



COUNTY OF ST. CLAIR



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St. Clair County Coastal Community Flooding - Update

Coastal communities in St. Clair County continue to experience flooding.

The United States Army Corp of Engineers recently provided our municipal partners with an update of the situation.

Algonac and Port Lambton are continuing to see a decline in water levels. Water levels in St. Clair, Port Huron, Sarnia and Fort Gratiot (Lake Huron) have experienced a nine (9) to eleven (11) inch increase in the past 24 hours.

The continued slow decline in levels in Port Lambton and rise in St. Clair continues to suggest a blockage between those points. A previous briefing from the Coast Guard indicated there is a brash ice blockage in the area of Willow Point, which is south of Port Lambton and north of Algonac. The rise in water levels from St. Clair and north appear to be largely driven by Lake Huron water levels.

Citizens who are impacted by flooding to their properties continue to be encouraged to utilize the online self-reporting survey to catalogue and report damage. Photos may also be included. Links to the survey can be found on both Facebook and our webpage at:

<https://www.facebook.com/BeReadyStClairCounty> or
<https://www.bereadystclaircounty.org>

This situation is ongoing and will continue to be monitored and assessed. Updates will be provided when necessary.

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