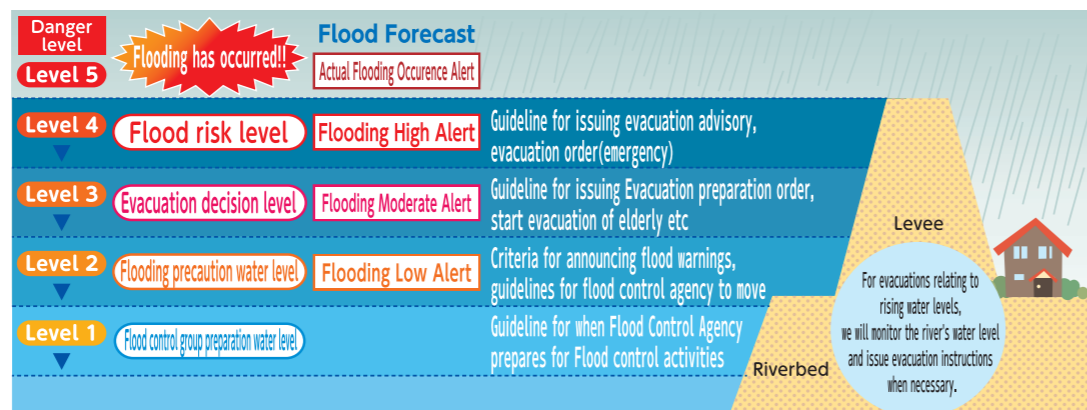


Flood Forecast

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To aid flood control efforts that target rising river water levels and overflows, and to support the evacuation plans of residents, the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism and prefectural authorities will collaborate with the Japan Meteorological Agency to issue water level and volume forecasts.

Water level and danger level of river



Weather Information / Evacuation Information

Weather Information

The Japan Meteorological Agency predicts natural phenomena such as heavy rain or strong winds. They issue "advisories" when there is a risk that a catastrophe may occur, "warnings" when there is a risk that a severe catastrophe may occur, and "emergency warnings" when there is a very high risk that a severe catastrophe may occur.

Danger level	Type	The expected disaster
low	Advisory	
	Heavy rain advisory	When there is a risk of damage from flooding, landslides, etc.
Warning	Flood advisory	When there is a risk of disaster due to overflowing/swelling of rivers, or damage/bursting of embankments
	Heavy rain warning	When there is a risk of severe damage from flooding, landslides, etc.
high	Flood warning	When there is a risk of severe disaster due to overflowing/swelling of rivers, or damage/bursting of embankments
	Emergency warning for heavy rain	When heavy rain of an intensity seen only once every few decades has been predicted, and the risk for severe damage from flooding or landslides is very high.

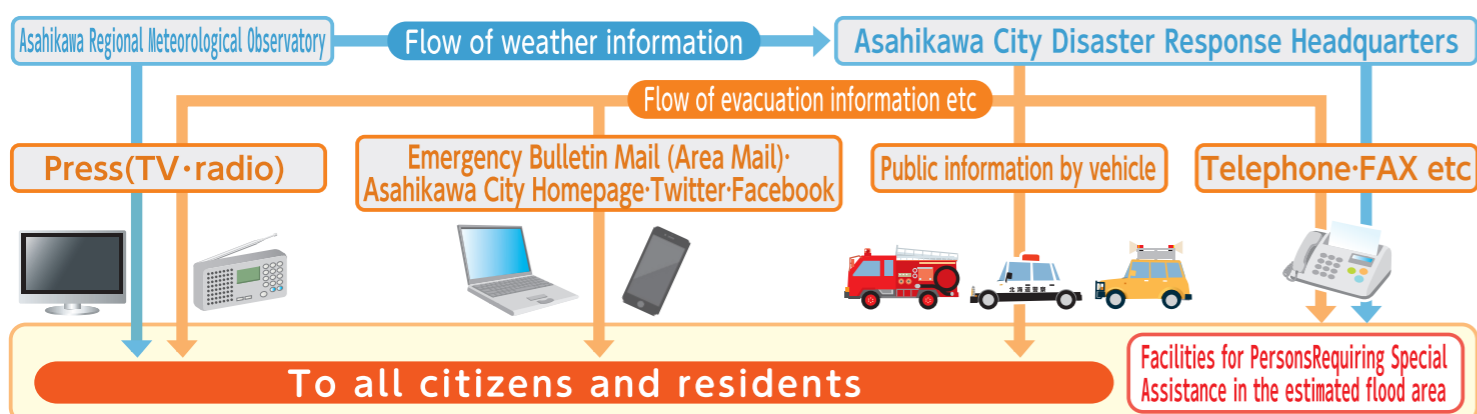
※There are no emergency warnings for floods.

Evacuation information

If there is a possibility of damage due to a disaster, evacuation advice etc. will be issued from the city. If you feel danger, please evacuate voluntarily even before the evacuation recommendation etc is issued.

Evacuation preparation order, start evacuation of elderly etc	When the possibility of a disaster increases	For people who need time to evacuate such as the elderly, start evacuation now. Others, should prepare to evacuate at any time.
Evacuation advisory	When the possibility of damage caused by a disaster increases	Start evacuation promptly. If life is put in danger by evacuation, evacuate to a safer place near or inside your home.
Evacuation order (emergency)	When the risk of the occurrence of the damage caused by a disaster is greatly increased	Evacuate immediately. If life is put in danger by evacuation, evacuate to a safer place near or inside your home.

Transmission of information, etc



How to Obtain Weather Information / Evacuation Information

Emergency Alert Mail / Area Mail

Evacuation information will be disseminated at once to all compatible mobile phones within the area. For more information on compatible models, please enquire with the various mobile carriers.

City Of Asahikawa Website Etc.

Asahikawa City Website

<http://www.city.asahikawa.hokkaido.jp/>

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Twitter «Asahikawa City Disaster Prevention»

https://twitter.com/bosai_asahikawa

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TV Data BroadCasts

You can check weather information, disaster information, evacuation information, etc. through the NHK TV broadcast.

Asahikawa Regional Meteorological Observatory

<http://www.jma-net.go.jp/asahikawa/>

You can obtain the latest weather information here.

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Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism Flooding Disaster Prevention Information

<https://www.river.go.jp/>

You can obtain information on river water levels here.

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Hokkaido Disaster Prevention Information

<https://www.bousai-hokkaido.jp/>

You can obtain disaster prevention information within Hokkaido here. Upon subscription of email notification, weather information for the selected areas will be sent to your email address.

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Areas Requiring Early Evacuation

For torrential floods as a result of heavy rains that occur approximately once in 1,000 years, it is especially critical to evacuate with speed and conviction in areas where the lives and physical well-being of people are directly at risk.

Zone	Evacuation Behavior	
Estimated Flood Area With House Collapse Etc	Overflowing currents	Collapsed or damaged banks are signs that you are in an area where there is a danger of houses collapsing.
	Erosion of riverbanks	Erosion of the surrounding riverbanks is a sign that you are in an area where there is a danger of houses collapsing.
Areas at Risk of Inundation	These are areas where even the top floors of buildings are at risk of being submerged.	

Evacuate from the area at risk of flooding as soon as possible. In the case where leaving the immediate area is even more dangerous, evacuate to a safer site nearby. If the evacuation route is already flooded, or if it is even more dangerous to head outside, evacuate to a safer spot such as the top floor of the building you are currently in.