

Alert Detail Report - Flood Warning

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Alert Information

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Event: Flood Warning

Severity: Severe

Status: Actual

Message Type: Update

Urgency: Immediate

Certainty: Observed

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Headline

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Flood Warning issued April 3 at 11:28AM EDT by NWS Northern Indiana

Description

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...The Flood Warning is extended for the following rivers in Indiana...Ohio... Tippecanoe River above Winamac affecting Pulaski, Carroll and White Counties. Yellow River at Plymouth affecting Starke, St. Joseph and Marshall Counties. Blanchard River at Ottawa affecting Putnam County. Saint Joseph River Ohio below Montpelier affecting Williams County. North Branch Elkhart River at Cosperville affecting Noble County. ...The Flood Warning continues for the following rivers in Indiana... Ohio... Wabash River near Linn Grove affecting Wells and Adams Counties. Maumee River at Napoleon affecting Henry County. Maumee River near Defiance affecting Defiance and Henry Counties. Saint Joseph River Ohio near St. Joe River Ft. Wayne affecting Allen IN County. Saint Marys River near Decatur affecting Van Wert, Allen IN and Adams Counties. Tippecanoe River near Ora affecting Pulaski County. Eel River at North Manchester affecting Kosciusko, Wabash, Miami, Cass IN and Whitley Counties. Maumee River at Fort Wayne affecting Paulding and Allen IN Counties. Saint Joseph River Ohio near Newville affecting De Kalb, Defiance and Allen IN Counties. Tiffin River at Stryker affecting Defiance, Fulton OH and Williams Counties. For the Tippecanoe River...including Ora, Winamac, Norway Dam... Moderate flooding is forecast. For the Wabash River...including Linn Grove, Bluffton IN, Wabash, Logansport...Minor flooding is forecast. For the Eel River...including North Manchester...Minor flooding is forecast. For the Yellow River...including Plymouth, Knox...Minor flooding is forecast. For the Blanchard River...including Ottawa...Minor flooding is forecast. For the Maumee River...including Fort Wayne, Defiance, Napoleon... Minor flooding is forecast. For the Saint Joseph River Ohio...including Montpelier, Newville, St. Joe River Ft. Wayne...Moderate flooding is forecast. For the Saint Marys River...including Decatur, St. Mary's River near Fort

Wayne...Minor flooding is forecast. For the Tiffin River...including Stryker...Minor flooding is forecast. For the Elkhart River...including Goshen, Cosperville...Minor flooding is forecast. \* WHAT...Minor flooding is occurring and moderate flooding is forecast. \* WHERE...Saint Joseph River Ohio near Newville. \* WHEN...Until further notice. \* IMPACTS...At 14.0 feet, Significant flooding occurs on DeKalb County Road 42 about 3 miles northeast of Newville. Considerable agricultural and low land flooding occurs along the St. Joseph River to the Cedarville Reservoir. \* ADDITIONAL DETAILS... - At 10:40 AM EDT Friday the stage was 13.9 feet. - Recent Activity...The maximum river stage in the 24 hours ending at 10:40 AM EDT Friday was 13.9 feet. - Forecast...The river is expected to rise to a crest of 15.1 feet Monday morning. - Flood stage is 12.0 feet. - <http://www.weather.gov/safety/flood>

#### Instructions

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Turn around, don't drown when encountering flooded roads. Most flood deaths occur in vehicles. Detailed river forecasts and additional information can be found at [www.weather.gov/iwx](http://www.weather.gov/iwx) under Rivers and Lakes. The next statement will be issued late tonight at 530 AM EDT /430 AM CDT/.

#### Affected Areas

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Area Description: Allen, IN; De Kalb, IN; Defiance, OH  
SAME Codes: 018003, 018033, 039039  
UGC Codes: INC003, INC033, OHC039

#### Source Information

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