



NDRRMC UPDATE

Flood Advisory No. 05 for

Pampanga River Basin and Allied Rivers

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Source: PAGASA-DOST

PRESENT WEATHER:

AS OF 5:00 PM TODAY, UPPER PAMPANGA RIVER AND ITS EASTERN TRIBUTARIES (DIGMALA, CORONEL, AND PEÑARANDA) ARE SLOWLY RECEDING; MIDDLE AND LOWER MAIN PAMPANGA RIVER IS NOW ON A SLOW RISE INCLUDING WATER LEVEL OF CANDABA SWAMP; THESE RIVER TENDENCIES ARE LIKELY TO CONTINUE UNTIL EARLY TOMORROW MORNING BUT WILL REMAIN JUST CLOSE TO THEIR RESPECTIVE ALERT LEVELS.

- **Isolated rainshowers and thunderstorms** are likely to be experienced within Pampanga River Basin until tomorrow morning.
- The public and the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMOs) within the basin are advised to **monitor and maintain precautionary measures to mitigate** impacts of possible flash floods, rain-induced landslides, pluvial and river floods within the Pampanga River Basin and to continue monitoring updates of **Thunderstorm Warnings** issued by PAGASA Regional Services Divisions.

Average Basin Rainfall as of 5:00 PM today	Past 24-hr observed	Forecast 24-hr basin rainfall
	24 millimeters	Less than 10 millimeters
WATERWAYS AND AREAS OF CONCERN / IMPACTS		
Sub-basins: River Channels, Tributaries, Swamp	Areas likely to be affected (tonight until tomorrow noon, 17 May 2020)	Impacts (tonight until tomorrow noon, 17 May 2020)
Upper and Eastern part of the basin (Tributaries Digmala, Peñaranda, and Coronel SubBasin)	Nueva Ecija Province; Eastside of Candaba swamp: DRT, San Miguel, San Idefonso, San Rafael	Possible flash floods in mountainside areas of Nueva Ecija and Eastern Bulacan area; possible minor riverside flooding.

<p>Lower Main Pampanga River Basin: Candaba Swamp and the stretch of the Lower Main Pampanga River; Angat River</p>	<p>Bulacan-Pampanga area: Candaba, San Luis, San Simon, Apalit, Calumpit, Malolos, Hagonoy, Paombong, Macabebe, Masantol and other adjacent towns; Towns along Angat River: Norzagaray, Angat, Bustos, San Rafael, Baliuag, Pulilan, Plaridel</p>	<p>Possible Flooding due to accumulation / ponding of rainwater (pluvial) at low-lying areas and those with poor drainage system; riverside and coastal flooding.</p>
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People living near the mountains slopes and in the low-lying areas of the abovementioned river systems and the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMOs) are advised to start undertaking precautionary measures to mitigate the adverse immediate impacts of possible flash floods, rain-induced landslides, pluvial and river floods within the Eastern part of the Pampanga River Basin.

ACTION/S TAKEN:

NDRRMC Advisory on **General Flood Advisory No. 05 for Pampanga River Basin and Allied Rivers** were disseminated to OCD Regional Office III through facsimile, SMS, and website for further dissemination to respective LDRRMCs from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
