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National Weather Service has issued a flood warning for the Three Rivers Area.

Flooding is expected to be in the Minor flooding stage with it cresting at 8.3 feet this afternoon. The St. Joseph River is predicted to fall to flood stage Wednesday evening. It will then rise to 7.3 feet early Friday afternoon, and fall below flood stage early Saturday afternoon. Flood stage is 7 feet.

Expected impact:

At 8.0 feet, minor flooding of apartments near the river along Mechanic Street, the River Glen Condos on east Michigan Ave, and basements of several homes along River Drive can be expected.

Avoid floodwaters:

Don't walk, swim or drive through floodwater and watch for washed-out roads, downed power lines and other hazards. Do not attempt to drive on closed streets or around barricades.

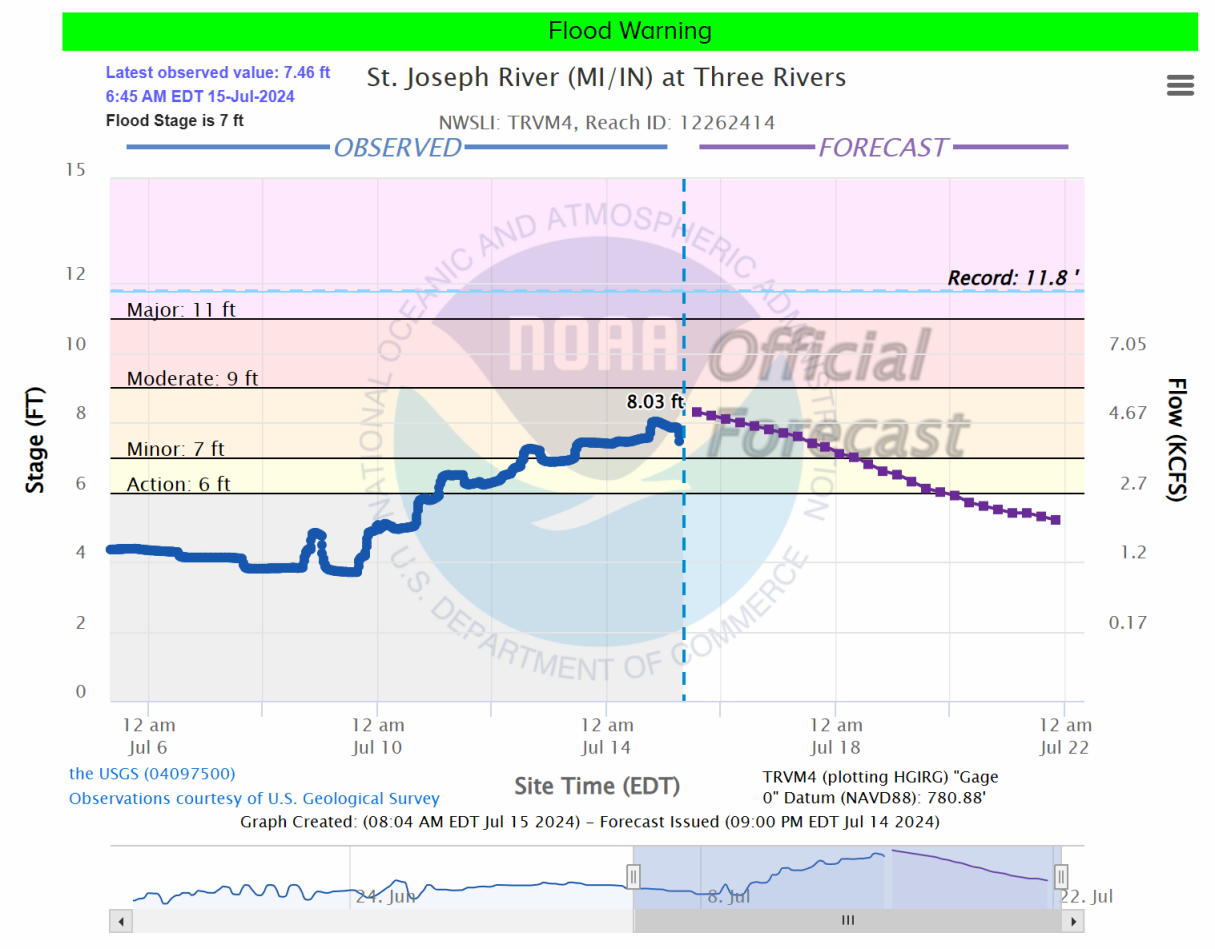
Available assistance:

Any affected residents requiring temporary emergency shelter may contact the American Red Cross at 1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2767) – 24 hours a day.

Sandbags (without fill) are available at Saint Joseph County Sheriffs Department lobby. Cost is 35 cents each. Fill sand may be obtained through your local excavating company.

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See next pg. for St. Joseph River hydrology.



Observations courtesy of

<https://waterdata.usgs.gov/monitoring-location/04097500/#parameterCode=00065&period=P7D&showMedian=false>

NOTE: River forecasts for this location take into account past precipitation and the precipitation amounts expected approximately 48 hours into the future from the forecast issuance time. Forecasts for the St. Joseph River (MI/IN) at Three Rivers are issued as needed during times of high water, but are not routinely available.