During a Flood — Be Safe

Floods can happen anywhere it rains.





When it floods, go to higher ground. Avoid areas subject to flooding. Be aware of streams, drainage channels, and areas known to flood, so you are not cut off from your evacuation routes.

WATCH OUT FOR WATER

Don't walk across flowing streams or drive on flooded roads. Moving water just 6 inches deep can knock you off your feet and cause an injury. Even 2 feet of water is enough to sweep a car off the road.



Listen to the radio or TV for information. Be sure to follow the instructions of local authorities.



Turn off all utilities at the main power switch and close the main gas valve if advised to do so. Don't touch any electrical devices if you're wet or in standing water.

