



# Pipeline West Flood Area

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Welcome to the City of Flagstaff's Pipeline West flood area eNews. Please email [info@pipelinewestflooding.com](mailto:info@pipelinewestflooding.com) with any questions. These eNews will be released regularly to provide updates as information becomes available.

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## **BACKGROUND**

The Pipeline Fire was reported on June 12, 2022, approximately 6 miles north of Flagstaff within the Coconino National Forest. The fire burned 26,532 acres, including portions of the Schultz Creek and Chimney watersheds. A burn scar assessment and flood modeling subsequently showed potential post-wildfire flood risk to neighborhoods on the west side of Flagstaff. Both the City of Flagstaff and the Coconino County Flood Control District are collaborating with public and private partners and taking extensive measures and precautions to mitigate damage from future potential flood events.

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## **CITY DECLARES STATE OF EMERGENCY**

Mayor Paul Deasy declared a State of Emergency on behalf of the City of Flagstaff due to the impacts of monsoonal flooding in areas impacted by post-Pipeline Fire flooding that started on July 16, 2022. Declaring a State of Emergency makes the City eligible for additional resources to support disaster response, such as disaster grant assistance for costs associated with public infrastructure damage, including debris removal, emergency protective measures, and the restoration of disaster-damaged, publicly owned facilities. The Declaration can be viewed [here](#).

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## **FLOOD INSURANCE FAQS**

The Coconino County Flood Control District and the City of Flagstaff have created a list of frequently asked questions related to flood insurance. To view answers to questions related to flood insurance premiums, FEMA's Risk Rating 2.0 system and other flood insurance topics, click [here](#).

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## **Electronic Newsletters**

The City will send out electronic newsletters (such as these) on a regular basis as updates become available. To receive eNewsletters and other updates, please visit [flagstaff.az.gov/PipelineWest](http://flagstaff.az.gov/PipelineWest) and fill out the contact form.

## **Additional questions?**

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