



July 12, 2011

Flooding closes or threatens highways in Eckville, Rimbey areas

Eckville... Motorists are advised that two highways are either closed or being threatened with closure by flooding in the Eckville and Rimbey area.

Highway 766 from its junction with Highway 12 to its junction with Highway 53 west of Rimbey is closed until further notice.

Highway 766 between Eckville and the Highway 12 junction remains open, but there is water flowing across the road surface. Motorists are advised to use an alternate route or use extreme caution if they must travel this highway.

Highway 53 west of Rimbey remains open, but has water running across the road surface. Motorists are advised to use an alternate route or use extreme caution if they must travel this highway.

Further advisories will be issued as conditions change.

-30-

Media inquiries may be directed to:

Lynden Fischer
Operations Services Coordinator
Alberta Transportation
403-340-4967

To call toll free within Alberta dial 310-0000.

[Alberta Government](#) | [Newsroom](#) | [Ministries Listing](#) | [Transportation Home Page](#) | [News Releases](#) | [Top of Page](#) |

[Send us your comments or questions](#)

Copyright(©) 2011 Government of Alberta