



Township Resident,

May 6th 2019

As you are aware Lake St. Clair is currently at a historically high level (Currently at or near the 1986 high water event). The Army Corps of Engineers is estimating that Lake St. Clair *could* rise an additional 6" – 12" in the next several months, therefore we expect additional Anchor Bay flooding throughout Chesterfield Township. The amount of water related damage is also directly related to rain events and wind direction both of which are unpredictable. The exact 'when' is unknown and will vary throughout our Township.

Sand Bags / Sand Bagging Operation: As of May 5th, 2019 Chesterfield Township DPW has bagged approximately **300,000** Pounds of Sand in approximately **8,500** sand bags. Our team will continue this effort for as long as it is necessary while continuing to explore ways to easy deployment and filling efforts. Please visit www.chesterfieldtwp.org for updates.

Coordination of Efforts: Chesterfield Township is coordinating preparation with our partners at Macomb County (Executive's Office, Public Works, Road Commission and Emergency Management) as well as State and Federal official's and departments.

911 and Dispatch: We ask that you reserve the use of the 911 system for emergencies only. All non-life threatening water level concerns should be reported to Chesterfield Township or the appropriate Macomb County Department.



I will continue to update you as weather / environmental events or changes occur from our County, State and Federal partners. Although the response may require a coordinated effort from Chesterfield Township, Macomb County along with State and Federal officials the most vital piece of the puzzle is our residents. Please prepare and protect your homes and property and exercise caution when or if you encounter water over our roadways, over filled drains, downed electrical lines or any other hazard that you may encounter. We are hoping and praying for the best while preparing for the worst, I urge you do all to do the same. Please feel free to contact me at (586) 549-3766 if I can be of any assistance.

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