
TIMMINS FLOOD ADVISORY COMMITTEE

NEWS RELEASE

WATERSHED FLOOD UPDATES

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(Timmins, ON)—The Mattagami Region Conservation Authority has downgraded the flood status of the Mattagami River, and the Timmins Flood Advisory Committee continues to meet regularly to review water level information.

The Flood Warning for the Mattagami River has been downgraded to a Flood Watch. This serves as notification that the potential for flooding still exists. Water levels for the Mattagami River are still higher than normal. A rise in water levels could occur should the watershed experience rain events, however the current short-term forecast does not indicate a significant amount of precipitation.

The Watershed Conditions Statement: Flood Outlook for Porcupine Lake and Porcupine River and the Watershed Conditions Statement: Water Safety for all areas have been terminated. Water levels throughout the watershed, including around Porcupine Lake and Porcupine River have come down with the minimal precipitation and warmer temperatures

Residents can visit the MRCA website at www.mattagamiregion.ca for the latest information on watershed conditions and public advisories, or to sign up for flood notifications via email.

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