

Rain Causes Road Closures In Flowery Branch Area

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Hall County Road Maintenance crews are responding to several road closures in the Flowery Branch area Sunday afternoon as a result of a significant weather event. Approximately 7.5 inches of rain fell in the area within six hours.

As a result of the heavy rains, portions of Atlanta Highway, McEver Road, Stephens Road, Trudy Drive, Flowery Way, Spring Street and Cove Creek Road have all been closed, according to officials on scene. Hall County Road Maintenance crews as well as an emergency contractor are working diligently to make repairs and construct temporary roads as needed.

In addition, a boil water advisory has been issued for South Hall and Flowery Branch residents until further notice. Heavy rains have caused a water main to rupture, leading to the advisory. Every effort is underway to have the problem resolved by midnight.

Hall County emergency crews mobilized immediately early Sunday morning to assist citizens and secure the flooded areas. Hall County's Citizen's Alert System has been activated to notify residents affected by the closures, and members of the Hall County Marshal's Office were also on hand to assist citizens in the area.

Anyone needing assistance as a result of these road closures is asked to contact Hall County's Emergency Operations Center at 770-718-5737.