

June 29, 2022 - Park County Flooding Update

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Daily Updates are released on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

Evening Update:

- Montana Department of Transportation crews will be working on Hwy 89 S though Yankee Jim Canyon. Monday through Friday, 7AM - 7PM. Traffic is reduced to one lane with a pilot car. Expect delays of around 15 minutes.
- MDT crews will also be working on East River Road, about 5 miles north of the intersection with Hwy 89 S at Dome Mountain. There may be intermittent lane closures.
- If you are in need of assistance due to disability-related or functional needs (including communication, independence, safety, internet access and more), fill out the Park County Health Department form below to be connected with help services:
 https://PHEP.formstack.com/forms/mtflood22 afn form or call the Health Department at 406-222-4145 for help filling it out.
- Yellowstone River is closed downstream of Livingston between the Hwy 89N Bridge and Sheep Mountain fishing access sites due to a downed power pole.
- Some Fishing Access Sites remain closed. Check on closures and other information about the Yellowstone River at https://fwp.mt.gov/news.
- Park County Road crews will be working on Cinnabar Basin Rd until Friday, 7/08 from 7AM 4PM.
 The road is open to traffic with flaggers.
- Tourism Reliant Business Flood Assistance Grants have been created in response to the economic impact to tourism-reliant businesses affected by the historic flooding in Carbon, Park and Stillwater Counties. Visit https://commerce.mt.gov for more information.
- Some residences in Silver Gate continue having issues with Centurylink landline service. The issue is being worked on.
- FedEx service to Cooke City and Silver Gate has not fully resumed.

• Residents who need help with flood clean up can call 2-1-1 or 406-201-1173 to get connected with Crisis Cleanup teams and other resources.

Water Update

There are no boil advisories in effect for any water district in Park County. If you are on a private well and have questions about water safety or testing, please call the Park County Health Department 406-222-4145.

Flood Damage Form:

Flood impacted residents in Park County are strongly encouraged to **fill out a Personal Property Damage Form as soon as possible.** <u>Any flood-related damage, physical or economic, should be recorded</u>. Scan the QR code or follow <u>this link</u> to fill out the form. You may also call 406-222-4131 for help filling out the form.



Southwest Montana Flood Relief Fund:

Those directly impacted by recent flooding in Park County in need of financial support can apply for funds through the SW Montana Flood Relief Fund, a partnership between the Park County Community Foundation and Greater Gallatin United Way. To fill out the application visit this link.

Current funding will focus on supporting individuals, businesses, and organizations for clean-up and rebuilding efforts for those who have lost or experienced damage to their homes, businesses, or personal property. More information about the Fund can be found on the Park County Community Foundation website at https://www.pccf-montana.org or by calling the Foundation at 406-224-3920.

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Scams:

If you suspect anyone – an inspector, disaster survivor, or someone posing as one of these – of fraudulent activities, call the FEMA toll-free Disaster Fraud Hotline at 866-720-5721, or Park County Sheriff's Office at 406-222-2050.

Volunteer Tracking:

It is critical that volunteer hours, donations and equipment use (pumps, hoses, skid steers, even brooms, etc.) be recorded for FEMA compliance. It is also critical that the work done is being detailed. FEMA-compliant forms for volunteer and equipment tracking can be found on Park County's flood information page at https://www.parkcounty.org/Government-Departments/Emergency-Services/.

Contact Info

For all non-emergency questions, call the Park County Information Hotline at 406-222-4131. Hotline hours are 8 AM to 5 PM.

Updates are posted throughout the day at the Park County Flooding – June 2022 Facebook page.