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Flooding Closes Roads in Greene County

Multiple traffic accidents and water rescues have take place throughout Greene County today due to motorists driving on flooded roadways. The Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management urges motorists to avoid roads covered in water, particularly where roads are posted closed.

“We are having a problem with people driving around barricades,” said Larry Woods, Assistant Director of the Springfield-Greene County Office of Emergency Management. “Remember: ‘Turn around, don’t drown.’ ”

The following Greene County roads are currently closed due to flooding:

- Farm Road 166 east of State Highway 125
- Farm Road 223 north of Farm Road 194
- Farm Road 144 west of Mumford
- Farm Road 243 at 170
- Farm Road 243 south of Farm Road 166
- Farm Road 193 south of Farm Road 148
- Farm Road 213 north of Division
- Scenic between Battlefield Road and Farm Road 164
- Farm Road 89 at Farm Road 140
- Farm Road 124 at Farm Road 55
- Farm Road 120 at State Highway F
- Farm Road 17 at State Highway FF
- Farm Road 156 west of State Highway FF
- Allen and Jewell east of Scenic
- Farm Road 146 at Farm Road 123
- Farm Road 131 south of Farm Road 182
- Farm Road 29 between Farm Road 168 and Farm Road 164
- Farm Road 144 at State Highway 266
- Farm Road 170 east and west of Farm Road 205
- Farm Road 170 east of Farm Road 227
- Farm Road 227 south Farm Road 164
- Farm Road 156 east of State Highway D
- Farm Road 219 north of Farm Road 170
- Farm Road 223 between Farm Road 170 and Farm Road 164
- Farm Road 219 at Farm Road 148
- Farm Road 219 south of US 60
- Farm Road 112 west of Farm Road 249
- Farm Road 249 south of Farm Road 112
- Farm Road 186 west of State Highway 125

Additional county roadways may also be covered in water, and this list will be updated as needed.

Motorists are reminded to use extreme caution while driving. Road beds may be washed out below the water’s surface, and even a few inches of rushing water may carry a vehicle off the road.
To report a flooded roadway in unincorporated Greene County, call the Greene County Highway Department at 417-831-3591. For more information, call Jenny Fillmer Edwards, Greene County Public Information Officer, at 417-829-6019 or 417-224-5510.