



PEACE RIVER REGIONAL DISTRICT

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Moberly Lake Flood Precautions

The **PEACE RIVER REGIONAL DISTRICT** (PRRD) would like to inform lakeshore residents of Moberly Lake of an increased risk of flooding due to rising lake levels. As a result of higher than normal snow packs, rain and sudden increasing warm weather conditions Moberly Lake has reached or exceeded the high water marks around the lake. Continued warm weather and rain over the coming week could cause the lake to continue to rise.

In preparation of potential flooding residents should relocate or secure boats, equipment, fuel tanks, pesticides, garbage and other belongings from low lying areas on the lakeshore.

Boaters should be aware of logs and floating debris on the lake and that wakes can cause lakeshore erosion which may increase the risk of flooding.

For more information on potential flood hazards and safety precautions please check the PRRD website at www.prrd.bc.ca.

To report flooding or for more information please call the Peace River Regional District at 250 784-3200.

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