

### What is happening?

MODERATE FLOODING EXPECTED ALONG THE BARWON RIVER AT MUNGINDI FROM MONDAY

Major flooding is occurring along the Weir River at Talwood and minor flooding has been observed in recent weeks along the Macintyre River at Goondiwindi.

Floodwaters travelling downstream from the Macintyre and Weir rivers are expected to cause minor flooding along the Barwon River at Mungindi during Sunday and moderate flooding from Monday. Further rises are possible.

Once a peak is observed at Kanowna, predictions for Mungindi will be refined. Predictions for downstream locations will be made once peaks are observed at Mungindi.

### What we are expecting:

Based on the prediction provided by the Bureau of Meteorology:

- Moderate flooding is expected along the Barwon River Mungindi to Collarenebri.
- The Barwon River at Mungindi is expected to reach the minor flood level (6.10 metres) during Sunday.
- The river level is expected to exceed the moderate flood level (6.70 metres) during Monday and may reach around 7.00 metres during Tuesday.

### What you need to do:

- **STAY INFORMED** - Be prepared to act if your situation changes.
- Stay up to date with information. Listen to flood warnings and follow advice on how to protect yourself, family, and property.
- People working or camping along the Barwon River should monitor river heights and be prepared to relocate to higher ground.
- Farmers and landholders are advised to relocate livestock, pumps, chemicals and equipment to higher ground.
- **Never drive, walk or play in floodwaters. Floodwater may be deep, fast flowing and may contain hidden snags and debris.**

For emergency help in floods and storms, call the NSW State Emergency Service on 132 500.

**In life threatening situations call triple zero (000) immediately.**

## Latest River Heights for the Barwon River:

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| Macintyre River at Kanowna              | 5.31m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Weir River at Talwood                   | 4.74m steady | 10.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Barwon River at Mungindi                | 4.34m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Barwon River at Mogil Mogil             | 4.11m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Barwon River at Collarenebri            | 2.41m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Barwon River at Tara U/S Namoi Junction | 4.87m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Barwon River at Walgett                 | 4.38m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Barwon River at Boorooma                | 4.49m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |
| Barwon River at Brewarrina              | 2.54m steady | 11.00am | Sat 05/03/22 |

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**The next flood bulletin will be issued by 2:00pm Sunday 6 March, 2022.**