

High Streamflow Advisory for South Central Alberta

Alberta Environment has issued a High Streamflow Advisory for South Central Alberta including the following stream and its tributaries:

- **Little Red Deer River**

This stream has been rising steadily in response to the increase in snowmelt runoff caused by this week's warm temperatures. Snowmelt is expected to remain active with the above normal temperatures and sunny conditions forecast for the rest of the week. This stream is expected to rise further and may affect campgrounds and parks along the river. River level will remain high into this weekend.

Alberta Environment is monitoring river levels closely and is in close contact with Environment Canada Weather Services. Additional information is available from the Forecasters Comments on our website at: <http://environment.alberta.ca/forecasting/ForecastersComments/index.html>.

Alberta Environment is monitoring river conditions closely along the Little Red Deer River. This advisory is in effect for 7 days and will be updated if there is any change in conditions.

A High Streamflow Advisory means that stream levels are rising or expected to rise rapidly and no major flooding is expected. Minor flooding in low-lying areas is possible. Anyone situated close to the streams affected (campers, fishermen, boaters and the general public) is advised to be cautious of the rising levels.

A Flood Watch means that stream levels are rising and will approach or may exceed bank full. Flooding of areas adjacent to these streams may occur. Anyone situated close to the streams is advised to take appropriate precautionary measures.

A Flood Warning means that rising river levels will result in flooding of areas adjacent to the streams affected. Anyone situated close to the river should take appropriate measures to avoid flood damage.

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