff, ice jams, shoreline flooding or erosion.

CVC will no longer be issuing flood messages via fax.

Note to Public: CVC's role during a flooding event is to monitor current watershed conditions and weather forecasts, predict river and creek conditions, and communicate our findings to the public, municipalities and media. For more information about this message please call CVC between 8:30 and 4:30 (Monday to Friday) at 905-670-1615 and ask for the Flood Duty Officer. If you are concerned about high water levels in your area, please contact your municipality. For emergencies requiring police, fire or ambulance, call 9-1-1.

Note to Municipal, Provincial and Conservation staff: For more information about this message please call CVC between 8:30 and 4:30 (Monday to Friday) at 905-670-1615 and ask for the Flood Duty Officer. For after-hours inquiries, please phone our answering service at 1-800-215-8505.

Note to Media: For further information or questions regarding this message contact the Senior Manager of Marketing and Communications. During office hours call 905-670-1615 and 647-271-5643 for after-hours inquiries.