



A News Release
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**Cataraqui Region
Conservation Authority**

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CRCA issues a Flood Warning Update

Lake levels begin to fall, but likely to remain high for weeks to come

Sydenham Lake, Loughborough Lake, Kingsford Lake and Devil Lake no longer in a state of flood warning.

Lakes that remain in Flood Warning:

Newboro Lake, Opinicon Lake, Sand Lake, Cranberry Lake, Buck Lake, Charleston Lake, Gananoque Lake, Gananoque River and the Reach between Upper and Lower Brewers.

Kingston – The Cataraqui Region Conservation Authority (CRCA) has issued a Flood Warning Update today.

Lake levels on the Cataraqui and Gananoque River systems are falling, and some lakes on the Gananoque system have now come back within the upper normal range.

While the lake levels are starting to fall, they will remain high for the next few weeks, and residents should remain prepared for adverse flooding conditions.

Area water control structure managers continue to monitor levels closely and actively manage their structures to pass as much water as possible while minimizing flooding.

For specifics on affected areas and flooding or if you seek sandbags to protect your property from flood waters please contact your municipality.

Creeks to the east and west of the Cataraqui and Gananoque systems (Wilton Creek, Millhaven Creek, Collins Creek, Little Cataraqui Creek, Lyn Creek, Buells Creek) area at normal levels for this time of year.

CRCA continues to monitor conditions, and will update the statement as needed.

Valid until: April 29, 2014

Newsrooms please note:

Flood Watch: Flooding is possible in specific watercourse or municipalities. Municipalities, emergency services and individual landowners in flood-prone areas should prepare.

Flood Warning: Flooding is imminent or already occurring in specific watercourses or municipalities. Municipalities and individuals should take action to deal with flood conditions. This may include road closures and evacuations.

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