

### What is happening?

Moderate flooding is occurring along the Bokhara River at Goodwins with a moderate flood peak expected later this week.

### What we are expecting:

Based on the prediction provided by the Bureau of Meteorology;

- The Bokhara River at Goodwins is expected to peak near 3.10 metres around Friday (27/03/20) with moderate flooding.
- Floodwaters may spill from the Bokhara River into Williams Creek closing Jobs Gate Road just north of Goodooga Road intersection.

### What you need to do:

- Stay up to date with information. Listen to flood warnings and follow advice on how to protect yourself, family and property.
- Do not allow children to play in floodwaters, especially stormwater drains and creeks.
- People working or camping along the Bokhara & Birrie Rivers should monitor river heights and be prepared to move to higher ground should flooding develop.
- Farmers and landholders are advised to relocate livestock, stock feed, chemical and farm equipment to higher ground.
- Motorists are advised to take extreme care as water may be flowing across causeways and local roads.
- Do not drive through floodwater as floodwaters may be deep, fast flowing and contain debris and is a major cause of flood related deaths.

**Safety is your highest priority - Never walk, drive or play in floodwaters.**

**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 Bokhara and Birrie Rivers:**

Ballandool River at Ballandool	2.18m Steady	09.00am	Wed 25/03/20
Bokhara River at Goodooga	2.24m Steady	10.00am	Wed 25/03/20
Birrie River at Goodooga	1.15m Steady	11.00am	Wed 25/03/20
Bokhara River at Goodwins	2.62m Rising	11.00am	Wed 25/03/20

### **For more information:**

- Listen to your local ABC radio station, follow NSWSES on Facebook or [www.ses.nsw.gov.au](http://www.ses.nsw.gov.au)
- For the latest Weather, Warnings, Rainfall and River heights visit: [www.bom.gov.au/nsw/](http://www.bom.gov.au/nsw/)  
For road closure information visit: [www.livetraffic.com.au](http://www.livetraffic.com.au) or call 131 701 or contact your Local Council.
- For rural animal and livestock assistance, contact your Local Land Services Office [www.lls.nsw.gov.au](http://www.lls.nsw.gov.au)

**The next bulletin will be issued by 11.00am Thursday 26 March 2020.**