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Township of Brock

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WATERSHED CONDITIONS BULLETIN

DATE: November 30, 2010

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

Message sent on the basis of information received from:

**Ministry of Natural Resources - Surface Water Monitoring Centre
Environment Canada
Kawartha Conservation Flood Forecasting Network**

A low pressure system is moving through southern Ontario, bringing a significant amount of precipitation into the Kawartha Conservation watershed. Environment Canada forecasts that, by tonight, rain will become heavy at times and continue into Wednesday as a second disturbance moves in with a cold front. Up to 60 mm of rain is expected to fall before the system pushes out of the watershed.

This amount of rain, coupled with a partly frozen ground, will create significant water runoff and cause local watercourses to flow higher and faster than usual.

While no flooding is anticipated, water accumulation in areas adjacent to watercourses, low lying areas and in areas with poor drainage is expected. Riverbanks may also become extremely slippery and unsafe.

Under these conditions, Kawartha Conservation is warning all residents to stay away from rivers, streams and lakes, as well as water structures such as bridges and culverts, and for caregivers to maintain a close watch on children who are outside.

Kawartha Conservation will continue to monitor local watercourses and notify the public and municipalities within its watershed jurisdiction of any changes. If you are aware of or have concerns about flooding, please contact Kawartha Conservation at 705.328.2271 or 705.344.0155 after hours.

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Note: A Watershed Conditions Bulletin is a general notice about existing or potential conditions that may pose a risk to personal safety. Watershed Conditions Bulletins may be issued when streams are flowing at or near bankfull levels, when ice conditions are unsafe, or when stream banks are icy, soft and/or slippery.

