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Safety water tips during heavy rains

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The Western Cape catchments experienced heavy rainfalls in the last few days. The heavy downpours led to localized flooding which brought undesired misery to some communities, in particular, those in the informal settlements

Although our motto is "Water is Life" we should always be mindful of the dangers that come with heavy rains. As part of safety measures around water resources, we have resolved to assist communities to avoid loss of life by issuing the following advisory:

- During heavy rains communities are urged to exercise due care when crossing • low lying bridges and water systems.
- Citizens are urged not to go engage in recreational activities near water • facilities during inclement weather as these conditions make it very difficult for others to see that you are in trouble.
- Where possible, park your car undercover and delay traveling until the storm • has subsided:
- During heavy rains do not park your car under trees as there is a danger of • falling debris and branches

Water is Life, Sanitation is Dignity"

Malusi Rayi



