
Timmins Flood Advisory Committee

NEWS RELEASE

FLOOD UPDATES

Mattagami River Watershed remains under Flood Warning Other Areas Downgraded to Watershed Conditions Statement-Water Safety

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(Timmins, ON)— The Mattagami Region Conservation Authority (MRCA) and the Timmins Flood Advisory Committee continue to meet regularly to assess local water levels and conditions. As a result of the minimal precipitation over the past week and decreased snow levels, changes are being made to the flood messaging for the Timmins area.

The Flood Warning is being extended specifically for the Mattagami River where the water levels continue to remain higher than normal. Many low-lying areas are still experiencing nuisance flooding. Property owners in flood-prone areas are reminded to monitor their properties closely and take necessary precautions to protect their properties.

The Flood Warning for Porcupine Lake and Kamiskotia Lake has been downgraded to a Watershed Conditions Safety Statement—Water Safety. While conditions have improved, residents are cautioned to stay away from rivers, lakes and streams. Slippery banks and fast-moving cold water continue to pose serious safety risks. Parents are encouraged to remind children about the dangers of playing near waterways.

Conditions can change quickly depending on the weather. The Committee will continue monitoring and will provide updates on a regular basis. For the latest public advisories, or to sign up for email flood notifications, please visit the MRCA website at www.mattagamiregion.ca

This message will be in effect until (or updated before) May 15, 2025.

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