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**County and City of Sacramento Office of Emergency Services
Update On Winter Storm**

The County and City of Sacramento's Office of Emergency Services continues to monitor the winter storms closely. We anticipate more rain and wind, with the heaviest late Saturday night through mid-Sunday for the Sacramento area.

In preparation for these storms, both the County and City have assigned on-call crews to be available for assistance with downed trees, clogged storm drains and flooded streets. The storms have caused some localized flooding and downed trees and power lines.

County of Sacramento:

For localized street flooding, downed trees or branches in the roadway: call 875-5171.

For water or drainage issues: call 875-7246.

Information on creek levels: www.stormready.org and follow the link to [Rain Fall/Creek Levels \(ALERT\)](#).

City of Sacramento:

Call 3-1-1 or use the [FREE 311 App](#) to have a City crew dispatched to assist with street flooding and downed trees or branches blocking the roadway.

Other Information:

Information on emergency preparedness, general information:
www.sacramento-ready.org

For Sewer issues 916-875-6730.

For electrical power outages in Sacramento County contact SMUD at 1-888-456-7683 or PG&E at 1-800-743-5000.

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What residents can do:

- Clear debris from gutters and downspouts
- Drive safely and slowly
- Keep clear of downed power lines
- Monitor local weather forecasts
- Tie down or properly store outdoor refuse cans, lawn equipment, decorations
- Inventory or create emergency preparedness kits
- Do not remove manhole covers
- Pet owners check to be sure pets are secure and safe
- If your area is prone to localized flooding, stock up on supplies from a local retailer to secure your home

When to call:

- Roadway is blocked- cannot pass through (trees on private property are owners responsibility)
- Localized flooding
- Down power lines
- Gutters/streets flooded making it unsafe to pass or clear

Media updates will be provided as necessary.

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