

Press Release

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TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES

UPDATE 2

LOCATION OF INCIDENT: Yuma County

YUMA, ARIZONA, JANUARY 21, 2010: The Yuma County Sheriff's Office is currently monitoring temporary road closures. Those closures are:

- Martinez Lake Road, North of Highway 95
- Red Cloud Mine Road
- Dome Valley Road South of Highway 95
- Aberdeen Road on YPG.
- County 11th Street, East of Somerton Avenue
- County 12th Street, East of Somerton Avenue

These closures are temporary and are due to heavy water flow. There have been no reported injuries related to the rain.

The Sheriff's Office has received word that several schools in the East County are closing. The Yuma County North Gila Transfer site is closing at 1300 hours.

The Sheriff's Office will continue to monitor and report on any additional road closures. The Sheriff's Office would also like to remind the public not to enter flooded areas or drive around barricades.

The Sheriff's Office has been advised by the National Weather Service that Yuma County can expect in excess of 3 inches of additional rain in the next 24-36 hours. Additional flooding is expected.

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