

## A News Release from the Cataraqui Region Conservation Authority

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## Cataraqui Region Conservation Authority seeking photos of flooding

Kingston – This past spring CRCA watercourses rose to some of the highest levels on record and many locations throughout the region experienced unprecedented flooding. To help document the effect of the flood event the CRCA is seeking photos and information from residents who experienced flooding during winter and spring 2014.

"A database of images from around the region will help us with the updating of floodplain mapping, pinpointing flood damage centres and identifying sites of concern during flood events," says Sean Watt CRCA Water Resources Engineer. "All of this data helps us document information for warnings during future events and gives us a fuller picture of the flood event."

If you have photos taken during this year's events that depict flooding in your area or in the region, please send them to: <a href="mailto:info@crca.ca">info@crca.ca</a> or mail them to the Cataraqui Region Conservation Authority, 1641 Perth Road, P.O. Box 160 Glenburnie ON, K0H 1S0. In your correspondence, it is important that you include the location and approximate time and/or date the photos were taken. Also, please include some description of the location. If applicable, please include indicators as to how far floodwaters reached (such as up to the sidewalk, halfway up the driveway, etc.), as this information is very helpful for documenting the extent of flooding.

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