

Keeping you informed

Fall Weather Update

What's happening?

- Stormy weather is forecast for this week
- Warmer-than-normal conditions are expected across BC and Yukon into November
- El Niño conditions – warmer weather and less snow – are expected for this winter and spring, however it is important to be prepared for all conditions.

Reminders for potential fall weather:

- Windy and wet weather can lead to poor driving conditions including:
 - localized flooding in low-lying areas or roads
 - tree branches/debris across roads
- Power failures can occur due to extreme weather

Steps to take for preparedness:

- Sign up for weather alerts through [Alertable](#), [WeatherCAN](#), and [AlertMe](#)
 - Weather alerts can be tailored to specific locations
 - “Alertable” includes power outages, major traffic incidents and other emergency events in addition to weather
- Make sure on-call leadership knows how to respond to weather events
- Be aware of plans that support the impacts of flooding and power failures
 - Review available resources at fraserhealth.ca/emergencymanagement

Further Resources:

- [TranBC current road advisories](#)
- [DriveBC Map](#)
- [DriveBC Twitter](#)
- [ECCC Alerts](#)
- [BC Hydro](#)

Questions?

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