

## Flood warning - MAINTAINED

### Teslin Lake

June 30, 2022 2 pm

#### Current conditions

Teslin Lake remains above the 100-year return period water level\*, but has declined 17 centimetres since peaking June 23.

#### Weather forecast

Above seasonal temperatures are forecast to continue across the territory through next week. Scattered or isolated showers and thundershowers remain possible for most regions for the next few days. The ridge of high pressure is expected to intensify and bring even higher temperatures early next week across the Yukon.

#### Water level forecast

While the rate of decline is expected to increase in the coming days, water levels are likely to remain above flood thresholds for at least another week and well above average this summer.

#### Flood and travel advice

The public is advised to stay clear of the fast-flowing rivers and potentially unstable riverbanks during the high-streamflow period. Flood prone property owners are advised to have a plan in place in the event of a flood. See [Yukon.ca/floods](http://Yukon.ca/floods) for more information.

We will continue to monitor conditions and will provide updates as conditions change.

#### Advisory and warning levels



**High streamflow or water advisory:** Lake levels or river flows or levels are rising or expected to rise rapidly, but no major flooding is expected. Minor flooding in low-lying areas is possible.



**Flood watch:** River or lake levels are rising and will approach or may exceed banks. Areas beside affected rivers and lakes may flood.



**Flood warning:** River or lake levels have exceeded or will exceed banks or flood stage very soon. Areas beside affected rivers and lakes will flood.

#### Contact

**Flood response:** Yukon Emergency Measures Organization, 867-667-5220 or [emo.yukon@yukon.ca](mailto:emo.yukon@yukon.ca)

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\* Return period refers to the expected frequency at which a specific level or flow will be exceeded based on statistical analysis of historic records. For example, the 100-year return period is expected to be exceeded once every 100 years on average, but has a 1% chance of being equalled or exceeded in any year.

