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ENDED - High Streamflow Advisory – Cowichan River

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The River Forecast Centre is **ending a High Streamflow Advisory** for:

- **Cowichan River**

River levels on Cowichan Lake and the Cowichan River have been receding throughout the past several days. Additional rainfall is forecasted next week for the region; advisories will be re-issued if required based on forecasts for a return to elevated stream flow.

The public is advised to stay clear of the fast-flowing rivers and potentially unstable riverbanks during the high-streamflow period.

The [River Forecast Centre](#) continues to monitor the conditions and will provide updates as conditions warrant.

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A **High Streamflow Advisory** means that river levels are rising or expected to rise rapidly, but that no major flooding is expected. Minor flooding in low-lying areas is possible.

A **Flood Watch** means that river levels are rising and will approach or may exceed bankfull. Flooding of areas adjacent to affected rivers may occur.

A **Flood Warning** means that river levels have exceeded bankfull or will exceed bankfull imminently, and that flooding of areas adjacent to the rivers affected will result.