




NDRRMC UPDATE

Flood Bulletin No. 1 for Pampanga River Basin and Allied River System

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**AVERAGE BASIN RAINFALL AS OF 5:00AM TODAY (MM):
PAST 24-HR = 26.0 MM**

BASIN EXPECTED RESPONSE:

Water Level Station (Stn)	River/Swamp Water Level (WL) Trend at Station	Flood Situation Message	Particular Low-lying areas
Sapang Buho Stn., Pampanga River	Now at 2.32M / Slow to reach just below 3.70M alert WL by noon today	Flooding is possible by noon today	Gabaldon, Rizal, Palayan City, Bongabon, Laur, Gen, Natividad, Cabanatuan City, Sta. Rosa, San Leonardo
Peñaranda Stn., Peñaranda River	Now at 0.11M / Slow to gradual increase until noon today	Flooding is possible	Gen. Tinio, Peñaranda, San Leonardo, Gapan, Jaen
San Isidro Stn., Pampanga River	Now still at 0.00M / Slow increase but to remain below 3.2 alert WL until noon today	Flooding is possible	Jaen, San Isidro, San Antonio, Cabiao
Zaragosa Stn., Rio Chico River	Now at 2.41M / Slow rise to exceed 3.50M alarm WL this morning	Flooding is possible	San Antonio, La Paz, Zaragosa, Aliaga, Licab, Talavera
Arayat Stn., Pampanga River	Now at 7.11M / Slow rise but to remain below 8.5M critical WL until late today	Flooding is possible	Arayat, San Luis, San Simon
Candaba Stn., Candaba Swamp	Now at 5.34M (from previous event) / Slow filling-up above 5.00M critical WL until tomorrow	Flooding to persist (from previous event) for several days	Candaba Swamp Area
Samuan Stn., Guagua River	Now at 2.61M / to fluctuate (tide influenced) but to remain just below	Flooding is possible	Sasmuan, Lubao, Guagua

	3.0M WL		
Sulipan Stn., Pampanga River	Now at 3.08M / Slow rise to remain below 3.6M alert WL until noon today	Flooding is possible	Apalit, Macabebe, Masantol, Calumpit, Paombong, Hagonoy
Angat River	Still relatively low, slight increase in river stage	Flooding is possible	Riverside areas of Angat, Norzagaray, Bustos, san Rafael, Maliuag, Pulilan, Plaridel, Calumpit
Coastal flooding in the low-lying seashore areas (tide influenced)			Hagonoy, Paombong, Macabebe, Masantol

The main Pampanga river at its lower sections remain still relative high as a result of the previous effects of Typhoon Karen over the basin. Likewise, flooding in the Candaba swamp area still persist. At the moment, no significant rains is expected over the basin in the next 6 to 12 hours. With this present situation, this will be the final flood bulletin for this event.

Meanwhile, the emergence of Typhoon Lawin, which is likely to affect parts of the basin by early tomorrow morning, is now the focus for flood information issuance. With this in consideration, a flood advisory for this event will be issued later today.

People living in low-lying areas particularly those adjacent to the above mentioned rivers and the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils concerned are still advised to continue to take precautionary measures and watch for the next flood information to be issued later today.

ACTION/S TAKEN:

- NDRRMC Advisory on **Flood Bulletin No. 1** for Pampanga River Basin and Allied River System was disseminated to **OCD Region III** through facsimile, SMS and website for further dissemination to their respective Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMCs) from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
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