

# LYON COUNTY COMMUNITY GUIDE

# FLOOD PREPAREDNESS

Flooding is a temporary overflow of water caused by heavy rains, high river flows, snow runoff, and when dams/levees breach.

Floods are the most common natural disaster in the United States.



## KNOW YOUR ALERTS AND WARNINGS

**Flash Flood** - A flood that can happen in a few minutes or hours of heavy rainfall, dam/levee failure, or drains overflowing.

**Flood Watch** - A message that flooding is possible.

**Flood Warning** - A message that flooding will happen soon (if it hasn't already).

Scan the code to view  
Lyon County  
Flood Resources



## STEPS BEFORE A FLOOD

1. **Make an emergency communications plan for your household** including evacuation plan, meeting places, insurance policy and medical information.
2. **Gather necessary supplies for members of your household, including pets.** Supplies should include food, water, medications and hygiene products.
3. **Document your belongings.** Create a list and take pictures of personal items and valuables. Gather personal documents.
4. **Know the flood risk in your area.** Review FEMA's Flood Map Service Center for information in your community. Consider purchasing or renewing your flood insurance policy well in advance. Get flood coverage under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).
5. **Protect your property** including clearing leaves and debris and allow for free flow of water to drainage ditches, streams or creeks. Place sandbags to stop floodwater from entering buildings.



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## Who to Call?

Issue	Contact	Phone
<b>Emergency</b>		<b>9-1-1</b>
Non-emergency	LCSO Communications Division (Dispatch)	(775) 463-6620
Power Outages	NVEnergy	(775) 834-4444
Downed Trees/Flooding on Lyon County Roads or Right-of-ways	Lyon County Roads Department	Road Yard (775) 463-6551
Road Conditions	Nevada DOT	5-1-1 or <a href="http://www.NVRoads.com">www.NVRoads.com</a>
Trash not Picked Up	Waste Management	(775) 329-8822
County Water and Sewer Concerns	Lyon County Utilities	(775) 246-6220 Emergency: (775) 720-7353
Human Services/Basic Needs	Lyon County Human Services	(775) 577-5009

**DO NOT CALL 911 to report power outages, get road condition reports or any other reason other than emergencies.**



For more information visit our website [www.lyon-county.org](http://www.lyon-county.org).

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## Self-Fill Sandbag Locations

Lyon County, the City of Fernley, and City of Yerington provide self-fill public sandbag locations listed below.

Residents are encouraged to visit <https://perimetermap.com/> for a digital map the most up-to-date locations.

### Dayton

- Fire Station #35 - 231 Corral Dr., Dayton, NV 89403
- Dayton Senior Center - 320 Old Dayton Valley Rd., Dayton, NV 89403
- Dayton Valley Road just East of Quail Ridge

### Fernley

- City of Fernley Out of Town Park, Farm District Road and Highway 95A, Fernley, NV 89408 (East end of Rodeo Grounds)

### Mound House

- Mound House Community Center – 56 Red Rock Rd., Mound House, NV 89706

### Silver City

- Silver City Community Center - 385 High St., Silver City, NV 89428

### Silver Springs

- Silver Springs JPO Office - 1075 Pyramid Ave., Silver Springs, NV 89429

### Smith / Wellington

- Dressler Park Community Arena - 2715 Hwy 208, Wellington, NV 89444

### Stagecoach

- Stagecoach Community Center - 8105 US-50, Stagecoach, NV 89429

### Yerington / Mason

- City of Yerington Public Works 215 Towbridge Rd, Yerington, NV 89447 (behind Raleys)
- Lyon County Roads Yard – 18 Hwy 95A North, Yerington, NV 89447
- Mason Town Hall building - 55 Bridge Street, Mason, NV 89447
- Lyon County Fairgrounds - 100 Hwy 95A East, Yerington, NV 89447



OFFICE OF EMERGENCY  
MANAGEMENT

**PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN SHOVEL!**

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<https://x.com/lyonoem>



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**Watch archived meetings on the Lyon County YouTube Channel**

<https://www.youtube.com/@lyoncountynv7557>



**Sheriff's App** Download "Lyon County Sheriff's App" in your app store for emergency alerts direct to your mobile device.



**Perimeter Map** Digital map for local resources, evacuation zones, shelters, road closures and more!

<https://perimetermap.com/>