

For Immediate Release

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SUBJECT: Future Opening of Closed Roads and Bridges

As water levels recede, Roads and Bridges will remain closed until they have been inspected, assessed and deemed safe for vehicular traffic and pedestrian use, by an Engineer.

Your patience, understanding and cooperation is appreciated as we work to re-open roads and bridges as soon as reasonably possible as safety permits.

A reminder that the road and bridge closures remain in effect for the following reasons:

- Public Safety
- Protection of Municipal Infrastructure
- Access for Emergency Services to the downtown area

DO NOT REMOVE barricades and signs

Signs and Barricades have been placed at the intersections of each road closure. **DO NOT** drive on these roads unless you are a resident of the road. Roadways that are underwater may create unstable and dangerous conditions. **It is illegal to remove barricades and signs.**

The Township will communicate all information by means of broadcasting media releases to local media, radio stations and the Township website.

Tune into Canoe FM 100.9 and Moose FM 93.5 for these broadcasts.

For Municipal Emergency contact after hours call: 1-866-856-3247

For Emergency Services call: 911

For more information please visit www.minden hills.ca for accurate updates.

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