



Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Fisheries response to flooding

Below is a summary of response and recovery to flooding information available at <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/industry/agriculture-seafood/agricultural-land-and-environment/water/flooding-emergency-resources>

Emergency information

- Evacuation orders and alerts can be found at www.emergencyinfbc.gov.bc.ca/
- Agricultural emergency response line (1-604-262-7640)
- Ministry Livestock Carcass Disposal Hotline (1-604-302-4830)
- AgriService BC emergency response line (1-888-221-7141)
- Local Emergency Operations Centre for emergency support contact information
 - Farmers are required to request a permit from their local Emergency Operations Centre to access evacuated zones to tend to their livestock and animals
- Industry Association contact information
- Sign up for emergency resource e-bulletins

Recovery information available includes

- Supports and resources to help B.C.'s agriculture producers recover from floods and mudslides
- AgriStability program enrollment which provides funding to farmers who have experienced income declines due to crop or livestock losses or market conditions
- A free Task Management Package which includes resources to support producers in returning to their farms and building back
- To stay informed about the AgriRecovery program contact agrirecovery@gov.bc.ca to receive an alert when the program is announced

Key information is also provided on

- Guidance for temporary travel and transportation changes, such as fuel limits, exemptions from the hours-of-service regulations, and special measures at the United States-Canada border
- Best practices for flood-spoiled feed management and disposal
- Mental health resources including AgSafe BC's mental wellness app
- Donations are currently being collected by Red cross, Abbotsford Disaster Relief Fund and some B.C. agricultural organizations

You are also invited to complete a 5-minute survey on essential and priority goods movement created by the joint federal/provincial Supply Chain Recovery Working Group, which is supporting supply chain restoration in B.C., and working to identify essential or high-priority goods requiring support.

The survey can be completed at:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/YQK2K59?utm_campaign=EmergencyResourcebulletinNov26&utm_medium=email&utm_source=