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### **NEVADA OPERATIONS CENTER (NVOC) SITREP**

**INCIDENT NAME:** Spring Thaw 2023

**LOCATION:** Nevada (Region 1, 2 and 3) **TIME OF INCIDENT:** 12:00 AM on 8MAR23

**INCIDENT DESCRIPTION:** The Nevada Operations Center (NVOC) is partially activated per the Division of Emergency Management (DEM) Spring Thaw Plan. The purpose of this activation is to increase our efforts for monitoring and

preparedness.

#### **SITREP #: 2**

**SOURCE:** Nevada Division of Emergency Management (DEM), Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT), Walker River Irrigation District, and National Weather Service (NWS) Elko, Las Vegas, and Reno.



#### **CONDITIONS**

**CURRENT SITUATION** (as of 1600 PM on 30MAY23): Per the NWS Reno, continued snowmelt and recent rainfall will maintain a river flooding threat for the foreseeable future. There will be isolated thunderstorms and near normal temperatures until later this week. The Walker River system will see the most significant impacts with prolonged minor to moderate flooding expected. The Carson River system will continue to see minor impacts mainly in agriculture and open spaces. The Walker River near Wabuska is at moderate flood stage of 12.2 feet. The Walker River near Mason – Snyder Lane is at moderate flood stage at 11.2 feet. The East Walker River above Strosnider Ditch near Mason is at moderate flooding level over 9.5 feet (see graphic on page 2). A Flood Advisory is in effect through 02JUN23 in Lyon County for a dam floodgate release.

Per the NWS Elko, there is a Flood Watch in effect portions of Humboldt, Elko, Lander, Eureka, and Nye Counties through the afternoon of 31MAY23.

Spring Thaw 2023 Declarations		
Fallon Paiute-Shoshone Tribe 4/7	Lincoln County 4/12	
Lander County 4/27	Humboldt County 5/1	
Lyon County 5/18	State Declaration 5/29	
Churchill County 03/06	Walker River Paiutre tribe 05/30	

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ACTIONS and NEEDS			
Jurisdictions			
Region	Location		
Region 2 – Western Nevada	<ul> <li>Lyon County –         <ul> <li>Miller Lane closed, between 95A and Aiazzi Ln</li> <li>Protective measures taken to protect entry points of water system.</li> <li>Mason Bridge may be closed</li> <li>up to 10 homes impacted by flooding</li> </ul> </li> <li>Walker River Paiute Tribe –         <ul> <li>Evacuation planning underway for worst case scenarios</li> <li>Working with BIA on the dam at Weber Reservoir</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
Region 3 – Eastern Nevada	Elko County –  • Monitoring Lamoille Creek at record flow		

AVAILABLE RESOURCES (see photos on page 3)		
Division of Emergency Management		
Resource	Number	
Sandbags	8,500	
HESCO Barriers	20 pallets in Carson City, 26 in Eureka	
Sandbag Fillers	1	
Express Sandbaggers	5	

COSTS	
Division of Emergency Management	



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Total \$101,150







# **COMMENTS AND FOLLOW-UPS**

LINKS: <a href="https://dem.nv.gov/Resources/Flood\_Information">https://dem.nv.gov/Resources/Flood\_Information</a>
NEXT R2 COORDINATION CALL: 06JUN23 at 9:00 AM
DEM DUTY OFFICER: Eric Wilson (775) 687-0498