

FLOOD HAZARD AREAS

PUBLIC WORKS MAINTAINS :

- ALL CITY RIGHT OF WAYS IDENTIFIED AS TRIBUTARY
- STORM SEWERS AND DITCHES
- STREET SWEEPS
- MONITORS AND BARRICADES ROADWAYS COVERED BY HIGH WATER

It is illegal to dump materials into a required waterway including on private property; violators may be fined.

For assistance contact the Public Works department at (316) 744-2451 ext. 132



PROPERTY PROTECTION MEASURES

Watertight seals can be applied to brick and block walls to protect against low-level flooding.

Utilities such as heating and air conditioning systems, water heaters and other major appliances can be elevated to higher floors in the structure or on raised platforms.

Temporary measures such as moving furniture and other valuables to higher floors or sandbagging exterior openings will also help.

Elevating or relocating the entire structure may also be a feasible option.

FIRST RESPONDERS

BEL AIRE POLICE DEPT.

The Bel Aire Police Department provides community-based police service to Bel Aire and provides back-up assistance to the surrounding areas. For assistance call: (316) 744-6000 For Emergencies dial 911

SEDGWICK COUNTY FIRE DEPT.

The City of Bel Aire is served by the Sedgwick County Fire Department. Fire Station #37 is located in Bel Aire on north Woodlawn and provides fire and emergency medical response for 54 square miles. Call 911 for emergencies

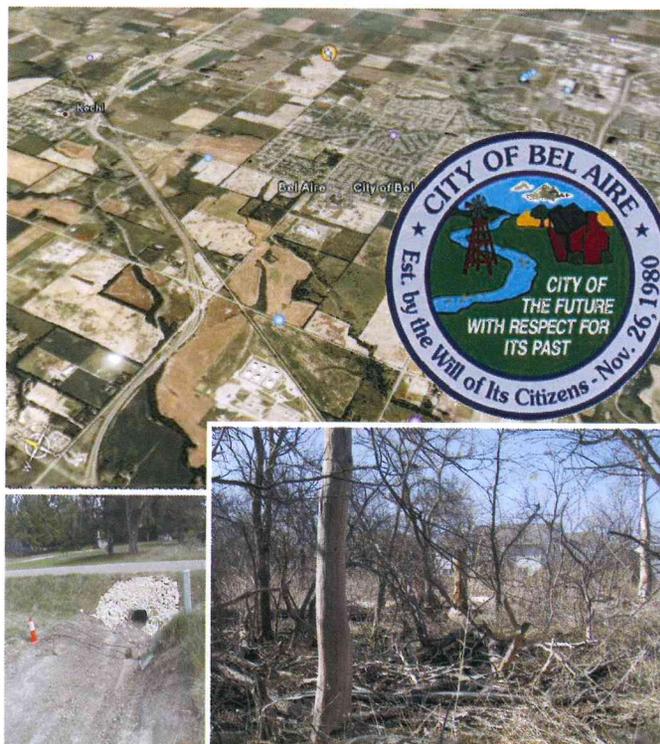
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SOURCE OF INFORMATION

FloodSmart.gov, NFIP 1-800-427-4661 or contact your insurance agent or company, or www.FEMA.GOV/STATES/KANSAS

BUILDING & ZONING DEPT

For requirements and or concerning: The floodplain, erosion control, stormwater, firm maps, property information, library, floodway, FIRMettee, legal description, LOMA, LOMC, FEMA, plat, tributaries 3 and 7, flood permit form, shed permit form, drainage problem, fence permit form, building permit form, development, digging, flood proofing, swales, berms, silt fence, panel numbers 20173C217E,219E, or 240E; volunteering for a clean up or public education project; 811, flood insurance requirements, NFIP, 50% rule, Planning Commission, Zoning, Sub-Division, Building Codes, floodplain ordinance and other regulatory city codes For more information call: (316) 744-2451 EXT 120



BEL AIRE FLOOD WARNING

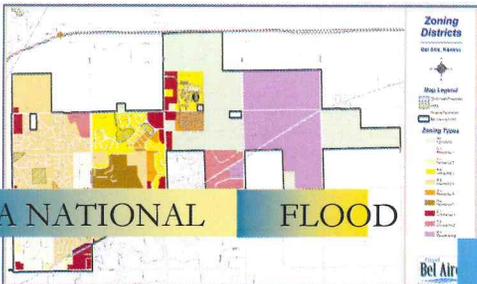
Bel Aire first responders will coordinate public announcements to be on the radio, Bel Aire Web site and channel 7. Any information about road blocks necessary or rerouted traffic or areas of evacuation will be contained in the message.

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FLOODPLAIN PERMIT INFORMATION

- COMMERCIAL BUILDING CAN BE FLOOD PROOFED
- NEW CONSTRUCTION HAS 1 FOOT FREE BOARD REQUIREMENT
- SOME PROJECTS MAY REQUIRE A CITY, STATE, CORP OF ENGINEERS, COMBINATION OF PERMITS
- REMODELING OR REPAIR OF A HOME IN THE FLOODPLAIN MAY REQUIRE FLOOD PROOFING OR ELEVATING THE EXISTING STURCTURE

contact City Hall at (316) 744-2451, Ext 120



FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the City of Bel Aire visit Cox Cable Channel 7, which features:

- City Government
- Ordinances
- Special Events
- Community Calendar
- City Council Meeting Broadcasts
- Public Service Announcements
- Health & Zoning Issues
- City library

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www.belairesks.gov



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FLOOD PLAIN SAFETY

Do not drive through a flooded area. More people drown in cars than any where else. Do not drive around barriers.

Do not walk through flowing water. Currents can be deceptive. Six inches of water can knock you off your feet.

Stay away from power lines and electrical wires. If your house is about to be flooded, turn off the power at the service box. Electrical current can travel through water. Electrocution is the 2nd leading cause of death during floods.

Be alert to gas leaks. Turn off the gas to your house before it floods. If you smell gas, report it to Valley Center Fire Department or your gas company. Do not use candles, lanterns or open flames if you smell gas or are unsure if your gas has been shut off.

Keep children away from the flood waters, ditches, culverts and storm drains. Flood waters can carry unimaginable items that have dislodged themselves. Culverts may suck smaller people into them rendering them helpless.

Clean everything that has been wet. Flood water will be contaminated with sewage and other chemicals which pose severe health threats.

Look out for animals, especially snakes. Small animals that have been flooded out of their home may seek shelter in yours.

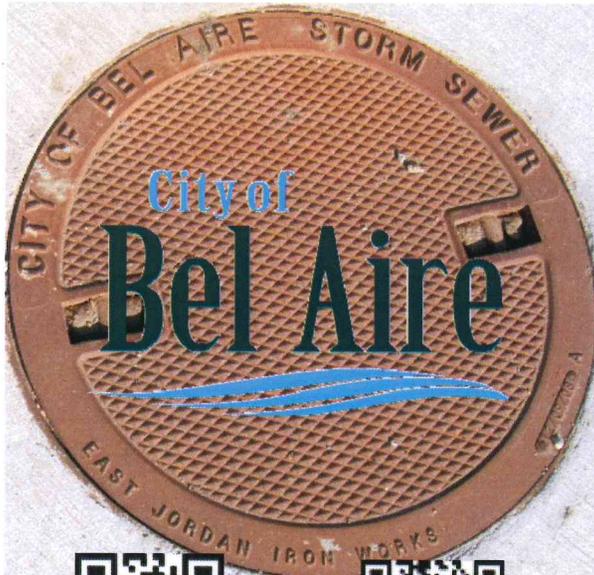
Do not use gas engines, such as generators, or charcoal fires indoors during power outages. Carbon monoxide exhaust can pose serious health hazards.

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