

# MUSEUM FLOOD AREA EMERGENCY ALERT PROCESS

## RAINFALL THRESHOLDS ↓

Coconino County will issue Emergency Notifications for flash flooding for affected flood areas to augment National Weather Service flash flood warnings. When a specific level of rainfall or threshold is reached, then an Emergency Notification will be issued to certain areas as described below.

### Threshold #1

0.25 inches of  
rainfall in 15  
minutes

#### RAINFALL GAUGE THRESHOLD #1

When this threshold is reached, the Flood Director will alert the Emergency Operations Center, City and County officials and activate personnel to monitor drainages and water flows

#### WHAT TO DO IN A FLOOD EMERGENCY

- **DO NOT ENTER DRAINAGES!**
- **SHELTER IN PLACE!**
- If outdoors, get to High Ground or get into your home
- Know where your children & pets are
- Do not let children play in drainages
- If your home is flood impacted, call 928.679.8525
- Call 9-1-1 for EMERGENCIES ONLY

### Threshold #2

0.40 inches of  
rainfall in 15  
minutes

#### RAINFALL GAUGE THRESHOLD #2

When this threshold is reached, the following happens:

- An Emergency Notification Alert Will **ONLY** Be Issued to Mt. Elden Estates neighborhood
- County and City Social Media will post this alert for Mt. Elden Estates

#### RAINFALL GAUGE THRESHOLD #3

When this threshold is reached, the following happens:

- An Emergency Notification Alert Will Be Issued to the entire Museum Flood Area (Mt. Elden Estates, Paradise, Grandview, & Sunnyside)
- All cell-phones in the area will get an Emergency Notice (similar to an Amber Alert)
- County and City Social Media will post this alert

### Threshold #3

0.75 inches of  
rainfall in 15  
minutes

**SIGN-UP FOR  
EMERGENCY  
NOTIFICATIONS**

**Emergency Notifications**  
**Coconino.az.gov/ready**

[www.coconino.az.gov/museumfire/floodarea](http://www.coconino.az.gov/museumfire/floodarea) Call Center 928.679.8525



# National Weather Service Flagstaff

<https://www.weather.gov/flagstaff>



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## NWS daily flood threat, forecasts, and warnings:

Museum Fire Scar Flood Risk Page: <https://www.weather.gov/fgz/MuseumFireFloodRisk>

**\*\*\*Remember – A Flash Flood Warning means flash flooding is expected or already occurring. TAKE ACTION NOW\*\*\***

See our warnings on the NWS Webpage, NWS Twitter and Facebook, Wireless Emergency Alerts, NOAA Weather Radio, and local media sources.

### Be Prepared:

- 1) Check the daily forecast and flood threat
- 2) Know that your family receives NWS Flash Flood Warnings and Emergency Alerts
- 3) Have a plan if a Flash Flood Warning is issued.
- 4) Know the flood threat area, and know if you should stay or go.

**Enable Wireless Emergency Alerts** on your smartphone to receive Flash Flood Warnings issued by the National Weather Service.

On Android devices, go to **Settings** and search for **Emergency Alerts**. Click on “**Extreme Threats**” and “**Severe Threats**”

On iPhone devices, go to **Settings** and tap **Notifications**. Scroll to the bottom and tap the toggle switch on next to “**Emergency Alerts**”.

## FLOOD WARNING

A Flood Warning is issued when flooding is **happening** or will happen soon. Some roads will be **flooded**.

**Move** to higher ground.  
**Never drive** through flooded roads.

**take action.**

## AVISO DE INUNDACIÓN

Un Aviso de Inundación es emitido cuando la inundación **está ocurriendo** o ha de ocurrir pronto. Algunas carreteras quedarán **inundadas**.

**Muévase** a un lugar alto.

**Nunca conduzca** a través de carreteras inundadas.

**tome acción.**