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Lewisville Lake flooding information

THE COLONY, Texas — In conjunction with the Army Corps of Engineers and Denton County Emergency Services, the City of The Colony continues to carefully monitor the water levels at Lewisville Lake. As of today, the lake was at **536.51 feet**, or 14.51 feet above the conservation pool. Water is being released at a rate of 18,044 cubic feet per second, and lake levels are receding.

All residential dwellings in flood prone areas of the city are being monitored. This [flood plain map](#) shows areas that may need to take precautions. Denton County also provides a [538-foot map](#) for your review. Please visit www.DentonCounty.com for updated information regarding the lake flooding situation.

For your safety, everyone is strongly encouraged to observe the Army Corps of Engineers' [closure of the lake](#) to all boat traffic until further notice. **This includes kayaks, paddleboards, and non-motorized vessels.** Traffic on the lake at this time also will generate significant wake that may result in cresting waves along the shoreline, potentially impacting nearby residential structures.

Previously impacted roadways, including Lebanon Road north of the city and the Memorial-Spring Creek underpass, have been reopened. Stewart Creek Park, Ridgepointe Park, Bill Allen Park, the Shoreline Trails and the Lions Club playground, however, remain closed.

Republic Waste Services has closed the Camelot landfill to all traffic both commercial and residential. Landfill passes cannot be used at this time. Additional notifications will be issued when the landfill reopens and passes can resume.

The landfill closure has also created delays in the collection and disposal of normal trash service. Efforts are being made to maintain the regular schedule but residents are advised to leave out their bins in the event they are not emptied on the usual day.

As the water recedes, lakeshore residents may find debris on their property. For convenient disposal, residents may utilize the city's scheduled green/bulk waste collection days. For information, visit the [Environmental Services page](#).

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